**Cookie Statement**

This Cookie Statement (hereinafter the "**Statement**") is an integral part of the Privacy Policy, the wording of which is available **here**.

We and our partners use cookies on our website https://engie.sk (hereinafter the "**Website**"). Their use is harmless to your personal computer or mobile device.

Cookies allow us to ensure proper and safe functioning of the Website, to store preferred settings, record data on the Website use and customize the displayed advertising content.

This Statement defines what cookies are, what cookies we use and how you can control their use.

If you have any questions about the use of cookies on our website, please contact us at e-mail address zodpovednaosoba.sk@engie.com.

**What Are Cookies?**

Cookies are harmless small data files stored on your computer or mobile device when you visit a website that uses these files.

Cookies can be categorized, for example, by the length of time they are stored on an end device (session cookies, persistent cookies) or by the domain with which they are associated (first-party cookies, third-party cookies).

*Session cookies* are cookies stored in temporary memory and are deleted when the web browser is closed.

Persistent cookies are cookies that expire within a specified time or after specified time has elapsed. They can be manually erased from the memory of the end device before such expiration time.

First-party cookies are cookies that are associated with the domain of the website you are browsing. In our case, these cookies are associated with our engie.sk domain.

Third-party cookies are cookies that are associated with the domain of a website other than you are currently browsing.

**Cookie Use Setting**

*Web browser.* You can allow or block the use of cookies by setting up your web browser. The procedure for such setting depends on the web browser you use.

However, blocking the use of all cookies may render some parts of the website inoperable.

Below are hyperlinks containing information and instructions on how to change cookie usage settings for the most used web browsers:

- [Cookie settings in the Edge web browser](#)

- [Cookie settings in the Internet Explorer web browser](#)

- [Cookie settings in the Chrome web browser](#)

- [Cookie settings in the Safari web browser](#)

- [Cookie settings in the Firefox web browser](#)

*Cookie banner.* You can control the use of preferential, statistical and marketing cookies by setting a cookie banner.

This cookie banner is automatically displayed when you first access the Website. If you access the Website using a private window in a web browser, the cookie banner is displayed on every visit.

Cookies that are necessary for the operation of the Website are used automatically.

We use preferential, statistical and marketing cookies solely on the basis of your consent, which you can revoke or change its scope at any time.

Specific cookies used on our website are shown in the table at the end of this document.

**Anonymized Website Tracking**

In order to better align the website with the needs of our customers, we analyze how our customers communicate with the website. We anonymize your IP address and then use it to analyze the data visited by your browser and your computer. Cookies are used for this purpose as well. A cookie contains only one unique number through which we can identify you again on our website, but not on third-party websites. We use the recorded data only for statistical purposes. In particular, the IP address will not be assigned to any individual user. The data will not be shared with third parties or used for marketing purposes.

**Google Universal Analytics - Terms of Use**

This website uses Google Universal Analytics, a web analytics service provided by the Google, Inc. company  (hereinafter "Google"). The Google Universal Analytics service uses cookies, which are text files placed on your computer, to help the website analyze how users use the website.
IP anonymization is supplemented on this website. Google shortens/anonymizes the last IP address octet for the member states of the European Union as well as for other parties to the Agreement on the European Economic Area.
On behalf of a website provider, Google will use such information to evaluate your use of the website, compile reports on website activity for website operators, and to provide other services related to website activity and Internet usage to the website provider. Google will not associate your IP address with other data held by Google. You can refuse the use of cookies by selecting appropriate settings in your browser. Please note, however, that if you do so, you will not be able to take advantage of the full functionality of this website. In addition, you can prevent Google from collecting and using data (cookies and the IP address) by downloading and installing the browser plug-in available on the https://tools.google.com/dlpage/gaoptout?hl=sk page.

| Current cookies | | | | |
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| Cookie Name: | | Type | Expiration | Provider |
| **_ga** | Saves and counts page views, used to distinguish users. | Analytical | 1 year | **Google** |
| **_gid** | Saves and counts page views, used to distinguish users. | Analytical | 1 day | **Google** |
| **_gat** | Reads and filters requests from bots. | Analytical | 1 minute | **Google** |
| **_hjAbsoluteSessionInProgress** | Stores new visits. | Analytical | Expires after leaving the site. | **Hotjar** |
| **CLID** | The purpose of this cookie is to record heatmaps and sessions. | Analytical | 1 year | **Clarity** |
| **_hjSession** | Provides cross-page features. | Functional | Expires after leaving the site. | **Hotjar** |
| **PHPSESSID** | Provides basic site functionality. | Functional | Expires after leaving the site. | **engie.sk** |
| **_hjSessionUser** | Saves ID of new users. | Marketing/Tracking | 1 year | **Hotjar** |
| **1P_JAR, APISID, HSID, NID, SAPISID, SEARCH_SAMESITE, SID, SIDCC, SSID** | These cookies are used by Google to serve personalized ads on Google websites based on recent searches and previous interactions. The HSID, SSID, APISID, and SAPISID cookies allow Google to collect user information for videos hosted by YouTube.<br>These cookies are used by Google to serve personalized ads on Google websites based on recent searches and previous interactions. The HSID, SSID, APISID, and SAPISID cookies allow Google to collect user information for videos hosted by YouTube. | Marketing/Tracking | Shown in the table on the site. | **Google** |

| __Secure | Creates a website visitors' interest profile to show them relevant and personalized ads through re-targeting. | Marketing/Tracking | 3 years | **Google** |
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| **MUID** | Stores and tracks visits to the website. | Marketing/Tracking | 1 year | **Clarity** |
| **_clck** | Stores the ID, preferences and settings of the Clarity user. This ensures that the behavior on subsequent visits to the same page is assigned to the same user with the same ID. | Marketing/Tracking | 1 year | **Clarity** |
| **_clsk** | Combines multiple page views by a user into a single Clarity session record. | Marketing/Tracking | 1 day | **Clarity** |
| **_hjIncludedInPageviewSample** | | | | **Hotjar** |
| **NID** | Stores visitor preferences and customizes ads on Google websites based on recent searches and interactions. | Marketing/Tracking | 6 months | **Google** |