

# Terraforming Mars

## Symbol & Play Reference

### Temperature

\* Increasing the Temperature Global Parameter increases your Terraform Rating (🟡) by 1.  
\* End of Game Condition (+8° C)



**Trade Fleet**  
\* Players start the game with 1 Trade Fleet each.

\* May be used once per generation to trade with a Colony Tile.  
\* Maximum of one Trade Fleet on each Colony Tile.



**Trade**  
\* Move your Trade Fleet from the Trade Fleets tile to a Colony Tile without a Trade Fleet.

\* Gain the tile's Trade Income.  
\* Colony owners present gain the tile's Colony Bonus.  
\* The white cube for the colony moves to the leftmost open Colony Track space.



**Colony**  
\* Up to 3 colonies may be placed on a single Colony Tile.

\* Players may only have 1 colony per Colony Tile unless card indicates otherwise.  
\* If the colony's white cube is on the lowest open space on the Colony Tile track, move it up one space.  
\* Colonies are placed on the lowest open space on the Colony Tile track, receiving the corresponding placement bonus.



**Greenery Tile**  
\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated by a card.

\* Placed as described on the card.  
\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated  
\* Collect any bonus resources in area placed.  
\* Collect 2 € for each adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Place a player marker on the tile.



**Player Marker**  
\* Indicates a Player Marker Cube.  
\* Cards indicate what to do with the Player Marker.

### Oxygen Level

\* Increasing the Oxygen Level Global Parameter increases your Terraform Rating (🟡) by 1.  
\* End of Game Condition (14%)



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### Venus

\* Increasing the Venus Global Parameter increases your Terraform Rating (🟡) by 1.

\* End of Game Condition (14%)



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\* Players start the game with 1 Trade Fleet each.

\* May be used once per generation to trade with a Colony Tile.

\* Maximum of one Trade Fleet on each Colony Tile.



**Trade**  
\* Move your Trade Fleet from the Trade Fleets tile to a Colony Tile without a Trade Fleet.

\* Gain the tile's Trade Income.  
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\* The white cube for the colony moves to the leftmost open Colony Track space.



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### Ocean Tile

\* May only be placed on Ocean reserved (blue shaded) areas unless indicated on a card.  
\* Collect any bonus resources in area.  
\* Collect 2 € for each adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Placing an Ocean Tile increases your Terraform Rating (🟡) by 1.  
\* End of Game Condition (9 Tiles)

**City Tile**  
\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated.  
\* May not be placed adjacent to cities (🟡) unless indicated.

\* Collect any bonus resources in area.  
\* Collect 2 € per adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Place a player marker on the tile.  
\* At end of game, worth 1 VP (🟡) per adjacent Greenery Tile (🟢), regardless of the Greenery owner.

**Capital Tile**  
\* Follows the rules of a city (above), save as indicated on the card.

\* Placed as described on the card.  
\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated  
\* Collect any bonus resources in area placed.  
\* Collect 2 € for each adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Place a player marker on the tile.

**Special Tiles**  
\* Placed as described on the card.  
\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated  
\* Collect any bonus resources in area placed.  
\* Collect 2 € for each adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Place a player marker on the tile.



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\* Follows the rules of a city (above), save as indicated on the card.



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\* Placed as described on the card.

\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated  
\* Collect any bonus resources in area placed.  
\* Collect 2 € for each adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Place a player marker on the tile.



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\* Placed as described on the card.  
\* May not be placed on reserved areas unless indicated  
\* Collect any bonus resources in area placed.  
\* Collect 2 € for each adjacent Ocean Tile (🟡).  
\* Place a player marker on the tile.

### Terraform Rating

\* Each Terraform Rating is worth 1 VP (🟡).  
\* Each Terraform Rating provides 1 €



### Victory Point



**Victory Point**  
\* Provides the indicated number of VPs.

The player with the most VPs at the end of the game is the victor. If tied, the player with the most € wins.

### Resources

\* Indicates resource cube marker(s).



