

USER MANUAL

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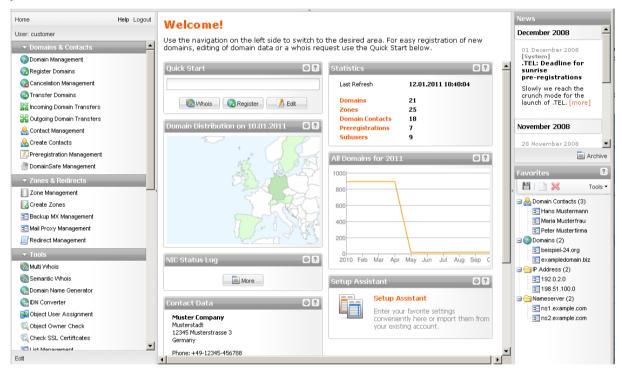
1 Introduction

1.1 WELCOME

This domain management system allows efficient domain registration in real time and provides simple and viable nameserver management. The complete domain delegation, creation of domain contacts, domain registrations, updates and the automatic transfer of large domain portfolios or domain transfer can be realized conveniently and immediately, as far as this is supported by the registries.

Comprehensive reseller capabilities

As a customer, you have access to defined areas in the domain management interface. You can give your customers restricted or full access to these areas.



1.2 THE NEW INTERFACE VERSION 3.0

The new interface scores with an up-to-date design, remarkable user-orientation, additional and optimized features and detailed documentation.

Clarity

Well-structured navigation for quick access to all areas.

In the new information area, you get news and useful information about selected objects.

Helpful logs and statistics in the main area.

The Quick Start for quick registration and updates of domains. It's also handy if you want to start your session with a Whois request.

Clearly structured and informative overviews for your objects.

New well-structured forms with a minimum amount of form fields.

New and optimized functions

The Domain Name Generator - a smart tool to easily create extensive domain name lists using combinations of your favorite terms.

The Multi Whois Tool - a clear structure, new features and five to ten times faster - the Multi Whois is now unbeatable.

Domain Update Wizard und Zone Update Wizard - perfect tools for fast and targeted domain and zone bulk updates.

The Cancelation Management area - for a better overview of your cancelations.

Optimized usability

New object list functions, e.g. the comparison of lists.

The Favorites. In the Favorites area you can store all domains, domain contacts, nameservers and IP addresses you frequently use. You can simply drag and drop these objects into the form fields.

Useful information and detailed documentation

The Information area. Information details and support are in your field of vision. You get the information you need, when you need it.

The context-sensitive online help: You can click on the question mark icon in the forms and form sections to get targeted help for the respective areas. You can find further help and support in the Help area. As usual, the most important questions are answered in the FAQs.

2 Documentation and Help

2.1 USING THIS DOCUMENTATION

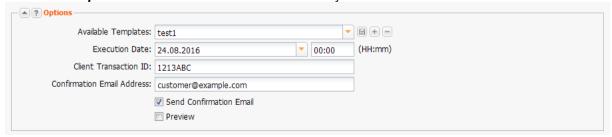
Conventions

The different contents are formatted uniquely.

Formatting	Meaning Elements in the user interface, e.g. menu items, labels of drop-down lists, command buttons etc.	
Item in the user interface		
 Action Action Action 	For the steps of an action.	
List item1List item2List item3	The items in a drop-down item list or simple lists.	
ATTENTION Text of the note	This warning contains information that you should be aware of.	
NOTE Text of the note	A note contains background information.	
TIP Text of the tip	A tip contains hints for better handling.	
FAQ Question Answer	The FAQ contains a question and its answer.	

Form Section Options

The section *Options* can be found at the bottom of every form.



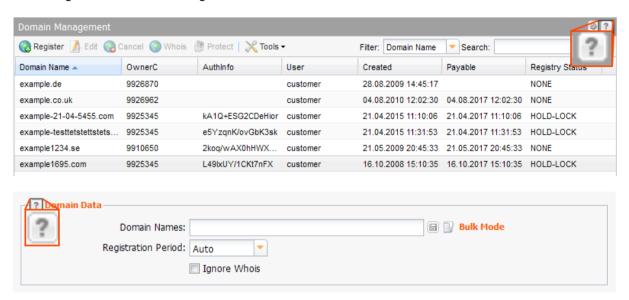
For reasons of clarity the details of this section will be explained only once and not in each form. See "Retaining Control over the Requests: the Request Options".

2.2 GETTING HELP

There are several possibilities to get help when working with the System.

Context-Sensitive Help

The context-sensitive help the quickest way to get help. The help topics are integrated into the user interface. You can open the help topic for the respective form or form section by clicking the icon in the form grid or the form heading.



Manual Download in the Menu

Click the *Manual* button in the head of the menu to download the current manual. This function can be deactivated by the owner of the system account.



The Help Center

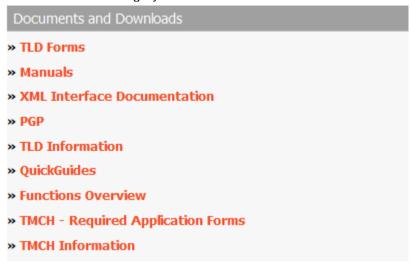
Click Help & FAQs in the menu section Customer Center.

FAQs

Click the relevant category for your question or click **All FAQs** to display all FAQs. In the column TLD FAQs there are FAQs concerning certain TLDs.

Documents and Downloads

Click the relevant category and select the desired documentation.

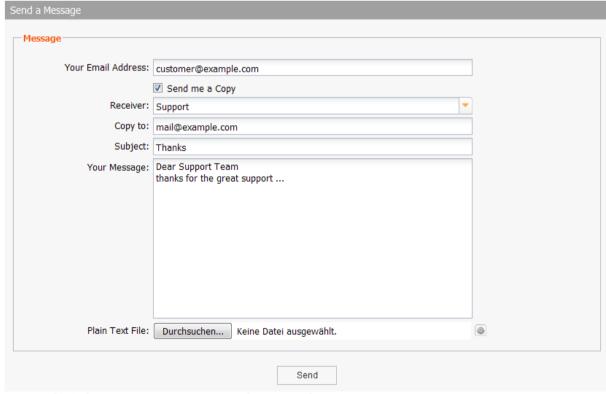


Support

If you cannot solve your problems with the help of the documentation and FAQs, feel free to contact our support. Click the *Support* entry in the menu *Customer Center* to open the support contact form.

Sending an Email to our Support

Customer Center > Support



1. Click Support in the menu group Customer Center. The form Send a message opens.

Note

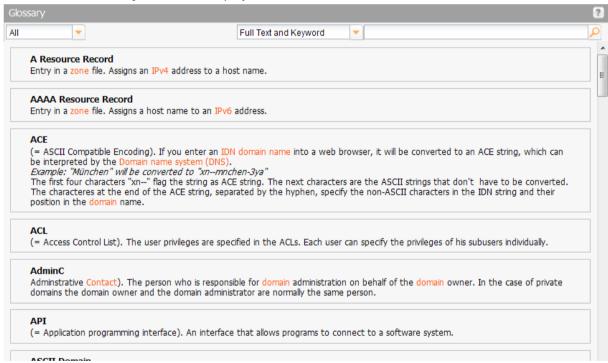
We normally obtain your support email address when you order the domain management system. You can overwrite this address at any time

- Activate the checkbox Send me a Copy to send a copy of your support request to you email address.
- 3. Select the receiver of your request in the list receiver.
- 4. You can enter further receivers of a copy in the **Copy to** field.
- 5. Enter the subject line for your mail in the **Subject** field.
- 6. Enter the content of your mail in the Your Message field.
- 7. Add a text file (optional)
- 8. Click Submit to send the mail. Please enter the text in English, German or Spanish only.

2.3 GLOSSARY

In the glossary the most important terms related to domain management are explained.

- 1. Click Glossary in the menu group Customer Center.
- 2. Click the initial letter of the term you a searching for to display all terms with this initial.
- 3. Click All Glossary Entries to display all entries.



You can filter the glossary entries. Use the selection list an select *Full Text an Keyword*, *Full Text only* or *Keyword* and enter a term in the entry field next to it.

In several entries there are links to other glossary entries. Click one to switch to the respective entry.

3 Getting familiar with the System

3.1 THE USER INTERFACE

Here we familiarize you with the user interface.

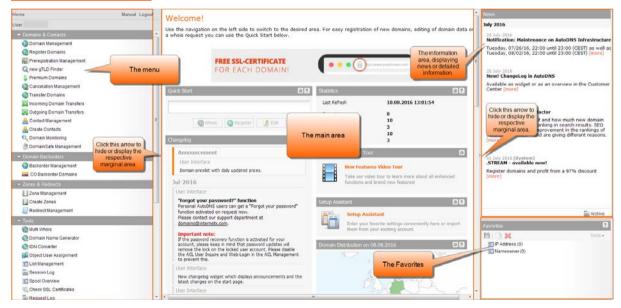
The Menu: click the menu group fields to expand the menu and display the menu entries.

The Main Area: several widgets are displayed here. You can change the order simply by using drag & drop. Click the icon in the title bar of any widget to display or hide widgets.

The information area: news or important information is displayed here. E.g. while you are registering domains, the terms and conditions of registration for the respective TLDs are displayed here.

The <u>Favorites</u>: you can add your favorite objects, like domain contacts or nameservers here. You can enter them into the form fields simply by using drag & drop. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.

The Homepage

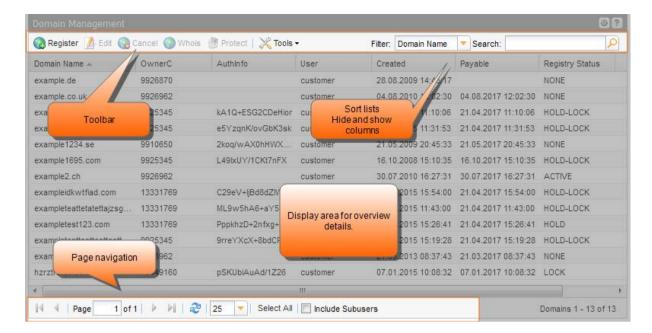


The Overviews

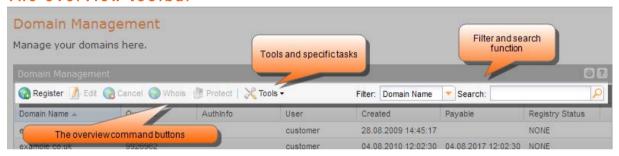
For all object types a detailed overview is available. You can find the related help topics here:

- Domain Management
- Contact Management
- Preregistrations
- Zone Management
- Managing BackupMX (optional)
- MailProxy Management (optional)
- Redirect Management (optional)
- User Management

You can make yourself familiar with the area names in the overviews.



The overview toolbar



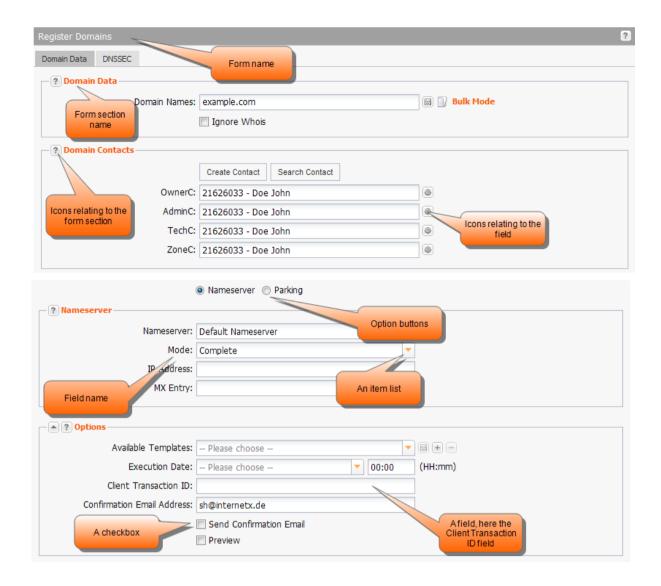
Page navigation at the bottom of an overview

Here you can see the labeled page navigation elements of an overview.



The Forms

You can make yourself familiar with the area names in the forms.



3.2 LOGIN, LOGOUT AND PASSWORD CHANGE

Login

- 1. Open your browser and enter the URL for your domain management system, into the address bar. The *Login* form opens.
- 2. Enter your user name into the *User* field. Enter your password into the *Password* field.
- 3. Click *Login*.

The homepage opens. Please note that the content of the homepage depends on your configuration.

Logout

Click *Logout* in the upper menu bar to end your session in the system and to log out.

The current status of the menu groups and the width of the marginal areas will be saved.



Changing the Login Password

As a new user, you receive your account details (user name and password) via email. For security reasons, we highly recommend that you change your password upon receiving the account details.

NOTE: Valid passwords

Minimal length: 6 characters. Maximum length: 40 characters.

Allowed characters: a-z A-Z 0-9!\" # \$ % & () * + . , _ - / : ; < = > ? @ $^`$ | ~ '[] { }

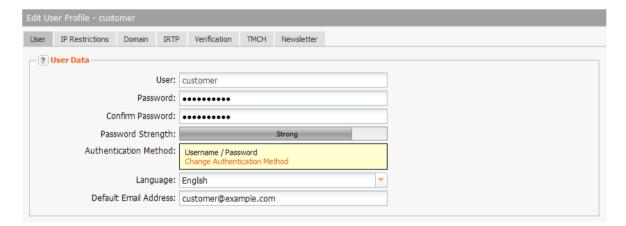
Forbidden characters: ä Ä ö Ö ü Ü ß

NOTE: Safe Password

A safe password consists of at least 13 characters and contains letters and numbers. It should not contain meaningful parts like "domain" or "london" but should consist of meaningless sequences like "aKhg". Caps and lower case characters should be mixed. An example of a safe password is "3aK1EnZ5nb56L". to increase the security even more use special characters from the list of allowed special characters.

- 1. Click User Configuration in the menu group User Management.
- 2. Click User Profile.

The Edit User Profile form opens.



- 3. Enter the new password into the *Password* field and also into the *Confirm Password* field.
- 4. Click Save.

3.3 THE MENU

The menu includes the following default menu groups:

- Domains & Contacts
- Domain Backorders
- Zones & Redirects
- Tools
- User Management
- Customer Center

Please note that the contents and arrangement may vary from the default.

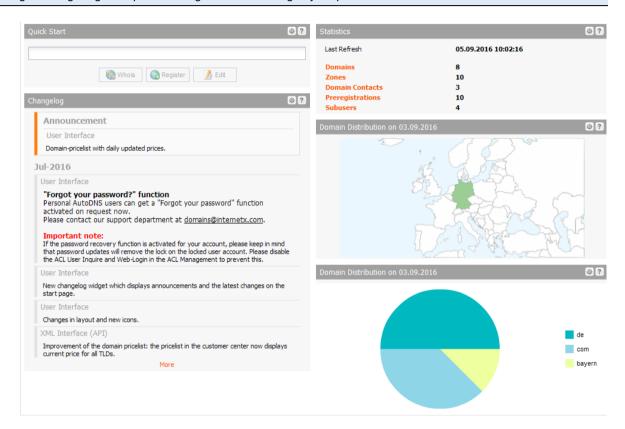
3.4 THE MAIN AREA WIDGETS

After the login of a new user two widgets are displayed in the main area, the **Quick Start** and the **Setup Assistant**.

By request you can display further widgets.

Configuring Widgets

Click the local icon to add or remove widgets. If available, click **Settings** to customize the widget. You can move all widgets using drag & drop and arrange them according to your preference.



The Widgets at a Glance

Use the **Quick Start** to register or edit a domain quickly or to make a Whois request. See: "The Main Area Widgets" on page 19.

The **Setup Assistant** supports you when configuring the System. Step by step, you can enter the default data for the user like domain contacts, nameservers, nameserver details and your confirmation email address. See: "The Setup Assistant" on page 29. See: "Statistics and Graphs" on page 56.

The *Changelog* lists changes in the GUI and XML API and Announcements.

The **Statistics** widget informs you about the number of objects in your possession. See: "Statistics and Graphs" on page 56.

The Multi Whois widget allows you to start Whois queries on the home page. See: "Multi Whois Widget" on page 1.

The **NIC Status Log** displays all registry operations. See: "Logs" on page 52.

The **Domain Registration Chart** visualizes the domain registrations of all or selected TLDs. See: "Number of your Domains" on page 57.

The **Domain Distribution Map** visualizes the geographical distribution of your domains. See: "The Distribution Map of your Domains" on page 58.

The **Contact Data** widget shows your contact person data. See: "In the Contact Data widget you can see the company contact data." on page 1.

Using the Quick Start

The Quick Start is a widget on the homepage of the domain management system.

Use the *Quick Start* to register or edit a domain quickly or to make a Whois request. Enter a domain contact ID to edit the contact quickly.

Tip

For a efficient use of the Quickstart enter defaults for your domain contacts and nameservers first (menu group *User Data,* menu item *Defaults*).



To register a domain

- 1. Enter a domain name.
- 2. Click **Register** to switch to the **Register Domain** form.

The Register Domains form opens. See: "Registering new Domains" on page 62.

To edit a domain

- 1. Enter a domain name.
- 2. Click *Edit* to edit a domain which is already registered.

The Update Domain form opens. See: "Editing a Domain" on page 71.

To edit a domain contact

- 1. Enter a domain contact ID.
- 2. Click Edit. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

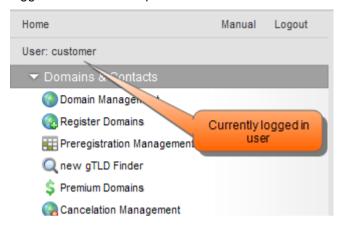
To display the Whois data

- 1. Enter a domain name.
- 2. Click *Whois* to carry out a Whois request.

The Whois data will be displayed.

3.5 WORKING AS A SUBUSER

Every action you carry out in the system is an action of the currently logged in user. You can see the logged in user at the top of the menu in the *User* bar.



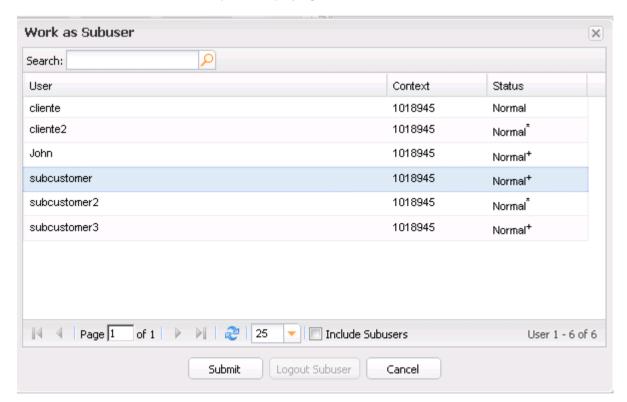
You also have the possibility to work as a subuser.

NOTE

Users with the status and substatus "Normal" cannot work as another user. For these users the *User* button is not active.

1. To work as a subuser, click the *User* bar in the menu.

The form Work as Subuser opens, displaying the user list.



The following details are shown:

- User: the name of the user
- Context: the context of the user (= ID of your personalized system)
- Status: the status of the user

- 2. Select the desired user or use the search function to find the desired user.
- 3. Click Submit or double-click the desired user to work as this subuser

Unassigning and detaching as a Subuser

Click the icon next to the user name in the menu to detach the subuser and work as the parent user again.



3.6 WORKING EFFICIENTLY

Short Cuts

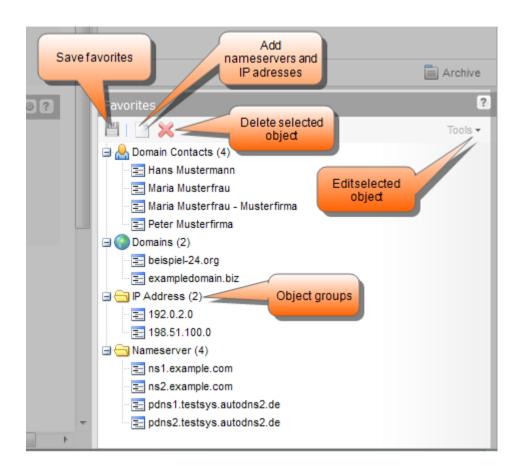
For some functions short cuts are available.

Short Cut	Function
Ctrl + Alt + h	Show short cuts
Ctrl + Alt + w	Run Whois query
Ctrl + Alt + d	Edit domain
Ctrl + Alt + n	Check zone
Ctrl + Alt + c	Edit domain contact
Ctrl + Alt + z	Edit zone
Ctrl + Alt + f	Set cursor in active form field
Ctrl + m	Maximize main area
esc	Close active window

Working with the Favorites

In the *Favorites* area, you can store the domains, domain contacts, nameservers, zones and IP addresses you frequently use.

You can paste these objects in the designated form fields with drag & drop. You can also use *Favorites* as a starting point for editing the stored objects and other actions depending on the object type.



How to add domains and domain contacts to the favorites

- 1. Open the overview of the desired object, e.g. the domain overview.
- 2. Drag the desired object in the *Favorites* area. The object will automatically be arranged into the respective object type group.
- Click the Save icon to permanently save the object in the Favorites.
 If you don't save, the object only remains in the Favorites for the current session.

How to add, nameservers and IP addresses to the favorites

- In the *Favorites* toolbar click the *Add Favorites* icon.
 An entry field will be displayed at the bottom of the area.
- 2. Enter the nameserver or the IP address into the entry field.
- 3. Press *Enter*.
- 4. Click the **Save** icon to permanently save the object in **the Favorites**. If you don't save, the object only remains in the **Favorites** for the current session.

How to use favorite objects

- 1. Open the desired form, e.g. the form to register a domain.
- 2. Drag the desired object from the *Favorites* into the form field.

How to edit favorite objects

- 1. Select the desired object (a domain or domain contact) in the *Favorites*.
- Select Edit in the Tools item list.

The corresponding dialog opens.

How to delete favorite objects

- 1. Select the desired object.
- 2. Click the **Delete** icon. The object itself will not be deleted, only the **Favorites** entry.

How to sort the favorites

You can move the *Favorites* entries and the *Favorites* groups with he mouse to the desired position.

3.7 THE SEARCH FUNCTION

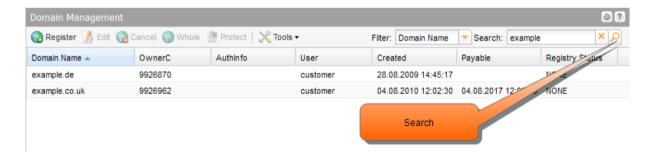
The **Search** is embedded in the overviews in the main area. You can use it to gain easy access to domains, contacts and users you want to edit.

The following search functions are available:

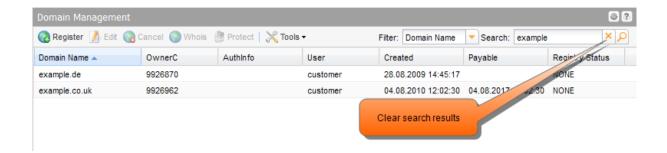
- The Domain Search
- The Domain Contact Search
- The User Search
- The Search Domain Contacts dialog

The Domain Search

The domain search helps you to find a domain in domain lists. It is embedded in the toolbars of the areas *Domain Register*, *Domain Cancel*, *Incoming Transfers* and *Outgoing Transfers*.



- Enter the name of the domain in the **Search** field. You can enter only parts of the domain names too.
- 2. Click $extstyle{arPhi}$ or press $extstyle{\it Enter}$ to start searching. The search result is shown in the same area.
- Click to delete the search result.



The User Search

The user search helps you to find a user. It is embedded in the toolbar of the *User Management* overview.



- 1. Enter the user name of the user you want to find in the **Search** field. You can enter only parts of the user names too.
- 2. Click or press *Enter* to start searching. The search result is shown in the overview.
- 3. Click to delete the search result.

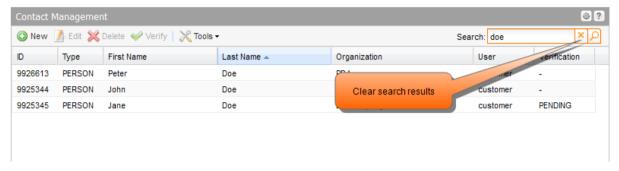


The Domain Contact Search

The domain contact search helps you to find a domain contact. It is embedded in the toolbar of the **Domain Contact Overview.**

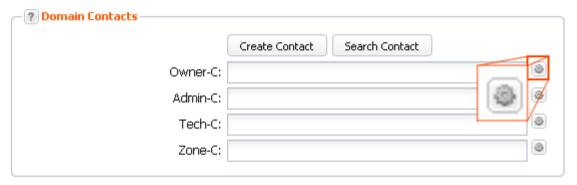


- 1. Enter the first or last name of the contact you want to find in the **Search** field. You can enter only parts of the names too.
- 2. Click $\stackrel{ extstyle P}{=}$ or press extstyle extst
- 3. Click to delete the search result.



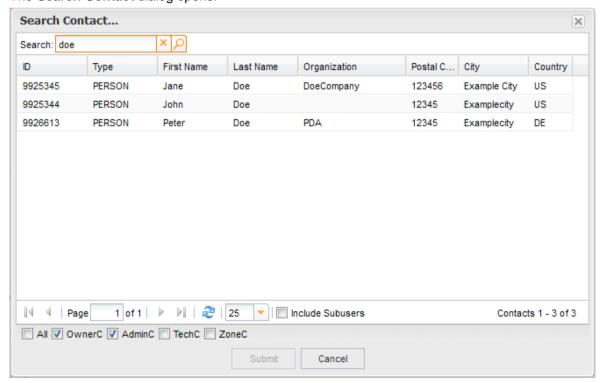
The Search Contact Dialog

You can use the **Search Contact** form in all form sections where domain contacts can be selected. The **Search Contact** button is displayed in these forms.



1. Click the **Search Contact** button.

The Search Contact dialog opens.



- Enter the term you want to find (ID, type, first name, last name or organization) into the Search field.
- 3. Click the search button . The matching contacts are listed
- 4. Select the desired contact.
- In the toolbar at the bottom of the dialog, select the desired checkboxes to determine which entry fields are searched.
- 6. Select the All checkbox to search all domain contact entry fields.
- 7. Click Submit.

The contact will be searched for in the selected domain contact entry fields.

3.8 FORM TEMPLATES

In some forms you can work with templates. You can fill in a new form and save them it under a special name as a template for further activities.

For a procedure with equal values such as for domain contacts and name servers, you can use this template and use it.

You can use form templates for the following tasks:

- Create new contacts
- Edit contacts
- Create new zones
- Edit zone
- Register domains
- Update domain
- Transfer domains

NOTE

The form templates are being stored for the respective user. That means that every user can create his own templates.

One exception exists in the case of users being created as clone users of another user. These are able to use the sub-users templates. These templates are marked as " *| " .

Creating a form template

- 1. Open the form and enter the desired values.
- 2. Click the button Create new Template at the form bottom.

The window *Name* opens.

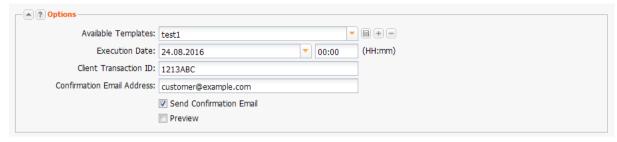
3. Enter a template name and click OK.

NOTE

Please note that entries for the execution date and time will not be saved in the template.

Updating a form template

- 1. Open the form.
- Click the icon to open the area Options at the form bottom.



- 1. Select the template you want to update in the list *Available Templates*. The values saved in the list are entered in the forms now.
- 2. Actualize the values. Click the icon ight next to the form section.

Creating a new form template by copying an existing one

- 1. Open the form.
- 2. Click the icon to open the area **Options** at the form bottom.
- 3. Select the template you want to update in the list *Available Templates*. The values saved in the list are entered in the forms now.
- 4. Complete the values and change them if you want to. click *Create New Template* and give a new name to the template.

Applying the form template

- 1. Open the form.
- 2. Click the icon to open the area **Options** at the form bottom.
- 3. Select the template which you want to use as template for the new template in the *Available Templates* list. Doing this the respective values will be entered into the form fields.
- 4. Add additional values if necessary. Click **Submit** to send the request.

Deleting a form template

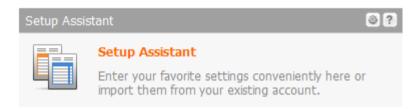
- 1. Open the form.
- 2. Click the icon to open the area **Options** at the form bottom.
- 3. Select the form you want to delete in the list Available Templates.
- 4. Click the icon to delete the template.

4 Customizing the Domain Management System

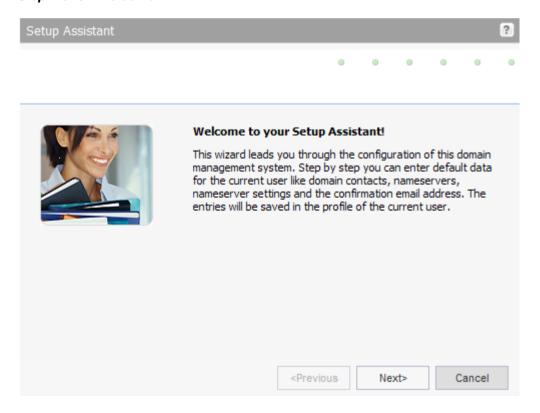
4.1 THE SETUP ASSISTANT

The **Setup Assistant** helps you to configure the domain management system. You can enter default data like domain contacts, nameservers, nameserver settings and the confirmation email address, step by step. The data is stored in the profile of the current user. When creating new objects, the profile data is entered into the respective form fields. The data can be edited in the forms.

Click Setup Assistant to start the assistant.

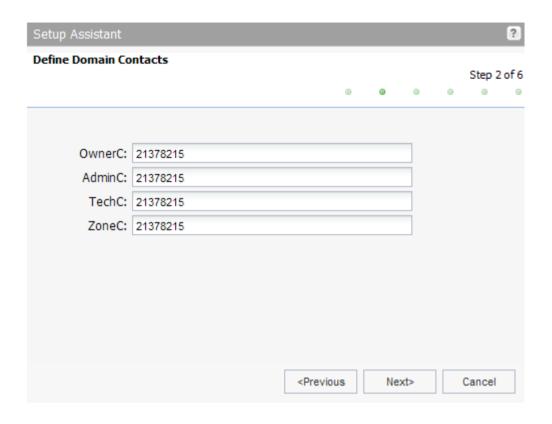


Step 1 of 6 - Welcome



Click Next.

Step 2 of 6: Define Domain Contacts

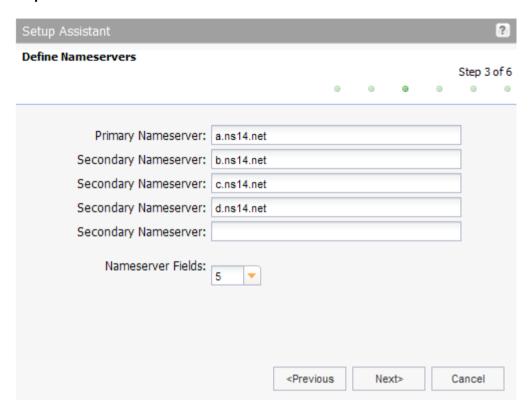


OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
	Or:
	Click Search Contact to search for an existing one.
	Or:
	Click Create Contact to create a new one.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
	Or:
	Click Search Contact to search for an existing one.
	Or:
	Click <i>Create Contact</i> to create a new one.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
	Or:
	Click Search Contact to search for an existing one.
	Or:
	Click Create Contact to create a new one.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.
	Or:
	Click Search Contact to search for an existing one.
	Or:
	Click <i>Create Contact</i> to create a new one.

For details about the entries in the *Contact Create* form click the licons in the form sections or read the corresponding chapters in the manual.

Click Next.

Step 3 of 6: Define Nameservers



Primary Nameserver

Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.

Example: ns1.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.

Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

Glue Record IPv4:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4

Glue Record IPv6:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4

Secondary Nameserver

Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here.

Example: ns2.example.com.

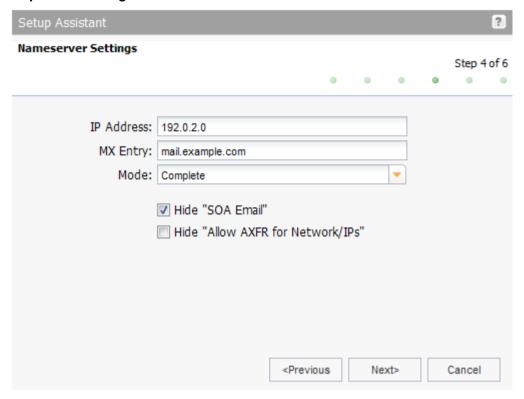
To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row.

The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section *Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,* menu item *User Configuration,* area *User Interface).*

Click Next.

Step 4 of 6: Configur Form Fields



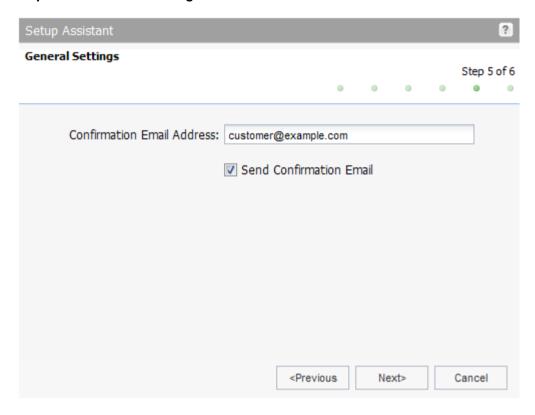
Enter the nameserver details here.

IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".
Mode	Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.
	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.

Hide "SOA Email"	Activate the checkbox to hide the SOA Email checkbox in forms.
Hide "Allow AXFR for Network/IPs"	Activate the checkbox to hide the <i>Allow AXFR for Network/IPs</i> checkbox in forms. (AXFR= "Asynchronous Full Transfer Zone". This is a complete zone transfer between two nameservers).

Click Next.

Step 5 of 6 : General Settings



Send Confirmation Email	Activate the checkbox if a confirmation mail for requests should be sent.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter an email address to which the confirmation mail for requests can be sent.

Click Next.

Click Save to finish the Setup Assistant.

4.2 SELECT THE USER INTERFACE LANGUAGE

Select the User Interface Language

There are two possibilities to select the user interface language.

- in the **User Profile** tab **User**. See: "User Profile / User" on page 35.
- the area Change Interface Language in the User Configuration

How to change the interface user language:

- Log in as the user whose profile you want to edit.
- 2. Click User Configuration in the menu group User Management.
- 3. Click Change Interface Language in the main area.



The form Change Interface Form opens.

Change Interface Language

- Select the language in the list.
- Click Save.

The interface is reloaded automatically in the new language.

4.3 USER PROFILES AND PRESETTINGS

The *User Configuration* area offers functions to customize the system. You can:

- Change the user interface language
- Select the authentication method
- Use the setup assistant
- Configure the user interface
- Configure the user profile
- Specify your ACLs and those of your subusers
- Specify backorder settings
- Configure domain parking
- Manage your trusted applications

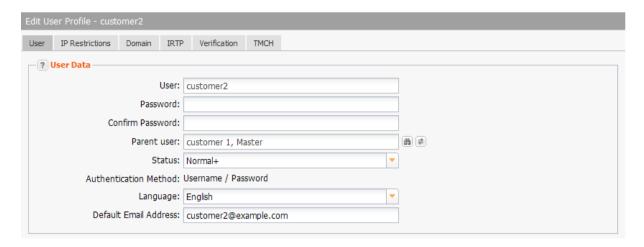
4.4 EDITING THE USER PROFILE

The user profile is automatically generated when you create a new user. When the user creates new objects, the user profile data is automatically entered in the corresponding form fields. The default entries in the form fields can be edited. Click the respective tab to predefine the settings for the user data, domains, IRTP, domain contact verification, TMCH and, if configured by the parent user, the newsletter.

For details concerning the form fields see the help in the form sections. Click the local icon next to the form section label.

- 1. Log in as the user whose profile you want to edit.
- 2. Click **User Configuration** in the menu group **User Management**.

- 3. Click *User Profile* in the main area.
- 4. Select the desired tab to edit the data.



User Profile / User



Entry details:

Password	Enter the user password here.
Confirm Password	Enter your password again here.

NOTE: Valid passwords

Minimal length: 6 characters. Maximum length: 40 characters.

Allowed characters: a-z A-Z 0-9!\"#\$%&()*+.,_-/:;<=>?@^`|~'[]{}

Forbidden characters: ä Ä ö Ö ü Ü ß

NOTE: Safe Password

A safe password consists of at least 13 characters and contains letters and numbers. It should not contain meaningful parts like "domain" or "london" but should consist of meaningless sequences like "aKhg". Caps and lower case characters should be mixed. An example of a safe password is "3aK1EnZ5nb56L". to increase the security even more use special characters from the list of allowed special characters.

