Cookies

About the use of cookies

What is a cookie?

A cookie is a file, generally small and identified by a name, placed in your browser by a website that you visit. Your browser will store the cookie until the end of its validity or retention period and will send it back to the web server every time that you visit the website. Cookies allow us to collect information about your browsing and provide services appropriate to your device (PC, mobile or tablet). We do not use cookies capable of identifying your personally.

In order to optimize the performance, functionality and interactivity of our website, we use the categories of cookies described in the following paragraph.

What types of cookies are used by VINCI Energies group websites?

1. **Technical Cookies**

We inform you about the use of technical cookies that allow the website's main services to work optimally. They are required to use the website and its various products and services.

Depending on your browser's settings, you can block these cookies. However, blocking them may adversely affect your experience on the website.

Name of Cookie	Purpose	Retention period
Cookie consent *CookieLawInfoConsent*	Records whether the user has consented to or refused the use of cookies.	6 months
GDPR Cookie Consent: cookielawinfo-checkbox-non-necessary	Used by the "GDPR Cookie Consent" module, this cookie is used to store the user's consent to cookies in "Non-necessary" categories (Audience measurement-Social media).	6 months
GDPR Cookie Consent: cookielawinfo-checkbox-necessary	Used by the "GDPR Cookie Consent" module, this cookie is used to store the user's consent to cookie in the "Technical" category	6 months
GDPR Cookie Consent: viewed_cookie_policy	Used by the "GDPR Cookie Consent" module, this cookie is used to store whether or not the user has	6 months

	consented to the use of cookies.	
cli_user_preference	Stores the user's cookie consent status.	6 months
pll_language	Management of the website's multilingual features	12 months
TS01#	Cookie that allows load balancing to function. This cookie is placed in your browser when you connect to the website.	Session
wp-settings-#	WordPress uses this cookie to personalise your view of the administration interface and possibly also the website's main interface.	12 months

2. Analytics Cookies

These cookies aim to measure the audience of our website's content and sections in order to assess them and organise them better. They also allow us to detect browsing problems and therefore make our services more user-friendly.

Depending on your browser's settings, you can block these cookies. However, blocking them may adversely affect your experience on the website.

The lifetime of these cookies does not exceed 13 months.

Matomo. We use Matomo audience measurement cookies, the sole purposes of which are those listed above, for our sole benefit.

These cookies only produce anonymous statistics and website traffic figures, and do not produce any individual information.

Name of Cookie	Purpose	Retention period
_pk_id	Used to store some user details such as the visitor's unique ID	13 months
_pk_ref	Used to store the attribution information, the referrer initially used to visit the website	6 months
_pk_ses _pk_cvar	Cookies with a short life, used to store data temporarily for the user's visit	30 minutes

_pk_testcookie	Used to check whether the visitor's browser supports cookies	session

Google Analytics. We request your **consent** before using, in addition, Google Analytics audience measurement cookies. By default, refusal is assumed and these cookies are not placed in your browser nor activated.

As well as the purposes for our benefit listed above, the browsing data collected may be used by Google Analytics on its own account to offer targeted advertisements and content based on your browsing history. The purposes and conditions of that use are described in greater detail here.

You can withdraw your consent at any time.

Name of Cookie	Purpose	Retention period
_ga	This cookie saves a unique ID that is used to generate statistics about how the user uses the website.	13 months
_gat	This cookie saves a unique ID that is used to generate statistics about how the user uses the website.	1 minute
_gid	This cookie saves a unique ID that is used to generate statistics about how the user uses the website	24 hours

3. **Cookies related to social media and third-party services**

Purpose. We request your **consent** before using cookies related to social media and third-party services, intended to facilitate the sharing of content and make the website more user-friendly. By default, refusal is assumed and these cookies are not placed in your browser or activated.

The browsing data collected may be used by third parties operating these social media and third-party services on their own account, to offer targeted advertisements and content based on your browsing history. For more information, we encourage you to look at their privacy policies and cookie information pages, listed below.

You can withdraw your consent at any time.