**Different Resources**  
\* Number of different types of resources.

### Titanium Resource

\* May be used to pay for cards with the Space Icon (🟡), providing 2 € towards the cost.

### Heat Resource

\* 8 Heat Resources may be spent as an action to increase the Temperature Global Parameter (🟡).

### Asteroid Resource

\* Asteroid Resources accumulate on cards.  
\* Cards indicate what the Asteroid Resources do.

### Camp Resource

\* Camp Resources accumulate on cards.  
\* Cards indicate what the Camp Resources do.

### Party

All players receive 1 € for every plant tag (🟢), microbe tag (🟡), and animal tag (🟠) they have.

### Ruling Bonus

Gain 4 € each time you place a greenery tile (🟢).

### Chairman

All players receive 1 € for every building tag (🟡) they have.

### Scientists

All players receive 1 € for every science tag (🔴) they have.

### Unity

All players receive 1 € for every Venus tag (🟡), Earth tag (🟢), and Jovian tag (🟠) they have.

### Microbe Resource

\* Microbe Resources accumulate on cards.  
\* Cards indicate what the Microbe Resources do.

### Animal Resource

\* Animal Resources accumulate on cards.  
\* Cards indicate what the Animal Resources do.

### Floater Resource

\* Floater Resources accumulate on cards.  
\* Cards indicate what the Floater Resources do.

### Wild Resource

\* Indicates an unspecified resource.  
\* Cards indicate what the Wild Resources do.

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Corporate Era

Venus Next

Prelude

Colonies

Turmoil

Promo

## Animal Tag

## Building Tag

\* Steel (■) may be used to pay for cards with the Building Tag, providing 2 € towards the cost each.

## City Tag

## Earth Tag

\* This project is a one-time event.  
\* Place face down after playing.  
\* Tags on event cards do not count towards prerequisites, milestones, awards, etc.  
\* Tags on event cards do trigger immediate effects.

## Jovian Tag

## Microbe Tag

## Plant Tag

## Power Tag

## Science Tag

\* Titanium (★) may be used to pay for cards with the Space Tag, providing 3 € towards the cost each.

## Venus Tag

## Wild Tag

\* When in play, during your actions, counts as a single tag of your choice for the entire action.  
\* Does not count for awards nor trigger cards when put into play or changing the tag.

\* Does not count as a type of tag.  
 \* Number of different tag types.

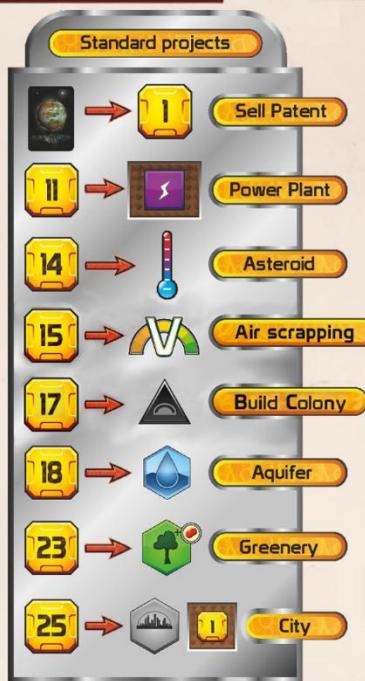
\* Tags on event cards (↓) don't count.

## Action

\* Anything to the left of the arrow is a cost required to perform the action.

\* Place a player marker cube (■) on the card to indicate that it has been used for this generation.

\* May not be used if there is a player marker cube (■) on the card (indicating that it has already been used this generation).



## Minimum Requirement

\* To play the card, the current game state must have values greater than or equal to the item(s) in the box.

## Maximum Requirement

\* To play the card, the current game state must have values less than or equal to the item(s) in the box.



## Prelude Card

## Project Card

\* Indicates that you draw a project card without paying for it.

\* Research Phase Project Cards kept cost 3 € each.

\* A tag or resource in the upper right indicates to draw until a project card with the indicated item is drawn. Discard the others.

\* Indicates a type of card in play.

\* Cards indicate which types of cards in play that this icon represents.

