

# Cookie Policy of Pirate Skills

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This document informs Users about the technologies that help Pirate Skills to achieve the purposes described below. Such technologies allow the Owner to access and store information (for example by using a Cookie) or use resources (for example by running a script) on a User's device as they interact with Pirate Skills.

For simplicity, all such technologies are defined as "Trackers" within this document – unless there is a reason to differentiate. For example, while Cookies can be used on both web and mobile browsers, it would be inaccurate to talk about Cookies in the context of mobile apps as they are a browser-based Tracker. For this reason, within this document, the term Cookies is only used where it is specifically meant to indicate that particular type of Tracker.

Some of the purposes for which Trackers are used may also require the User's consent. Whenever consent is given, it can be freely withdrawn at any time following the instructions provided in this document.

Pirate Skills uses Trackers managed directly by the Owner (so-called "first-party" Trackers) and Trackers that enable services provided by a third-party (so-called "third-party" Trackers). Unless otherwise specified within this document, third-party providers may access the Trackers managed by them.

The validity and expiration periods of Cookies and other similar Trackers may vary depending on the lifetime set by the Owner or the relevant provider. Some of them expire upon termination of the User's browsing session.

In addition to what's specified in the descriptions within each of the categories below, Users may find more precise and updated information regarding lifetime specification as well as any other relevant information — such as the presence of other Trackers — in the linked privacy policies of the respective third-party providers or by contacting the Owner.

## How Pirate Skills uses Trackers

### Necessary

Pirate Skills uses so-called "technical" Cookies and other similar Trackers to carry out activities that are strictly necessary for the operation or delivery of the Service.

### Trackers managed by third parties

#### Cloudflare (Cloudflare Inc.)

Cloudflare is a traffic optimization and distribution service provided by Cloudflare Inc.

The way Cloudflare is integrated means that it filters all the traffic through Pirate Skills, i.e., communication between Pirate Skills and the User's browser, while also allowing analytical data from Pirate Skills to be collected.

Personal Data processed: Cookies and various types of Data as specified in the privacy policy of the service.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- `_cfuid`: indefinite
- `cf_clearance`: 30 minutes

#### Cloudflare Bot Management (Cloudflare, Inc.)

Cloudflare Bot Management is a malicious bot protection and management service provided by Cloudflare, Inc.

Personal Data processed: app information, Application opens, browser information, browsing history, city, clicks, country, county, custom events, device information, device logs, geography/region, interaction events, IP address, keypress events, language, latitude (of city), launches, longitude (of city), metro area, motion sensor events, mouse movements, number of

sessions, operating systems, page events, page views, province, scroll position, scroll-to-page interactions, search history, session duration, session statistics, state, touch events, Trackers, Usage Data, video views and ZIP/Postal code.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- \_\_cf\_bm: 3 seconds
- \_\_cfuid: duration of the session
- \_cfuid: indefinite
- cf\_clearance: 30 minutes
- cf\_ob\_info: 3 seconds
- cf\_use\_ob: 3 seconds
- cfmrk\_cic: 3 months

#### **OpenAI API (OpenAI, L.L.C.)**

The OpenAI API provided by OpenAI, L.L.C. is a service that helps the Owner to automate tasks through its AI engine.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

### **Functionality**

Pirate Skills uses Trackers to enable basic interactions and functionalities, allowing Users to access selected features of the Service and facilitating the User's communication with the Owner.

#### **Trackers managed by third parties**

##### **Linkedin OAuth (LinkedIn Corporation)**

Linkedin OAuth is a registration and authentication service provided by LinkedIn Corporation and is connected to the LinkedIn social network.

Personal Data processed: Trackers, Usage Data and various types of Data as specified in the privacy policy of the service.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- JSESSIONID: duration of the session
- bcookie: 1 year
- bscookie: 1 year
- lang: duration of the session
- lissc: 1 year
- sdui\_ver: 1 day

### **Experience**

Pirate Skills uses Trackers to improve the quality of the user experience and enable interactions with external content, networks and platforms.

#### **Trackers managed by third parties**

##### **YouTube video widget (Google Ireland Limited)**

YouTube is a video content visualization service provided by Google Ireland Limited that allows Pirate Skills to incorporate content of this kind on its pages.

Personal Data processed: Cookies and Usage Data.