Authentication Type	You can see the authentication method which is currently used for the user. Click <i>Change Authentication Method</i> to change the way of authentication.
Language	Select the user language here. This affects the user interface and system messages.
Default Email Address	Enter the default email address for the new user here.

IP Restrictions

This section allows you to restrict access to the system to certain IP addresses. You can either declare single IP addresses or multiple CIDR-blocks.

For the following users and respective user groups it is possible to set single IPs or IP-blocks from which a user may log in to the system.



A) The current user

Set a single IP address or complete CIDR-blocks from which the current user may log in to the system.

B) For the clone users of the current user

Set a single IP address or complete CIDR-blocks from which the current user and his clones may log in to the system. E.g a reseller can restrict his customers access to the system to certain IP addresses.

NOTE

You can only enter IP blocks in CIDR format or single IP addresses e.g. 203.0.113.0/24 respectively 192.0.2.24. Enter one IP address or CIDR block per line.

Example 1: User IP Restrictions

Requirement:

John Doe is customer of the telecommunication company *Example Communication AG*. He would like to prevent that the username and password can be guessed from a foreign network.

Solution:

John sets a *User IP Restriction* that locks out foreign networks.

Impact:

John and all of his clone-users can only access the system from the specified network.

Example 2: Clone Restrictions

Requirement:

John Doe wants to be able to log into the domain management system from any IP address. His clone users however should only

be allowed access from the company network.

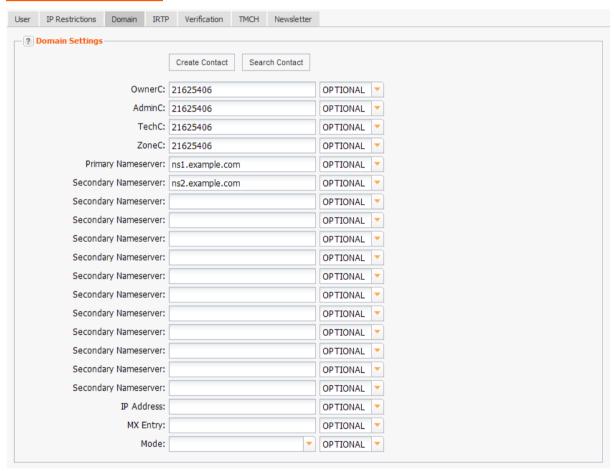
Solution:

John leaves the *User IP Restriction* empty and enters the IP address of the company network in the field *Clone Restrictions*.

Impact:

Johns clone users can access the system from the company network, access from any other network is blocked.

Domain Settings



All entries you make here are used by default in the corresponding forms of the user. All entries are editable. You can use the item lists on the right to define the degree to which the entries are automatically taken over by subuser forms.

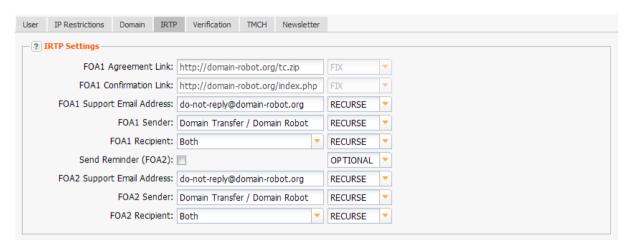
You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.
Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. Glue Record IPv4: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 Glue Record IPv6: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. <i>E x a m p l e : n s 2 . e x a m p l e . c o m .</i> To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section <i>Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,</i> menu item <i>User Configuration,</i> area <i>User Interface).</i>
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".
Mode	Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone. ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.

IRTP



The "Inter Registrar Transfer Policy" (IRTP) regulates the transfer of domains. You can enter the communication data which is required for the transfer process here. In this context, the abbreviation "FOA" stands for "Form of Authorization".

All entries you make here are used by default in the corresponding forms. All entries in the forms are editable.

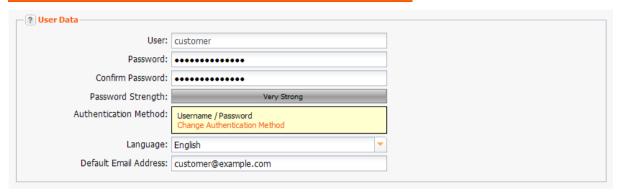
You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

FOA1 Support Email Address	Enter a valid support email address here.
FOA1 Sender	Enter the name of the FOA1 email sender.
FOA1 Recipient	Select the recipient of FOA1 email.
Send Reminder (= FOA2)	Select the checkbox if a reminder is to be sent after 1 week (= FOA2).
FOA2 Support Email Address	Enter a valid support email address.
FOA2 Sender	Enter the name of the FOA2 email sender.
FOA2 Recipient	Select the recipient of FOA2 email.

Verification / Contact Verification Settings



You can specify the data of the sender and the reply email address of the domain contact verification email here.

According to ICANN guidelines, the contact data of the OwnerC (domain owner) must be verified in the future. This is carried out along the lines of the opt-in procedure: Following a domain registration, incoming transfer or change to the email address of the OwnerC, an email is automatically sent to the OwnerC. This email contains a verification link which the OwnerC must use to actively confirm the contact details.

Important Note

The verification via this link must be carried out within 15 days. If the details are not confirmed within this period, the relevant domains will be deactivated!

In order to avoid unnecessary domain deactivations, the domain owner will receive email reminders with the verification link every 3 days within this period. If the verification is not carried out, user will be informed 5 days before the domain is deactivated.

You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

Sender Name	Enter the senders name of the domain contact verification email here.
Support Email Address	Enter the email address here you want to use as reply address for the domain contact verification email.

Verification / Whois Data Reminder

The ICANN Registrar Agreement requires yearly data reminder emails to the domain administrator (AdminC). The following contact data is used for sending the reminder email.

You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

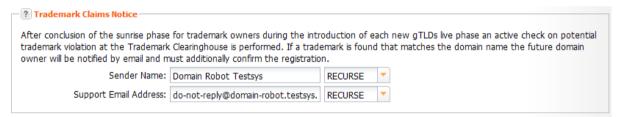
You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

Entry details:

Sender Name	Enter the senders name of the reminder email here.
Support Email Address	Enter the email address here you want to use as reply address for the reminder email.

Trademark Claims Notice



In case that a desired domain name violates a trademark right, a notification mail is sent to the potential future domain registrant via email - this is called the Trademark Claims Notice. This notice informs the potential domain registrant about the trademark infringement.

The potential registrant then has to click on a link confirming that they are aware of this trademark infringement and that they assume all liabilities associated with registering the domain name. Once the Trademark Claims notice has been confirmed, the domain is registered.

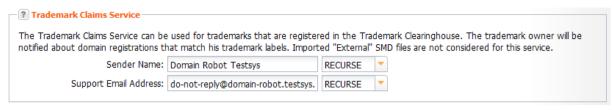
You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

Sender Name	Enter the senders name of the notification email here.
Support Email Address	Enter the email address here you want to use as reply address for the notification email.

Trademark Claims Service



The Trademark Claims Service can be used for trademarks that are registered in the Trademark Clearinghouse. The trademark owner will be notified about domain registrations that match his trademark labels.

You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

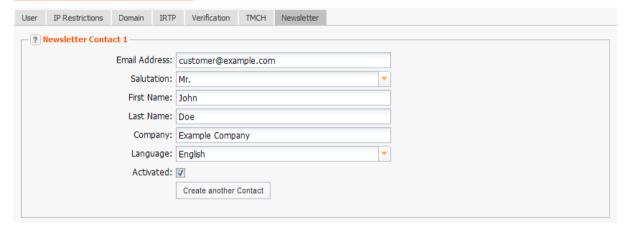
You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

Entry details:

Sender Name	Enter the senders name of the notification email here.
Support Email Address	Enter the email address here you want to use as reply address for the email.

Newsletter Contact



You can enter up to three recipients of our newsletter here and personalize the salutation.

Email Address	Enter the email address of the recipient here.
Salutation	Select the salutation here.
First Name	Enter first name here.
Last Name	Enter last name here.
Company	Enter the company here.
Language	Select the newsletter language for this recipient here.
Activated	Activate the checkbox to personalize the newsletter using the data above.

To add an additional contact click the *Create another Contact* button.

To remove a recipient delete the form data.

4.5 CHOOSING YOUR AUTHENTICATION METHOD

On this page you can choose the authentication method that you want to use for the login process. You have the choice between the standard setting that uses a username and password or two-factor authentication that uses an additional 6-character token which is generated by a smartphone application.

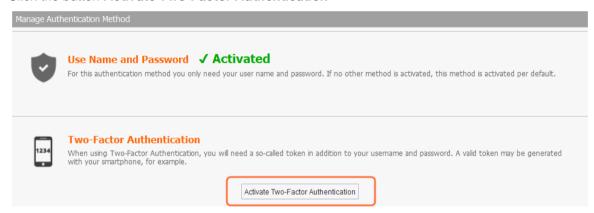
For the two-factor authentication a smartphone and corresponding authentication application is required. An example of an authentication application would be Google Authenticator.

The authentication application generates a new token every minute that you can then enter into the token input field.

In addition to the tokens that are continuously generated, a list of 10 one-time use service tokens is generated when you setup your account for two-factor authentication. A service token can be used when you do not have access to your smartphone. Please keep these service tokens stored in a secure place in order to protect your account from unauthorized persons.

Activate two-factor authentication

- 1. Click *User Configuration* in the menu group *User Management*.
- 2. Click Authentication Method in the main area.
- 3. Click the button Activate Two-Factor Authentication



Pick up your smartphone and start the authentication application. In case you do not have one installed, download one from the smartphone application store - for example the application "Google Authenticator".

For Android:

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.google.android.apps.authenticator2For IPhone: https://itunes.apple.com/de/app/google-authenticator/id388497605?mt=8

- Scan the QR-Code in the form *Manage Authentication Method* with the app.
 Alternatively you can enter the key manually into the app. Click the triangle next to Secret to show the key.
- 2. The app displays the token. Enter the token and your login password in the fields at th bottom of the form.
- 3. Click Confirm Two-Factor Authentication. A page containing ten service tokens is shown.
- 4. Note these service codes and store them in a safe location for when your smartphone is unavailable or are unable to generate new tokens. A service token allows you to log in the same way as with a generated token.

IMPORTANT NOTE

Please keep the service tokens stored in a secure place and do not communicate them to any other person. The service tokens are ONLY DISPLAYED ONCE when you activate your account for the two-factor authentication. The service tokens can not been seen thereafter, not even by our support!

NOTE

Before switching to a new smartphone, please deactivate the two-factor authentication in your account and restart the activation process with the new smartphone.

Deactivating the two-Factor authentication

- 1. Click User Configuration in the menu group User Management.
- 2. Click **Authentication Method** in the main area.
- 3. Click the button **Deactivate Two-Factor Authentication**



4. Enter a valid token.

If you cannot create a valid token, you can use one of the service tokens you have received when activating the Two-Factor Authentication

Otherwise please contact our support. We will be glad to help you, to find a solution.

Now you can login using only username and password.

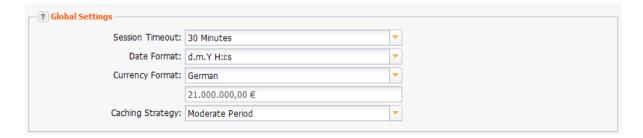
4.6 EDITING THE USER INTERFACE SETTINGS

You can customize the user interface in the *User Interface* area. These global settings affect the date format or the session timeout as well as the behavior and content of overviews with their associated.

Possible settings:

- Session timeout
- Date format
- Currency format
- Caching method for the data display in the overviews
- Activating or deactivating the automatic display of data in the overview
- Activating or deactivating the display of subuser data in the overview
- Displaying or hiding form fields, e.g. domain registration periods or the NSentry option
- Settings for the form section Options
- Setting the TLD favorites. The TLD favorites are used for the autocomplete function of the domain entry fields and for the Multi Whois.
- 1. Log in as the user whose user interface you want to edit.
- 2. Click *User Configuration* in the menu group *User Management*.
- 3. Click *User Interface* in the main area.

Global Settings



Session Timeout	Enter the time span after which the session should be terminated if the user is inactive.
Date Format	Select the date format for all form fields in which dates are entered.
Currency Format	You select the currency format here which you want to be used in the user interface. Select the desired language.
Caching Strategy	A cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews and some forms. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.
	 Select: No Caching: if you do not want to use the cache Moderate Period: if you want the cache data to be refreshed regularly Longer Period: if you want the cache to be refreshed after a longer period When generally using the cache you can use the <i>Refresh</i> button to load data in individual cases from the database

Overview Settings

Overview Settings	
	Don't display Data automatically
	Always display Subuser Data
	Always select the first Entry of a list Overview automatically

Entry details:

Don't display Data automatically	Select this checkbox to load the overviews without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you often use the search function of the overview.
Always display Subuser Data	Select this checkbox to load the overviews automatically including the subuser data. Note, that this is not recommended, if you have lots of subusers, because it increases the loading time significantly.
Always select the first Entry of a list Overview automatically	Select this checkbox, if you want the first entry of an overview to be always selected automatically.

Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields

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	Show Domain Registration Period
	Display NSentry Option
Nameserver Fields:	5
	Hide "SOA Email"
	Hide "NS TTL"
	Hide "Allow AXFR for Network/IPs"
	Disable Domain Autocomplete
	Disable DNSSEC

Entry details:

Show Domain Registration Periods (Life Time)	Select the checkbox to display the item list <i>Registration Period</i> in the <i>Domain Register</i> form. With this item list you can select the registration period of the domains you want to register.
Display NSentry Option	Select the checkbox to display the option <i>NSentry</i> in the <i>Domain Register</i> form.
Nameserver Fields	Select the number of nameserver entry fields to be displayed in forms.
Hide "SOA Email"	Activate the checkbox to hide the SOA Email checkbox in forms.
Hide "NS TTL"	Activate the checkbox to hide the NS TTL checkbox in forms.
Hide "Allow AXFR for Network/IPs"	Activate the checkbox to hide the <i>Allow AXFR for Network/IPs</i> checkbox in forms. (AXFR= "Asynchronous Full Transfer Zone". This is a complete zone transfer between two nameservers).
Disable Domain Autocomplete	An autocomplete list displaying the top ten TLDs is shown by default when entering domain names in the <i>Domain Names</i> field in the forms <i>Register Domain</i> and <i>Update Domain</i> . You can disable this function here.
Disable DNSSEC	Activate the checkbox to hide the DNSSEC tab in the forms Domain Register and Domain Update .

Settings for the Form Section Options

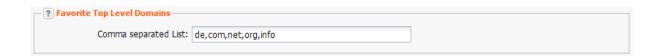


These settings concern the form section *Options* at the bottom of the request forms. Click the icon at the top of the *Options* form section to display it.

Entry details:

Confirmation Email Address	Enter an email address to which the confirmation mail for requests can be sent.
Send Confirmation Email	Activate the checkbox if a confirmation mail for requests should be sent.
Preview	Activate the checkbox if a preview has to be displayed for requests.

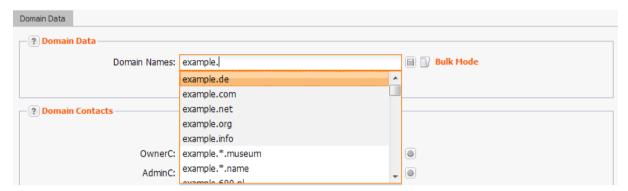
Favorite Top Level Domains



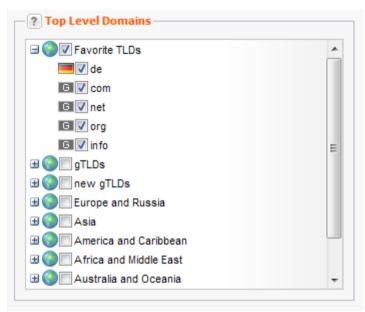
Domain autocomplete: The TLDs you define here will be listed at the top of the drop-down menu which is displayed when entering characters in domain name entry fields. You can easily select the desired domain in this drop-down menu.

NOTE

You can disable domain autocomplete in the <u>User Interface Settings</u>. See: "Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields" on page 45.



The defined TLDs also are used in the Multi Whois as Favorite TLDs list.



Entry details:

Comma separated List

Enter the desired TLDs here. Separate the TLDs with comma.

NOTE

This field accepts ASCII lower case letters, numbers and the characters "." and ",". Other characters are not allowed. Only valid TLDs can be entered.

Retaining Control over the Requests: the Request Options

The form section *Options* offers you several functions to retain control over your requests. You can find the form section *Options* at the bottom of most forms.

Options for all forms

With the *Client Transaction ID*, you create for a request, all system answers can be easily assigned to the request.

Further Options

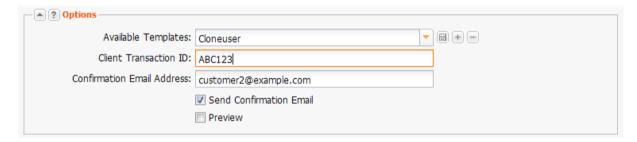
In some forms you can use form templates. In the list *Available Forms* you can select the desired form

With the *Execution Date*, you define the date on which the request is to be executed. This option is not offered for all tasks.

For each request you can get a *Confirmation Email* which informs you about the success of the request or the reasons for the failure, if that is the case.

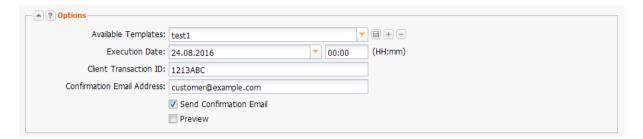
With the *Preview*, you can check your request before sending it.

Options



Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Client Transaction ID	Here you can define a identification number to identify the request clearly. This Client Transaction ID will be included in all server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address that you want the report to be sent to. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can define a default email address. You can overwrite this email address for each request if desired. <i>See: "Menu Editor"</i> .
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you generally want to use the preview, you can define this behavior in the presettings for the user interface. See: "Menu Editor".

Options



Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

5 Overviews, Statistics and Logs

5.1 OBJECT OVERVIEWS

The overviews offer functions for convenient use. All changes you make here are valid for the current session.

Use the button in the gray overview heading to safe the overview settings you have made permanently.

Select the menu entry Save Settings.

Following settings are saved:

- The number of objects per page
- The displayed columns
- The position of the columns

The sort sequence will not be saved.

Select **Reset Settings** to restore the default settings.

You can customize the overviews:

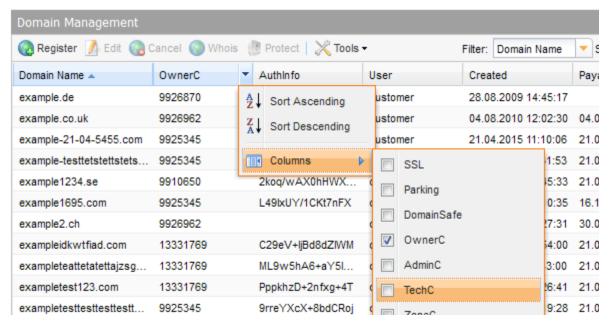
- Changing the sequence of the columns and showing or hiding columns
- Sorting the contents
- Applying filters

Changing the sequence of the columns and showing or hiding columns

Changing the sequence of the columns and showing or hiding columns

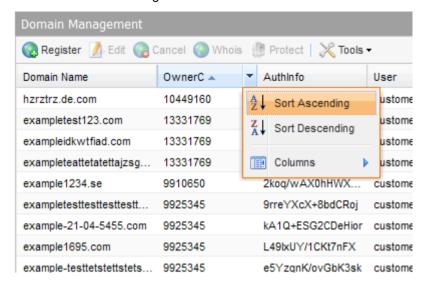
To change the position of a column, click the column header and drag it to the desired position.

To show and hide columns, click the arrow on the right in a column header. Select *Columns* in the menu. A menu opens offering all available columns. Select the columns you want to show, clear those you want to hide.



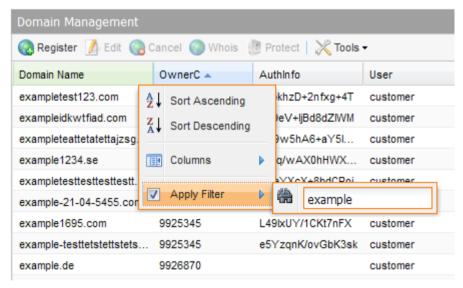
Sorting Contents

Click the arrow on the right in a column header and select the desired sort sequence.



Applying filters

Click the arrow on the right in a column header. A search field opens when moving the mouse over **Apply Filter.** Enter the desired string into the search field. Wait a moment. The **Apply Filter** checkbox will be selected automatically and the filter will be applied.



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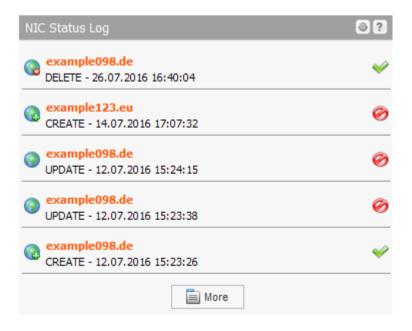
In columns which contain dates, you can select a date in the schedule and choose between the possibilities *Before*, *After* and *At*. Clear the checkbox to remove the filter.

5.2 LOGS

<u>Displaying the NIC Status for your last five Requests (NIC Status Log)</u>

You can access the *NIC Status Log* for the last five requests on the homepage of the domain management system.

The *NIC Status Log* informs you about the NIC processing status of your requests.

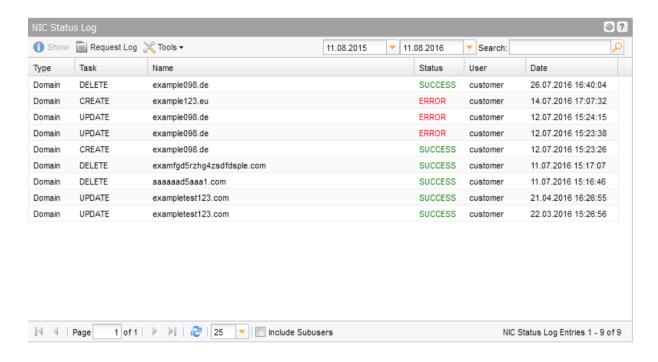


To see details and the complete **NIC Status Log**, click the **More** button or **NIC Status Log** in the **Tools** menu.

<u>Displaying the NIC Status for all your Requests (NIC Status Log)</u>

Click NIC Status Log in the menu group Tools.

The log entries of all NIC operations are displayed here.



The following details are displayed:

- Type: the object type, e.g. domain or contact
- Task: the action which was executed
- Name: the object name
- Status: the request status (Error or Success)
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Date: when the action was carried out

Searching entries:

- 1. Enter an arbitrary detail of a term you want to search for into the **Search** field.
- 2. Click lo have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to display all entries again.

To see details select the desired entry and click **Show**. In addition to the general data and system response, you can also see the detailed NIC response.

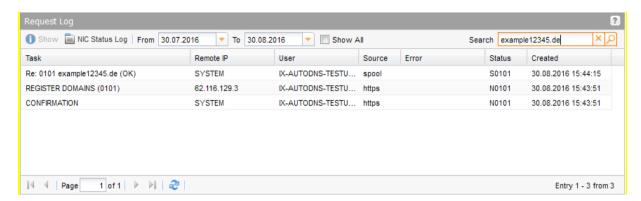
To see all requests for an object as well as the system response, select the object and click the **Request Log** button. See: "Request Log" on page 54.

Request Log

The *Request Log* contains the data of all requests which have been sent to the system as well as all system responses. You can display all requests for a special object or specify the timeframe shown.

1. Click Request Log in the menu group Tools.

The Request Log overview opens.



- 2. Enter the name of the object you want to see the log data for in the **Search** field. Please enter the complete object name. Wildcards are not supported here.
- 3. Enter the timeframe for which you want to see the data in the fields *From* and *Until*. Select the *Show All* check box to see all requests.
- 4. Press *Enter* to start the request or click the *Search* icon.

The following data will be displayed in the Request Log overview:

- Task: the task which was sent to the system along with the system responses. The subject of system emails can also be displayed here, e.g. "confirmation"
- Remote IP: the IP the request was sent from. For system answers the entry **SYSTEM** is shown
- User: the owner of the object
- Source: the gateway via which the request was sent. For requests which are not processed in real time, spool entries are also listed.
- Error: any errors which occurred
- Status: the request status
- Created: when the request was sent

Select the desired request and click the **Show** icon to see the request details.

Click the *NIC Status Log* button to switch to the *NIC Status Log*. To only see the entries for a desired object, first select the corresponding entry in the *Request Log*.

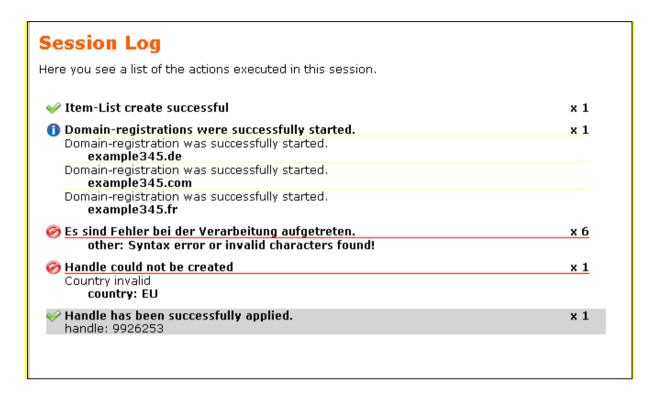
See: "Displaying the NIC Status for all your Requests (NIC Status Log)" on page 53.

Session Log

In the **Session Log** you can see all the requests which have been executed in the current session.

1. Click **Session Log** in the menu group **Tools.**

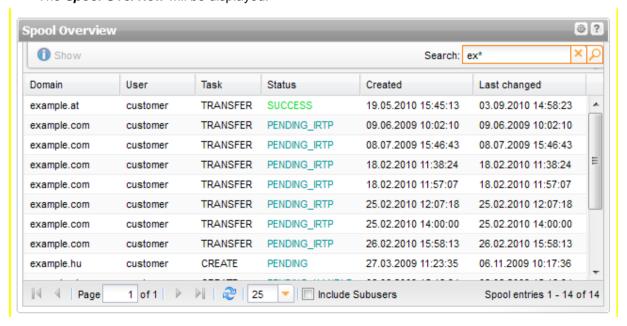
The **Session Log** will be displayed in the main area.



Spool Overview

You can see all current requests which have not yet been executed by the system yet in the **Spool Overview** area.

Click Spool Overview in the menu group Tools
 The Spool Overview will be displayed.



The following information will be displayed:

- Domain: the domain the request is related to
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Type: the task type
- Created: when the request was sent
- Last changed: when the request was changed last

Select the desired entry and click **Show** to see the details.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click Lot to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click 🔀 to have all entries displayed again.

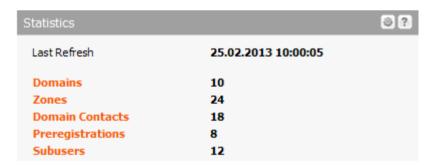
5.3 STATISTICS AND GRAPHS

Obtaining Object Statistics

The *Statistics* widget on the *Home* page informs you about the number of the objects in your possession. They are displayed in the main area of the homepage in the domain management system.

The quantity of following object types are listed:

- Domains
- Zones
- Contacts
- Preregistrations
- Subusers

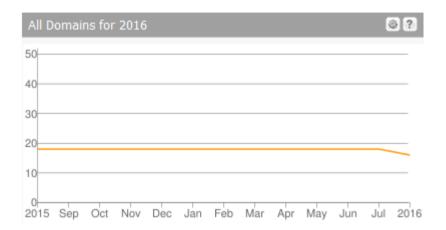


Configuring Widgets

Click the local icon to add or remove widgets. If available, click **Settings** to customize the widget. You can move all widgets using drag & drop and arrange them according to your preference.

Number of your Domains

With this widget you can visualize domain registrations for either all TLDs or for defined TLDs the last month or the last year. You can add several charts displaying different data at the same time. The widget is a great tool to watch the success of promotions for specific TLDs.



- Click the loop icon in the toolbar of any widget.
- 2. Click Add Widget in the menu and select [+] Domain Registration Chart in the submenu.
- 3. Another **Domain Registration Chart** widget will be displayed.

Specify the time span and the TLDs to be displayed in the chart.

- Click the icon of this widget.
- 5. Click **Settings** in the menu.



Settings:

- Click the drop-down menu in the Show Statistic for list and select if the data for the last month
 or the last year is to be displayed.
- Select if All TLDs or Custom TLDs are to be displayed.
- If you have selected Custom TLDs in the Custom TLD List entry field, enter the desired TLDs separated with comma and without space.

Configuring Widgets

Click the local icon to add or remove widgets. If available, click **Settings** to customize the widget. You can move all widgets using drag & drop and arrange them according to your preference.

5.4 THE DISTRIBUTION MAP OF YOUR DOMAINS

The **Domain Distribution Map** widget on the **Home** page visualizes the geographical distribution of your registered ccTLD domains for the last month or the last year. You also can vary the region to be displayed. It is possible to add several maps, displaying different data.

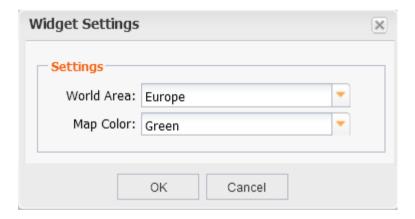


Displaying the Widget:

- Click the licon in the toolbar of any widget.
- 2. Click Add Widget in the menu and select in the submenu [+] Domain Distribution Map.
- 3. The **Domain Distribution** widget will be displayed.

Specifying the region, the map color and the desired TLDs to be displayed in the map:

- 1. Click the icon in this widget.
- 2. Click Settings in the menu.



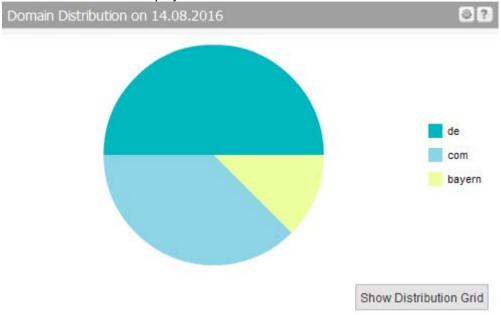
- 3. Select the region you want to be displayed in the World Area list.
- 4. Select the desired color for the map in the *Map Color* list. The saturation of the color will increase proportionally to the occurrence of the TLD.

Displaying the Distribution Pie of your Domains

The **Domain Distribution Pie** widget on the Home page visualizes your registered domains for the current data.

You can switch between two views:

- Pie Chart: displays the domain distribution as pie chart
- Distribution Grid: displays the domain distribution as a table.



Click the button **Show Distribution Grid** or **Show Pie Chart** in the lower right corner to switch to the other view

Displaying the Widget:

- 1. Click the settings icon in the toolbar of any widget.
- 2. Click Add Widget In the menu and in the submenu select [+] Domain Distribution Pie.
- 3. The *Domain Distribution Pie* widget will be displayed.

Configuring Widgets

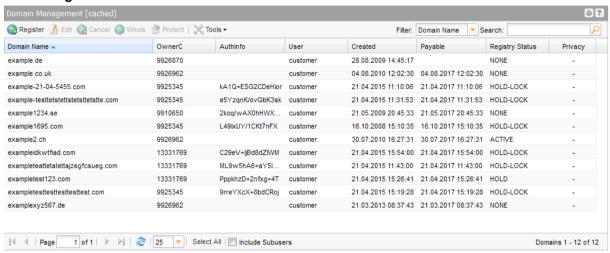
Click the local icon to add or remove widgets. If available, click **Settings** to customize the widget. You can move all widgets using drag & drop and arrange them according to your preference.

6 Domain Management

6.1 DOMAIN MANAGEMENT

The **Domain Management** area is the starting point for working with your domain management system. All domain tasks can be carried out from here.

 Click Domain Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts to see the area Domain Management.

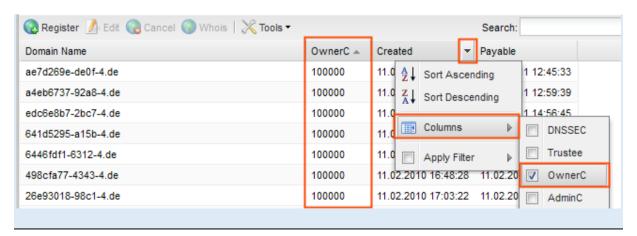


The following details are displayed in the overview:

- Domain Name: the name of the registered domain
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Created: the date the domain was registered
- Payable: the billing date
- Registry Status: the status of the domain at the registry
- Registrar Status: For gTLDs and new gTLDs the domain status at the registrar is displayed here. For ccTLDs there is no registrar status (Value = NONE).
- NodeSecure (has to be displayed additionally): Domains for which the NodeSecure service is activate

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



NOTE

If you have configured a domain parking account, the column *Parking* will additionally be displayed by default. Additional columns can be displayed for domain contacts, DNSSEC, DomainSafe, the Whois Privacy Service and additional information.

The possible values for AutoRenew are:

- Yes: expiring domains are renewed automatically
- No: expiring domains will be deleted automatically, if they are not renewed manually before expire date.

Use the toolbar to create, edit and cancel domain registrations and start a Whois request. Please note, that you cannot select more than ten domains for the Whois request here.

The following tasks can be started in the Tools menu:

- Domain Restore Management
- Apply for AuthInfo2
- Owner Change
- Change Object Owner
- Update Status
- Renew
- Editing Zone
- Editing Redirect
- DNSSEC Key Rollover
- Bulk Update
- Domain Update Wizard
- External Domains
- Contact Verification
- Trademark Claims Notices
- NIC Status Log
- Request Log
- Domains as .CSV File

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- Click to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

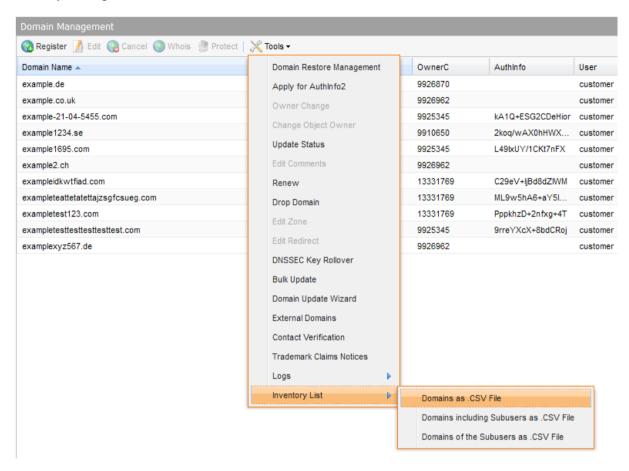
You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

<u>Creating a List (.CSV) of all registered Domains in your account</u>

You can create domain lists as .CSV files here. Alternatively, you can display an overview of your registered domains

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- Click Tools in the toolbar and selectInventory List.
- 3. Select whether you want to create a list including or excluding subusers or if you want to obtain only the registrations of the subusers.



The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

6.2 REGISTERING DOMAINS AND EDITING DOMAIN REGISTRATIONS

Registering new Domains

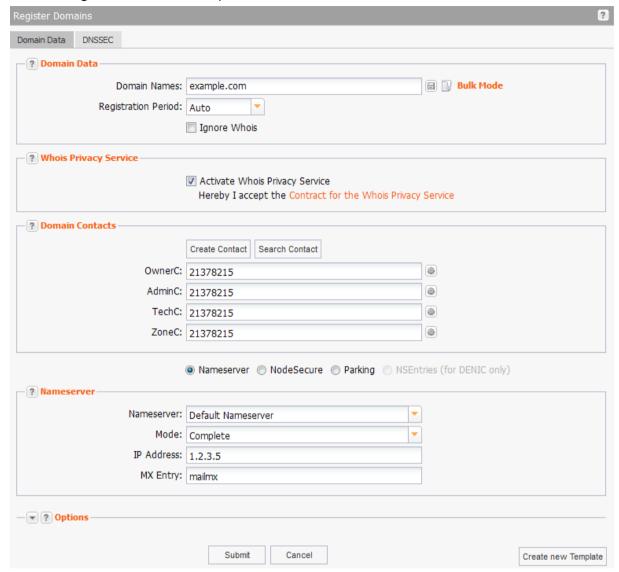
Initiate a single or bulk domain registration. Domain Contacts can be created within this process if needed.

1. Click **Register Domain** in the menu **Domains & Contacts.**

Or:

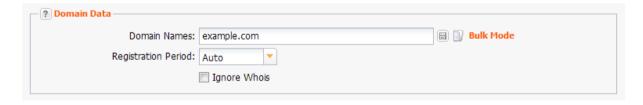
- 1. Click Domain Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- Click Register in the toolbar of the area Domain Management.

The *Register Domains* form opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data



Enter the details of the domains you want to register here.

