

# **ABOUT COOKIES**

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## WHAT ARE COOKIES?

A cookie is a data file created by the server of the website that you are browsing, and is saved to the hard disk of your device (computer, smartphone, etc.) by the browser. The cookie contains an unique code that recognizes your browser when you visit the website now and in the future. Cookies may be placed by our website's server or by partners that our website collaborates with. Our website's server can only read the cookies that it has placed itself. It cannot access any other information on your computer or on your mobile device.

Cookies generally facilitate interaction and enhance browsing speed.

## THE DIFFERENT TYPES OF COOKIES USED ON THE WEBSITE

### FUNCTIONAL COOKIES

These cookies are intended to facilitate and analyse the functionality of our website and to make it easier to use and offer a more personalized user experience.

They:

- \* personalize services by remembering your preferences (choice of language, currency, location, etc.)
- \* do not require that you restate your choices every time you visit the site
- \* store the information you provide on online forms
- \* do statistical analyses (e.g.: the number of unique visitors)
- \* analyse website traffic and the popularity of our pages

Name of cookie	Publisher	Use
_gat	google.com	statistics
_gid	google.com	statistics
_ga	google.com	statistics
PHPSESSID	WFS	facilitate browsing and create a «unique» anonymous session

### THIRD PARTY COOKIES

Cookies may be placed on our website by third parties when you use their services.

Publisher	Use	Cookies policy
google.com	* post videos * post interactive maps	<a href="https://policies.google.com/technologies/cookies?hl=en">https://policies.google.com/technologies/cookies?hl=en</a>

We have no control over the processes used by third-party publishers regarding the placement of cookies and you are advised to refer to their respective policies indicated in the table below.

### SOCIAL NETWORK COOKIES

We may include third-party applications, which allow you to share content with other users or to divulge your browsing behaviour or your opinion about the content of a website. This is the case for the "Share" or "Like" buttons from social networks such as Facebook, Twitter, etc.

Social networks may identify you via that button, even if you did not use it when visiting our website. This type of app button may allow the social network in question to track your browsing in our website, simply because your social network account was active on your device (open session) while you were browsing our website.

We have no control over the processes used by social networks to collect information about your browsing behaviour on our website or any personal information that their app buttons may collect. We advise you to read those social networks' data protection policies to understand how information from your browsing behaviour is being used via the app buttons, including for advertising purposes. Their data protection policies must permit you to express choices to these social networks, specifically by setting your preferences on each social network.

### PRIVACY

When connecting to a website, certain data is automatically sent to our server by the browser being used by the web user. This data contains the TCP/IP address (a number that identifies a computer on the network), the brands and version of the browser, as well as the operating system and the most recent web page viewed.

The data collected in this way is anonymous and does not identify you personally. Cookie information cannot be linked to a surname and/or given name because it does not contain any personal data.

### COOKIES AGREEMENT AND MANAGING COOKIES

The use of cookies requires your express prior consent. You can still subsequently withdraw your consent and block cookies and/or delete them at any time, by changing your browser preferences.

If in your browser you have agreed to accept cookies on your device, the cookies embedded in the pages and content that you have viewed may be stored temporarily in a dedicated space on your device. They can only be read by their issuer.

You can also at any time configure your browser to accept or block cookies one by one when offered, before they are saved to your device.

How to enable, disable and delete cookies depends on your device and your web browser.

Simply go to your browser's help menu to see how to change cookie preferences.

For Internet Explorer™:

<https://support.microsoft.com/fr-fr/help/17442/windows-internet-explorer-delete-manage-cookies>

For Safari™:

<https://support.apple.com/fr-fr/HT201265>

For Chrome™:

<https://support.google.com/chrome/answer/95647?hl=fr&hlrm=en>

For Firefox™:

<https://support.mozilla.org/fr/kb/activer-desactiver-cookies-preferences?redirectlocale=fr&redirectslug=Activer+et+d%C3%A9sactiver+les+cookies>

For Opera™:

<https://help.opera.com/fr/Windows/10.20/fr/cookies.html>

## **DISABLING COOKIES**

If you block cookies, or if you delete those previously saved, you will no longer be able to benefit from a certain number of functionalities which are, however, necessary to navigate some of the pages on our website: for example,

\* if you try to access our content or services that require you to identify yourself,

\* when we, or our service providers, cannot recognize, for technical reasons, the type of browser you are using on your device, your language preferences or display preferences or the country from which your device seems to be connected to the web.

Please note that by refusing or deleting cookies that are required to browse our website effectively, you may degrade our services. You make this personal choice at your own risk and we cannot be held liable for its consequences.