

Data protection

The responsible body for the offer of this website is the DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FÜR WEHRTECHNIK e. V. (DWT) and the Centre of Studies and Conferences of the German Association for Defence Technology Ltd. (SGW).

Data protection and data security have a high priority in our society because we take the protection of your personal data very seriously. For this purpose, we have taken technical and organizational measures to ensure that the requirements of the laws relevant to data protection, in particular the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Federal Data Protection Act (BDSG), are met. Compliance with high security standards when using our website is a central concern for us in order to be able to guarantee that your personal data is handled securely and in accordance with data protection regulations.

1. Collection, processing and use of personal data

Whenever you access our website, it is essential that certain data is stored on the provider's server. These are:

- the IP address
- the name of the internet browser used
- the date and time of the respective access
- the amount of data transferred
- the page accessed at www.dwt-sgw.de
- the operating system

The data you enter will only be stored on specially protected servers for statistical purposes. Only our authorized and specially trained staff, who deal with the maintenance of the servers, are authorized to access this data. Since there is no personal assignment, the data sets for the statistical evaluation are only kept in anonymous form.

Only by order of the responsible state authorities can we be obliged in individual cases to release personal data if this is necessary to avert danger, criminal prosecution or for other legally regulated reasons.

Apart from that, no collection, processing or use of your personal data takes place.

2. Duration of storage

Your personal data is stored on our own server on our premises. We store and process this data only to the extent necessary to fulfill the purposes for which we collected the data. We always observe the current data protection law.

When we no longer need your data for the original purpose, we delete it from our system, unless we are required by law to keep your data to comply with our legal obligations. For example, personal data contained in contracts or business letters may be subject to statutory retention requirements of up to ten years.

3. Use of own cookies

DWT / SGW uses so-called "cookies" on this website in order to be able to continuously optimize the website.

Cookies are small text files that are stored on the user's computer when visiting certain websites. Some cookies are essential for the functionality of the pages and are automatically activated when a user visits them.

The use of cookies enables us to expand the range of functions of our offer so that a visit to our website can be made as comfortable as possible for you. This means that data is stored on your computer when you use our website, for example to set the language selection for use or to save your personal settings.

You can find out how to stop accepting new cookies, how to set your browser to notify you when you receive a new cookie and how to completely disable cookies by using the "Help" menu in the browser menu bar on your computer deactivate or delete.

If you deactivate the storage of cookies or delete cookies that have already been set, the scope and functionality of our website may be restricted. We use cookies to track how you use our website during a visit, to store the data you have provided and the choices you have made (e.g. the language choices you have made) while you are viewing our pages. These are so-called "session cookies". These session cookies remain on your computer for the duration of your visit to our website.

4. Third Party Cookies

This website uses cookies provided by third parties (Google Maps, Matomo) to accompany and improve our offer and your comfort.

- Google Maps

On this website we use the offer of Google Maps. This enables us to show you interactive maps directly on the website and enables you to conveniently use the map function.

By visiting the website, Google receives the information that you have accessed the corresponding sub-pages of our website. In addition, the data mentioned under 1. Collection, processing and use of personal data of this declaration will be transmitted. This takes place regardless of whether Google provides a user account through which you are logged in or whether there is no user account. If you are logged in to Google, your data will be assigned directly to your account. If you do not wish to be assigned to your profile on Google, you must log out there before activating the button. Google saves your data as usage profiles and uses them for market research purposes and/or to design its website to meet your needs. Such an evaluation is carried out in particular (even for users who are not logged in) to provide individually placed advertising and to inform other users of the social network about your activities on our website. You have the right to object to the creation of these user profiles, whereby you must contact Google to exercise this right.

Further information on the purpose and scope of the data collection and its processing by the plug-in provider can be found in their data protection declaration. There you will also receive further information on your rights in this regard and setting options for protecting your privacy, see <http://www.google.de/intl/de/policies/privacy>.

Google also processes your personal data in the USA and has submitted to the EU-US Privacy Shield, see <https://www.privacyshield.gov/EU-US-Framework>.

- Matomo

This website uses the web analysis service Matomo (formerly Piwik) to analyze and regularly improve the use of our website. We can use the statistics obtained to improve our offer and make it more interesting for you as a user.

Cookies are also stored on your computer for this evaluation. The person responsible stores the information collected in this way exclusively on his server in Germany.

You can set the evaluation by deleting existing cookies and preventing the storage of cookies. If you prevent the storage of cookies, we would like to point out that you may not be able to use this

website and our offer to their full extent. The prevention of the storage of cookies is possible through the setting in your browser.

This website uses Matomo with the extension "AnonymizeIP". As a result, IP addresses are further processed in abbreviated form, so that direct personal reference can be ruled out. The IP address transmitted by your browser using Matomo will not be merged with other data collected by us. The Matomo program is an open source project. Information from the third-party provider on data protection can be found at <https://matomo.org/privacy-policy/>.

5. Third Party Services

DWT/SGW cooperates with PayPal and VR Pay ("financial service providers") to enable quick and easy payments on the Internet.

By using this service, you consent to the financial service provider processing your payment using your card details and any other information required for such a transaction.

Our financial service providers are certified to carry out such transactions with the greatest possible security. All communication between DWT/SGW and your bank is carried out by the financial service provider and is encrypted using SSL (Secure Sockets Layer).

If you would like more information about the processing and security of your data by our financial service providers, please contact them directly and the data protection declarations they provide.

6. Linking to Other Websites

As the provider of this website, we are responsible for the content of our own online offering. Our own content may contain links to content provided by other providers, for which we cannot assume any responsibility and whose content we do not adopt as our own. We have no influence on whether the website operators linked to us comply with the relevant data protection regulations. We therefore assume no liability for the content of third-party websites. The respective third-party provider is solely liable for damage caused by incorrect or illegal content on its website.

7. Contact Information

Our detailed contact information can be found in the imprint and under contact.

When you contact us by e-mail or via a contact form, the data you provide (your e-mail address, your name and, if applicable, your telephone number) will be stored by us in order to be able to answer your questions. We delete the data arising in this context after the storage is no longer necessary, or restrict the processing if there are statutory storage obligations.

8. Exercise of data subject rights

As a user of this website, you have the right to revoke your consent to the use of your data at any time and to request information about the personal data stored about you free of charge. In addition, you can assert your rights to the blocking, correction, deletion, restriction of processing and portability of your personal data at any time. This requires your express notification of which of your rights you wish to assert.

9. Update of Privacy Policy

This data protection declaration needs to be updated from time to time because we always want to adapt our services and our systems to the current state of the art or offer you new services. We reserve the right to change and adapt this declaration accordingly, also in order to always meet the legal requirements and to be able to assure you of the best possible protection for your data.