



hold on to her

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In 2018, two-year-old Mawda Shawri, daughter of Phrast and Shamden and sister to Hama, was shot dead by a Belgian police officer during a car chase. In 2023, more than 40 people, both undocumented and documented resident activists, assembled in Brussels to film a collective hearing of documents from Mawda's case and reactions to her killing. Together, these produce counter-forensic evidence of this deadly tale of migration, and build a lived social infrastructure of care, solidarity and struggle.

CREDITS

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CREATION DETAILS

TYPE: Film
PRODUCTION SHARE: Majority Flemish
Production
GENRE: Documentary, Experimental
YEAR OF PRODUCTION: 2024
PRODUCTION STATUS: Completed
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TECHNICAL SPECS

RUNNING TIME: 80'
AVAILABLE IN: 2D
ASPECT RATIO: 16:9
SOUND FORMAT: 5.1 (+sub)
RELEASE FORMAT: DCP (2K)
COLOUR: Colour

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MORE INFO

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