

# A BIG GREEN ADVENTURE

## Reducing the cast size

Minimum Cast Number: **29**

Here is our suggestion to reduce the cast size without compromising the plot.

The roles of the Activists in scenes 6, 7 and 8 and the Trees in scene 2 can both be reduced to two characters and their lines redistributed.

The roles of Construction Workers in scene 8 can be reduced to one character who speaks all the lines.

Some of the speaking and non-speaking characters appear in only one scene. This allows for the 'doubling-up' of parts played by your cast, thus reducing the number you need to fulfil all the main roles, as below:

<b>Speaking Part</b>	<b>Also playing part/s</b>
Natura (Sc 1)	Tin of Corned Beef (Sc 5)
Tree #1 (Sc 2)	Leg of Lamb (Sc 5)
Tree #2 (Sc 2)	Apple (Sc 5)
Itchy (Sc 3)	Pineapple (Sc 5)
Scabs (Sc 3)	Potato (Sc 5)
Checkout Girl (Sc 5)	Construction Worker (Sc 8)
Car Salesman (Sc 6)	Robbie Robot ( Sc 7,8)
<b>Non-Speaking Parts</b>	<b>Also playing part/s</b>
3 x Trees (Sc 2)	3 x Food Chorus (Sc 5)
3 x Rat Chorus (Sc 3)	3 x Drivers (Sc 6)

## Increasing the cast size

To **100+**

For this production, you can have **unlimited numbers of non-speaking characters** in the scenes where they appear. They could also feature prominently in the performance of the song associated with their particular scene:

<b>Non-speaking part</b>	<b>Appearing in scene/s</b>
More Trees	2
The Rat Chorus	3
The Food Chorus	5
Drivers	6

You could also have a dedicated choir seated to one side of the stage, to sing all songs – number unlimited.

Please get in touch if you have any further questions about staging this musical – we're always happy to help!