Place of processing: Ireland – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- PREF: 8 months
- VISITOR\_INFO1\_LIVE: 8 months

- VISITOR\_PRIVACY\_METADATA: 7 months
- YSC: duration of the session
- YtIdbMeta:databases: duration of the session
- iU5q-!O9@\$: indefinite
- yt-player-headers-readable: duration of the session
- yt-remote-cast-available: indefinite
- yt-remote-cast-installed: indefinite
- yt-remote-connected-devices: duration of the session
- yt-remote-device-id: duration of the session
- yt-remote-fast-check-period: indefinite
- yt-remote-session-app: indefinite
- yt-remote-session-name: indefinite
- ytidb::LAST\_RESULT\_ENTRY\_KEY: duration of the session

### **PostHog surveys (PostHog, Inc.)**

PostHog surveys is a form builder and data collection platform provided by PostHog, Inc. The service also allows the Owner to perform analyses and get insights on User response to and interaction with such forms.

Personal Data processed: answers to questions, device information, email address, IP address, Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- ph\_phc\_\*\_posthog: 2 years

### **Meta lead ads (Meta Platforms, Inc.)**

Meta lead ads is an advertising and data collection service provided by Meta Platforms, Inc. that allows form-based ads to be shown to Users pre-populated with Personal Data from their Facebook profiles, such as names and email addresses. Depending on the type of advertisement, Users may be requested to provide further information.

Form submission results in the collection and processing of these Data by the Owner under this privacy policy, and only for the specific purpose outlined on the form and/or inside this privacy policy, where provided.

Users may exercise their rights, at any time, including the right to withdraw their consent to the processing of their Data, as specified in the section containing information about User rights in this privacy policy.

Personal Data processed: email address, Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt out](#).

Trackers duration:

- \_fbp: 3 months
- lastExternalReferrer: duration of the session
- lastExternalReferrerTime: duration of the session

## **Measurement**

Pirate Skills uses Trackers to measure traffic and analyze User behavior to improve the Service.

### **Trackers managed by third parties**

#### **Google Analytics Advertising Reporting Features (Google Inc.)**

Google Analytics on Pirate Skills has Advertising Reporting Features activated, which collects additional information from the DoubleClick cookie (web activity) and from device advertising IDs (app activity). It allows the Owner to analyze specific behavior and interests Data (traffic Data and Users' ads interaction Data) and, if enabled, demographic Data (information about the age and gender).

Users can opt out of Google's use of cookies by visiting Google's [Ads Settings](#).

Personal Data processed: Cookies, unique device identifiers for advertising (Google Advertiser ID or IDFA, for example) and various types of Data as specified in the privacy policy of the service.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- IDE: 2 years
- \_gcl\_\*: 3 months
- test\_cookie: 15 minutes

### **Meta Events Manager (Meta Platforms Ireland Limited)**

Meta Events Manager is an analytics service provided by Meta Platforms Ireland Limited. By integrating the Meta pixel, Meta Events Manager can give the Owner insights into the traffic and interactions on Pirate Skills.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: Ireland – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt out](#).

Trackers duration:

- \_fbp: 3 months
- lastExternalReferrer: duration of the session
- lastExternalReferrerTime: duration of the session

### **PostHog product analytics (PostHog, Inc.)**

PostHog product analytics is an analytics service provided by PostHog, Inc. that gives the Owner insight into the use of Pirate Skills by Users.

Personal Data processed: browser information, browsing history, clicks, device information, IP address, page views and Trackers.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- ph\_phc\_\*\_posthog: 2 years

### **PostHog feature flags and A/B testing (PostHog, Inc.)**

PostHog feature flags and A/B testing is a feature flags and A/B testing service provided by PostHog, Inc.

Personal Data processed: device information, page views, Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- ph\_phc\_\*\_posthog: 2 years

### **PostHog session replay (PostHog, Inc.)**

PostHog session replay is a session recording service provided by PostHog, Inc.

Personal Data processed: device information, Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- ph\_phc\_\*\_posthog: 2 years

## **Marketing**

Pirate Skills uses Trackers to deliver personalized ads or marketing content, and to measure their performance.

### **Trackers managed by third parties**

#### **Facebook Custom Audience (Facebook, Inc.)**

Facebook Custom Audience is a remarketing and behavioral targeting service provided by Meta Platforms, Inc. or by Meta Platforms Ireland Limited, depending on how the Owner manages the Data processing, that connects the activity of Pirate Skills

with the Facebook advertising network.

Users can opt out of Facebook's use of cookies for ads personalization by visiting this [opt-out page](#).