NOTE

For some TLDs you have to accept the registration terms. A respective checkbox and a link to the registration terms will be displayed.

Entry details:

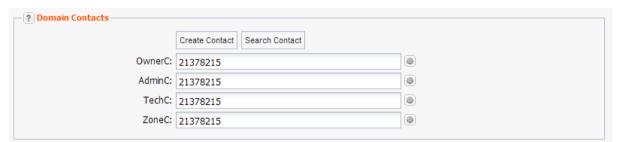
Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Registration Period	You can select the registration period here. Select <i>Auto</i> to register the domain for the minimum registration period, which depends on the TLD. The <i>Registration Period</i> item list will only be displayed if this is set in the <i>User Configuration</i> . If the item list is not displayed, the <i>Auto</i> setting will be used.
Status	Select the desired registry status in the list: LOCK: the domain is protected against transfer HOLD: the domain is registered but not connected (Example: resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay) HOLD-LOCK: the domain is registered but not connected; it is also protected against transfer. (Example: Resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay) ACTIVE: the domain will be unlocked AUTO-LOCK: after the domain action (Create/Transfer), the domain is automatically locked against transfer. Not all registries support this feature.
	NOTE This form field will only be displayed for some TLDs. For a bulk request the Status field will only be displayed, if all TLDs support the status.
Ignore Whois	Activate the checkbox to skip the domain availability check.

Whois Privacy Service



Activate the checkbox to use Whois Privacy Service for the domain. Using Whois Privacy Service your contact data will not appear in the public Whois.

Domain Contacts



You can enter your domain contacts here. Domain contacts are persons or organizations who are responsible for the administration of the domain. Each contact has a unique identifier, assigned by the system.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field,
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Entry details:

I would like to make use of the trustee service for the domain registration / transfer. (See price list for price)	For some TLDs we offer a trustee service. Enable the check box to use the trustee service. See price list for price.
OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

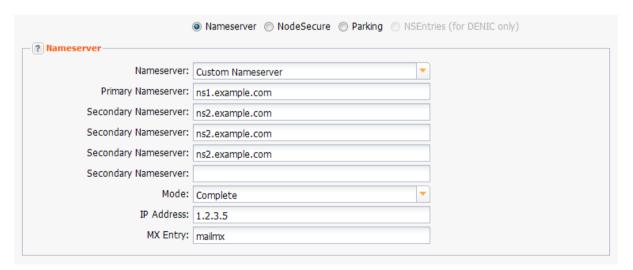
The following actions can be started in the *Domain Contacts* form section:

- Click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts. See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- Click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts. See Creating Domain Contacts.
- Click the licon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

Select your nameservers here. If you have configured default nameservers in the **User Profile**, you can select **Default Nameserver** in the list. For details about configuring default nameservers: See: "Domain Settings" on page 37.

Custom Nameserver



You can enter hostname and IP address of your nameservers here. Select the *Nameserver Type* in the form section *Domain Data* before. Click the question mark next to the section label to get detailed information about the nameserver type.

Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. Glue Record IPv4: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 Glue Record IPv6: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management, menu item User Configuration, area User Interface).
Mode	Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone. ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

NOTE

The **Parking** option will only be displayed if a parking provider account is configured. See: "Storing Domain Parking Account Data" on page 139. Click it if you want to park a domain. Then the form section **Parking** will be displayed.

The option **NSentries** (for **DENIC** only) will only be displayed, if it is activated in the user configuration. See: "Editing the User Interface Settings" on page 44. Click it if you want to configure NSentries instead of nameservers for a .de domain.

For .de domains you can alternatively configure NSentries. To configure NSentries for .de domains, see: "NSentry" on page 83.

TIP

Add your frequently used nameservers to your favorites and user profile. The number of displayed form fields can be configured in the user interface menu.

Default Nameserver

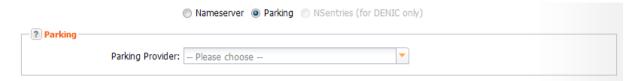
The entry *Default Nameserver* is displayed only when you have configured default nameservers in the *User Profile*. See: "Domain Settings" on page 37. The default nameservers will be automatically filled in the respective form fields when a form with nameserver form fields is opened.



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Mode	 Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.
	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

Parking

Select the *Parking* option below the *Domain Contact* section, if you want to park the domain at a parking provider. You can select the desired parking provider now.



A new form section concerning the parking provider will be displayed below. See: "Domain Parking" on page 136.

NSentry

NSentries can only be configured for .de domains. Click the *NSentry* option to configure NSentries instead of nameservers.



NOTE

In the user settings for the user interface the checkbox Display NSentry Option has to be activated.

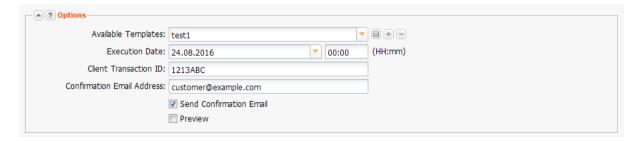
Entry details:

NSentry 1-5

Only available for .de. If nameservers are used, these fields will be ignored. You can create the NSentries like this: my.domain.de IN A 192.0.2.0. These records will be published directly on the DENIC root nameservers.

For further examples go to the **Denic** website.

Options



Entry details:

Available Templates

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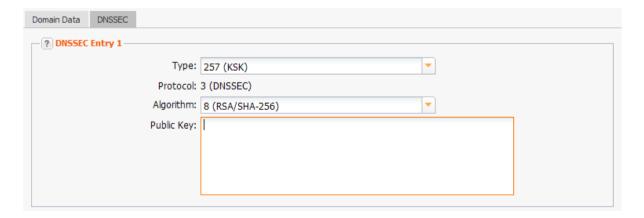
	name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

DNSSEC Entry

Click the tab DNSSEC to specify the DNSSEC entries.

NOTE

Please take in mind that you have to use NodeSecure, our anycast nameserver service, if you want to use DNSSEC.



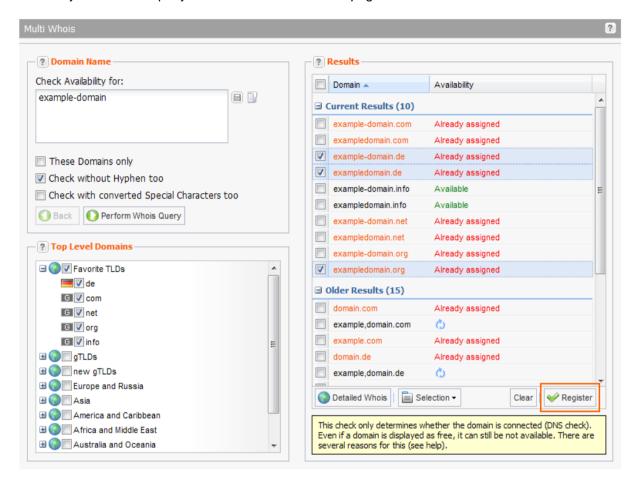
Туре	Select the desired type here. You can choose between 257 (KSK) and 256 (ZSK).
	230 (23K).

	NOTE Please normally enter only one KSK or for a KSK rollover two, the old one and the new one. If you want to carry out a ZSK rollover, you have to run a domain update in the domain management system, too. Thereby you have to send all ZSKs and KSKs again to the registry. We disadvise this method because it often causes errors.
Algorithm	Select the favored algorithm. You can choose between:
	1=RSA/MD5 2=Diffie Hellman 3=DSA/SHA-1 4=Elliptische Kurven 5=RSA/SHA-1 7=RSASHA1-NSEC3-SHA1 8=RSA/SHA-256 10=RSA/SHA-512 12=GOST R 34.10-2001 13=ECDSAP256SHA256 14=ECDSAP384SHA384
Public Key	Enter the public key here. Enter the public key here. If the field remains empty, a set key, if existing, will be deleted at the registry.

<u>Using the Result of an Whois Query for smart Domain</u> <u>Registration</u>

You can use the results of a Whois query to register domains.

1. Carry out a Whois guery first. See: "Multi Whois" on page 304.



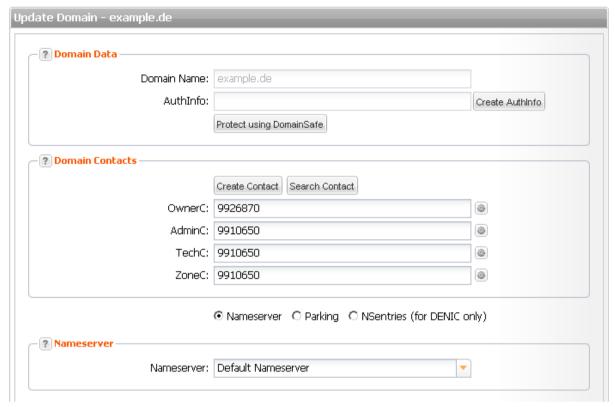
- Select the domains you want to register in the list of results. To select all available domains in the Selection list, click the entry Select all free domains.
- 3. Click Register. The Register Domains form opens. See: "Registering new Domains" on page 62.

Editing a Domain

Updating domain contacts or nameservers for a domain. If applicable, you can generate or view an AuthInfo that is needed for a domain transfer.

- Click *Domain Management* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*. Select the domain you want to edit in the *Domain Management* overview. Press *CtrI* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- 2. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The *Update Domain* form opens.



3. Edit the data.

Form section details:

Domain Data

You can change the data of the selected domain here and use some functions.



NOTE

The displayed form fields and buttons depend on the TLD of the selected domain.

On request, we can activate the comment function for invoices and .CSV files for your account. Please contact our support (domain-support@internetx.com).

Entry details:

Status

Select the desired registry status in the list:

- LOCK: the domain is protected against transfer
- HOLD: the domain is registered but not connected (Example: resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay)
- HOLD-LOCK: the domain is registered but not connected; it is also protected against transfer. (Example: Resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay)

- ACTIVE: the domain will be unlocked
- AUTO-LOCK: after the domain action (Create/Transfer), the domain is automatically locked against transfer. Not all registries support this feature.

NOTE

This form field will only be displayed for some TLDs. For a bulk request the *Status* field will only be displayed, if all TLDs support the status.

Click the *Change Status* button to change the domain status. See: "Changing the Domain Status" on page 86.

AuthInfo

This field is displayed for some TLDs only.

For .de domains you can create an AuthInfo here. To create one, click the *Create AuthInfo* button.

To delete an existing AuthInfo, click the **Delete AuthInfo** button.

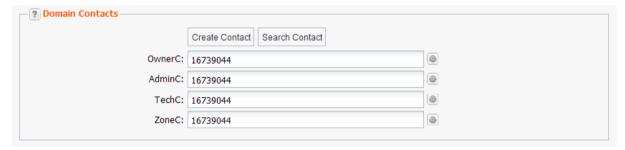
Send AuthInfo to OwnerC

Click this button to create an AuthInfo and send it to the domain owner (OwnerC). An AuthInfo is required for a domain transfer.

Protect using DomainSafe

If you have activated the DomainSafe function this button is displayed. Click the button to add the domain to your DomainSafe to protect it against unauthorized access and transfer.

Domain Contacts



You can edit your domain contacts here.

NOTE

Please note that some TLDs do not allow bulk owner change or it is associated with costs. If your owner change contains such TLDs, the following hint will be displayed.

Owner Change

For the TLDs which bring an owner change to account, the *OwnerC* field is not active and the *Owner Change* button is displayed.

To carry out an owner change, click the *Owner Change* button. For all the other TLDs, the OwnerC can be updated here.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

Entry details:

OwnerC	To edit the owner, enter the contact ID of the owner here. For exceptions please see the hint above.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field,
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the less icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

You can change your nameservers here. You can choose between *Default Nameservers* and *Custom Nameservers*. The entry *Keep Nameservers* is used, if nameservers should not be changed. Should an update of multiple domains change a value other than the nameserver, leave the setting *Keep Nameserver*.



Custom Nameserver



Entry details:

Primary Nameserver

Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.

Example: ns1.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.

Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

Glue Record IPv4:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4

Glue Record IPv6:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4

Secondary Nameserver

Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section *Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,* menu item *User Configuration,* area *User Interface).*

NOTE

The *Parking* option only will be displayed if a parking provider account is configured. *See: "Storing Domain Parking Account Data"* on page 139. Click it if you want to park a domain. Then the form section *Parking* will be displayed.

The option **NSentries** (for **DENIC** only) will only be displayed if it is activated in the user configuration. Click it if you want to configure NSentries instead of nameservers for a .de domain.

For .de domains you can alternatively configure NSentries. See See: "NSentry" on page 83.

TIP

Add your frequently used nameservers to your favorites and user profile. The number of displayed form fields can be configured in the user interface menu.

Default Nameserver

The entry *Default Nameserver* is displayed only when you have configured default nameservers in the *User Profile*. See: "Domain Settings" on page 37. The default nameservers will be automatically filled in the respective form fields when a form with nameserver form fields is opened.



Entry details:

Mode

Select a nameserver mode:

- Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers.
- Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver.
- Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR.
- Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver.
 Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.

ATTENTION

You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.

IP Address

Enter the IP address of your domain zone here.

	For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

NodeSecure



Details zu den Formularfeldern:

IP Address	IP address oft he webserver
MX Entry	Hostname of the mailserver
Enable DNSSEC	Activate the checkbox to use DNSSEC. This checkbox is only displayed for TLDs which support DNSSEC.

Parking

Select the *Parking* option below the *Domain Contact* section, if you want to park the domain at a parking provider. You can select the desired parking provider now.



A new form section concerning the parking provider will be displayed below. See: "Domain Parking" on page 136.

NSentry

NSentries can only be configured for .de domains. Click the **NSentry** option to configure NSentries instead of nameservers.



NOTE

In the user settings for the user interface the checkbox *Display NSentry Option* has to be activated.

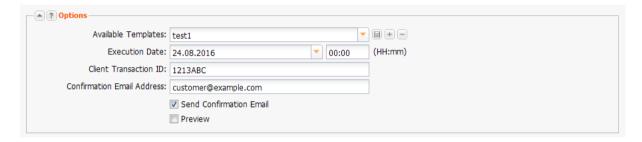
Entry details:

NSentry 1-5

Only available for .de. If nameservers are used, these fields will be ignored. You can create the NSentries like this: my.domain.de IN A 192.0.2.0. These records will be published directly on the DENIC root nameservers.

For further examples go to the **Denic** website.

Options



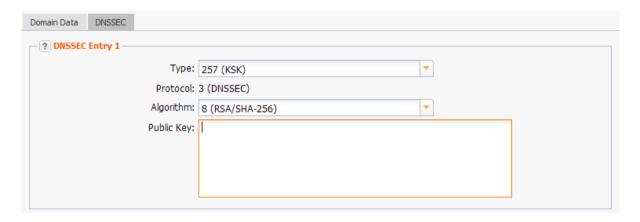
Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

DNSSEC Entry

Click the tab DNSSEC to specify the DNSSEC entries.

NOTE

Please take in mind that you have to use NodeSecure, our anycast nameserver service, if you want to use DNSSEC.



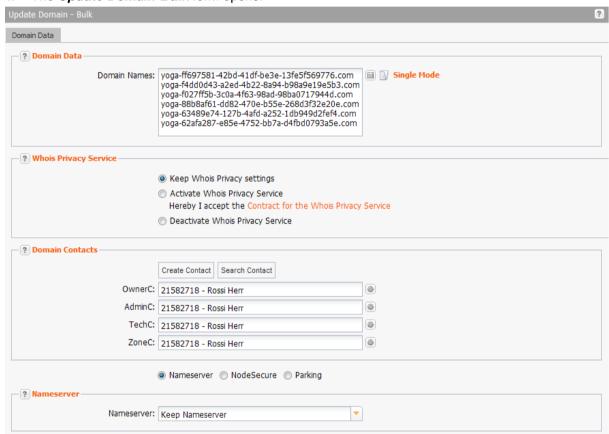
Туре	Select the desired type here. You can choose between 257 (KSK) and 256 (ZSK).
	NOTE Please normally enter only one KSK or for a KSK rollover two, the old one and the new one. If you want to carry out a ZSK rollover, you have to run a domain update in the domain management system, too. Thereby you have to send all ZSKs and KSKs again to the registry. We disadvise this method because it often causes errors.
Algorithm	Select the favored algorithm. You can choose between: 1=RSA/MD5 2=Diffie Hellman 3=DSA/SHA-1 4=Elliptische Kurven 5=RSA/SHA-1 7=RSASHA1-NSEC3-SHA1 8=RSA/SHA-256 10=RSA/SHA-512 12=GOST R 34.10-2001 13=ECDSAP256SHA256 14=ECDSAP384SHA384
Public Key	Enter the public key here. Enter the public key here. If the field remains empty, a set key, if existing, will be deleted at the registry.

Editing Domains (Bulk Request)

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- Select the domains you want to edit in the *Domain Management* overview. Press *Ctrl* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- 3. Click Edit in the toolbar.

Or:

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Click Edit in the toolbar.
- 3. Enter the domains in the **Domain Name** field or click the \square to load an existing domain list.
- 4. The *Update Domain-Bulk* form opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data



You can enter the domains you want to edit here. For a bulk request press *Enter* to separate the entries. Click to load an existing domain list.

Domain Contacts



You can edit your domain contacts here.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues

NOTE

Bulk Owner Change

Please note that some TLDs do not allow bulk owner change or it is associated with additional costs.

If your bulk request contains such TLDs, the following hint will be displayed. (Examples for .eu)

Bulk owner change is not allowed for .EU domains. How do you want to continue?

Do not update OwnerC for these domains.

Exclude these domains from processing.

Select **Do not update OwnerC for these domains** to carry out all other data updates for the domains of these TLDs.

Select *Exclude these domains from processing* if you do not want to change any data for these domains. The data for the domains of the other TLDs will be updated.

If your bulk request only contains domains which do not allow bulk, the following hint will be displayed:

For .EU-domains a bulk owner change is not possible, therefore the owner will not be changed for these domains. Use single tasks instead.

You can still submit the request, but the owner change will not be carried out. You have to send a single owner change request for each domain.

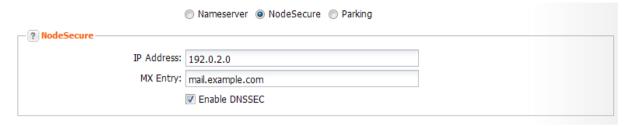
Entry details:

OwnerC	To change the owner enter the contact ID if the owner here. For exceptions please see the note above.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
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ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field.
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
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- click the icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

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Details zu den Formularfeldern:

IP Address	IP address oft he webserver
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Enable DNSSEC	Activate the checkbox to use DNSSEC. This checkbox is only displayed for TLDs which support DNSSEC.

Nameserver

You can change your nameservers here. You can choose between *Default Nameservers* and *Custom Nameservers*. The entry *Keep Nameservers* is used, if nameservers should not be changed. Should an update of multiple domains change a value other than the nameserver, leave the setting *Keep Nameserver*.



Custom Nameserver



Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.
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Glue Record IPv6: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4 Secondary Nameserver Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management, menu item User Configuration, area User Interface).

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Entry details:

Mode

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IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

NSentry

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NOTE

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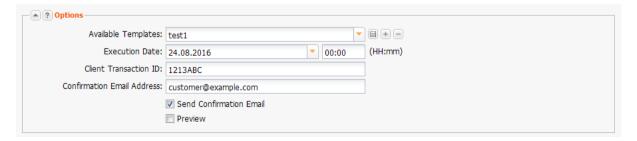
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For further examples go to the **Denic** website.

Options



Entry details:

Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
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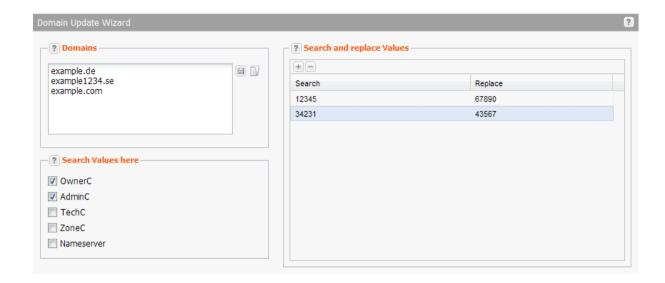
Using the Domain Update Wizard

With the *Domain Update Wizard*, you can change specific domain data in a targeted bulk request. You can select the domains, specify the data to be found and replace them by specific values.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Select the domains you want to edit in the **Domain Management** overview. Press **Ctrl** for multi select. (For Mac users **cmd**)
- 3. Click Tools in the toolbar and select the Domain Update Wizard.

The selected domains are listed in the *Domains* section. You can also click to select a specified domain list or to select all domains.

You can then select the domain contacts or nameserver values to be changed in the **Search Values** here section. Finally in the **Search and replace Values** section, you can enter the values to be found and replaced.

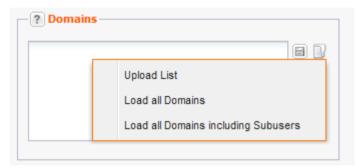


Form section details

Domains

You can enter the domains to be updated here. Press *Enter* to separate the entries for a bulk request.

Or click the icon and select an option.



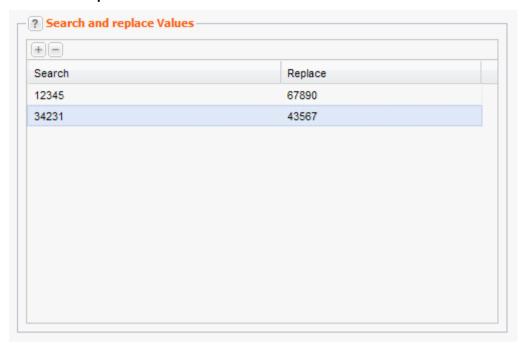
- Select Load List to load an existing domain list.
- Select **Load all Domains** to load all domains.
- Select Load all Domains including Subusers to load the domains of the subusers too. This
 option is not offered for the system owner, because there could be too much data to load.

Search Values here



You can select which domain contact values you want to update or if nameserver values are changed. Select the desired checkboxes..

Search and replace Values



You can define the values which replace existing values.

- 1. Click + to add a new entry.
- Double-click the entry field to activate it and enter the desired values which you want to find and replace. For domain contacts enter the domain contact IDs, which you can see in the *Contact Management* overview.

Changing the Domain Status

The domain status affects its protection against transfer and its delegation. Changing the status here means to change it in the public Whois database. This function is only supported by certain TLDs.

The following statuses are available:

- Lock: the domain is protected against transfer
- Hold: the domain is registered but not connected (Example: resellers can set this status e.g.
 if a client does not pay)
- Hold-Lock: the domain is registered but not connected; it is also protected against transfer.
 (Example: Resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay)
- Active: Domain will be unlocked

There are two methods to change the status.

Method 1: Changing the Status of one or several Domains (Bulk)

- 1. Click Domain Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- Select the domains you want to change the status for. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select the **Update Status**.
 - The form *Update Status* will be displayed.
- Choose the status you want in the *Status* item list.
 If one or several TLDs do not support this function a note is displayed.

Method 2: Changing the Status of one Domain

- 1. Click Domain Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the domain you want to change the status for.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.
 - The *Update Domain* form opens.
- 4. Click the *Change Status* button next to the *Status* form field in the *Domain Data* section.
 - The Change Status form opens.
- 5. Select the domain status you want.



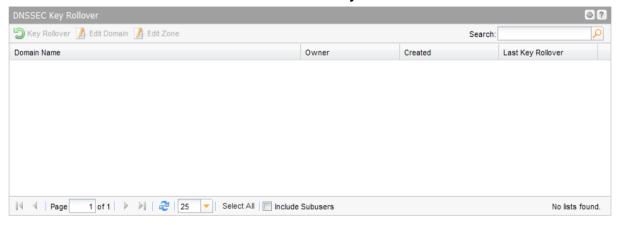
If the domain selection includes TLDs which do not allow a status update, a warning will be displayed.



DNSSEC Key Rollover

In the area *DNSSEC Key Rollover* you can carry out the Key Rollover for your DNSSEC signed files. The overview lists all DNSSEC signed NodeSecure Domains.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar and select the DNSSEC Key Rollover.



NOTE

The key rollover can only be done once a month.

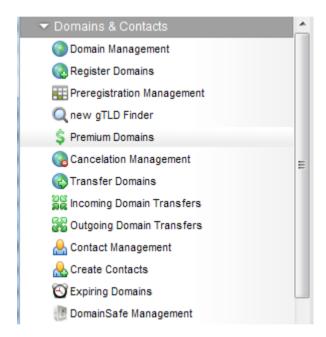
The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: name of the domain
- Owner: The owner, the object belongs to.
- Created: Date of the DNSSEC signing
- Last Key Rollover: date of the last Key Rollover for this domain

Carrying out a key rollover

- Select the desired domain
- Click the Key Rollover button.

6.3 PREMIUM DOMAINS



On the page *Premium Domains* you will find an overview of *All Premium Domains* and one of *All Premium TLDs*.

All Premium Domains

You can see all Premium Domains that are being offered here.

All Premium TLDs

This overview shows all Premium TLDs and their respective availability.

In the area *Current Recommendations for Premium TLDs* we have gathered a list of suggestions for you.

In the area *Overview of all Premium TLDs* you can see all Premium TLDs in a tag cloud. Click the desired TLD to see the list of the relating Premium Domains.

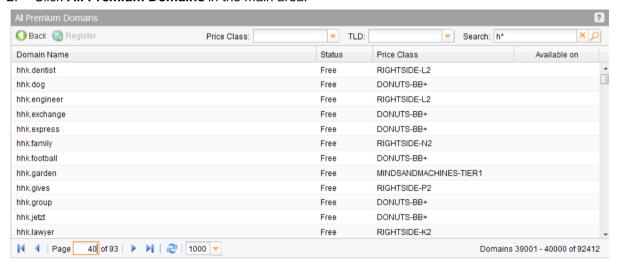
Overview of all Premium TLDs

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All Premium Domains

The page All Premium Domains lists all Premium Domains that are offered for the Premium TLDs.

- Click Premium Domains in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- Click All Premium Domains in the main area.



The following details are displayed per default in the overview:

- Domain Name: the name of the registered domain.
- Price Class: the price class is shown here. See its respective price in the new gTLD price list.
- Available on: possible entries are "Available" or the start date of availability. No entry means that the start date of availability is not yet known.

Displaying the Premium Domains of one TLD only

- In the right upper area there is the drop-down-list *TLD*. Please select the desired TLD here. Only the Premium Domains of this TLD are listed now.
- To register a domain select it and click the button *Register*. The domain registration form opens. The button is inactive for domains that are not yet live.
- 3. To return to the **Overview of all Premium TLD**s click **Back**.

Displaying only Premium Domains which contain a certain word

- 1. Enter the desired word in the search box in the upper right area of the toolbar. Use "*" if you want to search domain names containing the entered word.
- 2. Click the search icon lost to start the search. Now the domains containing the entered word are listed.
- 3. To register a domain select it and click the button *Register*. The register domain form opens. The button is inactive for domains that are not yet live.
- 4. To return to the **Overview of all Premium TLD**s click **Back**.

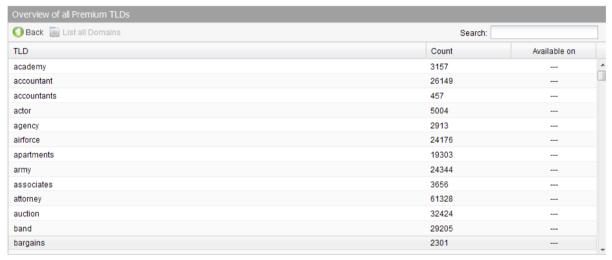
NOTE

If you have configured a domain parking account, the column **Parking** will additionally be displayed by default. Additional columns can be displayed for domain contacts, DNSSEC, DomainSafe, the Whois Privacy Service and additional information.

Overview of all Premium TLDs

The page Overview of all Premium TLDs lists all Premium TLDs.

- Click Premium Domains in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- Click All Premium TLDs in the main area.



The following details are displayed per default in the overview:

- TLD: the name of the TLD
- Count: number of Premium Domains for this TLD
- Available on: possible entries are "Available" or the start date of availability. No entry means that the start date of availability is not yet known.

Displaying only Premium Domains of a certain TLD

- Select the desired TLD and click List all Domains in the toolbar. The system switches to the overview All Premium Domains.
- 2. To register a domain select it and click the button *Register*. The domain registration form opens. See: "Registering Premium Domains" on page 91.
- 3. To return to the **Overview of all Premium TLD**s click **Back**.

Displaying only certain TLDs

1. Enter a part of the desired TLD in the search field in the upper right part of the toolbar. Only the TLDs containing this string will be displayed.

NOTE

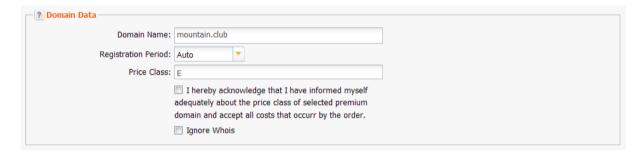
If you have configured a domain parking account, the column *Parking* will additionally be displayed by default. Additional columns can be displayed for domain contacts, DNSSEC, DomainSafe, the Whois Privacy Service and additional information.

Registering Premium Domains

- 1. Click Premium Domains in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click All Premium Domains in the main area.
- 3. Select the desired domain.
- 4. Click the *Register* button. When the TLD is not yet available the *Register* button is not active. The *Register Domains* form opens.

Form section details:

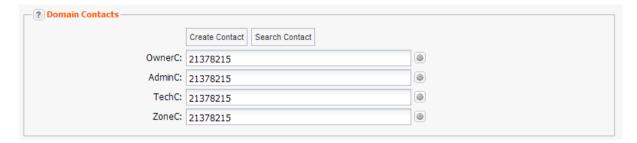
Domain Data



Enter the details of the domains you want to register here.

Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Price Class	Price class is displayed here. View the new gTLD price list for the current price details.
I hereby confirm to accept all costs that occur by ordering the premium domain.	To order the domain you have to activate the checkbox.
Ignore Whois	Activate the checkbox to skip the domain availability check.

Domain Contacts



You can enter your domain contacts here. Domain contacts are persons or organizations who are responsible for the administration of the domain. Each contact has a unique identifier, assigned by the system.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field.
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the led icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts " on page 208.

Entry details:

I would like to make use of the trustee service for the domain registration / transfer. (See price list for price)	For some TLDs we offer a trustee service. Enable the check box to use the trustee service. See price list for price.
OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

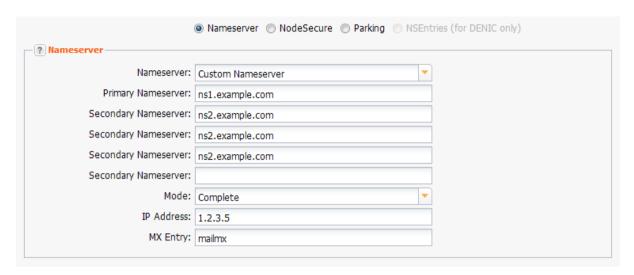
The following actions can be started in the *Domain Contacts* form section:

- Click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts. See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- Click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts. See Creating Domain Contacts.
- Click the licon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

Select your nameservers here. If you have configured default nameservers in the **User Profile**, you can select **Default Nameserver** in the list. For details about configuring default nameservers: See: "Domain Settings" on page 37.

Custom Nameserver



You can enter hostname and IP address of your nameservers here. Select the *Nameserver Type* in the form section *Domain Data* before. Click the question mark next to the section label to get detailed information about the nameserver type.

Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.
,	Example: ns1.example.com.
	To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.
	Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com
	192.0.2.0.
	Glue Record IPv4:
	Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address
	Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4
	Glue Record IPv6:
	Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address
	Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here.
	Example: ns2.example.com.
	To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.
	See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row.
	The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be
	configured in the form section <i>Display of Domain and Zone Form</i> Fields (Menu User Management, menu item User Configuration, area
	User Interface).
Mode	Select a nameserver mode:
	 Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver.

	 Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.
	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

NOTE

The **Parking** option will only be displayed if a parking provider account is configured. See: "Storing Domain Parking Account Data" on page 139. Click it if you want to park a domain. Then the form section **Parking** will be displayed.

The option **NSentries** (for **DENIC** only) will only be displayed, if it is activated in the user configuration. See: "Editing the User Interface Settings" on page 44. Click it if you want to configure NSentries instead of nameservers for a .de domain.

For .de domains you can alternatively configure NSentries. To configure NSentries for .de domains, see: "NSentry" on page 83.

TIP

Add your frequently used nameservers to your favorites and user profile. The number of displayed form fields can be configured in the user interface menu.

Default Nameserver

The entry *Default Nameserver* is displayed only when you have configured default nameservers in the *User Profile*. See: "Domain Settings" on page 37. The default nameservers will be automatically filled in the respective form fields when a form with nameserver form fields is opened.



Entry details:

Mode	 Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.
	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

6.4 DOMAIN TRANSFER

Transferring a domain means moving the domain from one registrar (= losing registrar) to another (= gaining registrar.) For the losing registrar this is a transfer-out, for the gaining registrar it is a transferin. The transfers you start in this form are transfer-ins.

The following transfer tasks can be carried out:

- You can get an overview of your incoming transfers. See: "Displaying incoming Transfers" on page 95.
- You can start a transfer. See: "Starting a Domain Transfer " on page 97.
- You can start a bulk transfer. See: "Starting a Bulk Domain Transfer " on page 103.
- You can get an overview of your outgoing transfers. See: "Displaying outgoing Transfers" on page 110.
- You can answer requests for outgoing transfers. See: "Answering a Request for Transfer-Out (ACK/NACK)" on page 112.
- You can display the AuthInfo of a domain. See: "Displaying the AuthInfo" on page 112.
- You can create an AuthInfo for a .de domain. See: "Creating an AuthInfo for a .de Domain" on page 113.
- You can delete an AuthInfo. See: "Deleting an AuthInfo" on page 113.

Displaying incoming Transfers

All current incoming transfers are displayed in the *Incoming Domain Transfers* overview.

1. Click Incoming Domain Transfers in the menu group Domains & Contacts.

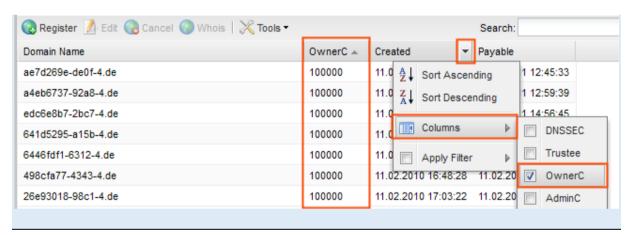


The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: the name of the domain to be transferred
- User: the user the transfer object belongs to
- Status: the status of the domain
- Created: when the transfer request was created
- Execution Date: the date the transfer will be executed

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



The following actions can be carried out with the buttons in the toolbar:

- Click the *Transfer Domain* button to create a new incoming transfer. See: "Starting a Domain Transfer " on page 97.
- Select a domain and click Whois to get the Whois data. Please note, that you cannot select more than ten domains for the Whois request here.
- Use the domain search to find the desired domain easily. See: "The Domain Search" on page 24.
- Click Resend Approver Mail to send the FOA1 Mail once more.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

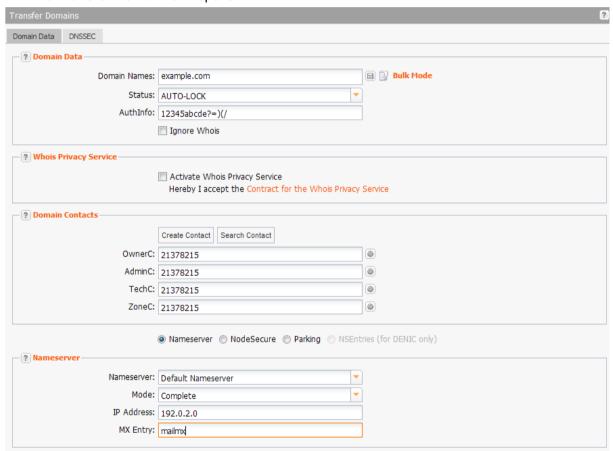
Starting a Domain Transfer

Initiating an incoming domain transfer from another registrar.

NOTE

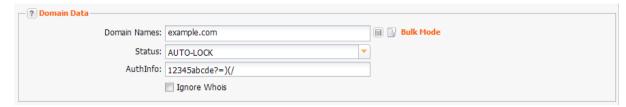
When transferring DNSSEC signed domains, validation errors may occur when changing the nameservers. We recommend that you deactivate the DNSSEC signature before you initiate the domain transfer and then reactivate the DNSSEC signature once the transfer is completed.

Click *Transfer Domain* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*.
 The *Transfer Domain* form opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data



Enter the details of the domains you want to transfer here.

