

# Cookie Use Policy

## Regulatory compliance

This Cookie Use Policy provides information on the personal data collected by cookies, governed by California's "Shine the Light" law (CA Civil Code), California Consumer Privacy Act concerning the processing of personal data and privacy in electronic communications, as follows:

In order to comply with the legislation in this field, all Victoria Metrics website users are required consent before transmitting the cookies on their computers when accessing this site.

## Users

By "User" we understand anyone (person or legal entity) accessing websites <https://victoriametrics.com/>, <https://victoriametrics.github.io/>, which will be referred to as the "site or sites", regardless of the page or resource it visits to the site or the action it wants to undertake through the pages.

## Sending Cookies

Victoria Metrics website sends cookies (e.g., pieces of code or text placed on your computer by us or third-parties when you browse our Sites) to your web browser (if your browser's preferences allow it) to collect data when you browse our Sites. Cookie settings can be controlled in your Internet browser to automatically reject some forms of cookies.

## Internet cookie

An "Internet cookie" (namely "Cookie Browser" or "HTTP cookie" or simply "cookie") is a small file, consisting of letters and numbers, which will be stored on your computer, mobile terminal, or other equipment of a user who is accessing the site. The cookie is installed by request issued by a web server to a browser (e.g. Internet Explorer, Chrome) and is completely "passive" (does not contain software viruses or spyware and can not access information on a user's device).



If you view our website without changing your cookie settings, you are indicating your consent to receive all cookies from our Sites.

If you do not allow cookies, some features and functionality of our Sites may not operate as expected.

## Technological tools

In addition to cookies, Victoria Metrics can place technological tools (and allow certain third parties to place technological tools) such as tags and beacons (e.g., code scripts that are primarily used to track visitors' activities on our Sites by web analytics software), Internet Protocol (IP) addresses, and other tools, to collect your data for the purposes listed in Victoria Metrics Privacy Policy.

## Types of cookies

Cookies used by Victoria Metrics are of two types:

1. session Cookies - these are temporarily stored in the web browser's cookie folder until the user exits the website or closes the browser window and refers to the language in which is the site displayed;
2. cookies placed by third parties - namely Google Analytics or Hotjar for visitor analysis. It allows monitoring of unique users who are visiting the site and how often they do. This cookie is not used to identify individuals, they are used only for statistical purposes. Compliance of this privacy policy and data security must be completed also with the policy from Google Analytics. For more details on Google Analytics's privacy policy click on the link:

<https://support.google.com/analytics/answer/6004245>

Hotjar privacy policy:

[https://help.hotjar.com/hc/en-us/articles/115011639887-Data-Safety-Privacy-Security#FAQ\\_2](https://help.hotjar.com/hc/en-us/articles/115011639887-Data-Safety-Privacy-Security#FAQ_2)

From time to time, we may use the standard “cookies” feature of Internet browser applications, which allows us to store a small piece of data on your computer about your visit to our website.

Victoria Metrics do not set any personally identifiable information in cookies. Cookies help us learn which areas of our website are useful and which areas need improvement. Cookies are small text files stored on users' hard drives, which often include an anonymous unique identifier.



## Session ID cookies and persistent cookies

Session ID cookies are used to store information while a user is logged into the site and expire when the user closes their browser.

Persistent cookies are used to make tasks like logging into the site easier for returning users by remembering a user's login information, and may be used by your browser on subsequent visits to our website. Persistent cookies stay on a user's hard drive from one session to the next. Persistent cookies can be removed by following your web browser's directions for deleting cookies. A session cookie is temporary and disappears after you close your browser.

## Permission

When you visit Victoria Metrics website, our computer may ask your computer for permission to employ the use of a session or persistent cookie.

Victoria Metrics website will then send a cookie to your browser if your browser's preferences allow it. You can choose whether to accept cookies by changing the settings on your browser.

Please pay attention, if you choose to disable cookies function, your experience at Victoria Metrics website may be diminished and some features may not work as they were intended.

## Updating this Policy

Victoria Metrics can update this Cookie Use Policy by posting a new version on this site. Contact Victoria Metrics if you have any questions about this "Cookie Use Policy" by address:

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