Personal Data processed: Cookies and email address.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- `_fbp`: 3 months
- `lastExternalReferrer`: duration of the session
- `lastExternalReferrerTime`: duration of the session

### **Facebook Remarketing (Facebook, Inc.)**

Facebook Remarketing is a remarketing and behavioral targeting service provided by Meta Platforms, Inc. or by Meta Platforms Ireland Limited, depending on how the Owner manages the Data processing, that connects the activity of Pirate Skills with the Facebook advertising network.

Personal Data processed: Cookies and Usage Data.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- `_fbp`: 3 months
- `datr`: 2 years
- `lastExternalReferrer`: duration of the session

### **LinkedIn Website Retargeting (LinkedIn Corporation)**

LinkedIn Website Retargeting is a remarketing and behavioral targeting service provided by LinkedIn Corporation that connects the activity of Pirate Skills with the LinkedIn advertising network.

Personal Data processed: Cookies and Usage Data.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- `AnalyticsSyncHistory`: 1 month
- `JSESSIONID`: duration of the session
- `UserMatchHistory`: 1 month
- `bcookie`: 1 year
- `bscookie`: 1 year
- `lang`: duration of the session
- `li_gc`: 7 months
- `lidc`: 1 day
- `lissc`: 1 year
- `lms_ads`: 1 month
- `lms_analytics`: 1 month
- `sdui_ver`: 1 day

### **Google Ads Remarketing (Google Inc.)**

Google Ads Remarketing is a remarketing and behavioral targeting service provided by Google LLC or by Google Ireland Limited, depending on how the Owner manages the Data processing, that connects the activity of Pirate Skills with the Google Ads advertising network and the DoubleClick Cookie.

Users can opt out of Google's use of cookies for ads personalization by visiting Google's [Ads Settings](#).

Personal Data processed: Cookies and Usage Data.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- `Conversion`: 3 months

- DSID: 14 days
- FCNEC: 1 year
- FLC: 10 seconds
- FPAU: 3 months
- FPGCLAW: 3 months
- FPGCLDC: 3 months
- FPGCLGB: 3 months
- GCL\_AW\_P: 3 months
- GED\_PLAYLIST\_ACTIVITY: duration of the session
- IDE: 2 years
- NID: 6 months
- RUL: 1 year
- \_\_gads: 2 years
- \_\_gpi: 2 years
- \_\_gpi\_optout: 2 years
- \_\_gsas: 2 years
- \_gac\_: 3 months
- \_gac\_gb\_: 3 months
- \_gcl\_ag: 3 months
- \_gcl\_au: 3 months
- \_gcl\_aw: 3 months
- \_gcl\_dc: 3 months
- \_gcl\_gb: 3 months
- \_gcl\_gf: 3 months
- \_gcl\_gs: 3 months
- \_gcl\_ha: 3 months
- ar\_debug: 3 months
- id: 2 years
- receive-cookie-deprecation: 6 months
- test\_cookie: 15 minutes

#### **TikTok Remarketing ( TikTok Information Technologies UK Limited )**

TikTok Remarketing is a remarketing and behavioral targeting service provided by TikTok Information Technologies UK Limited that connects the activity of Pirate Skills with the TikTok advertising network.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United Kingdom – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- \_tt\_enable\_cookie: 2 years
- \_ttp: 2 years
- tt\_appInfo: indefinite
- tt\_pixel\_session\_index: indefinite
- tt\_sessionId: indefinite

#### **Meta ads conversion tracking (Meta pixel) (Facebook, Inc.)**

Meta ads conversion tracking (Meta pixel) is an analytics service provided by Meta Platforms, Inc. or by Meta Platforms Ireland Limited, depending on how the Owner manages the Data processing, that connects data from the Meta Audience Network with actions performed on Pirate Skills. The Meta pixel tracks conversions that can be attributed to ads on Facebook, Instagram and Meta Audience Network.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- \_fbclid: 3 months
- \_fbp: 3 months
- fr: 3 months
- lastExternalReferrer: duration of the session
- lastExternalReferrerTime: duration of the session

#### **LinkedIn conversion tracking (LinkedIn Insight Tag) (LinkedIn Corporation)**

LinkedIn conversion tracking (LinkedIn Insight Tag) is an analytics and behavioral targeting service provided by LinkedIn Corporation that connects data from the LinkedIn advertising network with actions performed on Pirate Skills. The LinkedIn Insight Tag tracks conversions that can be attributed to LinkedIn ads and enables to target groups of Users on the base of their past use of Pirate Skills.

Users may opt out of behavioral targeting features through their device settings, [their LinkedIn account settings](#) or by visiting the [AdChoices opt-out page](#).