Domain Names	Enter the domain name here.
	Bulk Request: Press Enter to insert the next domain. Click the □ icon to load an existing object list, if available. Enter the related AuthInfos separated with ",,". Example: example.com,,h37cXyr0/ZIw2tF example.net,,Km1YdOR+EkjnHLf The desired Main IP can be entered after the first "," (optional) Example: example.com,127.0.0.1,aUtH1nF0
Status	Select the desired registry status in the list: LOCK: the domain is protected against transfer HOLD: the domain is registered but not connected (Example: resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay) HOLD-LOCK: the domain is registered but not connected; it is also protected against transfer. (Example: Resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay) ACTIVE: the domain will be unlocked AUTO-LOCK: after the domain action (Create/Transfer), the domain is automatically locked against transfer. Not all registries support this feature.
	NOTE This form field will only be displayed for some TLDs. For a bulk request the Status field will only be displayed, if all TLDs support the status.
AuthInfo	For Single Request: You can enter the AuthInfo from the old provider to initiate a domain transfer here. This entry field will only be displayed if the TLD requires the AuthInfo for transfer.
Activate Whois Privacy Service	Activate the checkbox to use Whois Privacy Service for the domain. Using Privacy Service your contact data will not appear in the public Whois.
Ignore Whois	Activate the checkbox to skip the domain availability check.

Domain Contacts

Domain Transfer

? Domain Contacts		
	Create Contact Search Contact	
OwnerC:	9926613	(a)
AdminC:	21378215	(a)
TechC:	21378215	
ZoneC:	21378215	

You can enter the domain contacts here.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

NOTE

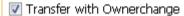
Some TLDs invoice owner change or do not allow it.

Transfer with owner change (single)

For the TLDs which invoice owner change, the *Transfer with Owner Change* checkbox is displayed.

Select the checkbox to carry out a transfer with owner change.

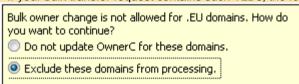
Deselect the checkbox to carry out the transfer without owner change.



Bulk transfer with owner change

Please note that some TLDs do not allow bulk owner change or it is associated with additional costs.

- If your bulk transfer request contains such TLDs, the following hint will be displayed. (Examples for.eu)



Select **Do not update OwnerC for these domains** to transfer these domains without an owner change. Select **Exclude these domains from processing** if you do not want to transfer the domains with this bulk transfer request.

- If your bulk request contains only domains which do not allow bulk, the following hint will be displayed.

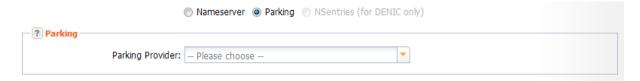
For .EU-domains a bulk owner change is not possible, therefore the owner will not be changed for these domains. Use single tasks instead.

You can still submit the request, but the owner change will not be carried out. You have to send a single owner change request for each domain.

OwnerC	To change the owner, enter the contact ID of the owner here. For exceptions please see the note above.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

Parking

Select the *Parking* option below the *Domain Contact* section, if you want to park the domain at a parking provider. You can select the desired parking provider now.



A new form section concerning the parking provider will be displayed below. See: "Domain Parking" on page 136.

Nameserver

Select your nameservers here. If you have configured default nameservers in the **User Profile**, you can select **Default Nameserver** in the list. For details about configuring default nameservers: See: "Domain Settings" on page 37.

If you don't want to change the nameservers of the transferred domains select the item *Keep Nameserver*.

TIP

Add your frequently used nameservers to your favorites and user profile. The number of displayed form fields can be configured in the user interface menu.

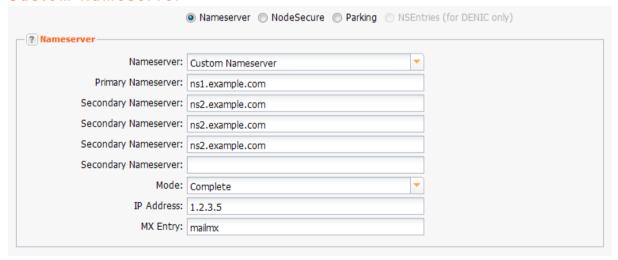
NOTE

The *Parking* option will only be displayed if a parking provider account is configured. *See: "Storing Domain Parking Account Data"* on page 139. Click it if you want to park a domain. Then the form section *Parking* will be displayed.

The option **NSentries** (for **DENIC** only) will only be displayed, if it is activated in the user configuration. See: "Editing the User Interface Settings" on page 44. Click it if you want to configure NSentries instead of nameservers for a .de domain.

For .de domains you can alternatively configure NSentries. See: "NSentry" on page 83.

Custom Nameserver



Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. Glue Record IPv4: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 Glue Record IPv6: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. <i>Example: ns2.example.com</i> . To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section <i>Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,</i> menu item <i>User Configuration,</i> area <i>User Interface)</i> .
Mode	Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone. ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

Keep Nameserver

Select this option, if you do not want to change the nameservers.



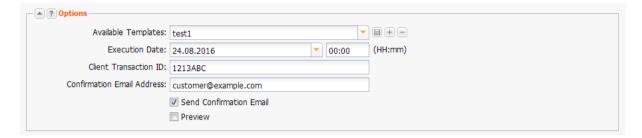
Default Nameserver

The entry *Default Nameserver* is displayed only when you have configured default nameservers in the *User Profile*. See: "Domain Settings" on page 37. The default nameservers will be automatically filled in the respective form fields when a form with nameserver form fields is opened.



Mode	 Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.
	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

Options



Entry details:

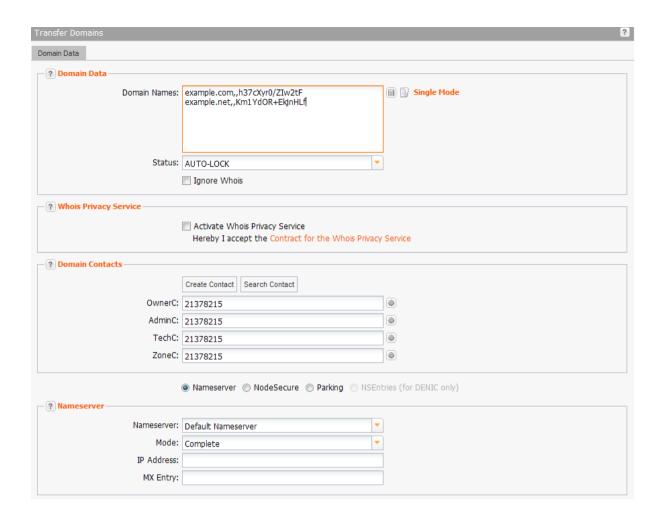
Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

Starting a Bulk Domain Transfer

- Click *Transfer Domain* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*.
 The *Transfer Domain* form opens.
- 2. Click the Bulk Mode link.

NOTE

When transferring DNSSEC signed domains, validation errors may occur when changing the nameservers. We recommend that you deactivate the DNSSEC signature before you initiate the domain transfer and then reactivate the DNSSEC signature once the transfer is completed.



Form section details:

Domain Data



Domain Names	Enter the domain names - followed by the AuthInfo if required - here.
	Example: example.com,,h37cXyr0/Zlw2tF example.net,,Km1YdOR+EkjnHLf
	Press <i>Enter</i> to insert the next domain.
	Click the 🖳 icon to load an existing object list.
Status	Select the desired registry status in the list:

- LOCK: the domain is protected against transfer
- HOLD: the domain is registered but not connected (Example: resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay)
- HOLD-LOCK: the domain is registered but not connected; it is also protected against transfer. (Example: Resellers can set this status e.g. if a client does not pay)
- ACTIVE: the domain will be unlocked
- AUTO-LOCK: after the domain action (Create/Transfer), the domain is automatically locked against transfer. Not all registries support this feature.

NOTE

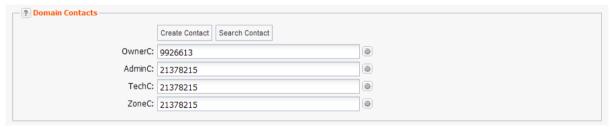
This form field will only be displayed for some TLDs. For a bulk request the *Status* field will only be displayed, if all TLDs support the status.

Ignore Whois

Activate the checkbox to skip the domain availability check.

Domain Contacts

Domain Transfer



You can enter the domain contacts here.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

NOTE

Some TLDs invoice owner change or do not allow it.

Transfer with owner change (single)

For the TLDs which invoice owner change, the Transfer with Owner Change checkbox is displayed.

Select the checkbox to carry out a transfer with owner change.

Deselect the checkbox to carry out the transfer without owner change.

▼ Transfer with Ownerchange

Bulk transfer with owner change

Please note that some TLDs do not allow bulk owner change or it is associated with additional costs.

- If your bulk transfer request contains such TLDs, the following hint will be displayed. (Examples for.eu)

Bulk owner change is not allowed for .EU domains. How do you want to continue?

Do not update OwnerC for these domains.

Exclude these domains from processing.

Select *Do not update OwnerC for these domains* to transfer these domains without an owner change.

Select *Exclude these domains from processing* if you do not want to transfer the domains with this bulk transfer request.

- If your bulk request contains only domains which do not allow bulk, the following hint will be displayed.

For .EU-domains a bulk owner change is not possible, therefore the owner will not be changed for these domains. Use single tasks instead.

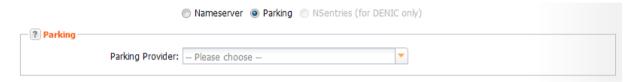
You can still submit the request, but the owner change will not be carried out. You have to send a single owner change request for each domain.

Entry details:

OwnerC	To change the owner, enter the contact ID of the owner here. For exceptions please see the note above.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

Parking

Select the *Parking* option below the *Domain Contact* section, if you want to park the domain at a parking provider. You can select the desired parking provider now.



A new form section concerning the parking provider will be displayed below. See: "Domain Parking" on page 136.

Nameserver

Select your nameservers here. If you have configured default nameservers in the **User Profile**, you can select **Default Nameserver** in the list. For details about configuring default nameservers: See: "Domain Settings" on page 37.

If you don't want to change the nameservers of the transferred domains select the item *Keep Nameserver*.

TIP

Add your frequently used nameservers to your favorites and user profile. The number of displayed form fields can be configured in the user interface menu.

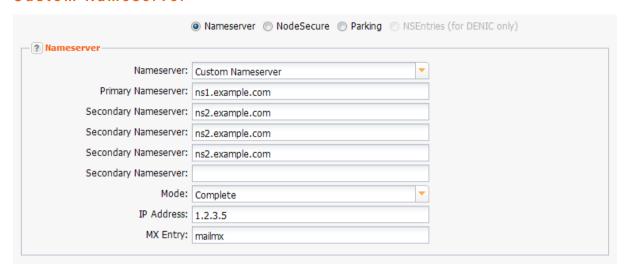
NOTE

The *Parking* option will only be displayed if a parking provider account is configured. *See: "Storing Domain Parking Account Data"* on page 139. Click it if you want to park a domain. Then the form section *Parking* will be displayed.

The option **NSentries** (for **DENIC** only) will only be displayed, if it is activated in the user configuration. See: "Editing the User Interface Settings" on page 44. Click it if you want to configure NSentries instead of nameservers for a .de domain.

For .de domains you can alternatively configure NSentries. See: "NSentry" on page 83.

Custom Nameserver



Entry details:	
Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com. To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. Glue Record IPv4: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4
	Glue Record IPv6: Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com.
	To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0. See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section <i>Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,</i> menu item <i>User Configuration,</i> area <i>User Interface).</i>
Mode	Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.

	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

Keep Nameserver

Select this option, if you do not want to change the nameservers.



Default Nameserver

The entry *Default Nameserver* is displayed only when you have configured default nameservers in the *User Profile*. See: "Domain Settings" on page 37. The default nameservers will be automatically filled in the respective form fields when a form with nameserver form fields is opened.



Entry details:

Mode

Select a nameserver mode:

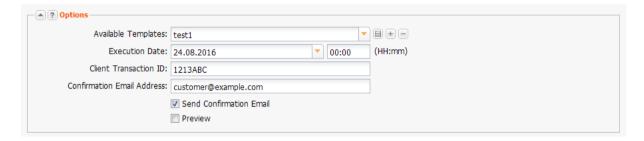
- Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers.
- Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver.
- Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR.
- Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.

ATTENTION

You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.

IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

Options

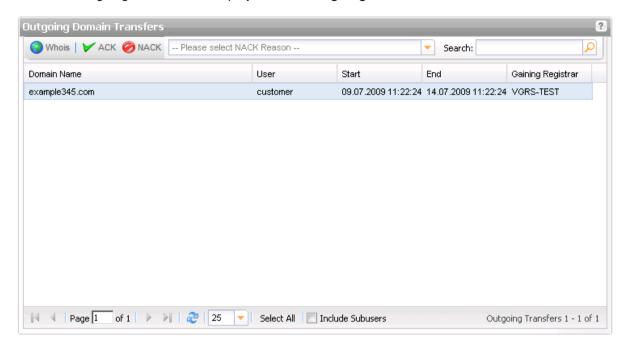


Entry details:

Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
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Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

Displaying outgoing Transfers

All current outgoing transfers are displayed in the *Outgoing Domain Transfers* overview.



The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: the name of the domain to be transferred
- User: the user the domain belongs to
- Start: the execution date
- End: the date the transfer finishes
- Gaining Registrar: the registrar the domain will be transferred to.

The following actions can be carried out here:

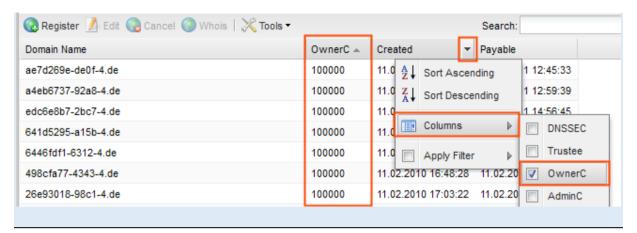
- Click the buttons **ACK** or **NACK** to answer requests for preacknowledgement of transfer outs.
- Use the *Whois* button for convenient Whois request. Please note, that you cannot select more than ten domains for the Whois request here.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the *Search* field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- Click P to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry Columns in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area User Configuration/User Interface of the User *Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- Don't display Data automatically: the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- Always display Subuser Data: the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section Global Settings. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

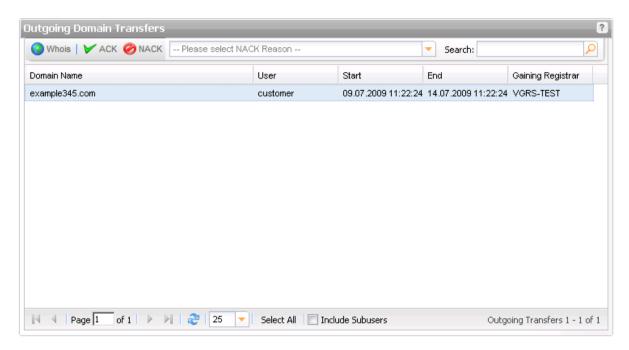


Answering a Request for Transfer-Out (ACK/NACK)

You can accept or reject an application for outgoing transfers in the overview Outgoing Transfers.

1. Click Outgoing Domain Transfers in the menu group Domains & Contacts.

The *Outgoing Domain Transfer* overview opens, displaying the current requests for outgoing transfer.



Agreeing to the request for outgoing transfer (ACK):

- 1. Select the domain in the list. Press *Ctrl* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- 2. Click ACK (=acknowledgement) in the toolbar.
- 3. Confirm the confirmation request

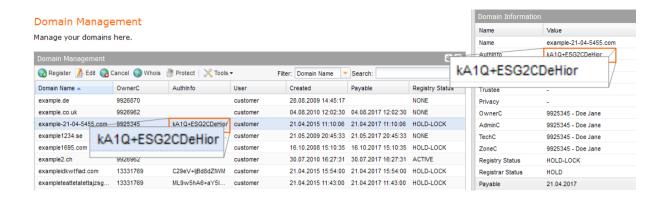
Rejecting the request for outgoing transfer (NACK):

- 1. Select the domain in the list. Press *Ctrl* to select several domains.
- 2. Select the NACK reason in the list.
- 3. Click **NACK** (=no acknowledgement) in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the request.

Displaying the AuthInfo

To transfer a domain an authorization code, the so called AuthInfo is necessary. This AuthInfo is only valid for the domain it was created for.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Select the domain you want to see the AuthInfo for.
- 3. The AuthInfo will be displayed in the information area on the right.
- 4. Alternatively you can display the AuthInfo column. Click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of *AuthInfo*.

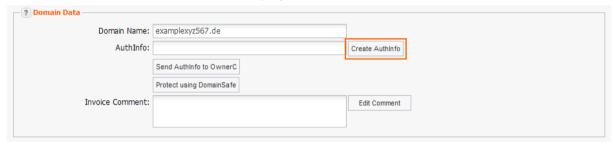


Creating an AuthInfo for a .de Domain

You need an AuthInfo in order to start a .de domain transfer. You can create an AuthInfo for the transfer of .de-domains here.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Select the domain you want to create an AuthInfo for in the *Domain Management* overview.
- 3. Click Edit.

The *Create AuthInfo* button will be displayed in the *Domain Data* form section.



4. Click the Create AuthInfo button.

The AuthInfo will be generated and displayed in the AuthInfo entry field.

NOTE

The manual creation of an AuthInfo is supported by only some TLDs, e.g. .de.

Deleting an AuthInfo

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Select the domain you want to delete the AuthInfo for in the *Domain Management* overview.
- 3. Click Edit.

The **Delete AuthInfo** button will be displayed in the **Domain Data** form section.



Click the **Delete AuthInfo** button.

The AuthInfo will be deleted.

NOTE

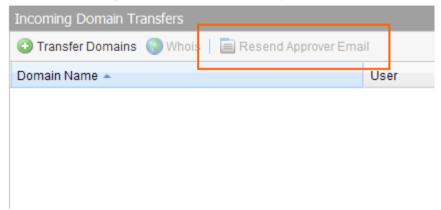
The deletion of an AuthInfo is supported by only some TLDs, e.g. .de.

Resending the FOA1 Email

The domain owner has to acknowledge the transfer of his domains. Therefore, the FOA1 (Form of Authorization) email is sent to the domain owner when the transfer is started. It includes a link, that the domain owner has to click. If the domain owner does not react you can resend the FOA mail here.

1. Click Incoming Domain Transfers in the menu group Domains & Contacts.

The *Incoming Domain Transfers* form opens.



- 2. Select the domain for which you want to resend the FOA1 mail.
- 3. Click Resend Approver Email in the tool bar.

6.5 OWNER CHANGE AND RENEW

Starting an Owner Change

If the owner (OwnerC) of a domain has changed, you have to carry out an owner change. An owner change is only supported for some TLDs only. The owner change menu command is inactive if you have selected a TLD which does not support an owner change.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Select one or several domains you want to carry out an owner change for.
- Click *Tools* in the tool bar and select the command *Owner Change*.
 Or:
- Click *Edit* and then click the *Owner Change* button in the *Domain Contacts* section.
 The form *Domain Owner Change* opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data



The domain you selected for the owner change is displayed here.

NOTE

Some TLDs require an AuthInfo for the owner change. In these cases a respective form field is displayed.

New Owner Contact



You can specify the future owner of the domain. To carry out the owner change, you need a domain contact for the new owner. You can start creating the new contact from this form, using the button *Create Contact*. See: "Creating Domain Contacts" on page 1.

Or you can use an existing contact and find it using the button **Search Contact**. See: "The Domain Contact Search" on page 25.

If the owner change is associated with costs for the TLD, a note will be displayed.

Renewing a Domain Registration

The registration of a domain is normally renewed automatically (AutoRenew). Some TLDs (e.g. .com and .info) offer the possibility of renewing the domain registration manually (Renew).

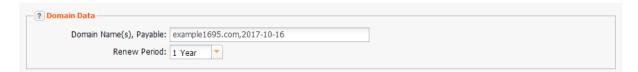
NOTE

Please note that each individual registry has its own terms concerning the minimum and maximum period of time that can be used for a manual renew.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
 - The **Domain Management** overview opens.
- 2. Select the domain you want to renew. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Select Renew in the Tools item list.
 - The form *Renew Domain* opens.

Form section details:

Domain Data



In this section, you can define the settings for the domain renew here.

If you have selected domains before switching to the *Renew* function, they will be displayed together in the *Domain Name* entry field.

Entry details:

Domain Name(s), Payable	The domain name and the payable date of the selected domain (or domains) is displayed here.	
Renew Period	Select the desired renew period.	
	NOTE Please note that registries have their own terms concerning the length of	

6.6 PREREGISTRATIONS

When new TLDs are introduced, you have the possibility to preregister desired domain names. There are several phases for preregistration, determined by the respective registry. The purpose of these phases is, partly, to protect the rights of governments and trademarks. Preregistration is also available if a registry introduces new features for existing TLDs (e.g. the .eu IDN domain names or numeric domains).

During the introduction of new top-level domains, you can preregister domains with this domain management system. Preregistration orders that are placed via the system are sent to the respective registries as soon as the selected registration phase starts. We will inform you by email before the registration phase starts. The preregistration may then be cancelled.

You can find a list of the domains that can be preregistered under the section *Information* in the user interface on the right.

Functions for the preregistration of domain:

Preregistration Management

Your current preregistrations are displayed in this overview. You can preregister domains, edit and cancel preregistrations and create CSV inventory lists..

See: "Preregistration Management" on page 117.

Preregister Domains

You can create new preregistrations here except preregistrations in the Sunrise phase. To preregister domains in the Sunrise phase select the entry *TMCH Sunrise Orders*.

See: "Preregistering Domains" on page 119.

Overview of new gTLDs and Phases

You can see all new gTLDs that can be preregistered and the dates of the preregistration phases here.

See: "Overview of new gTLDs and Phases" on page 125.

new gTLD Finder

Use the new gTLD Finder to search for the ideal TLDs to go with your domain name. This tool helps you to find the most appropriate TLDs from the wide range of new gTLDs that are at the beginning of their introduction.

See: "new gTLD Finder" on page 127.

Functions for TMCH and Sunrise preregistrations:

TMCH Management

In this overview you see all marks that are registered at TMCH. You can run all actions for you TMCH here like creating, editing and confirming orders. You also can import SMD files here for managing your marks in this system.

See: "Trademark Clearinghouse (TMCH)" on page 162.

Order TMCH Entry

In this overview all your trademark labels assigned to your trademarks by TMCH are listed here. You can preregister the desired TLDs for these labels here.

See: "Ordering TMCH Entry" on page 164.

TMCH Sunrise Orders

Overview of all existing trademark labels and submit an order for the Sunrise phase. See: "TMCH Sunrise Orders" on page 131.

Importing an SMD File

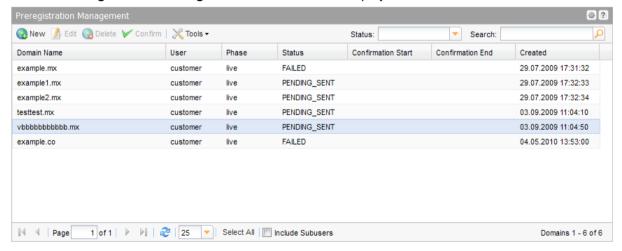
In this area you can import an SMD file, which includes your trademarks registered at TMCH. See: "SMD File" on page 132.

Preregistration Management

Your current preregistrations are displayed in the *Preregistration Management* overview. You can preregister domains, edit and cancel preregistrations and create CSV inventory lists by using the toolbar.

Click Preregistration Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.

The **Preregistration Management** overview will be displayed.



The following details are displayed in the overview:

- Domain Name: the name of the preregistered domain
- User: the user the domain object belongs to
- Phase: the phase the domain is registered for
- Status: the status of the preregistration request
- Confirmation Start: Start of the period in which you have to confirm the order.
- Confirmation End: End of the period in which you have to confirm the order.
- Created: when the domain was preregistered

Description of the statuses of the preregistration process

Status	Description	
accept	The domain was registered successfully. For FCFS (first come first served) and APPLICATION).	
auto_cancel	The domain has already been assigned.	
decline	The registry denied the registration. Is to be seen similar to a "invalid_name".	
failed	By first-come, first, served (FCFS) the domain is already assigned, otherwise a miscellaneous error has occurred.	
invalid_name	The domain name is not available.	
open	The customer did not yet confirm the preregistration. These domains will not be processed.	
pending	The customer has confirmed the domain preregistration.	
pending_sent	The application was sent to the registry.	
For TMCH domains		
tmch_claim	A trademark exists for this domain. The prospective domain owner must additionally confirm that he wants this domain.	
tmch_claim_pending	TMCH is in progress. Waiting for tmch_claim_confirmed oder tmch_claim_expired.	
tmch_claim_confirmed	The prospective domain owner has confirmed that he wants to register this domain.	
tmch_claim_expired	The prospective domain owner has neither confirmed nor rejected his request within the confirmation time frame.	
tmch_claim_rejected	The request was automatically cancelled because the TMCH Claims Notice was not confirmed within the allotted time of 15 days.	

Use the toolbar to create, edit and cancel domain preregistrations. The confirm button confirms your preregistration order.

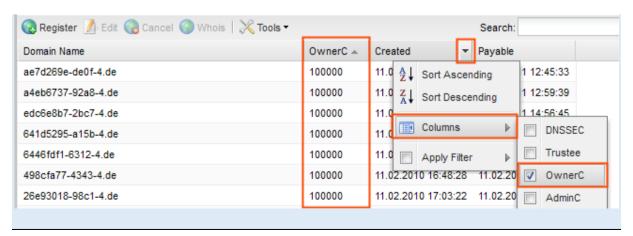
As soon as we are able to offer you the domain for registration, the confirmation button will be activated. You must then confirm the order within the allowed timeframe.

The following tasks can be started in the *Tools* menu:

• Inventory List: create a .CSV inventory list of your contacts.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click P to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- Click to have all entries displayed again.

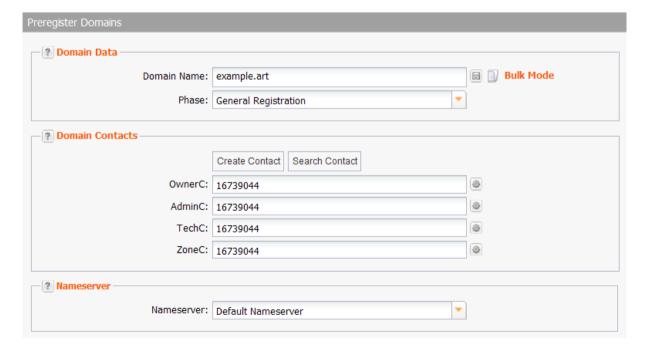
Preregistering Domains

Submit registrations for new TLDs that are being introduced in the future. Due to the nature of how TLDs are introduced, there is no guarantee that you will be able to register the domain successfully – however the requests will be sent to the registry in the order that they have been received in. Certain new TLDs may have additional requirements that have to be met by the registrant in order to complete a domain registration. We will inform you of the launch of the registration phase beforehand via email so that you have the possibility to cancel any unwanted preregistrations.

The list of domains, that can be preregistered at the present, are listed in the *Information* area on the right side of the user interface.

- 1. Click *Preregistration Management* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*.
- 2. Click the entry **Create New Preregistration** in the main area.

The *Preregister Domains* form opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data



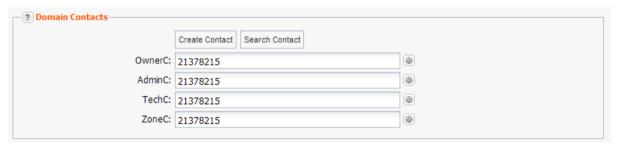
You can enter details of the domain you want to preregister here.

TIP

After you have entered the domain name the start and end date of all registration phases are displayed in the upper right information area.

Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Phase	Enter the phase you want the domain to be preregistered for here.

Domain Contacts



You can enter your domain contacts here. Domain contacts are persons or organizations who are responsible for the administration of the domain. Each contact has a unique identifier, assigned by the system.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field,
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the less icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Entry details:

I would like to make use of the trustee service for the domain registration / transfer. (See price list for price) For some TLDs we offer a trustee service. Enable the check box to use the trustee service. See price list for price.

OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

The following actions can be started in the *Domain Contacts* form section:

- Click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts. See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- Click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts. See Creating Domain Contacts.
- Click the licon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

Select **Default Nameserver** or **Custom Nameserver** in the **Nameserver** form field.

Custom Nameserver

- ? Nameserver
Nameserver: Custom Nameserver
Primary Nameserver: ns1.example.com
Secondary Nameserver: ns2.example.com
Secondary Nameserver: ns2.example.com
Secondary Nameserver: ns2.example.com
Secondary Nameserver:

Primary Nameserver

Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.

Example: ns1.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.

Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

Glue Record IPv4:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4

Glue Record IPv6:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4

Secondary Nameserver

Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

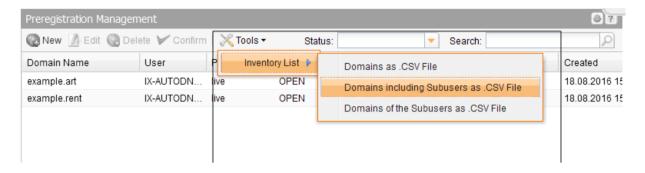
See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row.

The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section *Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,* menu item *User Configuration,* area *User Interface).*

Creating a .CSV Inventory List of the Preregistrations

The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

- Click Preregistration Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
 The Preregistration Management overview opens.
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar.

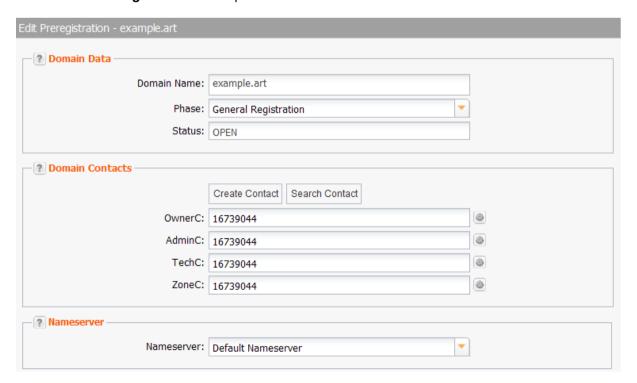


3. Select whether you want to create a list including or excluding subusers or if you want to obtain only the registrations of the subusers.

Editing Domain Preregistrations

- 1. Click Preregistration Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the entry *Preregistration Management* in the main area.
 - The **Preregistration Management** overview opens.
- 3. Select the preregistration you want to edit.
- 4. Click Edit in the toolbar.

The Edit Preregistration form opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data

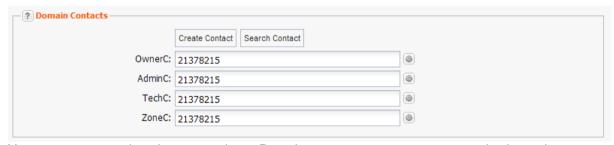


You can enter the details of the domain you want to preregister here.

Form field details:

Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Phase	Enter the phase you want the domain to be preregistered for here.
Status	The processing status is displayed here.

Domain Contacts



You can enter your domain contacts here. Domain contacts are persons or organizations who are responsible for the administration of the domain. Each contact has a unique identifier, assigned by the system.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field,
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the elicon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Entry details:

I would like to make use of the trustee service for the domain registration / transfer. (See price list for price) For some TLDs we offer a trustee service. Enable the check box to use the trustee service. See price list for price.

OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

The following actions can be started in the *Domain Contacts* form section:

- Click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts. See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- Click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts. See Creating Domain Contacts.
- Click the local icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

Select **Default Nameserver** or **Custom Nameserver** in the **Nameserver** form field.

Custom Nameserver

Nameserver:	Custom Nameserver
Primary Nameserver:	ns1.example.com
Secondary Nameserver:	ns2.example.com
Secondary Nameserver:	ns2.example.com
Secondary Nameserver:	ns2.example.com
Secondary Nameserver:	

Primary Nameserver

Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.

Example: ns1.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.

Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

Glue Record IPv4:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4

Glue Record IPv6:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4

Secondary Nameserver

Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here.

Example: ns2.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row.

The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section *Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,* menu item *User Configuration,* area *User Interface).*

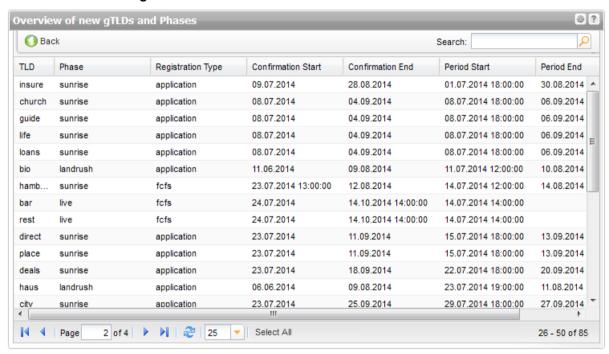
Deleting Preregistrations

- Click Preregistration Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the entry *Preregistration Management* in the main area.
- 3. Select the preregistration you want to delete. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 4. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- 5. Confirm the request.

Overview of new gTLDs and Phases

In this overview all TLDs and their registration phases are listed.

1. Click **Preregistration Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.** Click the entry **Overview of new gTLDs and Phases** in the main area.

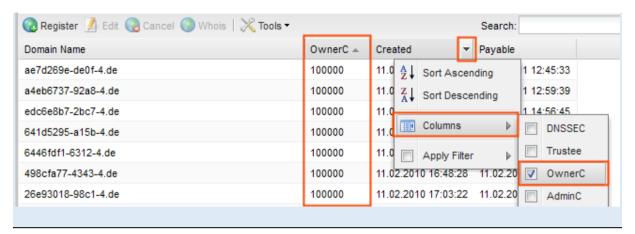


Entry details:

- TLD: Top Level Domains that can be preregistered
- Phase: Name of the preregistration phase
- Registration Type:
 - application: The registry decides according to their assignment rules and regulations who receives the domain.
 - fcfs: Domain assignment during the start of the registration phase is based on receipt of the first valid preregistration. This is also commonly known as "first-come, first-served".
- Confirmation Start: Start of the period in which you have to confirm the order
- Confirmation End: End of the period in which you have to confirm the order
- Period Start : Start of the registration phase
- Period End : End of registration phase

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the *Search* field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click lo have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

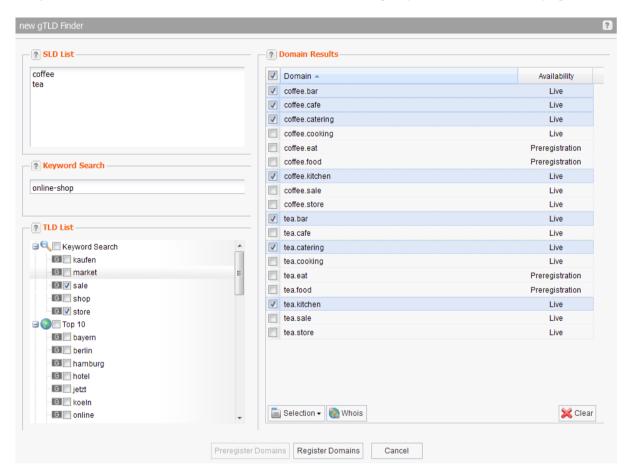
To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

new gTLD Finder

Use the new gTLD Finder to find the best fitting TLDs to go with your domain name.

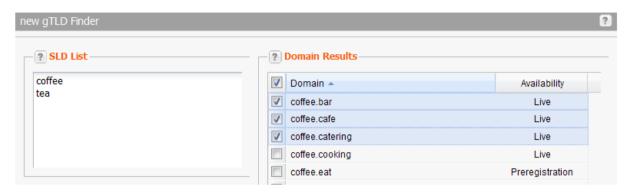
Run a new gTLD Finder Request

- 1. Click the entry new gTLD Finder in the main area..
- 2. Enter the desired domain name in the form field SLD List.
- Use can use the *Keyword Search* to find the new gTLDs fitting to your desired domains. For details about the *Keyword Search* see the help in the corresponding form section. See: "Keyword Search" on page 128.
- 4. Select the desired TLDs in the TLD List form.
- 5. Select the domain name you want to preregister in the list *Domain Results*.
- 6. Finally you can click the button *Preregister Domains* to carry out the preregistration. Alternatively you can save the domain selection as a list. See: "Creating Object Lists in Forms" on page 1.