## MILESTONES



# Generation Phase Order

## 1. Play Order Phase

A. First player marker shifts 1 step clockwise.

B. Generation marker moves up 1 step.

\* Skip this phase on Turn 1.

## 2. Research Phase

\* Skip this phase on Turn 1.

A. Each player draws 4 cards.

B. (GAME OPTION): Draft Cards. Retain 1 of the cards drawn or passed. Pass the other cards to the next player. Repeat 3 additional times.

C. Players decide which of the 4 new cards to keep, at a cost of 3 € each.

D. Unkept cards are discarded, face down.

## 3. Action Phase

\* Starting with whomever has the first player token and proceeding clockwise, each player takes 1 action, 2 actions, or passes.

\* Each player continues taking turns until they pass.

\* When everyone has passed, move to the next phase.

The following are the available actions:

A. Play a card from your hand.

B. Use a Standard Project.

C. Claim a Milestone.

D. Fund an Award.

E. Use an action (→) on a card of yours in play.

F. Spend 8 Plant Resources (■) to place a Greenery Tile.

G. Spend 8 Heat Resources (■) to raise the Temperature Global Parameter.

H. Spend 9 € or 3 Energy (■) or 3 Titanium (★) to Trade with a colony.

I. Move one of your delegate markers (●) from the Delegate Reserve for 5 MC or from the Lobby (for free) into the Delegate Area of your desired party.

## 4. Production Phase

A. All players' Energy Resources (■) convert to Heat Resources (■).

B. Players receive new Resources.

C. Remove Player Marker Cubes (■) from cards.

## 5. Solar Phase

### A. End Game Check

\* If the Oxygen Level, Temperature, and Oceans are all maxed out, the game ends and scoring begins with the final conversion of Plant Resources to Greenery Tiles.

\* If the game ends, skip the rest of the Solar Phase.

### B. World Government Terraforming

\* (GAME OPTION) Skip this step.

\* The first player selects a non-maxed Global Parameter and increases it one step or places an Ocean.

\* No bonuses are received for this increase/placement, although other cards are still triggered.

### C. Colony Production

\* Return all Trade Fleets from Colony Tiles to the Trade Fleets Tile.

\* Move each Colony Tile's white marker up one step.

### D. Turmoil

#### 1. TR Revision

\* All players lose 1 Terraform Rating (■).

#### 2. Global Event

\* Perform the Current Global Event, taking influence into account.

#### 3. New Government

a. The Dominant Party becomes Ruling.

\* Change policy tile.

b. Resolve the Ruling Bonus (all players)

c. Return the former Chairman (●) and all non-leader delegates (●) from the Dominant party to the reserve.

d. Party Leader (●) from Dominant party becomes the new Chairman (●), earning 1 TR (■).

e. Dominance marker goes to new Dominant party (clockwise in case of a tie).

f. Fill the lobby from the reserve (so that all players have 1 delegate marker (●) there).

#### 4. Changing Times

a. Place the Coming Global Event on top of the Current Global Event. Add the neutral delegate indicated at the mid-right on that card.

b. Move the Distant Global Event into the Coming Global Event space.

c. Turn the top card of the Global Event deck face up, add a neutral delegate of the party in the top-left, and read the flavor text.

## AWARDS

Banker: Highest € Production.

Benefactor: Highest Terraform Rating.

Count this award first!

Celebrity: Most 20+ € cost cards in play (not events).

Contractor: Most Building Tags (Event Cards do not count).

Cultivator: Most Greenery Tiles.

Desert Settler: Most tiles in the 4 bottom rows.

Estate Dealer: Most tiles adjacent to Ocean Tiles.

Excentric: Most resources on cards.

Industrialist: Most steel and energy resources.

Landlord: Owning the most tiles in play.

Magnate: Most automated (green) cards in play.

Miner: Most Steel and Titanium resources.

Scientist: Most Science Tags in play.

Space Baron: Most Space Tags (event cards don't count).

Thermalist: Having the least Heat resources.

Venophile: Have the most Venus Tags in play.