Personal Data processed: device information, Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- AnalyticsSyncHistory: 1 month
- JSESSIONID: duration of the session
- UserMatchHistory: 1 month
- bcookie: 1 year
- bscookie: 1 year
- lang: duration of the session
- li\_gc: 7 months
- lidc: 1 day
- lms\_ads: 1 month
- lms\_analytics: 1 month
- sdui\_ver: 1 day

### **Google Ads conversion tracking (Google Inc.)**

Google Ads conversion tracking is an analytics service provided by Google LLC or by Google Ireland Limited, depending on how the Owner manages the Data processing, that connects data from the Google Ads advertising network with actions performed on Pirate Skills.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: US – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- IDE: 2 years
- test\_cookie: 15 minutes

### **Facebook Lookalike Audience (Facebook, Inc.)**

Facebook Lookalike Audience is an advertising and behavioral targeting service provided by Facebook, Inc. that uses Data collected through Facebook Custom Audience in order to display ads to Users with similar behavior to Users who are already in a Custom Audience list on the base of their past use of Pirate Skills or engagement with relevant content across the Facebook apps and services.

On the base of these Data, personalized ads will be shown to Users suggested by Facebook Lookalike Audience.

Users can opt out of Facebook's use of cookies for ads personalization by visiting this [opt-out page](#).

Personal Data processed: Cookies and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- \_fbp: 3 months
- lastExternalReferrer: duration of the session
- lastExternalReferrerTime: duration of the session

### **Google Ads Similar audiences (Google Ireland Limited)**

Similar audiences is an advertising and behavioral targeting service provided by Google Ireland Limited that uses Data from Google Ads Remarketing in order to display ads to Users with similar behavior to Users who are already on the remarketing list due to their past use of Pirate Skills.

On the basis of this Data, personalized ads will be shown to Users suggested by Google Ads Similar audiences.

Users who don't want to be included in Similar audiences can opt out and disable the use of advertising Trackers by going to: Google [Ad Settings](#).

In order to understand Google's use of Data, consult [Google's partner policy](#).

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: Ireland – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt Out](#).

Trackers duration:

- Conversion: 3 months
- DSID: 14 days
- FCNEC: 1 year
- FLC: 10 seconds
- FPAU: 3 months
- FPGCLAW: 3 months
- FPGCLDC: 3 months
- FPGCLGB: 3 months
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- \_\_gsas: 2 years
- \_gac\_: 3 months
- \_gac\_gb\_: 3 months
- \_gcl\_ag: 3 months
- \_gcl\_au: 3 months
- \_gcl\_aw: 3 months
- \_gcl\_dc: 3 months
- \_gcl\_gb: 3 months
- \_gcl\_gf: 3 months
- \_gcl\_gs: 3 months
- \_gcl\_ha: 3 months
- ar\_debug: 3 months
- id: 2 years
- receive-cookie-deprecation: 6 months
- test\_cookie: 15 minutes

### **LinkedIn Ads (LinkedIn Ireland Unlimited Company)**

LinkedIn Ads is an advertising service provided by LinkedIn Ireland Unlimited Company.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: Ireland – [Privacy Policy](#) – [Opt out](#).

Trackers duration:

- GAID: indefinite
- IDFA: indefinite
- UserMatchHistory: 1 month
- \_gcl\_\*: 3 months
- \_guid: 3 months
- aam\_uuid: 1 month
- li\_fat\_id: 1 month
- li\_giant: 7 days
- li\_sugr: 3 months
- lms\_ads: 1 month
- oribi\_cookie\_test: duration of the session
- oribi\_session: 2 hours
- oribi\_user\_guid: 7 months

### **TikTok conversion tracking (TikTok Inc.)**

TikTok conversion tracking is an analytics and behavioral targeting service provided by TikTok Inc. that connects data from the TikTok advertising network with actions performed on Pirate Skills. The TikTok pixel tracks conversions that can be attributed to TikTok ads and enables to target groups of Users on the base of their past use of Pirate Skills.

Personal Data processed: Trackers and Usage Data.

Place of processing: United States – [Privacy Policy](#).

Trackers duration:

- `_tt_enable_cookie`: 2 years
- `_ttp`: 2 years
- `tt_appInfo`: indefinite
- `tt_pixel_session_index`: indefinite
- `tt_sessionId`: indefinite

## How to manage preferences on Pirate Skills

Users can set or update their preferences via the relevant privacy choices panel available on Pirate Skills.

