



Privacy Policy

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This document provides information on the processing of personal data and on the rights available under applicable data-protection law.

Data We Process

- Master data, including family name and given name.
- Data that you send to us via the stated address, including contact information such as your email address and telephone number.
- Other data that you or third parties provide to us with your consent or otherwise make available to us.

Processing on Our Behalf

Even when we engage a processor, we remain responsible for protecting your data. We use processors outside the European Union only where the European Commission has adopted an adequacy decision for the relevant third country, or where we have agreed appropriate safeguards or binding internal data-protection rules with the processor.

Deletion and Anonymisation

As a general rule, we delete your master data and personal data when the legal basis for storage no longer applies, and at the latest after all statutory retention obligations have expired, for example those under sections 207 et seq. of the Austrian Federal Fiscal Code (BAO), as amended.

Instead of deletion, data may be anonymised. In that case, any link to an identifiable person is irreversibly removed, and the corresponding data-protection deletion obligations no longer apply.

Your Rights

Right of Access

You may request confirmation as to whether and to what extent we process your data.

Controller

Internationale Gesellschaft für Warenwissenschaften und Technologie / International Society of Commodity Science and Technology, Fasangasse 3/18, A-1030 Vienna, Austria. Email: office@igwt.or.at.

Right to Rectification

Where personal data processed by us is incomplete or inaccurate, you may request its correction or completion at any time. Where no compelling legal grounds require continued storage, we reserve the right to delete the data instead of correcting it.

Right to Erasure

You may request the deletion of your personal data where we process it unlawfully or where the processing disproportionately interferes with your legitimate interests. Please note that reasons may prevent immediate deletion, including statutory retention obligations or legitimate legal interests.

Right to Restriction of Processing

You may request restriction of the processing of your data where:

- you contest the accuracy of the data, for a period enabling us to verify its accuracy;
- the processing is unlawful, but you oppose erasure and request restriction of use instead;
- we no longer need the data for the intended purpose, but you require it for the establishment, exercise or defence of legal claims; or
- you have objected to the processing of the data.

In all such cases, we are entitled to make the relevant data available to you and to delete it ourselves.

Right to Data Portability

You may request that data you have entrusted to us for storage be provided in a structured, commonly used and machine-readable format, provided that:

- we process the data on the basis of consent given by you and capable of being withdrawn, or for the performance of a contract between us; and
- the processing is carried out by automated means.

For clarity, we do not process data by automated means.

Right to Object

Where we process your data in the performance of tasks carried out in the public interest, or rely on the necessity of processing for the purposes of our legitimate interests, you may object to that processing where your overriding interests in the protection of your data prevail. You may object to receiving advertising at any time and without stating reasons.

Right to Lodge a Complaint

If you believe that our processing of your data infringes Austrian or European data-protection law, please contact us so that any questions can be clarified. You also have the right to lodge a complaint with the Austrian Data Protection Authority or with another supervisory authority within the European Union.

Exercising Your Rights

To exercise any of the rights listed above, please contact us at office@igwt.or.at.