Third-party services	Privacy policies and additional information about cookies used by third parties
Facebook	Click here to see Facebook privacy policy Click here to see Facebook cookies policy

Twitter	[Click here to see Twitter privacy policy](#) [Click here to see Twitter cookies policy](#)
Youtube (Google)	[Click here to see Google privacy policy](#) [Click here to see Goolge cookies policy](#)
LinkedIn	[Click here to see LinkedIn privacy policy](#) [Click here to see LinkedIn cookies policy](#)
Xing	[Click here to see Xing privacy policy](#) [Click here to see Xing cookies policy](#)

Your choices regarding the management of cookies

You can set the cookies we use on the VINCI Energies Group websites in two ways: with the Cookie Management Tool available on our site, or through the settings of your internet browser. You can choose to deactivate all or some cookies at any time through the cookies setting mechanism (activation or deactivation buttons) contained in the "customize" part of the cookies banner, except for the cookies necessary for the operation of the site, as indicated above. Your browser can also be set to accept or block cookies.

1. **Rejecting a cookie via your browser**

You can deactivate all or some cookies at any time. Your browser may also be set to notify you of cookies sent and ask you whether you accept them (on a case-by-case or global basis). Please note, however, that deactivating all cookies will prevent you from using our site in normal conditions, beyond the basic functions.

Each browser's configuration is different for managing cookies and your preferences. It is described in the help menu of the browser, which will explain how to change the settings for cookies. For:

- Google Chrome™: https://support.google.com/chrome/answer/95647
- Microsoft Internet Explorer™: https://support.microsoft.com/help/17442/windows-internet-explorer-delete-manage-cookies
- Mozilla Firefox™: https://support.mozilla.org/kb/enable-and-disable-cookies-website-preferences
- Apple Safari™: https://support.apple.com/
- Opera™: http://www.opera.com/blogs/news/2015/08/how-to-manage-cookies-in-opera/

You can also set your browser to send a code to websites indicating that you refuse tracking ("Do Not Track" option). For:

- Google Chrome™ : https://support.google.com/chrome/answer/2790761
- Microsoft Internet Explorer™ : https://support.microsoft.com/help/17288/windows-internet-explorer-11-use-do-not-track
- Mozilla Firefox™: https://support.mozilla.org/kb/how-do-i-turn-do-not-track-feature
- Apple Safari™: https://support.apple.com/

- Opera™: http://help.opera.com/Windows/12.10/en/notrack.html

2. **Reject an analytical cookies:**

On our site, traffic cookies are deposited by Google Analytics.

If you do not want our site to store analytics cookies in your browser, you can click the following opt-out link which will store a cookie in your browser that will disable them. Click here to block Google's analytics cookies.

If you want to globally block the use of your data by Google Analytics JavaScript files, download the Google Analytics deactivation browser add-on: https://tools.google.com/dlpage/gaoptout?hl=it

3. **Rejecting a cookie issued by a social network:**

If you do not want our site to store cookies in your browser for this purpose, you can click on the following deactivation links that will store a cookie in your browser to disable other cookies from the same issuer. Disabling these cookies will prevent any interaction with the relevant social networks:

Facebook : https://www.facebook.com/policies/cookies/
Twitter : https://support.twitter.com/
Youtube (Google): https://policies.google.com/technologies/cookies?hl=en-US
LinkedIn : http://www.linkedin.com/legal/cookie-policy
Xing: https://privacy.xing.com/en/privacy-policy/printable-version

4. **Consequences of rejecting cookies:**

Please note, your preferences are manifested through one or more cookies. If you delete all the cookies stored on your device related to our site, we will no longer know what consent or refusal you have expressed. You will then have to indicate again which cookies you want to block. Similarly, if you use a different Internet browser, you will have to reject these cookies again because your preferences, like the cookies to which they relate, depend on the browser and terminal equipment (computer, tablet, smartphone, etc.) used to visit our site.

More information

To view our full Privacy Policy, click here. The Privacy Policy completes this document.

For more information on Cookies, visit the website of Garante della Privacy at this website.