Cookie notice Eurofins Food & Feed Testing Holding B.V.

We use various types of cookies on our Websites. We believe it is of great importance that you are in control of your online privacy. Therefore, we want to inform you as completely as possible about the way we use cookies and for what purposes. You can read this in our Cookie notice.

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1   Cookies

Cookies are small text files that Websites place on your computer, tablet or mobile phone when you visit the Websites. With these cookies information about your website visit is being saved. By placing these cookies certain personal details will be processed which allows Websites to recognise you as a visitor on a subsequent visit.

2   Types of cookies

There is a difference between functional and non-functional cookies. Functional cookies are placed with each visit. These cookies are necessary for the Websites to work properly. In addition to functional cookies, we also place standard analytical cookies (a non-functional cookie). This cookie is not required for the functioning of the Websites. Because of these cookies we know which Website pages are popular and where we can (and should) improve our Websites. If you consent to placing cookies, we also place other non-functional cookies. These cookies have different purposes. This allows us to improve our services. For example, we use cookies on our Websites to test improvements on our Websites, display social media buttons or to display relevant advertisements for our services on other sites.

3   Privacy

Because your online privacy is very important to us, we would like to inform you as completely as possible about the different cookies we use and for what purposes. The schedule below shows which cookies we place by default when you visit the Websites and which cookies we place when you accept cookies.

Categories cookies	Standard and not not agreed	Agreed
Functional cookies	✓	✓
Cookies to measure visits	✓	✓
Cookies for social media integration	-	✓
Cookies to show advertisements on other Websites	-	✓
Cookies to test improvements on the Websites	-	✓
Cookies to test Website research	-	✓

4   Functional cookies

Functional cookies are necessary in order for our Websites to function properly. These cookies are therefore placed by default and will not be deleted if you do not accept cookies. We use the following functional cookies:

- **icl_current_language.** This cookie ensures that the selected language is remembered.
- **wp-settings-2, wp-timesettings-2, PHPSESSID 5, wpml_referer_url**: These functional cookies are used by the content management system of WordPress and are crucial for the (optimal) functioning of the Websites.

5   Cookies to measure visit

Analytical cookies enable us to measure the website visit. These statistics give us insight about how often our Websites are being used, what information visitors are looking for and which pages are visited the most. This means we know which Website components are popular and where we can improve our Websites. We analyse continuously and improve the Websites to make the experience as pleasant as possible for visitors like you. What is important is that we are not able to trace the statistics we collect to people. This data is therefore always used anonymously. We use Google Analytics (__ga, __gid, __gat om) to obtain insights from the data. We always place analytical cookies when visiting our Websites. Analytical cookies collect, among other things, the following data:

- the number of visitors on our webpages;
- the duration of the visit;
- the searches performed on the Websites;
- Information about your browser and the device you use when you visit our Websites, such as operating system and screen size;
- The way you found our Websites, for example whether you clicked on one of our advertisements or on a link in an e-mail or newsletter;
- Some anonymous data entered in a (contact) form.

For more information about what Google does with the collected data, we refer to the privacy statement of Google. This statement can change regularly. We never provide Google with your personal details (such as name, address, BSN, telephone number).

6   Cookies for research

To know how visitors use our Websites, we also use functionalities that measure mouse clicks, mouse movements and scrolling behaviour on our Websites. Data is also collected about visited pages, the browser you use, the type of device and operating system. We use this information to improve the websites every time.

7   Cookies for social media integration

On our Websites we show videos and other content that you can promote and share via a button via social networks. In order for these buttons to work, social media companies such as Twitter, Facebook, YouTube and Google, place cookies so that they can recognize you when you are logged into their social network. They also collect data about the page you share. We have set up the integration of YouTube videos in such a way that cookies are only being placed when the video is actually played. YouTube places cookies to personalize search results and advertisements.

If you play a YouTube video on one of our Websites, the following data is transmitted to Google as a YouTube executor: IP address, specific address of the visited page, transferred browser ID, system date and time of the call, existing cookies that can be used to identify your browser uniquely. Please read the privacy statement of Facebook, LinkedIn, YouTube and Instagram (which can change regularly) to see what they do with your personal data that they process with this code.

Our Websites use the ShareThis (__unam) widget which makes it easy to share news items and vacancies via social media. This cookie also checks, for example, which pages are viewed a lot and how long they are viewed.

8   Cookies for improvements

We test our Websites continuously in order to offer you the most optimal user experience. We want to know whether the changes and amendments we make to the Websites are also real improvements. That is why we carry out improvements with a test first. Visitors can see a modified version of the Websites at the same time. In this way we optimize the Websites continuously. The cookies are used to ensure that you see the correct version of a page and to measure results.

9   Cookies to display Eurofins Food & Testing Netherlands Holding B.V on other Websites

To bring our services to your attention we use online advertisements. We do this in such a way that do not show unnecessary advertisements. This way we can keep the costs for advertisements as low and interesting as possible. We use the Doubleclick.net Cookie (IDE, DSID) for this purpose. We use this cookie to:

- Ads that you have already seen to keep track, so we prevent you from seeing the same ads from us.
- see how many visitors click on our ads.
- keep track of how many visitors purchase one of our services after they have clicked on an advertisement. This is necessary to be able to analyse the effectiveness of advertisements.
- keep track of whether you have already purchased certain services from us. This way you will not see unnecessary advertisements.

Even if you do not accept cookies you can still come across some of our advertisements online. Not all of our advertisements use cookies. Cookies allows us to show you more relevant advertisements and no unnecessary advertisements. For more information about what we do with saved data we refer you to our privacy statement.

10 Block and delete cookies

If you don't want cookies from our Websites, you can choose not to agree to placing of cookies in the cookie notification that you will see when you first visit our Websites. If you previously accepted our cookies, you will no longer see this message. In that case you first need to delete our cookies via your browser. If you block all cookies, Websites may work less well. Therefore, it is better to selectively disable the unwanted cookies. You can do this in your browser (via settings). This also immediately blocks the cookies of other Websites that you will visit.