

Cookies Notice

This Cookies Notice describes how information about Users visiting the website **www.ekozec.pl** (hereinafter referred to as "**Site**") is collected, used and shared.

"**Cookies**" means the cookies referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3 below.

"**We/us**" means Veolia EKOZEC Sp. z o.o. and, as the case may be, the company referred to in Section 1 acting as the publisher of content on the websites ("**Publisher**").

"**Third Party**" means a person who is not a User or any of the Veolia Group companies or the Publisher.

"**User**" means visitors or Users of the website.

This Cookies Notice may be subject to updates in the event of changes in applicable laws.

Our privacy policy ("**Privacy Policy**") is available [here](#) and details the following information:

- a) What data is processed by Veolia EKOZEC Sp. z o.o. (hereinafter referred to as "EKOZEC") and for what purpose,
- b) Security and transfer of data outside the European Union,
- c) What are the User's rights under GDPR and how to exercise them.

1. Who are we and how do we manage our website?

We administer the Site through a service provider:

Octopus Media Sp. z o. o.

Domaniewska 39
02-672 Warszawa

The types of cookies we use and their purpose are listed below.

2. What are cookies?

Cookies are small text files that are stored on the User's computer, tablet or mobile phone when they visit a website. Cookies mean that the Site will remember the User and how they used it when visiting again.

In this document, we will use the general term "cookies" for all types of monitoring technologies, including but not limited to: cookies, so-called digital fingerprints, beacons and other types of tracking technologies.

3. What kind of cookies do we use?

3.1. Necessary cookies – always ON

Necessary cookies are only used to enable or facilitate access to the website. They are essential to the operation of the Site and cannot be disabled in our systems. They are usually saved only in response to User requests, such as setting privacy preferences, logging in or filling out forms. The User can set their browser to block such cookies or warn you about them, but some parts of the Site will then not work. These cookies do not require the User's prior consent, as they do not store any personally identifiable information.

3.2. Analytical cookies – always OFF until consent is given

Audience measurement cookies make it possible to observe website performance, detect browsing problems and organize content.

They also make it possible to determine which information on the Site may be of most interest to the User, and to adjust the Site accordingly, and to improve the relevance of the messages that may be sent to the User.

Data generated by such cookies include:

- the number of User visits to the website;
- their IP address to determine the city from which the connection originated. In some cases, subject to exceptions, this type of cookie does not require the User's consent.

By obtaining and transmitting information anonymously, cookies allow EKOZEC to understand how Users who have consented to them interact with the website (sections and content visited, path on the Site), in order to determine visitor statistics and detect potential errors.

3.3. Functional cookies – always OFF until consent is given

Functional cookies allow us to remember the User's selected settings, thus providing greater functionality and personalization of the Site, e.g. by selecting the User's preferred language, font size.

4. List of cookies

A list of the cookies we use is available here:

Categories of cookies	Cookie name	Domain	Purpose	Duration	Legal basis
Necessary	__cf_bm	.fonts.net	This cookie is used to distinguish between humans and bots. This is beneficial for the website in order to compile correct reports on the use of its website.	30 minutes	Legitimate interest
Analytical (we currently do not use this category of cookies)			.		Consent
Functional	pll_language		Polylang (WordPress plugin) uses a cookie to remember the language selected by the user when he visits the site again.	expires at the end of your browsing session	Consent
Functional	ct-ultimate-gdpr-cookie	ekozec.pl	Managing cookies	12 months	Consent
Functional	ct-ultimate-gdpr-cookie-level	ekozec.pl	Managing cookies	12 months	Consent

5. What is the maximum duration of cookies?

5.1 Cookie retention periods

Cookies can be stored for a maximum of 25 months from the date of the User's consent. The retention periods for each type of cookie are listed above.

5.2 Retention periods for information collected through cookies

When the cookie expires, the data collected through it will be deleted or anonymized, depending on the nature of the cookie.

Information collected through statistical cookies is stored by the publisher for a maximum of 25 months.

6. How to control and delete cookies?

6.1 Cookie consent management tool

Necessary cookies cannot be deleted or disabled. The technical functionality of our Site depends on them. The cookie consent management tool we use will also not allow the User to block cookies on third-party Sites linked to our Site, as we do not have the technical ability to control these Sites.

With the exception of the above "Necessary Cookies", which cannot be deactivated, the storage of all other types of cookies requires the User's prior consent.

The cookie consent management tool allows the User to customize the User's cookie preferences. It registers cookie preferences in real time and will ask Users for their consent to cookies once every 6 months, so that Users stay on top of updates to cookie and privacy policies. Using the cookie consent management tool, the User can choose whether they want audience measurement cookies, statistical cookies or third-party social network sharing cookies to be stored on the User's terminal device when the User navigates our Site. They can also delete or block cookies.

The first time a User visits the website, a banner is displayed with cookies notice. The User can then accept/activate or refuse/disable the storage of cookies through the information banner by checking/unchecking the boxes provided for this purpose. With the exception of the essential cookies field, the other fields are unchecked by default. Any deactivation (unchecking the box) means refusing to save cookie data.

By continuing to browse the website or clicking on any of its elements, the User allows cookies to be stored according to the User's default settings.

If the User consents to the storage of cookies on the User's end device, cookies integrated with the pages and content the User has viewed will be temporarily stored in a dedicated location on the User's device. They will be readable only by the sender.

Refusal to save cookies that are not essential may not lead to restrictions on access to the Site.

The User's choices (consent or refusal) regarding cookies remain valid for a period of 6 months. After this period, on the User's next visit to the Site, the User will have to make the choice again.

The User can withdraw their consent or change the User's cookie choices at any time by clicking on the "Manage cookies" link, which is available on all pages of the Site.

6.2 In the browser

To disable cookies through the User's browser, follow the instructions usually found in the "Help", "Tools" or "Edit" menu of the User's browser. Note that disabling a cookie or an entire category of cookies does not remove them from the User's browser. The following are ways to manage cookies in the most popular systems.

Safari:

<https://support.apple.com/guide/safari/manage-cookies-sfri11471/mac>

Microsoft:

<https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/delete-and-manage-cookies-168dab11-0753-043d-7c16-ed5947fc64d>

Google:

<https://support.google.com/accounts/answer/61416?hl=en&co=GENIE.Platform%3DAndroid>

Firefox:

[click link to Firefox - Mozilla - Support](#)

Note:

The User's decision to accept or reject cookies is itself based on one or more such cookies. Deletion of cookies associated with a website will remove the choice made by the User and visible to EKOZEC, and will trigger the need to repeat that choice the next time the User visits one of our websites. This will also be necessary if the User uses other browsers or other devices, such as a tablet or smartphone.

7. How to obtain additional information or exercise the User's rights?

7.1 Contacting Veolia:

For cookies stored by our Sites, Veolia encourages Users to contact: marketing.handlowy-vpol.pl@veolia.com.

To exercise the User's rights regarding the data we collect, please contact the DPO inspektor.pl.vpol@veolia.com.