Entry Details

SLD List

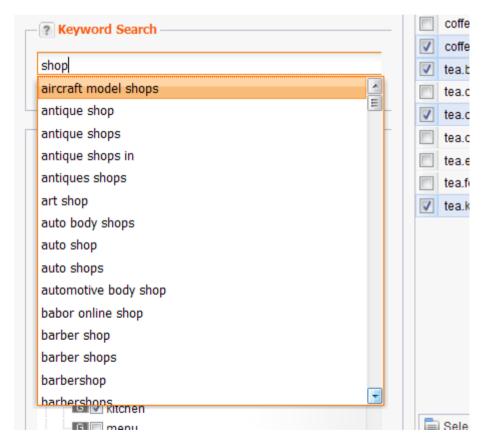


1. Enter the domain names you want to select TLDs for in the form field SLD List.

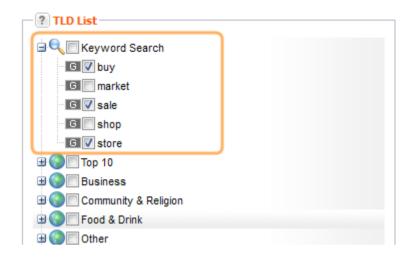
Keyword Search

With the help of the *Keyword Search* you can filter those new gTLDs out that fit thematically to your domain

For example enter a term like "shop". As soon as 4 characters have been entered into the **Keyword Search**, all submitted keywords that contain this string are displayed as a drop-down menu. You can then choose the best matching keywords.



In the *TLD List* area an additional section "keyword search" is displayed containing new gTLDs.



By choosing the desired new gTLDs, the complete domain name is displayed in the section *Domain Results*. Choose the domains that you would like to preregister in this section. TLDs which are already "live" can be registered here.

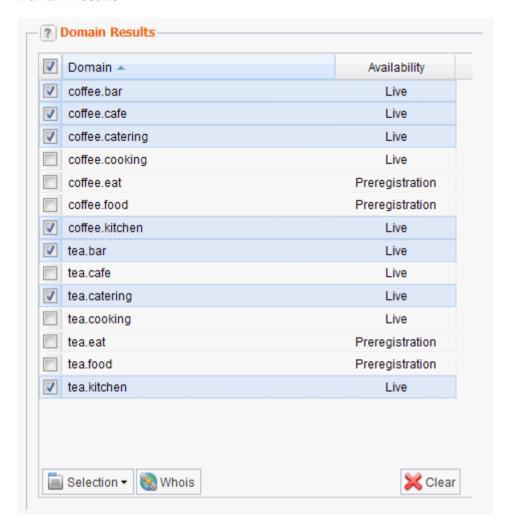
You can now search for other key words independently of the results. All domain results that are displayed on the right hand side will remain as is.

TLD List



Select the checkbox next to the desired TLDs, to choose them. Activating the checkbox next to the category you can select all TLDs of this category.

Domain Results



In the list *Domain Results* the results of the *new gTLD Finder* request are displayed. Now you can select the desired domain names and preregister or, if they are yet live, register them.

Preregister Domains

- 1. Select the checkbox next to the desired domains to preregister them. To preregister all domains select the checkbox next to the label *Domain*.
- 2. Click the button *Preregister Domains*.

See: "Preregistering Domains" on page 119.

Register Domains

- 1. Select the checkbox next to the desired domains to register them.
- 2. Click the button Register Domains.

See: "Registering new Domains" on page 62.

TMCH Sunrise Orders

You see a list of all existing trademark labels and you can submit preregistration orders for the Sunrise Phase in this overview.

What exactly is a trademark label?

In addition to the trademark name, so-called labels can also be stored in the Trademark Clearinghouse. These are variations of the trademark name. The labels are generated automatically by the Trademark Clearinghouse and cannot be selected individually by the trademark owner. Up to 20 labels are included free of charge while typically only 10 labels can be stored in the Trademark Clearinghouse.

The Trademark Clearinghouse follows two rules in this regard:

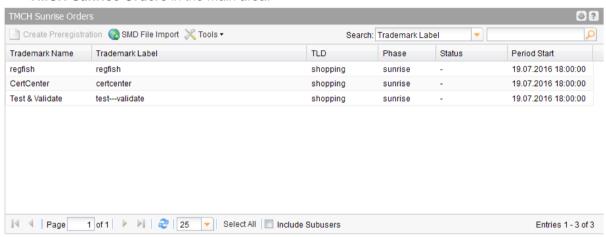
Special characters that cannot be included in domain names, e.g. asterisk, are either eliminated or replaced by a dash (hyphen).

The special character "&" is replaced by the word "and" in the respective language for the court of jurisdiction of the trademark name.

For the trademark "Fisher & Son", for example, the following labels would be possible:

fisher-son; fisher--son; fisherandson; fisherand-son; fisher---son; fisher-andson; fisher-and-son

 Click Preregistration Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts. Select the entry TMCH Sunrise Orders in the main area.



Entry details

- Trademark Name: name of the trademark that is registered at TMCH
- Trademark Label: label of the trademark
- TLD:Top Level Domain
- Phase: preregistration phase
- Status: processing status of the preregistered domain
- Period Start: start date of the registration phase

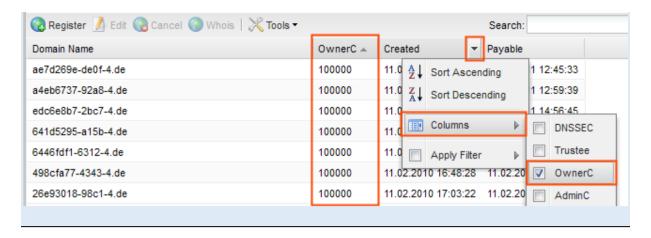
Use the buttons in the toolbar to manage your TMCH entries. You can import the SMD file here.

The following tasks can be started in the Tools menu:

Inventory List: create a .CSV inventory list of your contacts.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click P to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

Importing an TMCH SMD file

The function of an SMD file is to prove that TMCH has verified your trademark. This entitles you to register domains for the trademark or corresponding trademark labels in the Sunrise phase of a new qTLD.

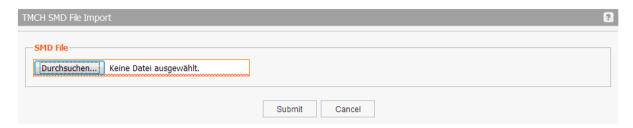
- 1. Click Preregistration Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click the entry TMCH SMD File Import in the main area.

The form TMCH SMD File Import opens.

Form section details:

SMD File

You can import a SMD file here. This file contains all data concerning the trademark and serves as evidence of the required trademark rights. All registries have access to these files and can therefore process the Sunrise applications more efficiently.



Click the button Search and select the SMD file. Finally click Submit.

Preregistering Domains in the Sunrise Phase

Preregistering the desired trademark label for the Sunrise phase. You receive the trademark labels by the entry in Trademark Clearinghouse.

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The special character "&" is replaced by the word "and" in the respective language for the court of jurisdiction of the trademark name.

For the trademark "Fisher & Son", for example, the following labels would be possible:

fisher-son; fisher-son; fisherandson; fisherand-son; fisher-and-son; fisher-an

- 1. Click *Preregistration Management* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*.
- 2. Click **TMCH Sunrise Orders** in the main area.
- 3. Select the desired domain in the list.
- 4. Click the button Create Preregistration.

The Preregister Domains form opens.

Form section details:

Domain Data



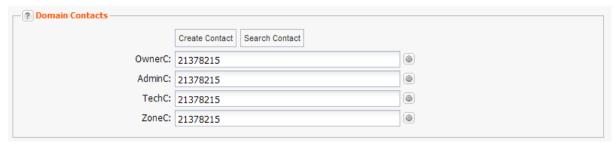
You can enter details of the domain you want to preregister here.

TIP

After you have entered the domain name the start and end date of all registration phases are displayed in the upper right information area.

Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Phase	Enter the phase you want the domain to be preregistered for here.

Domain Contacts



You can enter your domain contacts here. Domain contacts are persons or organizations who are responsible for the administration of the domain. Each contact has a unique identifier, assigned by the system.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field.
- click the *Create Contact* button to create new domain contacts, See *Creating Domain Contacts*
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the led icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Entry details:

I would like to make use of the trustee service for the domain registration / transfer. (See price list for price)	For some TLDs we offer a trustee service. Enable the check box to use the trustee service. See price list for price.
OwnerC	Enter the domain contact ID of the domain owner here.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

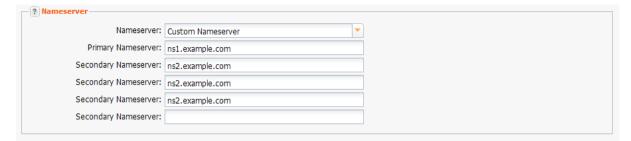
The following actions can be started in the Domain Contacts form section:

- Click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts. See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- Click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts. See Creating Domain Contacts.
- Click the icon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

Select **Default Nameserver** or **Custom Nameserver** in the **Nameserver** form field.

Custom Nameserver



Primary Nameserver

Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.

Example: ns1.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.

Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

Glue Record IPv4:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4

Glue Record IPv6:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4

Secondary Nameserver

Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row. The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section *Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,* menu item *User Configuration,* area *User Interface).*

6.7 DOMAIN PARKING

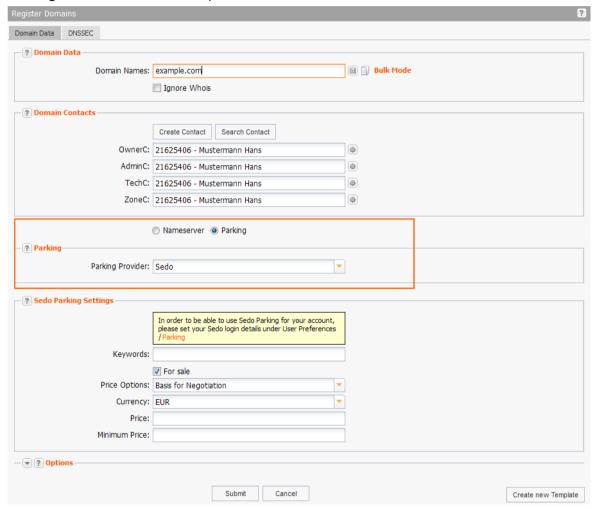
Parking a Domain

You can park your domain when registering or updating domains.

Parking when registering

- Click Register Domain in the menu for Domains & Contacts.
 Or:
- 1. Click *Domain Management* in the menu for *Domains & Contacts*.
- 2. Click Register in the toolbar of the area Domain Management.

The **Register new Domain** form opens.

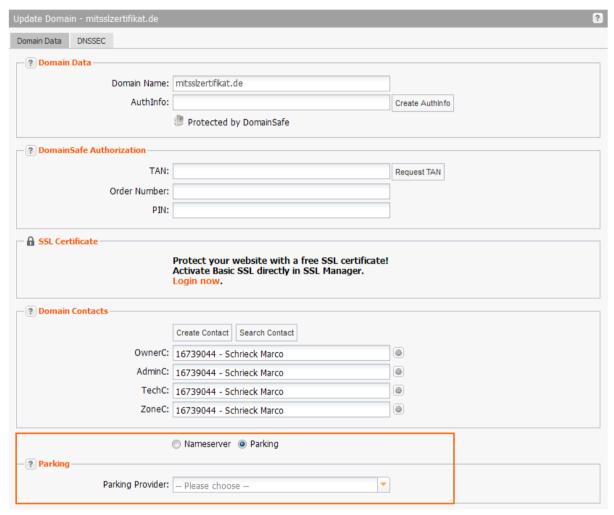


- 3. Enter all data required for the registration. See: "Registering new Domains" on page 62.
- 4. Select the *Parking* option below the *Domain Contacts* section.

Parking when updating a domain

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu for the group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Select the domain you want to park in the **Domain Management** overview. Press **Ctrl** for multi select. (For Mac users **cmd**)
- 3. Click Edit in the toolbar.

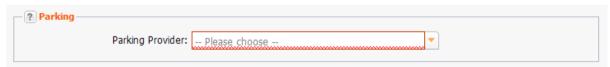
The *Update Domain* form opens.



Select the *Parking* option below the *Domain Contacts* section.

Form fields details:

Parking



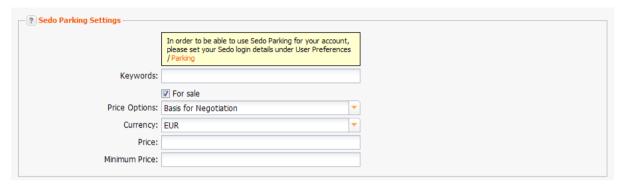
NOTE

The form section *Parking* is only visible in the forms *Register Domains*, *Update Domains* and *Transfer Domains*, if at least one parking provider account is entered in the *Parking Settings* (menu group *User Administration/User Settings*). Additionally only in this case the column *Parking* can be displayed in the *Domain Management* overview.

Form field details:

Parking Provider Select the desired provider here.

Sedo Parking Settings



Enter details for Sedo here. This data will be synchronized with the data you stored for this domain at Sedo.

Form field details:

Keywords	Enter your keywords here. With these keywords the domain can be found at the parking provider.
For sale	Select the checkbox if you want to sell the domain.
Price Options	Select if the entered price is a fixed price or subject to negotiation.
Currency	Select the currency of your price here.
Price	Enter the price here.
Minimum Price	Enter the minimum price here.

Parking Account Data - ParkingCrew

You can enter the data for your new ParkingCrew account here.

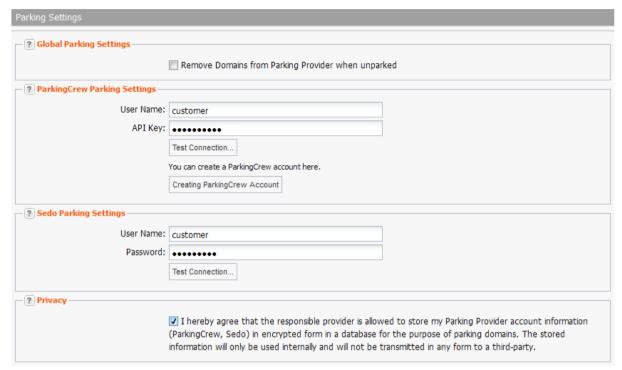


Company Name	Enter your company name here.
First Name	Enter first name here.
Last Name	Enter last name here.
Login User Name	You can create a new parking account at Parking-Crew here.
Email Address	Enter the email address you want to use for your parking account here. We send the email confirmation for this account to this address.

Storing Domain Parking Account Data

If you have a domain parking account, you can manage domain parking in this system. To do this, you need to store your parking account data here.

- 1. Click User Configuration in the menu group User Management.
- 2. Click Parking Settings.



- 1. Enter your account data in the section for the corresponding parking provider.
- 2. Accept the privacy rules.

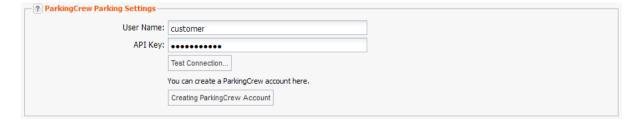
Form section details:

Global Parking Settings



Activate the checkbox to remove those domains that are parked no longer at the parking provider.

ParkingCrew Parking Settings



You can enter the data for your existing ParkingCrew parking account here or create a new ParkingCrew parking account.

User Name	Enter your ParkingCrew user name here.
API-Key	Enter your key for the XML interface here.
Test Connection	Click the button to test the connection to ParkingCrew.
Creating ParkingCrew account	You can create a new ParkingCrew account here.

Sedo Parking Settings



You can enter the data of your Sedo Parking account here.

User Name	Enter your Sedo user name here.
Password	Enter your Sedo password here. It will be encrypted and stored in the database.
Test Connection	Click the button to test the connection to Sedo.

Privacy



Activate the checkbox to accept the privacy policy.

6.8 DOMAINSAFE MANAGEMENT

On the *Domains* tab you can edit the protected domains or remove them from DomainSafe.

On the *Authorized Users* tab you can update your DomainSafe account, authorize subusers for DomainSafe, update your PIN and remove an authorization from a subuser.

These actions can be carried out for Domain Safe

Domain Safe Account

- Activating DomainSafe for your account
- Editing DomainSafe account data

Protect Domains

- Protecting your domains with DomainSafe
- Editing protected domains
- Removing domains from DomainSafe

User Authorization

- Authorizing subusers for DomainSafe
- Changing user PIN
- Withdrawing DomainSafe authorization from a user

Activating DomainSafe for your Account

With DomainSafe you can place your valuable domains under the TLDs .DE, .COM, .NET, .NAME, .TV, .ORG, .INFO, .MOBI, .BIZ and .ASIA in a virtual safe, where they are protected against unwanted third-party access. The key element to the security procedure is the comprehensive authentification process. In order to make any changes to a protected domain, multiple personalized verification steps are required. A domain order can only be initiated with a TAN process.

Initially, you have to activate the DomainSafe for your account. You can store then your domains in the DomainSafe and protect them effectively. You can also authorize subusers for DomainSafe.

With this form, you can activate DomainSafe for your account.

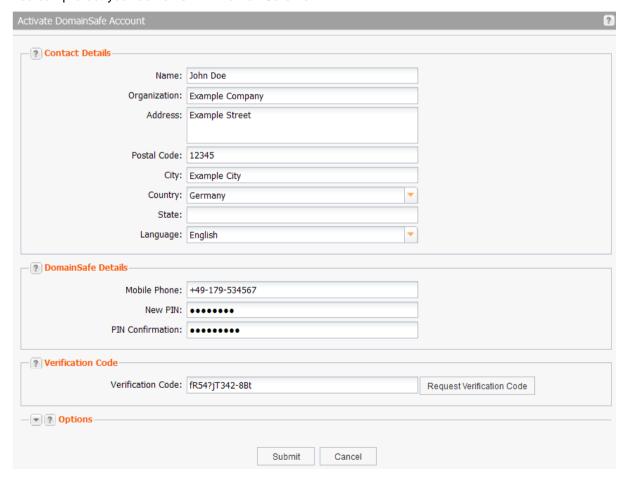
This is the procedure to activate DomainSafe for your account:

1. Enter the required data into the form Activating Domain Safe

Please be aware of the following details

- A valid mobile number is required in the form field Mobile Phone. To this mobile phone number
 we send the verification codes and the TANs, which you need for managing your domains in the
 DomainSafe.
- Enter a safe PIN into the form fields PIN and Confirm PIN. A safe PIN must have at least 8 characters including capitals, lowercase, numbers and special characters.
- Click on the button Request Verification Code and you will receive the verification code via SMS within a few minutes. Enter this verification code in order to jump forward to the preview in which you can control and verify your data. Click on Send to start the activation process. After approximately one business day we will send you the request form via the regular postal service or fax. In this request form you will find your entered data and conditions for using the DomainSafe. After you've signed, dated and sent us this request form we will activate the DomainSafe for you and inform you by E-Mail.

You can protect your domains with DomainSafe now.



Form section details:

Contact Data

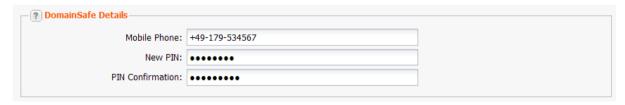


Enter the details of the person which is to be authorized for DomainSafe and stored as billing contact in our system here. Only this person is permitted to authorize subusers (only direct clone users) for DomainSafe and update the account data.

Entry details:

Name	Enter the name (first name and last name) here.
Organization	Enter company name here.
Address	Enter address here (street and house number).
Postal Code	Enter postal code here.
City	Enter city name here.
Country	Select a country.
State	Enter state here (optional).
Language	Enter the language you want to communicate with. This affects documents and support.

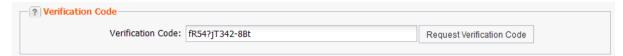
DomainSafe Data



Entry details:

Mobile Phone	Enter a mobile phone number here. The verification codes and TANs will be sent to this number.
PIN	Enter a safe PIN here. A valid DomainSafe PIN consists of 6-10 characters and must contain special characters, lower case and upper case letters.
PIN Confirmation	Enter your PIN again here.

Verification Code



With the verification code the entered mobile phone number will be verified. You can enter the verification code here. The *Request Verification Code* button will only become active when a mobile phone number has been entered.

- 1. Click the Request Verification Code button.
- 2. You will receive the verification code via SMS.
- 3. Enter the verification code into the Verification Code entry field.
- 4. Click **Submit** to send the request.

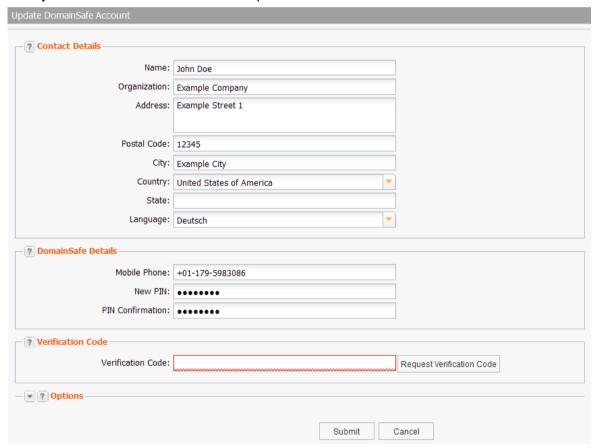
Updating DomainSafe Account

ATTENTION

A validation code is requested for every change to the DomainSafe account data. Fees will be charged for this.

- 1. Click **DomainSafe Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Click the tab Authorized Users.
- 3. Click Update Account in the toolbar of the area Domain Management.

The *Update DomainSafe Account* form opens.



4. Edit the data.

Form section details:

Contact Data



Enter the details of the person which is to be authorized for DomainSafe and stored as billing contact in our system here. Only this person is permitted to authorize subusers (only direct clone users) for DomainSafe and update the account data.

Entry details:

Name	Enter the name (first name and last name) here.
Organization	Enter company name here.
Address	Enter address here (street and house number).
Postal Code	Enter postal code here.
City	Enter city name here.
Country	Select a country.
State	Enter state here (optional).
Language	Enter the language you want to communicate with. This affects documents and support.

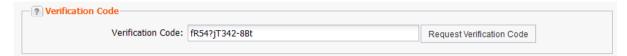
DomainSafe Data



Entry details:

Mobile Phone	Enter a mobile phone number here. To this number the verification codes and TANs will be send to.
PIN	Enter the DomainSafe Account PIN here.

Verification Code



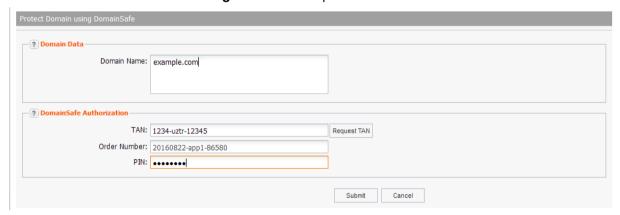
With the verification code the entered mobile phone number will be verified. You can enter the verification code here. The *Request Verification Code* button will only become active when a mobile phone number has been entered.

- 1. Click the **Request Verification Code** button.
- You will receive the verification code via SMS.
- 3. Enter the verification code into the *Verification Code* entry field.
- 4. Click Submit to send the request.

Protecting your Domains with DomainSafe

- 1. ClickDomain Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the domain you want to protect with DomainSafe. Please note that you can only select domains for these TLDs: DE, .COM, .NET, .NAME, .ASIA, .ORG, .INFO, .MOBI, .BIZ, .TV
- 3. Click Protect in the toolbar of the area Domain Management.

The form Protect Domain using DomainSafe opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data





This authorization is required every time you change data and also to remove the domain from DomainSafe and for all subuser actions.

- 1. Click *Request TAN* to get a TAN. TAN and Order ID are send to you via SMS.
- 2. The Order ID is additionally entered into the field by the system.
- 3. Enter your PIN
- 4. Click Submit to send the request.

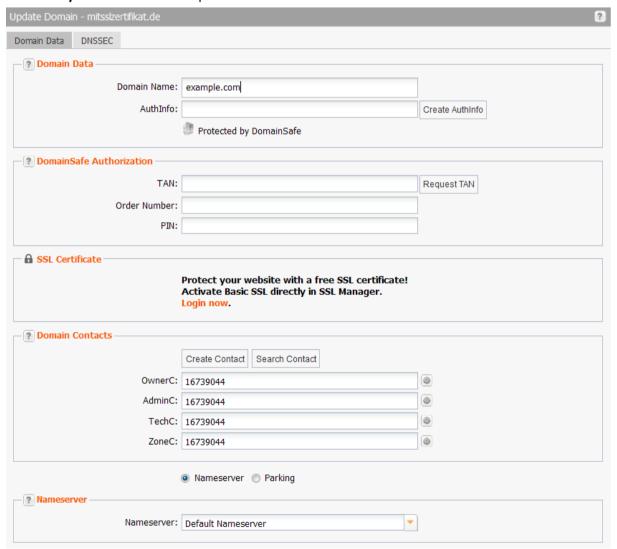
Editing Domains protected by DomainSafe

NOTE

To update domain data, you have to confirm the changes with a TAN. Only an authorized user can apply for a TAN.

- 1. ClickDomainSafe Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the protected domain you want to edit.
- 3. Click *Edit Domain* in the toolbar.

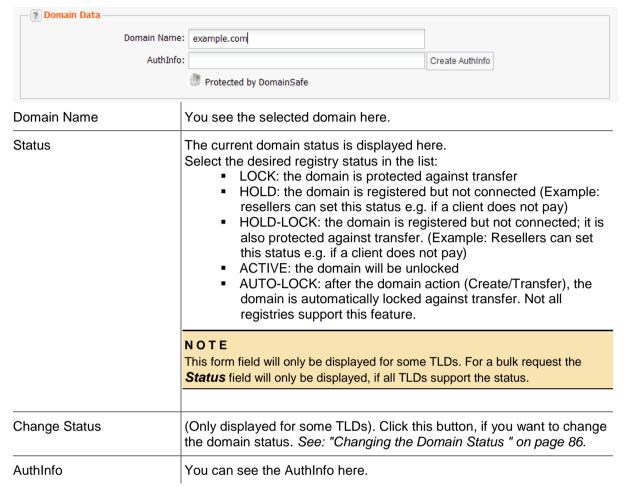
The **Update Domain** form opens.



Form section details:

Domain Data

Protected domains are marked by the tag Protected by DomainSafe.



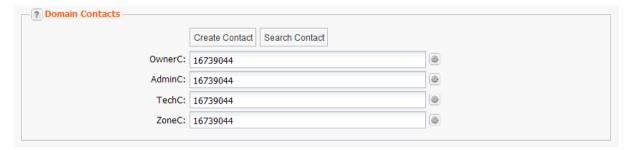
DomainSafe Authorization



This authorization is required every time you change data and also to remove the domain from DomainSafe and for all subuser actions.

- 1. Click Request TAN to get a TAN. TAN and Order ID are send to you via SMS.
- 2. The Order ID is additionally entered into the field by the system.
- 3. Enter your PIN
- 4. Click **Submit** to send the request.

Domain Contacts



You can edit your domain contacts here.

NOTE

Please note that some TLDs do not allow bulk owner change or it is associated with costs. If your owner change contains such TLDs, the following hint will be displayed.

Owner Change

For the TLDs which bring an owner change to account, the *OwnerC* field is not active and the *Owner Change* button is displayed.

To carry out an owner change, click the *Owner Change* button. For all the other TLDs, the OwnerC can be updated here.

There are following domain contacts:

- OwnerC: the domain owner
- AdminC: the contact for administrative issues
- TechC: the contact for technical issues
- ZoneC: the contact for nameserver issues.

Entry details:

OwnerC	To edit the owner, enter the contact ID of the owner here. For exceptions please see the hint above.
AdminC	Enter the domain contact ID of the administrative contact here.
TechC	Enter the domain contact ID of the technical contact here.
ZoneC	Enter the domain contact ID of the zone contact here.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field,
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.
- click the elicon to edit the domain contact data. See: "Editing Domain Contacts" on page 208.

Nameserver

You can change your nameservers here. You can choose between *Default Nameservers* and *Custom Nameservers*. The entry *Keep Nameservers* is used, if nameservers should not be changed. Should an update of multiple domains change a value other than the nameserver, leave the setting *Keep Nameserver*.



Custom Nameserver

Nameserver		
Nameserver:	Custom Nameserver	
Primary Nameserver:	ns1.example.com	
Secondary Nameserver:	ns2.example.com	
Secondary Nameserver:	ns2.example.com	
Secondary Nameserver:	ns2.example.com	
Secondary Nameserver:		
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Entry details:

Primary Nameserver

Enter the host name of your primary nameserver.

Example: ns1.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver.

Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

Glue Record IPv4:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address Example: ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4

Glue Record IPv6:

Pattern: nameservername space ipv4-ip-address space ipv6-ip-address Example: ipv6-ip-adresse ns1.mynameserver 1.2.3.4 2a01:130:2000:118:1:2:3:4

Secondary Nameserver

Enter the host names of your secondary nameservers here. Example: ns2.example.com.

To create glue records, enter the domain name and the IP address of the nameserver. Use the space tab to separate the entries, e.g.: ns1.example.com 192.0.2.0.

See patterns and examples for glue records in the upper row.

The number of nameserver fields for the secondary nameserver can be configured in the form section *Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields (Menu User Management,* menu item *User Configuration,* area *User Interface).*

NOTE

The *Parking* option only will be displayed if a parking provider account is configured. *See: "Storing Domain Parking Account Data" on page 139.* Click it if you want to park a domain. Then the form section *Parking* will be displayed.

The option **NSentries** (for **DENIC** only) will only be displayed if it is activated in the user configuration. Click it if you want to configure NSentries instead of nameservers for a .de domain.

For .de domains you can alternatively configure NSentries. See See: "NSentry" on page 83.

TIP

Add your frequently used nameservers to your favorites and user profile. The number of displayed form fields can be configured in the user interface menu.

Default Nameserver

The entry *Default Nameserver* is displayed only when you have configured default nameservers in the *User Profile*. See: "Domain Settings" on page 37. The default nameservers will be automatically filled in the respective form fields when a form with nameserver form fields is opened.



Entry details:

Mode	Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary only: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Hidden: the zone will be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. Primary nameserver is not recorded as nameserver for the zone.
	ATTENTION You have to select a mode here. If the mode "none" remains, no zone will be created on the nameserver.
IP Address	Enter the IP address of your domain zone here. For quick fill-in, click the fitting suggestion in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites. See: "Working with the Favorites" on page 23.
MX Entry	Enter one MX entry here. You can enter any term for the subdomain, e.g. "mail". In this case the complete domain is "mail.example.com". Or you can enter a subdomain for an external domain, e.g. "mail.external_example.com".

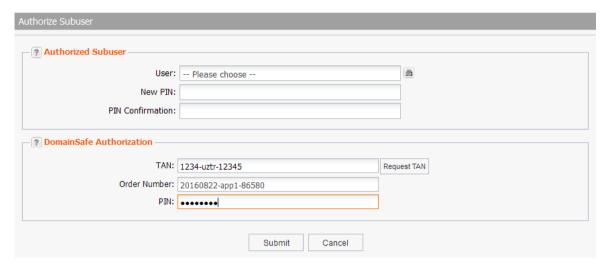
Authorizing Subusers for DomainSafe

NOTE

Only direct clone users can be authorized for for Domain Safe.

- 1. Click DomainSafe Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click the Authorized Users tab.
- 3. Click Authorize Subuser in the toolbar.

The Authorize Subuser form opens.

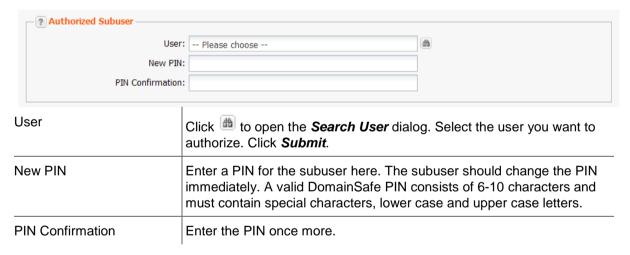


The form Search User opens.

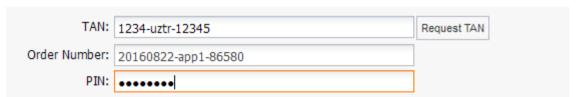
- 4. Click in the *User* field or on the icon to select the subuser.
- Select the desired user and click Submit.
- 6. Enter a PIN for the user in the fields **New PIN** and **PIN Confirmation.**
- 7. Request for a TAN in the form section **DomainSafe Authorization**.
- 8. Click Submit to send the request.

Form section details:

Authorized Subuser



DomainSafe Authorization



This authorization is required every time you change data and also to remove the domain from DomainSafe and for all subuser actions.

- 1. Click Request TAN to get a TAN. TAN and Order ID are send to you via SMS.
- 2. The Order ID is additionally entered into the field by the system.
- 3. Enter your PIN
- 4. Click Submit to send the request.

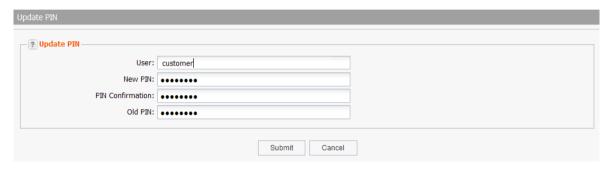
Changing your User PIN

NOTE

Each user can only change his own PIN. It is not possible to change the PIN of a subuser.

- 1. Click Domain Safe Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click the Authorized User tab.
- 3. Select your user name.
- 4. Click *Update PIN* in the toolbar.

The *Update PIN* form opens.

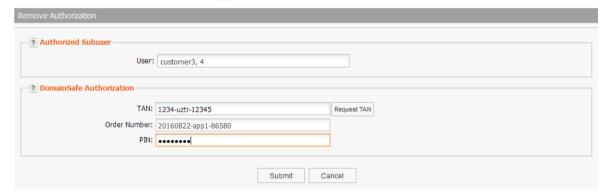


- Enter the new safe PIN in the form fields New PIN and PIN Confirmation. A valid DomainSafe PIN consists of 6-10 characters and must contain special characters, lower case and upper case letters.
- 6. Enter you old PIN in the field Old PIN.
- 7. Click **Submit** to send the request.

Withdrawing DomainSafe Authorization from a User

- 1. ClickDomainSafe Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click the tab Authorized Users.
- 3. Select the user you want to withdraw authorization from.
- 4. Click Remove Authorization.

The Remove Authorization form opens



5. Click Request TAN.

TAN and order ID are sent to the mobile phone number, stored for the DomainSafe account. The order ID is additionally entered automatically in the respective form field.

- 6. Enter the TAN.
- Enter your PIN.
- 8. Click Submit to send the request.

Removing Domains from DomainSafe

NOTE

The removal of a domain from the DomainSafe has to be confirmed by a TAN. Only authorized users can apply for a TAN.

- 1. Click DomainSafe Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the domain you want to remove in the *DomainSafe Management* overview.
- 3. Click **Remove from DomainSafe** in the toolbar.

The Remove from DomainSafe form opens

Removing Domain from DomainSafe		
Domain Data		
Domain Name:	example.com	
? DomainSafe Authorization		
TAN:	Gur2D?nk3d	Request TAN
Order Number:	20160823-app3-57602	
PIN:	•••••	
	Submit Cancel	

Form section details:

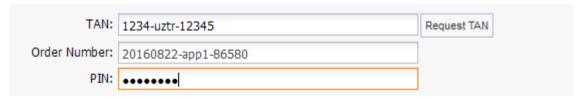
Domain Data



Domain Name

You can see the selected domain here.

DomainSafe Authorization



This authorization is required every time you change data and also to remove the domain from DomainSafe and for all subuser actions.

- 1. Click *Request TAN* to get a TAN. TAN and Order ID are send to you via SMS.
- 2. The Order ID is additionally entered into the field by the system.
- 3. Enter your PIN
- 4. Click **Submit** to send the request.

6.9 EXTERNAL DOMAINS

Displaying External Domains

In the area *External Domains* you can create a list of your external domains, i.e. those we do not administrate for you.

In the .CSV domain lists your external domains will be listed at the end of the file. They are marked as "external".

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 1. Select *External Domains* in the *Tools* item list.

The External Domains list will be displayed.

Using the buttons in the toolbar you can create, edit and remove external domain entries.

Creating an External Domain Entry

- 1. Click Domain Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- Select External Domains in the Tools item list.
- 3. Click **New** in the toolbar.

Entry fields are displayed at the top of the list.

These entry fields are displayed:

- 1. **Domain:** enter the domain name. The entry is required.
- 2. **Provider:** enter the provider who administrates the domain
- 3. **Description:** enter details which are helpful for you
- 4. **Created:** enter the registration date of the domain. If you want you can enter another date, which is more important for you, e.g. the end of the registration period.

Editing an External Domain Entry

- 1. Click *Domain Management* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*.
- 2. Select External Domains in the Tools item list.
- 3. Select the domain you want to edit.
- 4. Click Edit in the toolbar.

Entry fields are displayed at the top of the list.

Now you can edit the contents.

These entry fields are displayed:

- 1. **Domain:** the domain name. The entry is required.
- 2. **Provider:** you can change the provider who administrates the domain
- 3. **Description:** you can change the details which are helpful for you
- Created: you can change registration date of the domain. If you want you can enter another date, which is more important for you, e.g. the end of the registration period.

