



PRIVACY NOTICE ON PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION

regarding the processing of personal data in the context of the F4E Technology Transfer Programme

The objective of this Notice is to inform you about the collection and processing of your personal data in line with the applicable Data Protection Regulation (EU) 2018/1725¹.

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1. Why does F4E process your personal data? Whose data is processed?

The data processing concerns the processing of personal data in the context of the F4E Technology Transfer Programme, which is based on tools and activities such as a Marketplace, funding initiatives to promote the use of technologies in the market, and the rendering of technology brokerage activities.

Visitors of the European Fusion Technology Marketplace can contact F4E and/or EUROfusion through a 'Contact us' form available on the website. The personal data provided by the visitors to F4E through the 'Contact us' form may be used to inform them about the Portfolio of Technologies, the Open Call for the Technology Transfer Demonstrator project, the Fusion Technology Transfer Award, as well as to put them in contact with Technology Brokers working for F4E or for EUROfusion or with a third entity for technology transfer purposes.

Personal data may also be collected through the registration of companies to Technology Transfer events or through attendance to meetings, forums and events where the person provides their data to F4E, F4E collaborators or to F4E's Technology Brokers for technology transfer purposes.

Personal data collected under the umbrella of the F4E Technology Transfer Programme may be used to inform the company about the Portfolio of Technologies, the Open Call for the Technology Transfer Demonstrator project, the Fusion Technology Transfer Award, or for rendering brokerage activities.

Visitors to the Marketplace website filling the 'contact us' form and brokerage activities subjects may include the following:

- Individuals representatives of a company;
- Natural persons acting on their behalf;

2. What is the justification for the processing?

Processing of your data is necessary for the **performance of F4E tasks** on the basis of the F4E founding instrument and/or other legal instrument adopted on the basis thereof or for compliance with a specific legal obligation F4E is subject to.

It is based on:

- Council Decision of 27 March 2007 “establishing the European Joint Undertaking for ITER and the Development of Fusion Energy and conferring advantages upon it” - 2007/198/Euratom, as last amended by Council Decision of 22 February 2021 (2021/281 Euratom), O.J. L 62, 23.02.2021, p.8, in particular Article 6 thereof;
- Statutes annexed to the Council Decision (Euratom) No 198/2007 “establishing the European Joint Undertaking for ITER and the Development of Fusion Energy and conferring advantages upon it”, as last amended on 22 February 2021, in particular Article 10 thereof;

Also, we obtain your **consent** in order to process your personal data when you complete the 'contact us' form in the European Fusion Technology Marketplace website.

3. [Which data is F4E processing?](#)

For visitors to the Marketplace website who fill out the form:

- 1) Name and surname
- 2) Company name
- 3) Phone number (personal or professional)
- 4) Email address (personal or professional)

For brokerage activities:

- 1) Name and surname
- 2) Company name
- 3) Phone number (personal or professional)
- 4) Email address (personal or professional)
- 5) Other contact information

4. [Who has access to your data?](#)

The following people have access to your personal data:

- F4E Staff members;
- F4E External Service Provider Staff;
- EUROfusion and InExtenso.
- IDM Manager, if necessary for support
- ICT Officer responsible for the dedicated database, if necessary for technical support

In order to perform the tasks referred to in section 1,

F4E resorts to a Processor, the Technology Brokerage company Viromii S.L., F4E's contractor for rendering technology brokerage activities. You may consult their privacy policy here ([Viromii's general privacy policy](#)).

As Controller F4E ensures that the Processor applies the necessary safeguards to process your data safely and in accordance with the Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

The data gathered through the Marketplace and brokerage activities may be also shared with EUROforum, the European Commission, and the Industry to facilitate the promotion of business contacts and opportunities.

Also, only if appropriate and necessary, for monitoring or inspection tasks, access may be granted to:

- Director of F4E
- Head of Admin
- Head of the Legal Unit, and/or responsible Legal Officer
- F4E Data Protection Officer and Anti-Fraud & Ethics Officer
- IAC / IAS / IDOC / ECA

5. [How long does F4E store your data?](#)

Personal data will be stored as long as data subjects wish so, and as long as Fusion for Energy operates to carry out its tasks as established by Article 1.2 of Council Decision 2007/198/Euratom.

6. [Does F4E intend to transfer my data to third countries or International Organizations?](#)

F4E does not intend to transfer your personal data to any third country or International Organization.

7. [What are your rights in relation to your data and how can you exercise them?](#)

You have the right to access your personal data, to correct any inaccurate or incomplete data, to request restriction or erasure, or to object to the processing, pursuant to Articles 14(3) and 17-23 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

You have the right to withdraw your consent at any time. F4E will then stop processing your data from the date of reception of your request. Withdrawing your

consent means that your contact information will be removed, and you will no longer receive notifications about the Fusion Technology Transfer Programme actions (such as news, success stories, funding opportunities, etc.). Additionally, you will not be contacted for future opportunities or brokering actions.

Any request to exercise one of those rights should be directed to the Controller (PCSCF-Department-Controller@f4e.europa.eu). Where you wish to exercise your rights in the context of one or several specific processing operations or files, please provide their description and reference(s) in your request.

Exceptions based on Article 25 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 may apply [See Governing Board Decision of 9 December 2019²]. In that case, the data subject shall be informed of the principal reasons for applying such restrictions.

8. [Contact details of the Data Protection Officer](#)

You may contact the Data Protection Officer (DPO) of F4E (DataProtectionOfficer@f4e.europa.eu) with regard to issues related to the processing of your personal data under Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

9. [Right to lodge a complaint](#)

You have the right to lodge a complaint to the European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS@edps.europa.eu), if you consider that your rights under Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 have been infringed as a result of the processing of your personal data by F4E.

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¹ Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of 23 October 2018 "on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data". O.J 21.11.2018, L295/39. This Privacy Notice is in line with Article 14 and 15 of that Regulation (Principle of Transparency).

² [O.J., 10.02.2020, L 37/18](#).