With regard to any third-party Trackers, Users can manage their preferences via the related opt-out link (where provided), by using the means indicated in the third party's privacy policy, or by contacting the third party.

## How to control or delete Cookies and similar technologies via your device settings

Users may use their own browser settings to:

- See what Cookies or other similar technologies have been set on the device;
- Block Cookies or similar technologies;
- Clear Cookies or similar technologies from the browser.

The browser settings, however, do not allow granular control of consent by category.

Users can, for example, find information about how to manage Cookies in the most commonly used browsers at the following addresses:

- [Google Chrome](#)
- [Mozilla Firefox](#)
- [Apple Safari](#)
- [Microsoft Internet Explorer](#)
- [Microsoft Edge](#)
- [Brave](#)
- [Opera](#)

Users may also manage certain categories of Trackers used on mobile apps by opting out through relevant device settings such as the device advertising settings for mobile devices, or tracking settings in general (Users may open the device settings and look for the relevant setting).

## How to opt out of interest-based advertising

Notwithstanding the above, Users may follow the instructions provided by [YourOnlineChoices](#) (EU and UK), the [Network Advertising Initiative](#) (US) and the [Digital Advertising Alliance](#) (US), [DAAC](#) (Canada), [DDAI](#) (Japan) or other similar services. Such initiatives allow Users to select their tracking preferences for most of the advertising tools. The Owner thus recommends that Users make use of these resources in addition to the information provided in this document.

The Digital Advertising Alliance offers an application called [AppChoices](#) that helps Users to control interest-based advertising on mobile apps.

## Consequences of denying the use of Trackers

Users are free to decide whether or not to allow the use of Trackers. However, please note that Trackers help Pirate Skills to provide a better experience and advanced functionalities to Users (in line with the purposes outlined in this document). Therefore, if the User chooses to block the use of Trackers, the Owner may be unable to provide related features.

## Owner and Data Controller

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Since the use of third-party Trackers through Pirate Skills cannot be fully controlled by the Owner, any specific references to third-party Trackers are to be considered indicative. In order to obtain complete information, Users are kindly requested to consult the privacy policies of the respective third-party services listed in this document.

Given the objective complexity surrounding tracking technologies, Users are encouraged to contact the Owner should they wish to receive any further information on the use of such technologies by Pirate Skills.

## **Definitions and legal references**

### **Personal Data (or Data)**

Any information that directly, indirectly, or in connection with other information — including a personal identification number — allows for the identification or identifiability of a natural person.

### **Usage Data**

Information collected automatically through Pirate Skills (or third-party services employed in Pirate Skills), which can include: the IP addresses or domain names of the computers utilized by the Users who use Pirate Skills, the URI addresses (Uniform Resource Identifier), the time of the request, the method utilized to submit the request to the server, the size of the file received in response, the numerical code indicating the status of the server's answer (successful outcome, error, etc.), the country of origin, the features of the browser and the operating system utilized by the User, the various time details per visit (e.g., the time spent on each page within the Application) and the details about the path followed within the Application with special reference to the sequence of pages visited, and other parameters about the device operating system and/or the User's IT environment.

### **User**

The individual using Pirate Skills who, unless otherwise specified, coincides with the Data Subject.

### **Data Subject**

The natural person to whom the Personal Data refers.

### **Data Processor (or Processor)**

The natural or legal person, public authority, agency or other body which processes Personal Data on behalf of the Controller, as described in this privacy policy.

### **Data Controller (or Owner)**

The natural or legal person, public authority, agency or other body which, alone or jointly with others, determines the purposes and means of the processing of Personal Data, including the security measures concerning the operation and use of Pirate Skills. The Data Controller, unless otherwise specified, is the Owner of Pirate Skills.

### **Pirate Skills (or this Application)**

The means by which the Personal Data of the User is collected and processed.

### **Service**

The service provided by Pirate Skills as described in the relative terms (if available) and on this site/application.

### **European Union (or EU)**

Unless otherwise specified, all references made within this document to the European Union include all current member states to the European Union and the European Economic Area.

### **Cookie**

Cookies are Trackers consisting of small sets of data stored in the User's browser.

## **Tracker**

Tracker indicates any technology - e.g Cookies, unique identifiers, web beacons, embedded scripts, e-tags and fingerprinting - that enables the tracking of Users, for example by accessing or storing information on the User's device.

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## **Legal information**

This policy has been prepared based on provisions of multiple legislations.

This policy relates solely to Pirate Skills, if not stated otherwise within this document.

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