Removing an External Domain Entry

With this action you remove an external domain from the list. It will no longer be in a .CSV domain list.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Select External Domains in the Tools item list.
- 3. Select the domain you want to remove from the list.
- 4. Click **Remove** in the toolbar.

6.10 DOMAIN BACKORDERING

The following functions are available for domain backordering

- Specifying domain contacts and nameservers for your backorder requests:
 menu group User Management, menu item User Settings item Backorder Settings.
- Displaying an overview of the existing backorder requests: menu group *Domain Backorders*, menu item *Backorder Management*.
- Creating .a CSV file of the existing backorder requests:
 menu group *Domain Backorders*, menu item *Backorder Management*,
 pull-down-menu *Tools* in the toolbar, menu item *Inventory List*, menu item *Backorder Domains as .CSV File*.
- Displaying an overview of the .CO-Domains, that are available for backordering: menu group *Domain Backorders*, menu item .CO Backorder-Domains.
- Creating a .CSV file of .CO-Domains, that are available for backordering: menu group *Domain Backorders*, menu item .CO Backorder-Domains, pull-down menu *Tools* in the toolbar, menu item *Inventory List*, menu item *Backorder-Domains as .CSV File*.
- Creating .CO backorder requests: menu group *Domain Backorders*, menu item .CO Backorder-Domains, button.

NOTE

Please note that you have to enter domain contacts and nameservers into the **Backorder Settings** form before creating backorder requests. The **Backorder Settings** are in the menu group **User Management**, menu entry **User Settings**, section **Backorder Settings**.

NOTE

Please be aware that backorder requests are binding and associated with costs. For price details please download the current price list in the *Customer Center*.

Edit Backorder Settings

In the area *Edit Backorder Settings* you can enter the domain contacts and the nameservers you want to use for your backorder requests. To carry out backorder requests all domain contacts and at least one nameserver have to be specified.

NOTE

Please be aware that all used domain contacts require .CO TLD references. If the TLD references are missing an error message is displayed. Below, the creation of TLD references is described.

- 1. Log in as the user whose backorder settings you want to edit.
- 2. Click *User Configuration* in the menu group *User Management*.
- 3. Click Backorder Settings in the main area.

The form Edit Backorder Settings opens.



Backorder Settings

You can specify the default values for the domain contacts and nameservers, you want to use for backordering, here.

Enter the domain contact IDs for OwnerC, AdminC, TechC and ZoneC.

You can:

- enter the domain contact id into the form field.
- click the Create Contact button to create new domain contacts, See Creating Domain Contacts
- click the Search Contact button to search for domain contacts, See: "The Search Contact Dialog" on page 26.

Enter at least one nameserver.

You also can specify to which degree the entries are automatically taken over by the subuser forms.

You can choose:

- OPTIONAL: the subusers see an empty entry field.
- RECURSE: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser can edit them.
- FIX: the defaults are taken over by the subuser. The subuser cannot edit them.

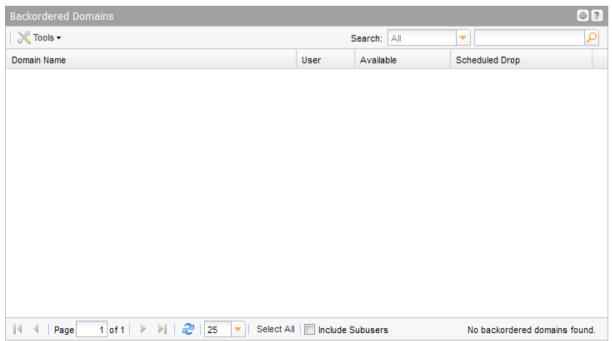
Click Save to submit the settings

6.11 BACKORDER MANAGEMENT

Backorder requests overview

In the Backorder Domains overview all domains are listed you have started a backorder request for.

 Click Backorder Management in the Domain Backorders menu group to see all your backordered domains.



The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: the domain that can be backordered
- User: the user the request object belongs to
- Available: date of cancelation and availability of the domain
- Scheduled Drop: Date on which the domain is deleted if its not re-registered by backordering

The following tasks can be started in the *Tools* menu:

Create .CSV inventory list

Search details:

- By default all your backorder domains are displayed here. To display backorder domains starting from a specified date, select the date in the list next to the search field.
- 2. Enter the search string into the **Search** field. To search parts of words use "*" as wildcard.
- Click to display the search results.
- Click to display all entries again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

Creating a .CSV Inventory List of your Backorder Domains

The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

- 1. Click Backorder Management in the menu group Domain Backorder.
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar and then Inventory List.



- 3. Click Backorder Domains as .CSV File
- 4. When the list has been created, a dialog is displayed. Select if you want to open or save the list.

6.12 .CO DOMAIN BACKORDERING

Since August 2011, a backorder process is available that allows to register .CO domains that are entering the "Pending Delete" phase. The .CO registry launches a 15-day "Redemption Period" in case of deletion of a domain. Then, the status of the domain changes to a 5-day "pending delete" phase.

The .CO domains that are pending deletion ("Redemption Period") and .CO domains disposable for backordering are displayed 15 days prior to their deletion in the overview of the .CO backorders. Domains that are not restored by the current registrar, may be ordered after the redemption period from any authorized registrar. Following a first-come-first-served basis, the first registrar who submits the backorder will receive the domain.

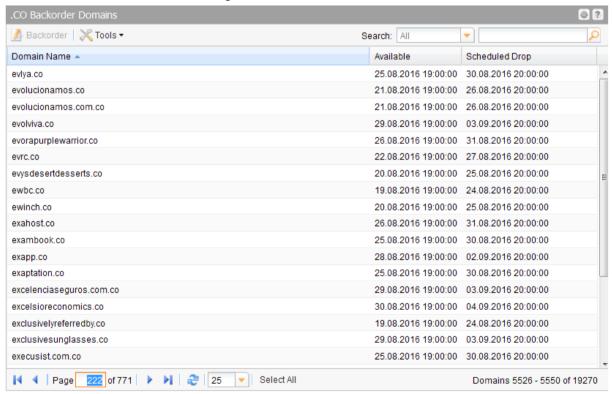
If the registration was successful, the domain will be assigned to you after the 5-day "pending delete" phase.

If the domain was not supposed to be deleted but to be restored, you will be notified in case you have provided a backorder for the domain.

Overview of the Available .CO Backorder Domains

In the area .CO Backorder Domains all .CO Domains that are available for backordering are listed. You can start your backorder requests here.

1. Click .CO Backorders Domains in the menu group Domain Backorders. The domains that are available for domain backordering are listed in the .CO Backorder Domains overview.



The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: the domain that can be backordered
- Available: date of cancelation and availability of the domain
- Scheduled Drop: Date on which the domain is deleted if its not re-registered by backordering.
 If you have registered the domain, it will appear in the list of your backorder domains at this moment.

The following tasks can be started in the *Tools* menu:

Create .CSV inventory list

Search .CO backorder domains in the overview:

- By default all available backorder domains are displayed. To display backorder domains starting from a specified date, select the date in the list next to the search field.
- 2. Enter the search string into the **Search** field. To search parts of words use "*" as wildcard.
- Click to display the search results. 3.
- Click to display all entries again. 4

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area User Configuration/User Interface of the User Management menu item.

In the form section **Overview Settings** you can select:

- Don't display Data automatically: the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- Always display Subuser Data: the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section Global Settings. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.



Creating .CO Backorder Requests

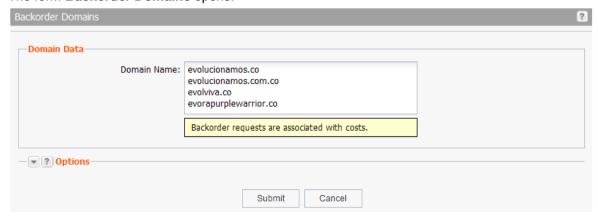
With domain backordering you can send a registration request for domains which are to be deleted by the old registrar. Currently this function is only available for .CO domains.

NOTE

Please note that you have to enter domain contacts and nameservers into the Backorder Settings form before creating backorder requests. The Backorder Settings are in the menu group User Management, menu entry User Settings, section Backorder Settings.

- 1. Click .CO Backorder in the menu group Domain Backorder.
- Select the domain you want to backorder in the overview .CO Backorder Domains .Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- Click the button Backorder in the toolbar.

The form **Backorder Domains** opens.



Click **Submit** to start the request.

When you have ordered the domain it will no longer be displayed in the .**CO Backorders** overview, because only one request for a domain is accepted (First-come-first-served).

NOTE

Please be aware that backorder requests are binding and associated with costs. For price details please download the current price list in the *Customer Center*.

Creating a .CSV file of the .CO-Backorder Domains

The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

- 1. Click .CO Backorders in the menu group Domain Backorders.
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar and then Inventory List.



- 3. Click Backorder Domains as .CSV.
- 4. When the list has been created, a dialog is displayed. Select if you want to open or save the list.

6.13 RESTORING DELETED DOMAINS

The domain restore function enables you to reactivate previously deleted domains within a certain timeframe. The restored domains are then returned to the domain overview page.

Domain Restore Overview

In the *Domain Restore Overview* you can see all deleted domains that can be restored.

Restorable TLDs

.ag,.asia,.biz,.bz,.ca,.cc,.co,.com, .de,

.in.,info,.it,.jobs,.hn,.lc,.me,.mn,.mobi,.mx,.net,.org,.pro,.sc,.tv,.travel,.us,.vc,.xxx and all new gTLDs.

Domains & Contacts > Domain Management > menu Tools > Domain Restore Management

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- Select Domain Restore Management in the Tools item list.

The **Domain Restore Overview** will be displayed.

The following details are displayed in the overview:

- Name: the domain name
- Action: the restore phase in which the domain currently is
 - ARGP: (Auto Renew Grace Period): Restoring the domain is without costs.
 - RGP: (Redemption Grace Period): Restoring the domain is associated with costs.
 - Restore not expired: Domain is not yet expired. Restoring the domain is without costs.
- Status: the current domain status
- AuthInfo: AuthInfo of the domain
- Expire: the expire date of the domain

Select the domain and click the button **Restore** to open the **Domain Restore** form.

Domain Restore - Domains and Settings

You can enter the details for the domains you want to restore here.

Domains	The domains you have selected in the <i>Domain Restore</i> overview are listed here. You can add additional domains. Press <i>Ente</i> r to separate the entries.
Target User	You can assign a restored domain to another user here. Click to select the owner in a list. Click to enter the logged in user as owner.
I confirm that I accept all charges associated with restoring domains that are within the RGP restore phase. To view which domains are in the RGP restore phase, go back to the Domain Restore overview by clicking on the Cancel button below.	Activate the checkbox to restore domains in the RGP phase. Otherwise a restore is not possible.

6.14 TMCH

Introduction

In order to simplify the validation, protection and ultimately the registration of domains for trademark holders under the new gTLDs, ICANN has established the Trademark Clearinghouse (TMCH) as a mandatory service i.e. mechanism for the introduction of a new gTLD.

ICANN has prescribed the mandatory use of the TMCH for new gTLD Sunrise applications, giving trademark owners access to two services: simplified application processes during Sunrise phases and the Trademark Claims Service in new gTLD General Availability phases.

NOTE

For mark holders it is mandatory to use TMCH services for new gTLD sunrise applications.

Easier processes for all new gTLD Sunrise phases

In all Sunrise phases, trademark holders can protect their trademarks under the new gTLDs and get preference to register their trademark domains - as long as they meet the requirements of the respective registries. In order to do this, trademark rights must be validated by submitting all relevant trademark data to the TMCH. After the data is checked and verified by Deloitte (Validation Agent commissioned by ICANN), the TMCH Agent creates a so-called SMD file. This file contains all data concerning the trademark and serves as evidence of the required trademark rights. All registries have access to these files and can therefore process the Sunrise applications more efficiently.

Keep up-to-date with the Trademark Claims Service

In General Availability, domain registration follows the first-come, first-served principle and is open to anyone who meets the registration requirements of the relevant TLD. If an interested party registers a domain that corresponds to the trademark specified in the TMCH, the interested party receives a trademark claims notice and is informed that the registration of the term may infringe the rights of a third party. If the interested party nevertheless decides to carry out the registration, the affected trademark holder receives a so-called "Notification of Registered Name" (NORN) and is informed that the registration of the term may infringe his rights.

If the interested party abstains from a registration of the relevant domain, no NORN will be sent to the trademark owner. The Trademark Claims Service only applies the first 90 days of the General Availability phase after which the mark owner will not be informed any longer.

Trademark Clearinghouse (TMCH)

6.15 TMCH MANAGEMENT

TMCH Management

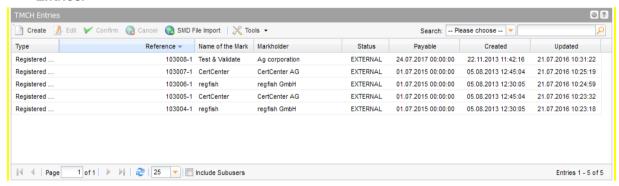
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TMCH Entries Overview

In the **TMCH Management** area you see the **TMCH Entries** overview with all registered marks and all functions for TMCH trademark management. All previously entered TMCH marks, both complete and ones which have been applied for, are displayed here. The status of the respective registration is shown in the status column. An overview of the statuses and their respective meanings and explanations can be found in the table "Overview of the TMCH Statuses".

 Click TMCH Management in the menu group Trademark Tools to see the overview TMCH Entries.



The following details are displayed in the overview:

- Reference: unique internal ID for the mark entry in the TMCH
- Name of the Mark: name of the mark you want to register in the TMCH
- Markholder: user who owns the mark object (can be hidden or shown)
- Status: the current status of your order
- User: the user to whom the mark object belongs(can be hidden or shown)
- Payable. due date of the mark entry
- Created: order date for the entry
- Updated: date on which the entry was last changed

The following tasks can be started in the tool bar:

- Create: order a TMCH entry for a mark
- Edit: change data of non-confirmed entries or add documents.
- Confirm: confirm an TMCH entry order which will then be charged to your account

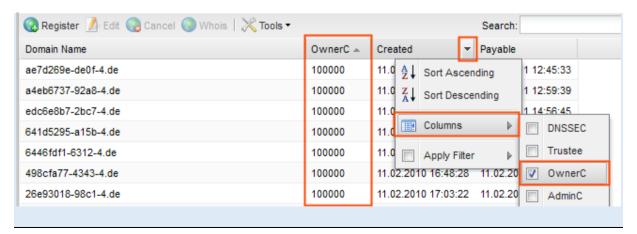
Overview of the TMCH Statuses

Status	Description	Email
ACTIVE	A successful TMCH registration request which has been approved by TMCH. The TMCH registration is active. An E-Mail is sent informing of the successful TMCH registration.	Yes
CANCELLED	A TMCH registration, which is to be canceled at the expiration date.	No
DEACTIVATED/ PENDING DELETE	The validation by TMCH failed. New registration requests and existing active registrations are validated yearly. In case that a registration expires with the status DEACTIVATED, it is removed from the TMCH management.	Yes
INCORRECT	An incomplete or invalid request which has to be corrected. The user will receive a notification via E-Mail with an appropriate comment describing the exact problem.	Yes
OPEN	A new TMCH registration request which can still be edited and has not been confirmed by the customer.	No
PAYMENT	A TMCH registration request configured for prepayment for which the payment has not been received. After receipt of the payment, the status will automatically change to PENDING.	No
PENDING	A TMCH registration request which has been confirmed and is queued to be processed.	No
RENEW	An existing TMCH registration was billed for the coming year 45 days before the due date. The renewal with TMCH automatically takes place as long as no cancelation was submitted.	No
SENT	A TMCH registration request which has successfully been sent to the Trademark Clearinghouse and whose validation is pending. It can take several weeks (3-5) for TMCH to validate the requests.	No
VERIFIED	A TMCH registration request that has been determined by the internal check routine to be free of errors and "complete". The request will now be sent to TMCH.	No
FAILED	Faulty request	Yes
EXTERNAL	The mark was imported into the system with an SMD file.	No

^{* &}quot;Yes" means, that an email is sent, when switching to this status. "No" means that no email is sent.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



Use the **Search** function in the tool bar of the **TMCH Entries** overview to search TMCH entries. Select a certain status in the **Search** list to filter the entries by status.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field. Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- Click Lot to have the corresponding entries displayed. 2
- Click to have all entries displayed again. 3.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area User Configuration/User Interface of the User Management menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- Don't display Data automatically: the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- Always display Subuser Data: the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section Global Settings. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.



Ordering TMCH Entry

You can order a TMCH entry of a mark or the right to a name with the form Order TMCH Entry.

- Click **Order TMCH Entry** in the menu group **Trademark Tools**.
- Fill in all mandatory fields in the form sections General Data and Trademark Holder. All mandatory fields are marked with "*".
- Click Submit.

Now the form section **Documents** where you can upload all required documents is displayed. Your order is now marked with the status *Open* in the *TMCH Entries* overview.

In order to bindingly send the registration request, you must confirm it first. The status of the order then changes to the status **Pending**.

Be aware that no more changes are possible after the confirmation.

Form section details:

General Data

General data for registered trademarks

General data for court validated marks

General data for marks that are protected by treaty or statute

General data for registered trademarks



Name of the Mark*	Name of the mark you want to register.
Mark Type*	Select the fitting mark type here.
	You can choose from: Registered Trademark Court validated (protected by an court order) Treaty or Statute (protected by a treaty or statutes.
Period*	Select the duration for the TMCH entry here. You can choose 1, 3 or 5 years.
Detailed Description of Goods and Services*	Enter a detailed description of the goods or services here. This description must comply with the trade mark register entry .
Registration Number*	Enter the registration number of your mark here.
Registration Date*	Enter the registration date of your mark here.
Jurisdiction*	Enter the jurisdiction here.
NICE Classification of Goods and Services*	Enter the fitting classes of the NICE classification here.
Expiration Date	Enter the expiration date of the mark registration here.
Sunrise Service	Activate the checkbox if you want to use the Sunrise Service.
Trademark Claims Service	Activate this checkbox to receive a message, in the case when someone registers a domain name containing your mark name.
Extended Trademark Claims Service	The Extended Trademark Claims Service permanently informs the holder of the Trademark about domains that are being registered and potentially violates their Trademark. The service is always automatically activated when selecting "Trademark-Claims-Service".

General data for court validated marks



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Mark Type*	Select the fitting mark type here.
	You can choose from: Registered Trademark Court validated (protected by an court order) Treaty or Statute (protected by a treaty or statutes.
Detailed Description of Goods and Service*	Enter a detailed description of the goods or services here. This description must comply with the trade mark register entry .
Trademark Protection*	Select the date on which the protection starts.
Protection Country*	Select the country in which the mark is protected.
Court Name*	Enter the name of the local jurisdiction in which the protection of the mark was granted.
Court Reference*	Enter the court reference of the court decision.
Sunrise Service	Activate the checkbox if you want to use the Sunrise Service.
Trademark Claims Service	Activate this checkbox to receive a message, in the case when someone registers a domain name containing your mark name.
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General data for marks that are protected by treaty or statute



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Mark Type*	Select the fitting mark type here.
	You can choose from: Registered Trademark Court validated (protected by an court order) Treaty or Statute (protected by a treaty or statutes.
Duration (in Years)*	Select the duration for the TMCH entry here. You can choose 1, 3 or 5 years.
Detailed Description of Goods and Service*	Enter a detailed description of the goods or services here. This description must comply with the trade mark register entry .
Trademark Protection*	Select the date on which the protection starts.
Court Reference*	Enter the court reference number of the treaty or statute.
Trademark Treaty Title*	Enter the title of the treaty or statute
Effective Date*	Enter the fitting classes of the NICE classification here.
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Trademark Holder



You can enter all data concerning the trademark holder here. Form fields marked with "*" are mandatory.

Status of the Holder *	Select the trademark holder status here. You can choose from: Owner Licensee Assignee Depending on the status, the system will display the input fields and/or graphical elements for the file upload for the required documents in the document section.
Name*	Name of the trademark holder.
Organization*	Organization of the trademark holder .
Street*	Street of the trademark holder.
Postal Code*	Postal code of the trademark holder.
City*	City of the trademark holder.
State	State of the trademark holder.
Country*	Country of the trademark holder.
Email (Trademark Claims Service)*	Email address of the trademark holder that is to be used for the Trademark Claim Service notification email.
Phone	Phone number of the trademark holder.
Fax	Fax number of the trademark holder.

Uploading TMCH Documents

The required documents for the order of your TMCH registration can be directly uploaded after you have submitted an order. As soon as you have clicked on the *Submit* button, an additional section for the documents is displayed at the bottom of the order form.

Alternatively you can choose an already existing TMCH registration from the **TMCH Entries** overview page and click on **Edit** to use the document section. See: "Updating TMCH Entries" on page 171. Which documents are needed depend on the type of mark, the status of the mark owner that you select in the form section "mark owner" and from the selected services.

NOTE

Please verify first, that you have selected the correct *Mark Type* (form section *General Data*) and the correct *Status of the Holder* (form section *Trademark Holder*). Depending on the status, the system will display the input fields and/or graphical elements for the file upload for the required documents in the document section.

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NOTE

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Documents

In this section you can upload all of the documents that are relevant for the registration of the trademark in the TMCH system. The visual elements for the upload process are displayed depending on the status of the trademark owner.

NOTE

Documents which are marked with a "*" are mandatory and have to be uploaded.

Click on the button *Upload File* next to the respective document type, choose the file from your local hard drive to be uploaded and complete the process by clicking on *Upload*.

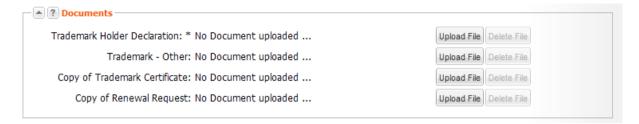
Click on the link to the corresponding trademark type for the description to the documents which have to be uploaded.

Documents for registered trademarks

Documents for court validated trademarks

Documents for marks protected by treaty or statute

Documents for registered trademarks



Form section details:

Trademark Holder Declaration*	Upload the signed trademark holder declaration here.
Trademark - Other	Upload other trademark documents here.
Declaration of Proof of Use*	Required only if the Sunrise Service is activated. Upload the declaration of proof of use here.
	NOTE Registered trademark owners wishing to register new gTLD domains in the sunrise phase must submit a declaration stating that the submitted trademark is currently in use as well as that the information is correct and complete.
Proof of Use - Other*	Required only if the Sunrise Service is activated. Upload other documents for proof of use here.
Copy of Trademark Certificate	Upload a copy of the trademark certificate here.
Renewal Request	Upload a copy of your renewal request for the TMCH entry here.
Trademark Licensee Declaration*	Additional required form for licensees: Trademark Licensee Declaration.
	Upload the trademark licensee declaration here.

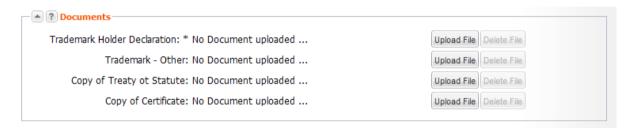
Documents for court validated marks



Trademark Holder Declaration*	Upload the signed trademark holder declaration here.
Copy of the Court Order*	Upload a copy of the court order, by which the mark is protected, here.
Trademark Licensee	Additional required form for licensees: Trademark Licensee

Declaration*	Declaration Upload the trademark licensee declaration here.
Trademark Assignee Declaration*	Additional required form for assignees: Trademark Assignee Declaration Upload the trademark assignee declaration here.

Documents protected by treaty or statute



Trademark Holder Declaration*	Upload the signed trademark holder declaration here.
Trademark - Other	Upload other trademark documents here.
Copy of Treaty or Statute	Upload a copy of the treaty or statutes, by which the mark is protected, here.
Trademark Certificate	Upload a copy of the trademark certificate here.
Trademark Licensee Declaration*	Additional required form for licensees: Trademark Licensee Declaration Upload the trademark licensee declaration here.
Trademark Assignee Declaration*	Additional required form for assignees: Trademark Assignee Declaration Upload the trademark assignee declaration here.

Updating TMCH Entries

With this form you can edit the data of an existing TMCH entry and upload the documents that are required for the entry.

NOTE

Please be aware that you can edit only the data of an order if it has not yet been confirmed. An editable entry has the status "open" or "incorrect".

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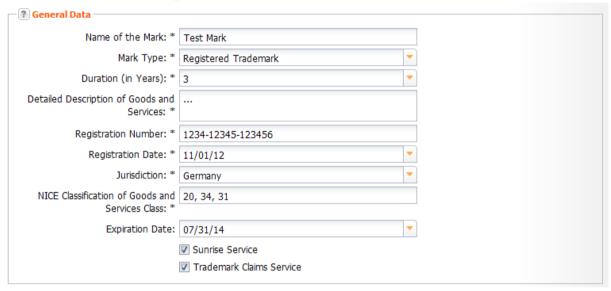
General Data

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General data for registered trademarks



Name of the Mark*	Name of the mark you want to register.
Mark Type*	Select the fitting mark type here.
	You can choose from: Registered Trademark Court validated (protected by an court order) Treaty or Statute (protected by a treaty or statutes.
Period*	Select the duration for the TMCH entry here. You can choose 1, 3 or 5 years.
Detailed Description of Goods and Services*	Enter a detailed description of the goods or services here. This description must comply with the trade mark register entry.
Registration Number*	Enter the registration number of your mark here.
Registration Date*	Enter the registration date of your mark here.
Jurisdiction*	Enter the jurisdiction here.
NICE Classification of Goods and Services*	Enter the fitting classes of the NICE classification here.
Expiration Date	Enter the expiration date of the mark registration here.
Sunrise Service	Activate the checkbox if you want to use the Sunrise Service.

Trademark Claims Service	Activate this checkbox to receive a message, in the case when someone registers a domain name containing your mark name.
Extended Trademark Claims Service	The Extended Trademark Claims Service permanently informs the holder of the Trademark about domains that are being registered and potentially violates their Trademark. The service is always automatically activated when selecting "Trademark-Claims-Service".

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	You can choose from: Registered Trademark Court validated (protected by an court order) Treaty or Statute (protected by a treaty or statutes.
Detailed Description of Goods and Service*	Enter a detailed description of the goods or services here. This description must comply with the trade mark register entry .
Trademark Protection*	Select the date on which the protection starts.
Protection Country*	Select the country in which the mark is protected.
Court Name*	Enter the name of the local jurisdiction in which the protection of the mark was granted.
Court Reference*	Enter the court reference of the court decision.
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General data for marks that are protected by treaty or statute



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Mark Type*	Select the fitting mark type here.
	You can choose from: Registered Trademark Court validated (protected by an court order) Treaty or Statute (protected by a treaty or statutes.
Duration (in Years)*	Select the duration for the TMCH entry here. You can choose 1, 3 or 5 years.
Detailed Description of Goods and Service*	Enter a detailed description of the goods or services here. This description must comply with the trade mark register entry .
Trademark Protection*	Select the date on which the protection starts.
Court Reference*	Enter the court reference number of the treaty or statute.
Trademark Treaty Title*	Enter the title of the treaty or statute
Effective Date*	Enter the fitting classes of the NICE classification here.
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Trademark Holder



You can enter all data concerning the trademark holder here. Form fields marked with "*" are mandatory.

Status of the Holder *	Select the trademark holder status here. You can choose from: Owner Licensee Assignee Depending on the status, the system will display the input fields and/or graphical elements for the file upload for the required documents in the document section.
Name*	Name of the trademark holder.
Organization*	Organization of the trademark holder .
Street*	Street of the trademark holder.
Postal Code*	Postal code of the trademark holder.
City*	City of the trademark holder.
State	State of the trademark holder.
Country*	Country of the trademark holder.
Email (Trademark Claims Service)*	Email address of the trademark holder that is to be used for the Trademark Claim Service notification email.
Phone	Phone number of the trademark holder.
Fax	Fax number of the trademark holder.

Comment Log

All comments which were created by the TMCH-Agent in the course of the application are displayed here.

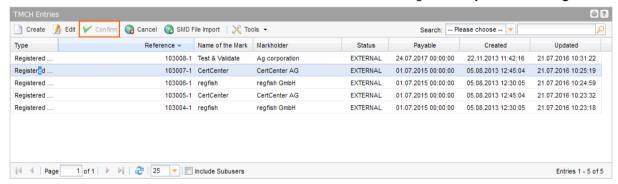


Confirming TMCH Entries

After you've submitted all data as complete as possible and to the best of your knowledge, you need to confirm the order. Not until then is it possible to send the data to the TMCH team for the verification process.

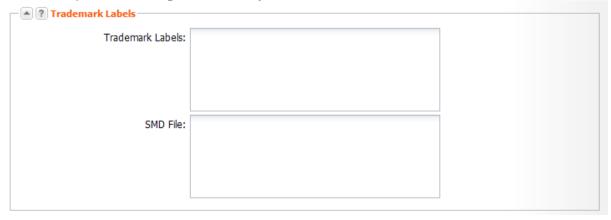
After your order confirmation, no more changes of any type can be made to the order.

- Click TMCH Management in the menu group Trademark Tools.
- Select the entry you want to confirm.
- 3. Click the *Confirm* button in the toolbar. The status will then change from *Open* to *Pending*.



Displaying Trademark Labels

The labels for your mark are variations of your trademark. These are assigned to you by the Trademark Clearinghouse. If you register new gTLDs in the Sunrise phase, all of these assigned labels are available for you to use. Up to a maximum of 20 labels can be assigned per mark. These labels are included with every registration. As soon as your registration has the status *Active*, you can see the complete list of assigned labels for your mark in this section.

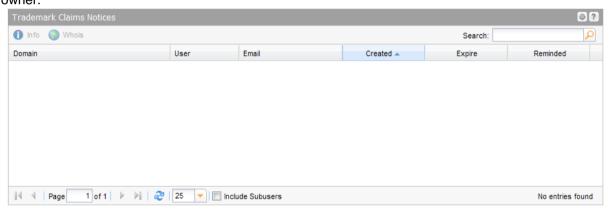


Form section details:

Trademark Labels	You can see all labels for your mark here. You can use all these labels to register new gTLDs for your mark name.
	Example:
	Mark name: My mark Label1:mymark Label2:my-mark
SMD File	You need the SMD file (Signed Mark Data) as a key to register new gTLDs in the sunrise phase. You have to add the file to the sunrise order that you send to the registry. As soon as TMCH has created the SMD file, it will be shown here and the status will change to <i>Active</i> . This process can take several weeks.

6.16 TRADEMARK CLAIMS NOTICES

In this overview all domains are listed for which the Trademark Claims Notice has been sent to the prospective domain owner.



The following details are displayed:

- Domain: Domain, for which the Trademark Claims Notice has been sent
- User: User to which the order belongs to
- Created: Date on which the Trademark Claims Notice has been sent for the first time.
- Expire: Date which the Trademark Claims Notice exceeds. (=15 days after the creation date) If the Trademark Claims Notice is not confirmed by the receiver within the allowed timeframe, a registration of the said domain will no longer be possible.
- Reminded: Date of the recent reminder email.

The following tasks can be started in the tool bar:

- Info: Data concerning domains and trademark labels especially infringed trademark rights is displayed.
- Resend: You can resend the Trademark Claims Notice manually to the prospective domain owner here. See: "Resending a Trademark Claims Notice manually" on page 178.
- Cancel: You can cancel open requests manually here.

The following tasks can be started in the Tools menu:

Exporting Trademark Claims Registrations as .CSV file

Resending a Trademark Claims Notice manually

You can resend a Trademark Claims Notification to the prospective domain owner manually.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar and select the entry Trademark Claims Notice.
 - The overview *Trademark Claims Registrations.* opens.
- 3. Select the desired entry.
- 4. Click the button Resend.

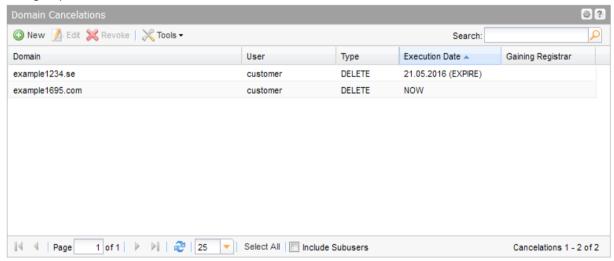
6.17 CANCELATION MANAGEMENT

You can administrate your domain cancelations in the *Cancelation Management* area. There are three types of cancelation: a cancelation (DELETE), a transit (TRANSIT) or the preacknowledgment of an outgoing transfer (PREACK).

You can create, update and delete cancelations here. Furthermore, you can start *Whois* requests here.

The current cancelations are displayed in the **Domain Cancelation** overview.

1. To display the *Domain Cancelations* overview click *Cancelation Management* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts.*



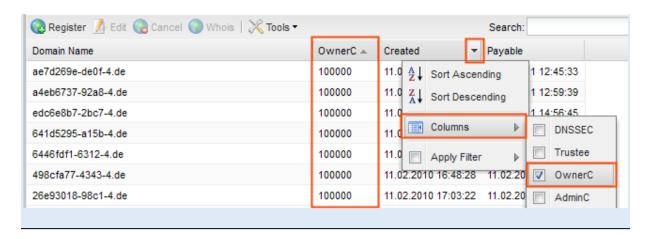
The following details are displayed:

- Domain: the name of the domain for which a delayed cancelation request exists
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Type: the cancelation type (delete, transit or preack)
- Execution Date: the date on which the cancelation will be executed
- Gaining Registrar: the future registrar (only for preack)
- Disconnect: will the domain be disconnected or not when cancelation is executed (only for transit).

Use the toolbar to create, edit or revoke domain cancelations. Use the button *Tools* to display the *AuthInfo* of a domain, list the *Whois* data or create a .CSV list of your cancelations.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- Click to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

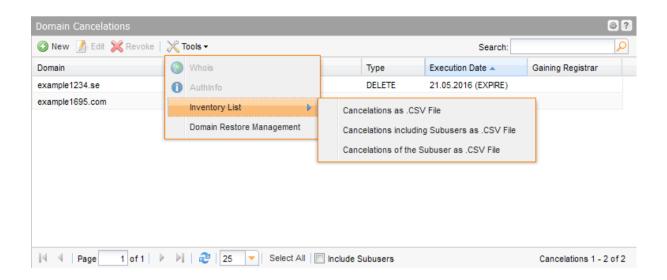
You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

<u>Creating a .CSV Inventory List of the active Domain</u> <u>Cancelations</u>

You can create inventory lists of your active domain cancelations in .CSV file format.

- 1. Click Cancelation Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select **Inventory List** in the menu.
- Select whether you want to create a list including or excluding subusers, or if you only want the cancelations of subusers.



The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

Cancelling Domains (DELETE)

- 1. Click Cancelation Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click New in the toolbar.

Or:

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Select the domains you want to cancel in the **Domain Management** overview. Press **Ctrl** for multi select. (For Mac users **cmd**) The domains will be entered in the domain name entry field.
- Click Cancel in the toolbar.

The *Create Cancelation* form opens.

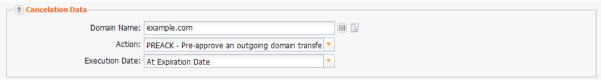


Form section details:

Cancelation Data

You can specify the domains to be canceled, the cancelation type and the execution date of the cancelation

here.



Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Action	You can see every action that is possible for all entered domains here. If

e.g. a transit is not supported for all TLDs *Transit* will not be displayed in the list. In this case, you can carry out the transit for these domains in another request.

Select *Delete* to cancel the domain.

Select *Transit* to give the domain back to the registry. Only possible for some TLDs (possible for some TLDs only, e.g. .de").

Select *Preack* to release the domain for a domain transfer in advance.

Execution Date

Select *Now* for immediate cancelation.

Select *At Expiration Date* to cancel the domain on the expiration date.

Select *Custom Date* to specify a cancelation date.

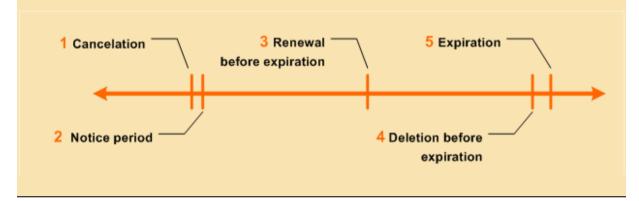
The calendar can be displayed by clicking in the form field.

Important target dates for domain cancelations

A domain can be canceled when carrying out the cancelation (immediately), at the end of the period of validity (expiration) or on a specified date.

When carrying out a cancelation, please note:

For each of these possible cancelation times 1, every TLD has different notice periods 2. Several registries may renew domains some time ahead of the expiration date 3. Due to administrative reasons, we may already delete domains specified for cancelation at expiration before 4 the actual end of the validity period (expiration) 5.



Note for a cancelation of the type Preack

A cancelation of the type Preack is not allowed, if an AuthInfo exists for the domain. The error message "AuthInfo 1 already exists" is displayed. Delete the AuthInfo and create the cancelation after that. See: "Deleting an AuthInfo" on page 113.

