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At Google we recognize that privacy is important. This document outlines the types of personal information we receive and collect when you use Google's services, as well as some of the steps we take to safeguard information. We hope this will help you make an informed decision about sharing personal information with us.

### Scope

This notice offers highlights of the full [Google Privacy Policy](#), which describes in detail the privacy practices that apply to Google's products, services and websites worldwide (collectively, Google's "services"). You can also get more information about the privacy practices for specific Google services in the navigation bar to the left of this notice.

### Personal information and other data we collect

- Google collects [personal information](#) when you register for a Google service or otherwise voluntarily provide such information. We may combine personal information collected from you with information from other Google services or third parties to provide a better user experience, including customizing content for you.
- Google uses [cookies](#) and other technologies to enhance your online experience and to learn about how you use Google services in order to improve the quality of our services.
- Google's servers automatically record information when you visit our website or use some of our products, including the URL, IP address, browser type and language, and the date and time of your request.
- [Read more](#) in the full privacy policy.

### Uses

- We may use personal information to provide the services you've requested, including services that display customized content and advertising.
- We may also use personal information for auditing, research and analysis to operate and improve Google technologies and services.
- We may share [aggregated non-personal information](#) with third parties outside of Google.
- When we use third parties to assist us in processing your personal information, we require that they comply with our Privacy Policy and any other appropriate confidentiality and security measures.
- We may also share information with third parties in limited circumstances, including when complying with legal process, preventing fraud or imminent harm, and ensuring the security of our network and services.
- Google processes personal information on our servers in the United States of America and in other countries. In some cases, we process personal information on a server outside your own country.
- [Read more](#) in the full privacy policy.

### Your choices

- We offer you choices when we ask for personal information, whenever reasonably possible. You can find more information about your choices in the privacy notices or FAQs for specific services.
- You may decline to provide personal information to us and/or refuse cookies in your browser, although some of our features or services may not function properly as a result.
- We make good faith efforts to provide you access to your personal information upon request and to let you correct such data if it is inaccurate and delete it, when reasonably possible.
- [Read more](#) in the full privacy policy.

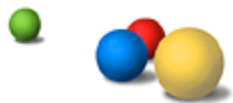
### More information

For information about specific Google services, please check the relevant privacy notice in the navigation bar to the left. Google is a member of the [EU/US Safe Harbor Program](#).

For more information about our privacy practices, go to the [full privacy policy](#).

If you have additional questions, please [contact us](#) any time. Or write to us at:

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