

Terms of Use and Statement of Data Protection Conditions for the Internet

A) Privacy Policy

1. GENERAL REMARKS

1.1

LPRC takes the protection of your Data very seriously. When we process the Personal Data and Organisation Data that is collected during your visits to the www.lapalmaresearch.eu website, we always observe the rules laid down in the European Data Collection Plan. Your data will not be disclosed publicly by us, nor transferred to any third parties without your consent.

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The following sections provide an overview of how we ensure observance of such rules, what types of data we record when you visit the www.lapalmaresearch.eu website, how such data are used, and for what purpose.

2. PERSONAL DATA AND ORGANISATION DATA

This website does not record any organization data nor personal data, such as information relating to your personal identity or the organization you belong to.

3. RECORDING AND PROCESSING OF DATA

3.1 Data provided by you with consent for use

Access information (Google Drive, direct links to e-meetings, etc.) transmitted through e-mail are kept in safe servers and never used in commercial endeavours.

Data submitted are stored in a physically and organizationally secured database and are used for statistical purposes by LPRC Team only (see also 6). Anonymized data may be disclosed and aggregated in form of statistical averages and trend curves.

3.2. Data recorded automatically in connection with access over the Internet.

When you visit the www.lapalmaresearch.eu website, our web server makes a temporary record of each access and stores it in a log file. For organizational and technical reasons, the following data are recorded:

- the date and time of registration and access;
- the requested URL and the type of access;
- the server result stating success or error of the requested URL;

Foregoing data will not be deleted automatically after end of session or after deletion of the user account. After deletion of the user account, foregoing data is not deleted but is anonymized in the database.

3.2.1. The purpose of recording these data is to allow use of the website (connection set-up), for system security, for technical administration of the network infra-structure and in order to optimize our Internet website.

4. PURPOSE USE AND TRANSFER OF PERSONAL AND ORGANISATION DATA

4.1

Personal Data and Organisation Data will not be transferred to third parties except without your explicit consent to do so or if the transfer of such data should be necessary in order to take legal action. The disclosure can be made for purposes of law enforcement, danger defense or enforcement of rights of intellectual property.

5. INFORMATION ABOUT WEB ANALYSIS

In order to optimize the website and marketing, we use various Web-analysis programs, which collect pseudonymized data. The following describes the programs in detail:

Google Analytics

This website uses Google Analytics, a Web analysis website of Google Inc. (“Google”). Google Analytics uses so-called “cookies” that are text files saved on your computer and which enable an analysis of your usage of the website. The information generated by the cookie about your usage of this website is usually transferred to a Google server in the USA and stored there.

In the event of an activation of IP anonymization on this website, however, your IP address is abbreviated within member states of the European Union or in other contract states to the Treaty concerning the European Economic Area first. Only in exceptional cases is the full IP address transferred to a Google server in the USA and abbreviated there. On behalf of the operator of this website, Google will use this information in order to evaluate your usage of the website, in order to draw up reports about website activity and in order to render further websites associated with the website usage and Internet usage to the website operator. The IP address transmitted by your browser in the framework of Google Analytics is not consolidated with other data by Google. You can prevent the storage of cookies by setting your browser software accordingly; however, we would like to inform you that in such case it is possible that you will not be able to use all of the functions of this website to the full extent. You can also prevent the collection of the data generated by the cookie and pertaining to your usage of the website (incl. your IP address) being transferred to Google, as well as the processing of that data by Google, by downloading and installing the browser plug-in available at the following link: <https://tools.google.com/dlpage/gaoptout?hl=en>.

By using this website, you declare your consent to the processing of the data collected about you by Google in the above-described manner and for the abovementioned purpose.

6. COOKIES

6.1

Cookies are used on our website only as session cookies that place technical session-control data in your browser’s memory. These data contain no references of a personal nature and are automatically erased depending on the browser setting.

6.2

Of course, it is perfectly possible to consult our website without the use of cookies. Please note, however, that most browsers are programmed to accept cookies in their default configuration. You can prevent this by changing the appropriate setting in your

browser options. If you set the browser to refuse all cookies, this may restrict your use of certain functions on our website.

7. SECURITY

7.1

LPRC has implemented technical and organizational security measures to safeguard stored personal and firm specific data against inadvertent or deliberate manipulation, loss or destruction and against access by unauthorized persons. Our security measures are continuously improved in line with technological progress.

8. LINKS TO WEBSITES OPERATED BY OTHER PROVIDERS

Our website may contain links to other provider's web pages. We would like to point out that this privacy policy applies exclusively to the websites managed by LPRC. We have no way of influencing the practices of other providers with respect to data protection, nor do we carry out any checks to ensure that they conform the relevant legislation. Thus, please read the data protection conditions of those other providers on their respective websites.

9. RIGHT TO INFORMATION AND CONTACT DATA

9.1

You have a legal right to inspect any stored data concerning your person, and also the right to demand the correction or deletion of such data, and to withdraw your consent for the further use of such data.

9.2

In some cases, if you are a registered user of certain websites provided by LPRC, we offer you the possibility of inspecting these data online, and even of deleting or modifying the data yourself.

9.3

If you wish to obtain information on your Personal Data, or want us to correct or erase such data, or if you have any other questions concerning the use of Personal Data and Organisation Data held by us, please contact:

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10. ACCEPTANCE, VALIDITY AND MODIFICATION OF PRIVACY POLICY

10.1

By using our website, you implicitly agree to accept the use of your personal data as specified above.

10.2

As our website evolves, and new technologies come into use, it may become necessary to amend the statement of data protection conditions. LPRC reserves the right to modify its data protection conditions at any time, with effect as of a future date. We recommend that you re-read the latest version from time to time.

This privacy notice was last updated in May 2018.

B) Terms of Use

1. NO WARRANTY

Your use of the website is at your sole risk. Even if we take appropriate measures for holding the content of the website up-to-date, complete and correct, we cannot entirely rule out the possibility of errors. We therefore do not warrant for correctness or completeness, accurateness or reliability of the information and data provided within our web pages to the user. Registered trademarks and proprietary names, and copyrighted text and images, are not generally indicated as such on our web page. But the absence of such indications in no way implies that these names, images or text belong to the public domain and can be used by the user.

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