Treatment for existing Cancelations



You can specify whether existing cancelations are replaced or not here.

Entry details:

Action

Select *Create new Cancelations* to replace existing cancelations. If a cancelation already exists, you will get an error message.

Select *Replace existing Cancelations* to replace existing cancelations.

Giving a Domain back to the Registry (TRANSIT)

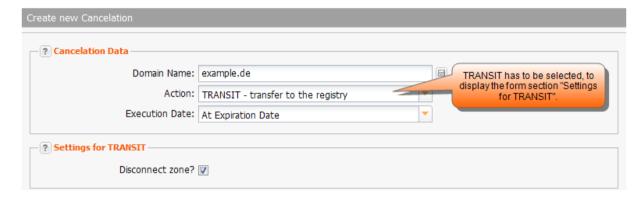
A domain transit is a kind of cancelation. Executing a transit means giving the domain back to the registry. Only some TLDs support this task, e.g. .de.

- 1. Click Cancelation Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click **New** in the toolbar.

The *Create New Cancelation* form opens.

3. Select TRANSIT in the Action item list.

The form section **Settings for TRANSIT** will be displayed.



Form section details:

Cancelation Data

You can specify the domains to be canceled, the cancelation type and the execution date of the cancelation

here.



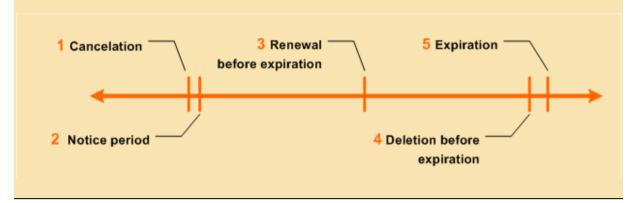
Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Action	You can see every action that is possible for all entered domains here. If e.g. a transit is not supported for all TLDs <i>Transit</i> will not be displayed in the list. In this case, you can carry out the transit for these domains in another request. Select <i>Delete</i> to cancel the domain. Select <i>Transit</i> to give the domain back to the registry. Only possible for some TLDs (possible for some TLDs only, e.gde"). Select <i>Preack</i> to release the domain for a domain transfer in advance.
Execution Date	Select <i>Now</i> for immediate cancelation. Select <i>At Expiration Date</i> to cancel the domain on the expiration date. Select <i>Custom Date</i> to specify a cancelation date. The calendar can be displayed by clicking in the form field.

Important target dates for domain cancelations

A domain can be canceled when carrying out the cancelation (immediately), at the end of the period of validity (expiration) or on a specified date.

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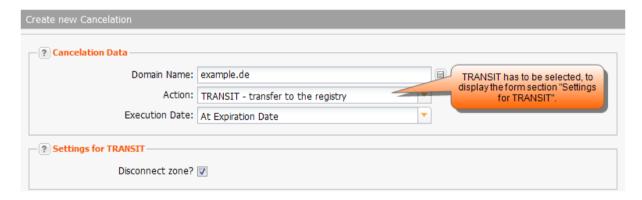
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Settings for Transit



You can specify if the zone will be disconnected or not here.

NOTE

If the zone is disconnected, the domain will not be reachable

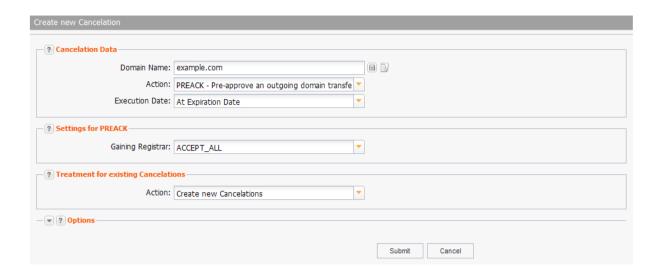
Disconnect Zone?

Select the checkbox to disconnect the zone.

<u>Preacknowledging an outgoing Transfer (PREACK)</u>

- 1. Click Cancelation Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Click **New** in the toolbar.
- Select PREACK in the Action item list.

The form *Create Cancelation* opens.



Form section details:

Cancelation Data

You can specify the domains to be canceled, the cancelation type and the execution date of the cancelation

here.



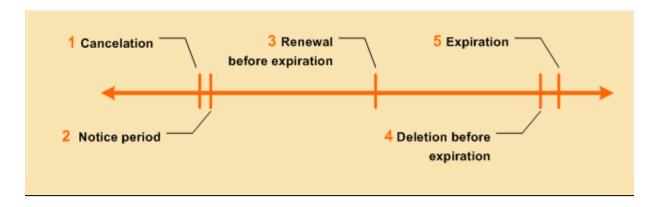
Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Action	You can see every action that is possible for all entered domains here. If e.g. a transit is not supported for all TLDs <i>Transit</i> will not be displayed in the list. In this case, you can carry out the transit for these domains in another request. Select <i>Delete</i> to cancel the domain. Select <i>Transit</i> to give the domain back to the registry. Only possible for some TLDs (possible for some TLDs only, e.gde"). Select <i>Preack</i> to release the domain for a domain transfer in advance.
Execution Date	Select <i>Now</i> for immediate cancelation. Select <i>At Expiration Date</i> to cancel the domain on the expiration date. Select <i>Custom Date</i> to specify a cancelation date. The calendar can be displayed by clicking in the form field.

Important target dates for domain cancelations

A domain can be canceled when carrying out the cancelation (immediately), at the end of the period of validity (expiration) or on a specified date.

When carrying out a cancelation, please note:

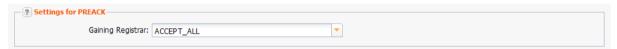
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Note for a cancelation of the type Preack

A cancelation of the type Preack is not allowed, if an AuthInfo exists for the domain. The error message "AuthInfo 1 already exists" is displayed. Delete the AuthInfo and create the cancelation after that. See: "Deleting an AuthInfo" on page 113.

Settings for PREACK

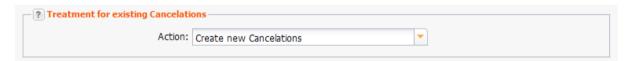


You can specify the registrar the domain will be transferred to here. To display the form section **Settings for Preack**, select the cancelation type **Preack** in the **Action** item list.

Gaining Registrar

Select ACCEPT_ALL to accept any registrar. For some TLDs (.de and .uk) the list contains registrars too. In this case, you have the possibility to select the gaining registrar, to make sure that the domain can only be transferred to this registrar.

Treatment for existing Cancelations



You can specify whether existing cancelations are replaced or not here.

Entry details:

Action

Select *Create new Cancelations* to replace existing cancelations. If a cancelation already exists, you will get an error message.

Select *Replace existing Cancelations* to replace existing cancelations.

Editing Domain Cancelations

- 1. Click Cancelation Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the cancelation you want to edit. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The *Edit Cancelation* form opens.



Form section details:

Cancelation Data

You can specify the domains to be canceled, the cancelation type and the execution date of the cancelation

here.



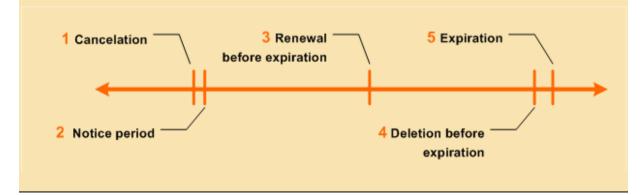
Domain Name	Enter the domain name here.
Action	You can see every action that is possible for all entered domains here. If e.g. a transit is not supported for all TLDs <i>Transit</i> will not be displayed in the list. In this case, you can carry out the transit for these domains in another request. Select <i>Delete</i> to cancel the domain. Select <i>Transit</i> to give the domain back to the registry. Only possible for some TLDs (possible for some TLDs only, e.gde"). Select <i>Preack</i> to release the domain for a domain transfer in advance.
Execution Date	Select <i>Now</i> for immediate cancelation. Select <i>At Expiration Date</i> to cancel the domain on the expiration date. Select <i>Custom Date</i> to specify a cancelation date. The calendar can be displayed by clicking in the form field.

Important target dates for domain cancelations

A domain can be canceled when carrying out the cancelation (immediately), at the end of the period of validity (expiration) or on a specified date.

When carrying out a cancelation, please note:

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A cancelation of the type Preack is not allowed, if an AuthInfo exists for the domain. The error message "AuthInfo 1 already exists" is displayed. Delete the AuthInfo and create the cancelation after that. See: "Deleting an AuthInfo" on page 113.

Deleting a Domain Cancelation

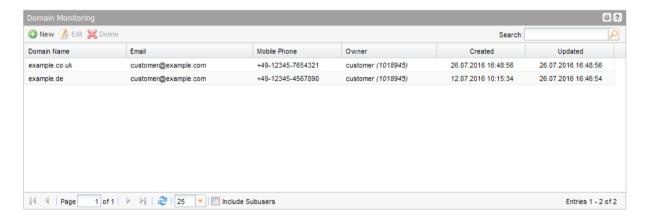
- 1. Click Cancelation Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the cancelation you want to delete. Press *Ctrl* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the request.

6.18 DOMAIN MONITORING

Domain Monitoring automatically informs you about status changes for domains which have been entered into the list. The monitoring checks for the following changes: cancelation(s), removal of a domain from your inventory (domain away) and domain contact verification (OwnerC verification). As soon as one of these incident takes place, which could lead to the loss or deactivation of the affected domain, you will be notified via email and SMS. The costs for the **Domain Monitoring** can be found in the domain price list.

In the **Domain Monitoring** overview all domains, which are currently monitored are listed.

 To display the *Domain Monitoring* overview click *Monitoring Domain* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts.*



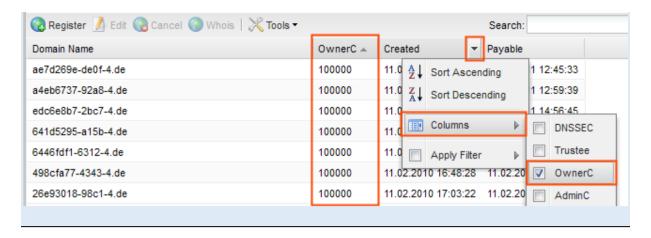
The following information is displayed for the domains:

- Domain Name: the name of the domain the monitoring service is used for.
- Email: in the case of status changes an email is sent to this addresses.
- Mobile Phone: in the case of status changes an SMS will be sent to this phone number.
- Created: the date on which the domain was added to the monitoring service.
- Updated: the date on which the domain details were last updated.

Use the toolbar to create, edit or cancel domain monitoring entries.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click P to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section Overview Settings you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- **Always display Subuser Data:** the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

Add new Domains to the Domain Monitoring

- 1. Click **Domain Monitoring** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Click **New** in the toolbar of the overview **Domain Monitoring.**

The Create new Domain Monitoring Entry form opens.

Form section details:

Domain Data



Enter the required details for the domains you want to have monitored here. You can run bulk request too.

Entry details:

Domain Name	Enter the domain names of the domains, you want to have monitored, here. For bulk request press <i>Enter</i> after each domain tor click the <i>Bulk Mode</i> link. Click the icon, if you want to use an existing domain list.
Email Notification	Enter one or several email addresses, to which a email should be send in the case of status changes, here. Press <i>Enter</i> to separate the entries.
SMS Notification	Enter a mobile phone number (format +12-12345-12345678), to which an email should be send in the case of status changes, here.

Update Entries in the Domain Monitoring overview

- 1. Click **Domain Monitoring** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Select the desired domain in the **Domain Monitoring** overview.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The *Edit new Domain Monitoring Entry* form opens.

Form Section Details:

Domain Data



You can change the domain data for the monitored domain here.

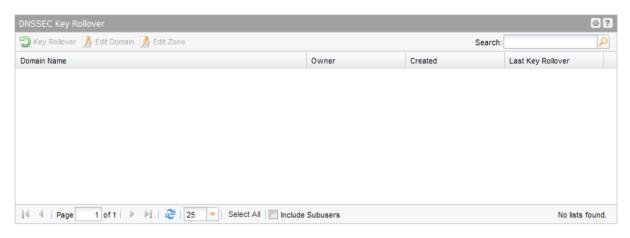
Entry details:

Domain Name	You can see the domain you are currently editing here.
Email Notification	You can edit the email addresses, to which an email should be send in the case of status changes, here. Press <i>Enter</i> to separate the entries.
SMS Notification	You can edit the mobile phone number (format +12-12345-12345), to which an email should be send in the case of status changes here.

DNSSEC Key Rollover

In the area **DNSSEC Key Rollover** you can carry out the Key Rollover for your DNSSEC signed files. The overview lists all DNSSEC signed NodeSecure Domains.

- 1. Click **Domain Management** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts**.
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar and select the DNSSEC Key Rollover.



NOTE

The key rollover can only be done once a month.

The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: name of the domain
- Owner: The owner, the object belongs to.
- Created: Date of the DNSSEC signing
- Last Key Rollover: date of the last Key Rollover for this domain

Carrying out a key rollover

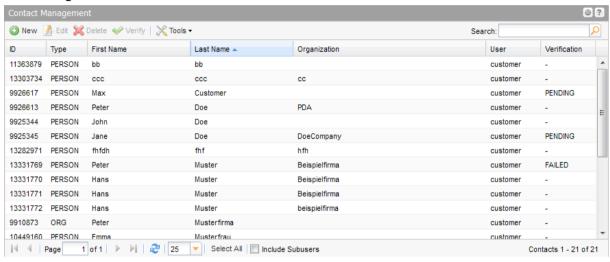
- Select the desired domain
- Click the Key Rollover button.

7 Contact Management

7.1 CONTACT MANAGEMENT

The area *Contact Management* is the control area for your domain contacts. All domain contact tasks can be carried out here. All domain contacts are displayed in the overview.

 Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts to see the Contact Management overview.



The following details are displayed:

- ID: the ID number for the domain contact. When creating a new contact, the system automatically generates an ID for the contact.
- Type: here you see the contact type (person, role or organization)
- First Name: first name of the contact
- Last Name: last name of the contact
- Organization: the organization of the contact
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Verification: status of the domain contact verification Possible statuses are:

SUCCESS = verification was successful

FAILED = verification was not successful

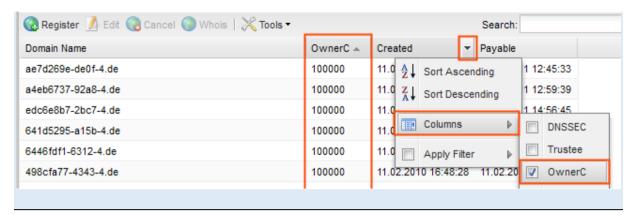
PENDING = verification process is not yet finished

If the verification process was not yet started the character "-" is displayed. See: "An email including a link to a confirmation website is sent now to the selected contact." on page 221.

Use the icons in the toolbar to create, edit and delete contacts. With the button *Verify* you can verify the domain contacts.

TIP: Show and hide columns with details

You can display additional columns in all overviews. Please click the small arrow next to a header label. Click the entry *Columns* in the drop-down menu and activate the checkboxes in front of those columns you want to display.



The following tasks can be started in the *Tools* menu:

- Click **Copy Data** to copy the data of an existing contact, edit and save it as a new contact. See: "Creating a new Contact by copying existing Contact Data" on page 207.
- Click **Contact Usage** to display all domains the contact is used for. See: "Displaying the Domains a Contact is used for" on page 193.
- Click **Change Object Owner** to switch to the **Object User Assignment** tool and assign objects to the selected contact. See: "Object User Assignment" on page 310.
- Inventory List: create a .CSV inventory list of your contacts. See: "Creating an .CSV Inventory List of your Contacts (.CSV)" on page 193.
- Contact verification: verificating the domain owner. See: "An email including a link to a confirmation website is sent now to the selected contact." on page 221.

If you create a new domain contact, the system generates a unique ID number. Additionally, the registries generate a NIC handle for their system. TLD references connect the contact in the system and the NIC handles at the registries.

Searching certain entries:

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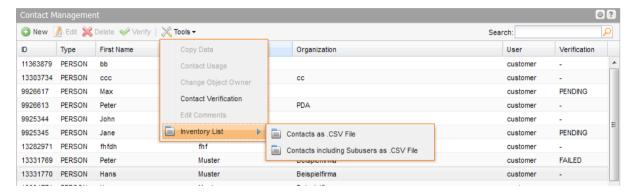
To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

7.2 DISPLAYING DOMAIN CONTACTS

<u>Creating an .CSV Inventory List of your Contacts (.CSV)</u>

The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

- 1. Click **Domain Contacts** in the menu group **Domains & Contacts.**
- 2. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select the entry **Inventory List**.
- Select whether you want to create a list including or excluding subusers or if you want to only get the registrations of the subusers.

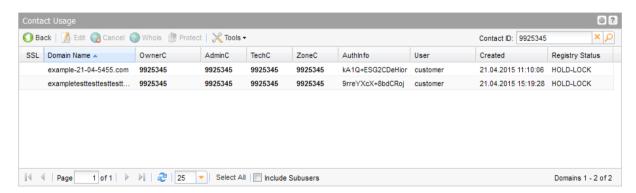


Displaying the Domains a Contact is used for

- Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to display.
- 3. Click Tools in the toolbar.
- Click Contact Usage in the menu.

The **Contact Usage** overview opens. It displays all domains the selected contact is used for.

You can check which domain a domain contact is used for in the area Contact Usage here.



The following details are displayed:

- Domain Name: the domain name the contact is used for.
- OwnerC, AdminC, TechC, ZoneC: the contact IDs for the used contacts; the selected contact is formatted bold.
- User: the user the domain object belongs to.
- Created: when the domain was created.

You can edit the selected domain with the icons in the toolbar, cancel it or see the Whois entry. You can start several tasks in the *Tools* menu.

- Click the icon next to the Contact ID search field to see all domains and their contacts.
- Enter the contact ID into the **Contact ID** search field and click the licon to see the Domains of another contact.

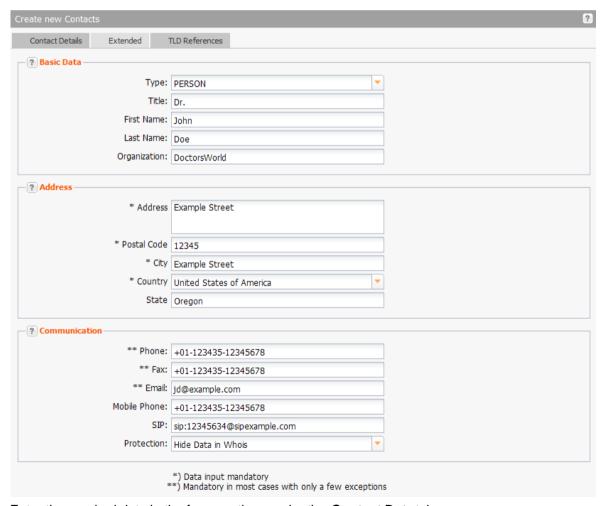
7.3 CREATING DOMAIN CONTACTS

- Click Create Contact in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
 Or:
- Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts and click New in the toolbar.

The Create Contact form opens.

NOTE

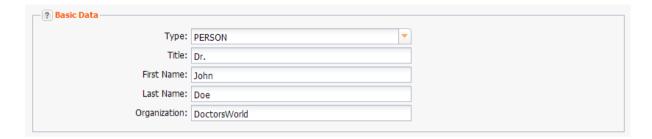
For form fields marked with "*" data input is mandatory. For form fields marked with "**" data input is mandatory in most cases.



2. Enter the required data in the form sections under the *Contact Data* tab.

Form section details:

Basic Data



Entry details:

Comment	You can enter an comment for the contact here.
Title	Enter your title here, e.g. "Dr." or "Prof.".
First Name	Enter first name here.
Last Name	Enter last name here.
Organization	Enter company name here.

Address



Entry details:

Address	Enter address here (street and house number).
Postal Code	Enter postal code here.
City	Enter city name here.
Country	Select a country.
State	Enter the state here.
	NOTE This primarily applies to the federal states of the United States of America. Registering a .it domain using an Italian OwnerC, you have to enter the abbreviation for the Italian province here. For the correct abbreviation see the list of provinces in the Customer Center (Help/Documents and Downloads/TLD Information).

Communication

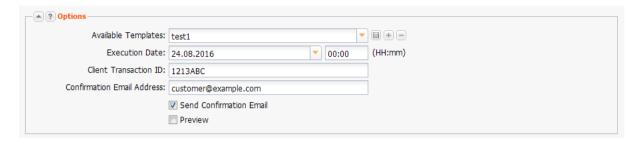


You can enter the contact details for the domain contact here.

Entry details:

Phone	Enter phone number here (Format: +49-1234-123456).
Fax	Enter fax number here (Format +49-1234-123456).
Email	Enter email address.
Mobile Phone	Enter mobile phone number here (Format +49-1234-123456).
SIP	Enter SIP address here. SIP addresses are similar to email addresses and have the additional prefix "sip". Example: sip:123@example.com
Protection	Select the protection level here. This is possible for some TLDs only. The protection level determines, which data is displayed in the Whois data. Show Data in Whois: all data is displayed. Hide Data in Whois: Some data is not displayed, e.g. email address, phone number and fax number (Referring to the registry and its use of handles).
	NOTE You have to fill in all text fields on the form even if you select "Hide Data in Whois" here.

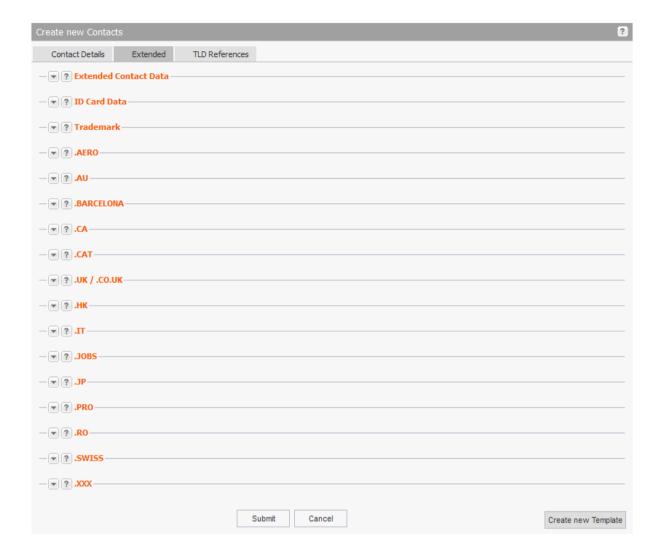
Options



Entry details:

Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

3. Some TLDs require additional information for domain contacts. Click the tab *Extended* to enter the data.



Form section details:

Extended Contact Data



Entry details:

Gender	Select the gender here.
UIN (Travel)	Enter the travel unique identifying number here.
Company Number (HR NR)	Enter the company number here.
VAT Number	Enter the VAT number here.
Day of Birth	Enter the day of birth here or select the date in the calendar.
Place of Birth	Enter the place of birth here.
Postal Code of Birth Place	Enter the postal code of the birth place here.
Country of Birth	Enter the country of birth here. (ISO 3166 Country Code).
Language	Select the communication language.
Remarks	Here you can enter remarks.

ID Card Data



Form section details:

ID Card Number	Enter your ID Card Number here.
ID Authority	Enter the issuing authority here.
Date of Issue	Select the date of issue here.
Valid until	Select the validity date here.

Trademark

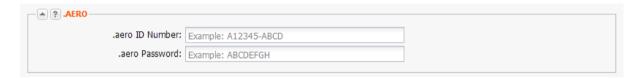


You can enter trademark details here.

Entry details:

Trademark Name	Enter trademark name here.
Trademark Office	Enter the office where the trademark was registered at here. The data input is not mandatory. For .pt: please enter INPI, OAMI or OMPI
Trademark Number	Enter trademark number here.
Country	Country in which the mark is registered
Application Date	The date on which the mark was applied for
Registration Date	The date on which the mark was registered.

.AERO



You can enter the extensions required for the registration of a .aero domain here.

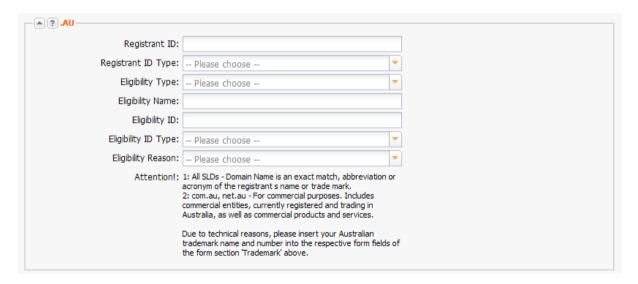
Entry details:

.aero ID Number	Enter your .aero ID here.
.aero Password	Enter your .aero password here.

Use this link to apply for a .aero ID number: https://www.information.aero/node/add/request-aero-id

Please feel free to contact our domain support to get help with registering an .aero domain.

.AU



You can enter the extensions required for the registration of a .au domain (Australia) here. Select the desired entries in the item lists.

Registrant ID	Australian Business Number or Australian Business Number or Registered Business Number.
Registrant ID Type	Concerns the Registrant ID which you have selected in the Registrant ID form field. Select the matching entry in the list.
Eligibility Type	The type of entity that the registrant is, e.g. Company or Sole Trader.
Eligibility Name	This field is usually optional and whether it is required is determined by your policy reason for the domain registration, if in doubt just use the same details as your Registrant Name.
Eligibility ID	The corresponding ID number for the eligibility name if applicable, if in doubt just use the same details as your Registrant ID.
Eligibility ID Type	The type of Eligibility ID as above. Select the type in the list.
Eligibility Reason	Select"1" or "2" in the list. 1: All SLDs- Domain Name is an exact match, abbreviation or acronym of the registrant s name or trade mark. 2: com.au, net.au - For commercial purposes. Includes commercial entities, currently registered and trading in Australia, as well as commercial products and services. Due to technical reasons, please insert your Australian trademark name and number into the respective form fields of the form section 'Trademark' above.

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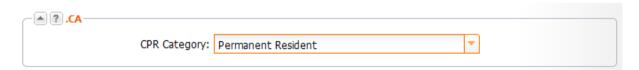


You can enter the extensions for the registration of a .barcelona domain here.

Entry details:

Intended Use Specify the intended use of the domain. This field is required.

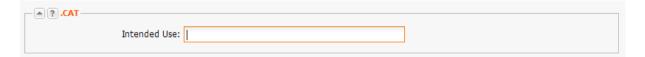
.CA



Entry details:

Category CPR (= Canadian presence requirements) Select the entity the contact belongs to.

.CAT

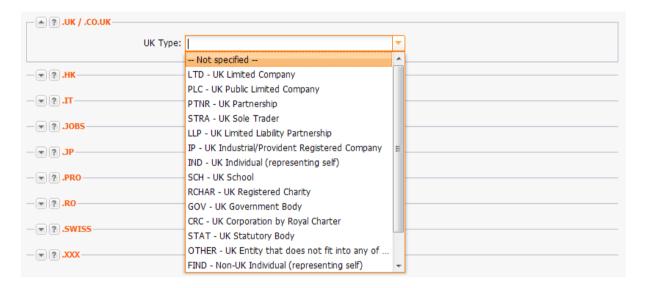


You can enter the extensions required for the registration of a .cat domain (Catalan language and culture area) here.

Entry details:

Intended Use Specify the intended use of the domain. This field is required.

UK/.CO.UK



UK Type

This extension was introduced to support the categorization of organization types.

The indication of the UK type is mandatory for the subdomains ltd.uk, net.uk and plc.uk.

It is not mandatory for the subdomains co.uk and me.co.

If you want Whois privacy, select the UK type IND or FIND.

For further details see http://www.nominet.org.uk/registrars/systems/data/regtype/.

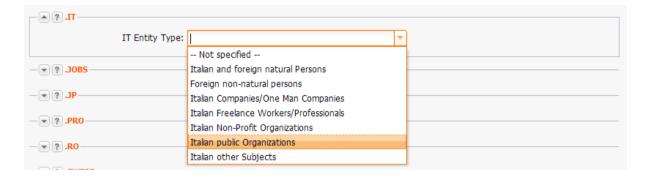
.HK



Enter the details for the registration of a .HK domain here.

Individual Document Type	Select the document type here.
Document Number	Enter the document number here.
Document Origin Country	Select the document origin country here.
Are you 18 years of age or older?	If you are 18 years of age or older click Yes . Otherwise click No .

.IT



Entry details:

IT Entity Type Select the entity the contact belongs to. The following entities are listed: Italian and foreign natural Persons Foreign non-natural Persons Italian Companies/One Man Companies Italian freelance Workers/Professionals Italian Non-Profit Organizations

- Italian public Organizations
- Italian other Subjects

NOTE

If the OwnerC (company or natural person) is Italian, the abbreviation for the Italian province is required in the "State" field. See the list of the abbreviations of the Italian provinces in the Customer Center (Help/Documents and Downloads/TLD Information).

.JOBS



Enter the details for the registration of a .jobs domain here.

Entry details:

Position	Enter position in the organization here.
Website	Enter website of organization here.
Industry Class	Select company industry class.
HR Member	Select Yes if you are a member of the Human Resource Association.
Administrative Contact	Select Yes if you are the administrative contact with the permission to act as an independent agent /recruiter on behalf of the listed registrant. Select No , if you are not. Select Not specified to delete the current settings.

.JP



Enter the details for the registration of a .JP domain here.

NOTE

Pleas enter data in japanese characters.

Form field details:

First Name	Enter first name here.
Last Name	Enter last name here.
Organization	Enter company name here.
Address 1, 2, 3	Enter addresses here.

.PRO

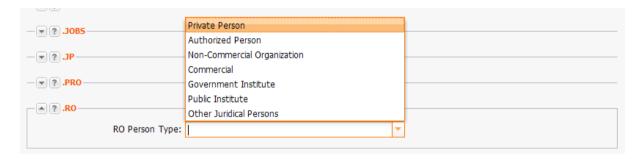


Enter the details for the registration of a .PRO domain here.

Profession	Enter the profession of the registrant here.

Authority Name	Licensing Authority. Enter the name of the licensing authority which can confirm the submitted data here.
Authority URL	Licensing Authority URL. Enter the URL of the Licensing Authority which can confirm the submitted data.
License Number	Enter the license number here. Please note that self-employed registrants which use their local tax office to verify the accuracy of the data (for example in Germany) can enter their tax identification number instead.

.RO



Entry details:

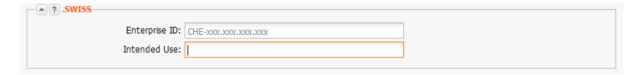
RO Person Type

Select the person type the contact belongs to.

The following types are listed:

- Private Person
- Authorized Person
- Non-Commercial Organization
- Commercial
- Government Institute
- Public Institute
- Other Juridical

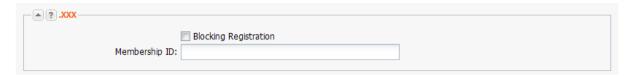
.SWISS



Enter the details for the registration of a .SWISS domain here.

Enterprise ID	Enter the swiss enterprise id (UID) here. The enterprise ID, in the specific context of .swiss based on current rules, is the Swiss UID/IDE/IDI. The full name is in German "Unternehmens-ID", in French "Numéro d'identification des entreprises (IDE)" and in Italian "Numero d'identificazione delle imprese" (IDI). Format: CHE-xxx.xxx.xxx (CHE-123.456.789)
Intended use	Specify the intended use of the domain.

XXX.



Form section details:

Blocking Registration	Activate the checkbox, if you are not an .XXX community member and therefor do not have available a membership ID (token).
Membership ID (Token)	Enter the membership ID (token) for the .XXX community here. You receive your ID after you have finished the ICM registry membership process successfully and having created an account there.

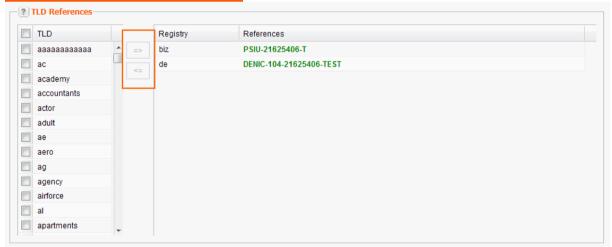
NOTE

Please be aware that you have to make a domain update on your .XXX domains after having updated the contact.

For further details about the .ICM Registry membership process please see here (http://www.icmregistry.com/about/sponsored-community).

For questions about .XXX domain registration see also our FAQs for the .XXX category.

Creating TLD References



Every time you create a domain for a contact, the registry creates a TLD reference. The same TLD reference is used for all further domains for that contact.

To create a TLD reference for your contact manually, you have to fill the required data into the **Contact Data** and **Extended** tabs. The data required depends on the registry.

- 1. Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to edit in the overview.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar. The form *Edit Contact* opens.
- 4. Click the TLD References tab.
- 5. Select the TLD you want to create a TLD reference for in the list **TLD**. Select the checkbox next to **TLD** in the table header to select all TLDs.
- 6. Click the top arrow to move the selected items to the area on the right. Use the bottom arrow to remove selected TLDs from the selection.
- 7. Click **Submit** to create the TLD references for the selected TLDs.

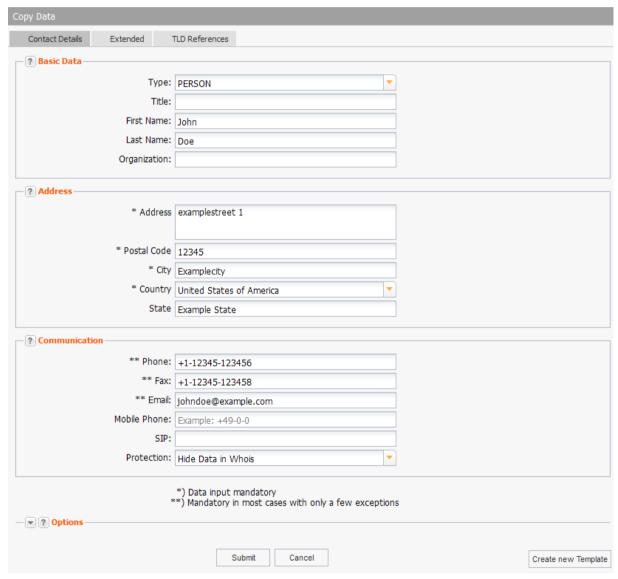
Creating a new Contact by copying existing Contact Data

You can use an existing contact to create a new contact faster.

- Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to copy the data from.
- 3. Click Tools in the toolbar.
- 4. Click Copy Data in the menu.



The Copy Data form opens. The data for the selected contact is visible in the form fields.



4. Edit the data and save it. A new contact with an own ID will be created.

NOTE

Please not that the contact data can not be copied, if the related domain is using the Whois Privacy Service.

7.4 DOMAIN CONTACTS - EDITING AND DELETING

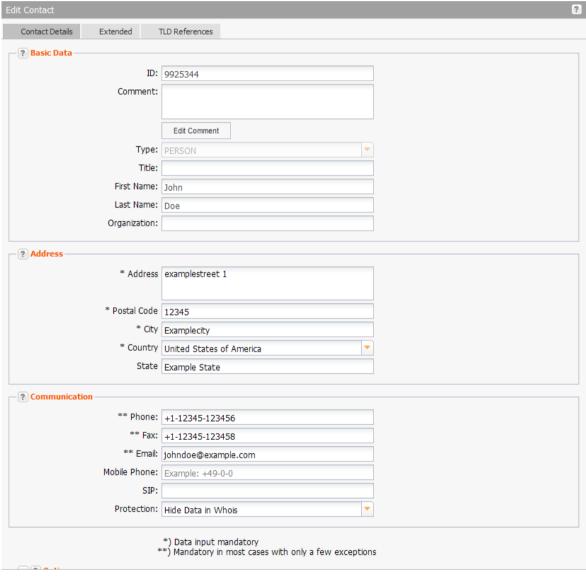
Editing Domain Contacts

- 1. Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to edit in the overview.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The form *Edit Contact* opens.

NOTE

For form fields marked with "*" data input is mandatory. For form fields marked with "**" data input is mandatory in most cases.



4. Edit the data in the Contact Data tab.

Form section details:

Basic Data



Entry details:

Comment	You can enter an comment for the contact here.
Title	Enter your title here, e.g. "Dr." or "Prof.".
First Name	Enter first name here.
Last Name	Enter last name here.
Organization	Enter company name here.

Address



Entry details:

Address	Enter address here (street and house number).
Postal Code	Enter postal code here.
City	Enter city name here.
Country	Select a country.
State	Enter the state here.
	NOTE This primarily applies to the federal states of the United States of America. Registering a .it domain using an Italian OwnerC, you have to enter the abbreviation for the Italian province here. For the correct abbreviation see the list of provinces in the Customer Center (Help/Documents and Downloads/TLD Information).

Communication

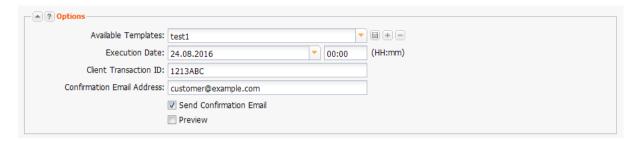


You can enter the contact details for the domain contact here.

Entry details:

Phone	Enter phone number here (Format: +49-1234-123456).
Fax	Enter fax number here (Format +49-1234-123456).
Email	Enter email address.
Mobile Phone	Enter mobile phone number here (Format +49-1234-123456).
SIP	Enter SIP address here. SIP addresses are similar to email addresses and have the additional prefix "sip". Example: sip:123@example.com
Protection	Select the protection level here. This is possible for some TLDs only. The protection level determines, which data is displayed in the Whois data. Show Data in Whois: all data is displayed. Hide Data in Whois: Some data is not displayed, e.g. email address, phone number and fax number (Referring to the registry and its use of handles).
	NOTE You have to fill in all text fields on the form even if you select "Hide Data in Whois" here.

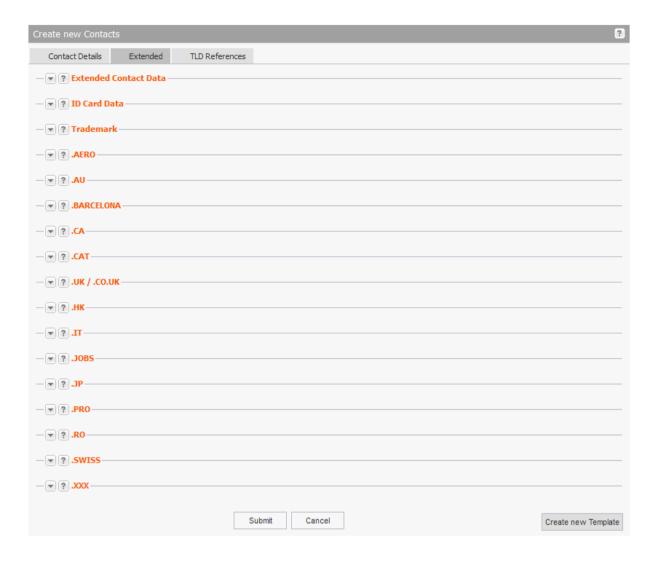
Options



Entry details:

Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

5. Edit the relevant data in the *Extended* tab.



Form section details:

Extended Contact Data



Entry details:

Gender	Select the gender here.
UIN (Travel)	Enter the travel unique identifying number here.
Company Number (HR NR)	Enter the company number here.
VAT Number	Enter the VAT number here.
Day of Birth	Enter the day of birth here or select the date in the calendar.
Place of Birth	Enter the place of birth here.
Postal Code of Birth Place	Enter the postal code of the birth place here.
Country of Birth	Enter the country of birth here. (ISO 3166 Country Code).
Language	Select the communication language.
Remarks	Here you can enter remarks.

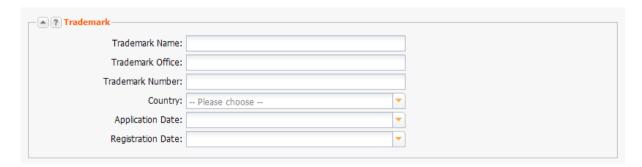
ID Card Data



Form section details:

ID Card Number	Enter your ID Card Number here.
ID Authority	Enter the issuing authority here.
Date of Issue	Select the date of issue here.
Valid until	Select the validity date here.

Trademark



You can enter trademark details here.

Entry details:

Trademark Name	Enter trademark name here.
Trademark Office	Enter the office where the trademark was registered at here. The data input is not mandatory. For .pt: please enter INPI, OAMI or OMPI
Trademark Number	Enter trademark number here.
Country	Country in which the mark is registered
Application Date	The date on which the mark was applied for
Registration Date	The date on which the mark was registered.

.AERO



You can enter the extensions required for the registration of a .aero domain here.

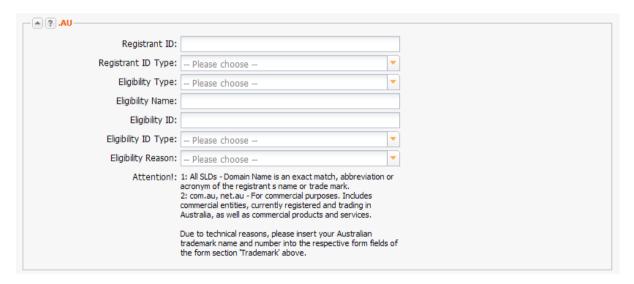
Entry details:

.aero ID Number	Enter your .aero ID here.
.aero Password	Enter your .aero password here.

Use this link to apply for a .aero ID number: https://www.information.aero/node/add/request-aero-id

Please feel free to contact our domain support to get help with registering an .aero domain.

.AU



You can enter the extensions required for the registration of a .au domain (Australia) here. Select the desired entries in the item lists.

Registrant ID	Australian Business Number or Australian Business Number or Registered Business Number.
Registrant ID Type	Concerns the Registrant ID which you have selected in the Registrant ID form field. Select the matching entry in the list.
Eligibility Type	The type of entity that the registrant is, e.g. Company or Sole Trader.
Eligibility Name	This field is usually optional and whether it is required is determined by your policy reason for the domain registration, if in doubt just use the same details as your Registrant Name.
Eligibility ID	The corresponding ID number for the eligibility name if applicable, if in doubt just use the same details as your Registrant ID.
Eligibility ID Type	The type of Eligibility ID as above. Select the type in the list.
Eligibility Reason	Select"1" or "2" in the list. 1: All SLDs- Domain Name is an exact match, abbreviation or acronym of the registrant s name or trade mark. 2: com.au, net.au - For commercial purposes. Includes commercial entities, currently registered and trading in Australia, as well as commercial products and services. Due to technical reasons, please insert your Australian trademark name and number into the respective form fields of the form section 'Trademark' above.

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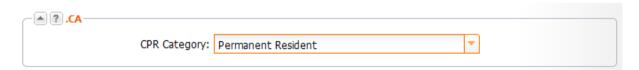


You can enter the extensions for the registration of a .barcelona domain here.

Entry details:

Intended Use Specify the intended use of the domain. This field is required.

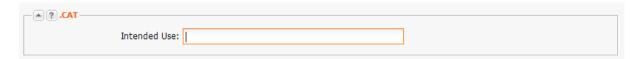
.CA



Entry details:

Category CPR (= Canadian presence requirements) Select the entity the contact belongs to.

.CAT

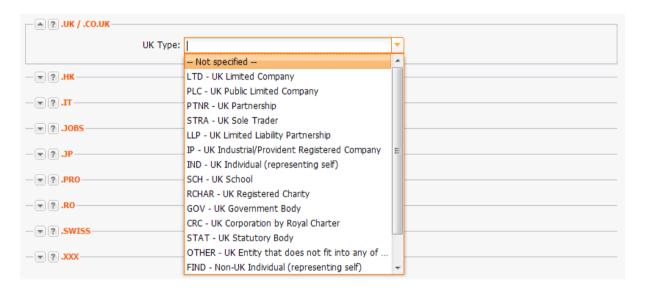


You can enter the extensions required for the registration of a .cat domain (Catalan language and culture area) here.

Entry details:

Intended Use Specify the intended use of the domain. This field is required.

UK/.CO.UK



UK Type

This extension was introduced to support the categorization of organization types.

The indication of the UK type is mandatory for the subdomains ltd.uk, net.uk and plc.uk.

It is not mandatory for the subdomains co.uk and me.co.

If you want Whois privacy, select the UK type IND or FIND.

For further details see http://www.nominet.org.uk/registrars/systems/data/regtype/.

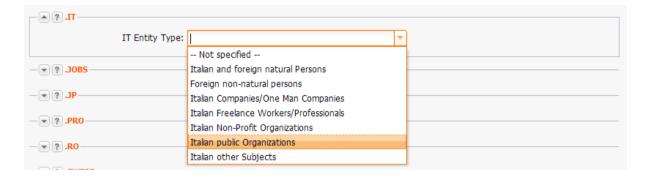
.HK



Enter the details for the registration of a .HK domain here.

Individual Document Type	Select the document type here.
Document Number	Enter the document number here.
Document Origin Country	Select the document origin country here.
Are you 18 years of age or older?	If you are 18 years of age or older click Yes . Otherwise click No .

.IT



Entry details:

IT Entity Type

Select the entity the contact belongs to.

The following entities are listed:

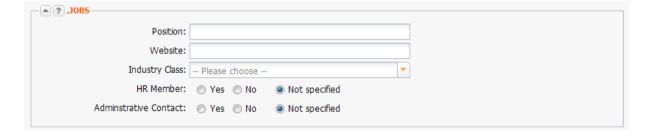
Italian and foreign natural Persons
Foreign non-natural Persons
Italian Companies/One Man Companies
Italian freelance Workers/Professionals
Italian Non-Profit Organizations
Italian public Organizations

NOTE

If the OwnerC (company or natural person) is Italian, the abbreviation for the Italian province is required in the "State" field. See the list of the abbreviations of the Italian provinces in the Customer Center (Help/Documents and Downloads/TLD Information).

Italian other Subjects

.JOBS



Enter the details for the registration of a .jobs domain here.

Entry details:

Position	Enter position in the organization here.
Website	Enter website of organization here.
Industry Class	Select company industry class.
HR Member	Select Yes if you are a member of the Human Resource Association.
Administrative Contact	Select Yes if you are the administrative contact with the permission to act as an independent agent /recruiter on behalf of the listed registrant. Select No , if you are not. Select Not specified to delete the current settings.

.JP



Enter the details for the registration of a .JP domain here.

NOTE

Pleas enter data in japanese characters.

Form field details:

First Name	Enter first name here.
Last Name	Enter last name here.
Organization	Enter company name here.
Address 1, 2, 3	Enter addresses here.

.PRO

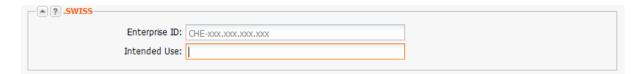


Enter the details for the registration of a .PRO domain here.

Profession	Enter the profession of the registrant here.
Profession	Enter the profession of the registrant here.

Authority Name	Licensing Authority. Enter the name of the licensing authority which can confirm the submitted data here.
Authority URL	Licensing Authority URL. Enter the URL of the Licensing Authority which can confirm the submitted data.
License Number	Enter the license number here. Please note that self-employed registrants which use their local tax office to verify the accuracy of the data (for example in Germany) can enter their tax identification number instead.

.swiss



Enter the details for the registration of a .SWISS domain here.

Enterprise ID	Enter the swiss enterprise id (UID) here. The enterprise ID, in the specific context of .swiss based on current rules, is the Swiss UID/IDE/IDI. The full name is in German "Unternehmens-ID", in French "Numéro d'identification des entreprises (IDE)" and in Italian "Numero d'identificazione delle imprese" (IDI). Format: CHE-xxx.xxx.xxx (CHE-123.456.789)
Intended use	Specify the intended use of the domain.

XXX.



Details zu den Formularfeldern:

Blocking Registration	Activate the checkbox, if you are not an .XXX community member and therefor do not have available a membership ID (token).
Membership ID (Token)	Enter the membership ID (token) for the .XXX community here. You receive your ID after you have finished the ICM registry membership process successfully and having created an account there.

NOTE

Please be aware that you have to make a domain update on your .XXX domains after having updated the domain contact.)

For further details about the .ICM Registry membership process please see here (http://www.icmregistry.com/about/sponsored-community).

For questions about .XXX domain registration see also our FAQs for the .XXX category.

4. Click the *TLD References* tab to create a new TLD reference.



Creating TLD References



Every time you create a domain for a contact, the registry creates a TLD reference. The same TLD reference is used for all further domains for that contact.

To create a TLD reference for your contact manually, you have to fill the required data into the *Contact Data* and *Extended* tabs. The data required depends on the registry.

- 1. Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to edit in the overview.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The form *Edit Contact* opens.

- Click the TLD References tab.
- Select the TLD you want to create a TLD reference for in the list *TLD*. Select the checkbox next to *TLD* in the table header to select all TLDs.
- 6. Click the top arrow to move the selected items to the area on the right. Use the bottom arrow to remove selected TLDs from the selection.
- 7. Click **Submit** to create the TLD references for the selected TLDs.

Deleting Domain Contacts

NOTE

A contact cannot be deleted if it is assigned to a domain.

- 1. Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to delete.
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- Confirm the request.

7.5 VERIFICATION OF DOMAIN CONTACTS

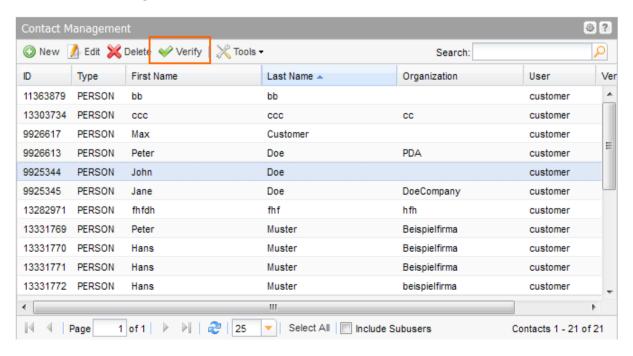
The WHOIS Accuracy Specification requires the active verification of each domain contact used as the domain owner contact (OwnerC) for gTLDs. This verification is carried out per email.

After registering a gTLD, the domain owner (OwnerC) receives an email with a verification request. This email contains a link leading to a website where the email address must be actively confirmed. Each domain contact used as the domain owner contact (OwnerC) only needs to be verified once. It can then be used without further restrictions for all all gTLDs. If the verification is not carried out within the specified period, the domain status is changed to HOLD at the registry. This means that the domain cannot be resolved by the name servers and will be unavailable.

Deadlines for deactivation in the case of unconfirmed OwnerC domain contacts

- after DOMAIN CREATE: 15 days
- after DOMAIN TRANSFER: 30 days
- after DOMAIN OWNERCHANGE: 30 days
- after UPDATE of the domain contact email address: 30 days
- 1. Click Contact Management in the menu group Domains & Contacts.
- 2. Select the contact you want to edit in the overview.
- 3. Click Verify in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the confirmation request.

An email including a link to a confirmation website is sent now to the selected contact.

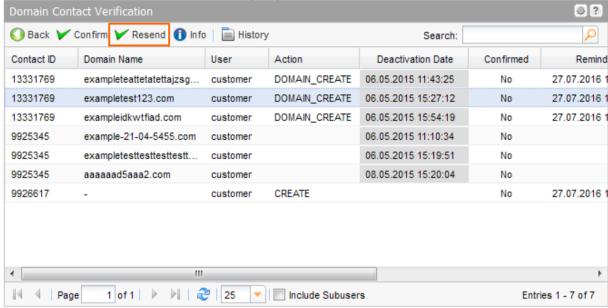


The contact, which is up for confirmation, is displayed in the overview *Verification Spool*. In the tool bar of this overview there is the button *Resend*, with which you can send the verification email once more.

If the domain owner has carried out the confirmation, the contact will be removed from this overview. In the overview *Contact Management* it is flagged with the entry SUCCESS in the column *Verification*.

Resending the Verification Email

You can send the verification email to the prospective domain owner once more.



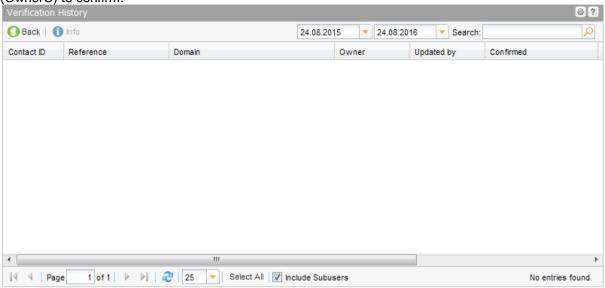
- 1. Click *Domain Contacts* in the menu group *Domains & Contacts*.
- 2. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select the entry **Contact Verification**.

The overview **Domain Contact Verification** opens.

- 3. Select the desired contact.
- 4. Click the button Resend.

Domain Contact Verification

This overview lists all domains for which a verification request has been sent to the domain owner (OwnerC) to confirm.



The following details are displayed:

- Contact ID: This is the unique ID of a contact which is created automatically by the system.
- Domain Name: All domains for which the contact is in use for as domain owner (OwnerC).
- User: the user the verification request belongs to
- Action: the action that was carried out
- Status: request status verification process (SUCCESS, ERROR, PENDING)
- Deactivation Date: If the verification is not carried out at that date, the domain status is changed to HOLD at the registry. This means that the domain cannot be resolved by the name servers and will be unavailable.
- Confirmed: information about the confirmation status
- Reminded: time at which the reminder mail was sent.
- Created: time at which the verification process was started.

The button *Resend* can be used to send the confirmation email once more to the domain owner (OwnerC) of the selected domain.

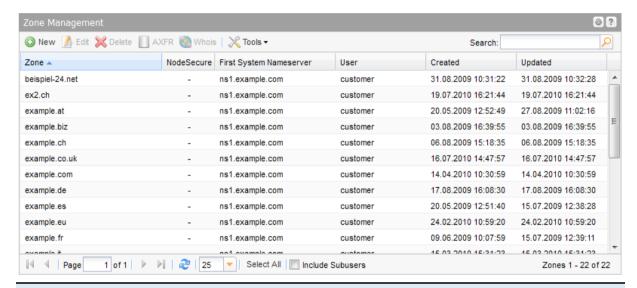
Click the button *History* to display all transactions that were created during the domain contact verification process.

8 Zone Management

8.1 ZONE MANAGEMENT

The **Zone Management** area is the control area for working with zones in the domain management system. All zone tasks can be carried out here. The current cancelations are displayed in the **Zone Management** overview. You can create, edit and delete zones here by using the toolbar.

 Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects to see the Zone Management area.



TIP

It is possible to add further columns. E.g. you can display each secondary nameserver in its own column, see: "Object Overviews" on page 50.

Use the toolbar to create, edit, delete zones, to <u>display the zone data of the primary Nameserver (AXFR)</u> or to carry out Whois requests.

Please note that only 10 requests can be displayed in the **AXFR Results** and the **Whois** dialog at one time.

The following tasks can be started in the *Tools* menu:

- Check Zone
- Import Zone
- Copy Data
- Change Object Owner
- Display Logs
- Create .CSV inventory lists

You can also access the **Zone Update Wizard** for targeted bulk updates and have a look at your **Logs**.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click lo have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define presettings for the overview in the *User Configuration*. You can define that all subuser data is displayed as default. *See: "Overview Settings" on page 45.* You also can specify that no data is displayed when switching to an overview. This is useful when there is a large amount of data. You can look for desired data using the *Search* in the toolbar.

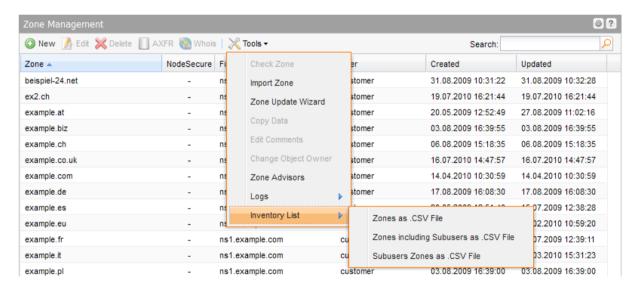
8.2 DISPLAYING ZONES

You can see all your zones in the **Zones Overview**. You can also create a .CSV inventory list of your zones.

<u>Creating a .CSV List of your existing Zones</u>

You can create inventory lists of your zones in .CSV file format here.

- 1. Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select **Inventory List** in the menu.
- Select whether you want to include or exclude subusers in the list or if you want to only get the subuser zones.

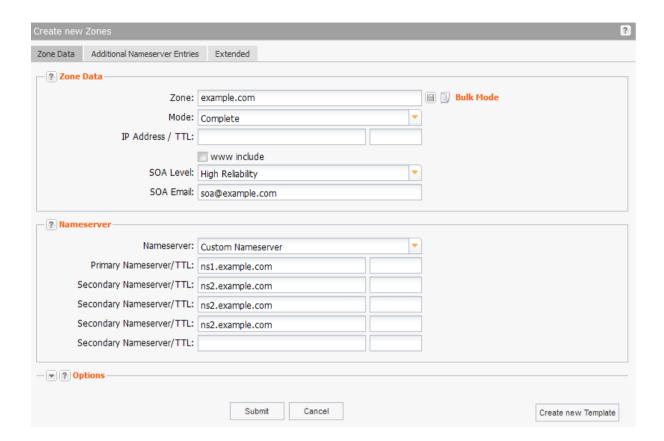


The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

8.3 CREATING, EDITING, CHECKING, IMPORTING AND DELETING ZONES

Creating Zones

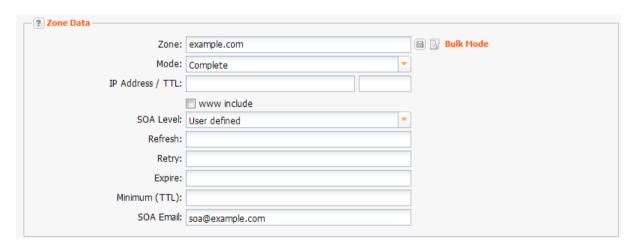
- Click Create Zones in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
 Or:
- Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects and click New in the toolbar.
 The Create New Zones form opens.



Form section details:

Zone Data Tab

Zone Data



Entry details:

Zone	Enter the zone here. Enter several zones to start a bulk request. Press <i>Enter</i> to separate the entries. Click the icon to load an existing zone list.
Mode	Select a nameserver mode:

- Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers.
- Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver
- Secondary: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. You have to authorize the IP 62.116.132.5 for a zone transfer (AXFR) to the primary nameserver (Form Edit Zone/Extended tab/Allow AXFR for Network/IPs)
- Hidden: the zone will be generated on the primary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to the secondary nameserver via AXFR. The primary nameserver is not recorded as entered as primary nameserver. However, the primary nameserver has to be entered into the nameserver form.

IP Address/TTL

Enter the IP address of the zone here.

For quick fill-in, choose the relevant option in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites.

www include

Select the checkbox if you want to reach your domain via the "www" prefix. The system will automatically create the "www" subdomain in the system and assign it to the main IP address of the domain. Leave the checkbox cleared and create the record manually if you want to assign a different IP to the "www" prefix.

NOTE

Additional subdomains can be entered in the form section **Additional Nameserver Entries/Subdomains**.

SOA Level

Select one of the predefined SOA settings. Each SOA level has predefined values for refresh, retry, expire and minimum (TTL) which are automatically entered.

Select *User-defined*, if you want to set the values yourself.

Recommended Settings:

These are the standard default settings. The TTL (Time to Live) is set to one day (864000 seconds), which means that other nameservers keep this data in cache for one day after an enquiry, before sending a new request for data. Any zone data updates reach the entire Internet after one day, while remaining available in the caches of other nameservers for at least one day.

Refresh: 43200 sec (12 h) Retry: 7200 sec (2h) Expire:1209600 sec (14 d) Minimum TTL: 86400 sec (1 d)

High Reliability:

These setting are only recommended if you very seldom make changes to your zone and if five days are sufficient for these changes to show up. The TTL is set to five days 432000 seconds). This can be an advantage in the case of nameserver fallouts. As this does not occur very frequently, these setting cannot be recommended fully and it is very important that the implications are recognized. If you are in any doubt, please feel free to consult us.

Refresh: 43200 sec (12 h)

Retry: 7200 sec (2h) Expire:1209600 sec (14 d) Minimum TTL: 432000 sec (5 d) **Fast Updates:** These setting are advisable for DNS changeovers or DvnDNS. It makes sense if you intend to make regular changes to DNS entries. However, you should revert to "Recommended Settings" again after the changes have been carried out. The TTL is set to 10 minutes (600 seconds). This can lead to longer response times, because other nameservers only keep the data in cache for a short period and therefore need to request data more often. Refresh: 43200 sec (12 h) Retry: 7200 sec (2h) Expire:1209600 sec (14 d) Minimum TTL: 600 sec (10 m This entry field is displayed only for the SOA-Level "User defined". Enter Refresh a refresh value for the zone. The refresh value defines how often the nameserver should update its SOA data. Recommended median: 43200 (seconds). This entry field is displayed only for the SOA-Level "User defined". Enter Retry a retry value for the zone. If a primary nameserver is not accessible, the secondary nameserver tries to reach it again after a defined span of time. The retry value defines this span of time. Recommended median: 7200 (seconds). Expire This entry field is displayed only for the SOA-Level "User defined". Enter an expiration value for the zone. The expiration value defines how long the secondary nameserver should try to reach an inaccessible primary nameserver, before the zone is deleted. Recommended value: 1209600 (seconds). Minimum (TTL) Enter a TTL value for the zone. SOA Email Enter the email address of the zone administrator (ZoneC). NOTE If the form field is not displayed, you can activate it in the user settings for the user interface.

Nameserver



Select the entry **Default Nameserver** in the **Nameserver** drop-down list to use the default nameservers, which are defined in the user profile.

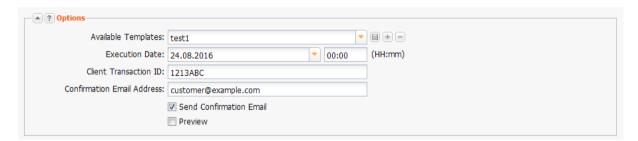
Select the entry *Custom Nameserver* to use other nameservers. Enter the nameserver in the form fields below.

Entry details:

Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com.
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your secondary nameservers. Example: ns2.example.com. You can display up to seven form fields for the secondary nameserver.
TTL	(= Time to Live) Enter a TTL value here (Format = seconds). The TTL value defines the time span the nameserver entry is valid. After this time span the name resolution has to be repeated. The <i>TTL</i> form fields will only be displayed if the setting in the user configuration is set.

Select the entry **NodeSecure** for domains, you are using NodSecure for. The current zone will be copied and a new NodeSecure zone will be created. The current zone will remain unchanged. Click **Yes** in the respective dialog, to confirm this.

Options

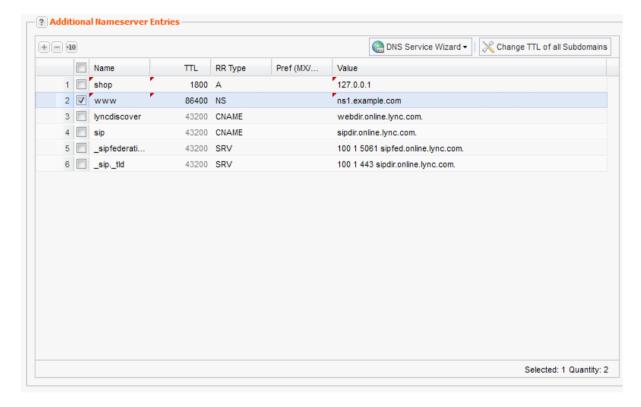


Entry details:

Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.

Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

Additional Nameserver Entries Tab



You can create additional nameserver entries, e.g. subdomains here.

Click to create a new entry. Double-click the entry field to enter a new value.

NOTE:

The MX main server (Mailserver) can also be entered into the **Domain Mailserver** field in the **Zone Data** section and will automatically have the priority value of 10.

If no MX server is entered in the **Zone Data** section, the MX server that is entered here in the form section **Additional Entries / Subdomains** will be set to the lowest priority and therefore function as the primary MX server. This MX server will then not be shown in this form section. All other additionally entered MX servers with a priority value of less than 10 will automatically be increased by a value of 10 (example: from 6 to 16).

Please keep in mind that the name of the primary MX server must fulfill one of the following criteria:

- The field must be left empty or
- a zone name must be entered (i.e.: example.com) or
- a zone name must be entered (and end with a period i.e.: example.com.).

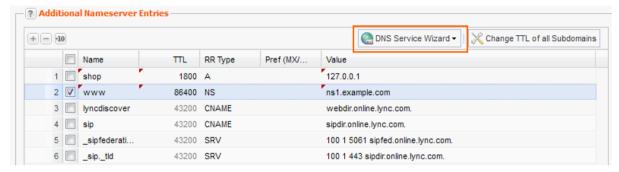
Name	Enter the name of the entry here.
TTL	Enter the TTL value here. A value is not required.
RR Type	Select the desired RR Type (resource record type).
	The available RR types are:
	A = IPv4 address of the host AAAA = IPv6 address of the host MX = Mail Exchange – the mail server for the domain CName = Canonic name for the host (the domain with this RR is an alias) NS = Host name of the authoritative nameserver PTR = Domain Name Pointer (for reserve mapping to assign Names to IP addresses) TXT = free text. You can create SPF entries here. Example see below. HINFO = Host information (Type of processor and operating system) NAPTR = (Naming Authority Pointer) extension of the A resource records SRV = Service (Example see below) For further information about the resource record types, see:
	http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List of DNS record types
	Example for a SPF record:
	Note: Please note, that SPF entries are created as TXT entries.
	SPF record, else discard the email. Entry 2: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record and if the email was sent from this specific IP, else discard the email. Additional Nameserver Entries + 10
	Name TTL RR Type Pref (MX/
	1 example.com 180 TXT
	2 example2.com 180 TXT
	Example for SRV record
	Additional Nameserver Entries - 10
	Service Protocol Domain Priority
Pref (MX/SRV)	Please enter a preferred MX value that is larger than 10. In certain
	cases smaller values may be increased by 10 in order to ensure that the given primary mailserver will remain as such.

TIP: Edit several TTL entries at once

Keep the *Ctrl* key pressed while selecting all entries you want to change the TTL value for. Double-click one of the selected TTL entry fields and change the value. Press *Enter*. All selected TTLs will be changed.

New Feature: DNS Service Wizard

The DNS-Service-Wizard allows you to correctly set the required zone records for popular "Services" such as Jabber-Server or Google Apps for Work with custom domain with the push of a button.



See: "Creating Nameserver Entries with the DNS Service Wizard" on page 264.

Extended Tab

AXFR



Allow AXFR for Network/IPs

Enter IP addresses or subnets, from which you can start a zone transfer. Generally, only the involved nameservers can start a zone transfer. The entry has to compliant to BIND syntax. That means it has to be separated by a semicolon, can have an optional prefix length and must end with semicolon.

Example:192.168.100.1; 192.168.200.0/24;

It is not necessary to list the IP addresses of the secondary nameservers. They will be added automatically, so that it is not possible to interrupt the nameserver communication accidentally.

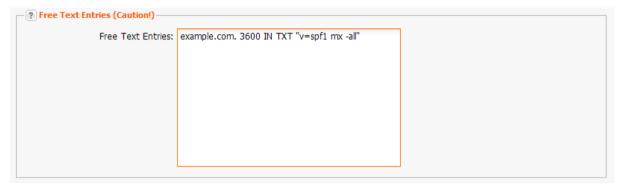
NOTE

If the form section is not visible, you can change the settings in the user profile to display it. See: "Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields" on page 45.

Free Nameserver Entries

Click the Extended tab to create free nameserver entries.

Free Entries (Caution!)



Example: TXT entry

example.com. 3600 IN TXT "v=spf1 mx -all"

ATTENTION

Please only use this option if you are knowledgeable about DNS as a wrong entry can have drastic effects on your domain.

NOTE:

The value of the entry may not be longer than 255 characters.

If the name does not end with the zone name, the zone name will be automatically added.

Example:

domainkey.testzone.de IN TXT "k=rsa; t=y;

p=MIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQDTfkhMdOXaBxDnsxwY9SrGsJ0/lsvXUw/O3QsmIS29rQQ3illehPPpTtAA92y+Fl7GkaqUn8IRA/Rnij0QLRY0pB

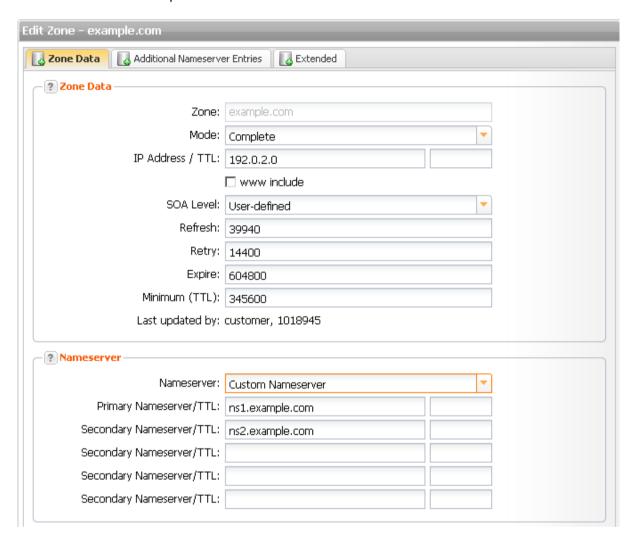
 $jE0Mu4LN+wQllklxYD/rSPEqYxH3ltupdEzp4cYakobVkZYsQoQduuilKlyhG2JLlq0y4AO1lpOw063pwbHQlDAQA\\ B; = A~1024~bit~key;"$

_ldap._tcp.pdc._msdcs.example.com IN SRV 0 100 389 server.example.com.

Editing Zones

- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects**.
- 2. Select the zone you want to edit.
- 3. Click Edit in the toolbar.

The form *Edit Zone* opens.



5. Edit the data.

Tab and form section details:

Zone Data Tab

Zone Data



Entry details:

Zone	Enter the zone here. Enter several zones to start a bulk request. Press <i>Enter</i> to separate the entries. Click the icon to load an existing zone list.
Mode	 Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. You have to authorize the IP 62.116.132.5 for a zone transfer (AXFR) to the primary nameserver (Form Edit Zone/Extended tab/Allow AXFR for Network/IPs) Hidden: the zone will be generated on the primary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to the secondary nameserver via AXFR. The primary nameserver is not recorded as entered as primary nameserver. However, the primary nameserver has to be entered into the nameserver form.
IP Address/TTL	Enter the IP address of the zone here. For quick fill-in, choose the relevant option in the drop-down list of the entry field or use the favorites.
www include	Select the checkbox if you want to reach your domain via the "www" prefix. The system will automatically create the "www" subdomain in the system and assign it to the main IP address of the domain. Leave the checkbox cleared and create the record manually if you want to assign a different IP to the "www" prefix.
	NOTE Additional subdomains can be entered in the form section Additional Nameserver Entries/Subdomains.

SOA Level

Select one of the predefined SOA settings. Each SOA level has predefined values for refresh, retry, expire and minimum (TTL) which are automatically entered.

Select *User-defined*, if you want to set the values yourself.

Recommended Settings:

These are the standard default settings. The TTL (Time to Live) is set to one day (864000 seconds), which means that other nameservers keep this data in cache for one day after an enquiry, before sending a new request for data. Any zone data updates reach the entire Internet after one day, while remaining available in the caches of other nameservers for at least one day.

Refresh: 43200 sec (12 h) Retry: 7200 sec (2h) Expire:1209600 sec (14 d) Minimum TTL: 86400 sec (1 d)

High Reliability:

These setting are only recommended if you very seldom make changes to your zone and if five days are sufficient for these changes to show up. The TTL is set to five days 432000 seconds). This can be an advantage in the case of nameserver fallouts. As this does not occur very frequently, these setting cannot be recommended fully and it is very important that the implications are recognized. If you are in any doubt, please feel free to consult us.

Refresh: 43200 sec (12 h) Retry: 7200 sec (2h) Expire:1209600 sec (14 d) Minimum TTL: 432000 sec (5 d)

Fast Updates:

These setting are advisable for DNS changeovers or DynDNS. It makes sense if you intend to make regular changes to DNS entries. However, you should revert to "Recommended Settings" again after the changes have been carried out. The TTL is set to 10 minutes (600 seconds). This can lead to longer response times, because other nameservers only keep the data in cache for a short period and therefore need to request data more often.

Refresh: 43200 sec (12 h) Retry: 7200 sec (2h) Expire:1209600 sec (14 d) Minimum TTL: 600 sec (10 m

Refresh

This entry field is displayed only for the SOA-Level "User defined". Enter a refresh value for the zone. The refresh value defines how often the nameserver should update its SOA data. Recommended median: 43200 (seconds).

Retry

This entry field is displayed only for the SOA-Level "User defined". Enter a retry value for the zone. If a primary nameserver is not accessible, the secondary nameserver tries to reach it again after a defined span of

	time. The retry value defines this span of time. Recommended median: 7200 (seconds).
Expire	This entry field is displayed only for the SOA-Level "User defined". Enter an expiration value for the zone. The expiration value defines how long the secondary nameserver should try to reach an inaccessible primary nameserver, before the zone is deleted. Recommended value: 1209600 (seconds).
Minimum (TTL)	Enter a TTL value for the zone.
SOA Email	Enter the email address of the zone administrator (ZoneC).
	NOTE If the form field is not displayed, you can activate it in the user settings for the user interface.

Nameserver



Select the entry **Default Nameserver** in the **Nameserver** drop-down list to use the default nameservers, which are defined in the user profile.

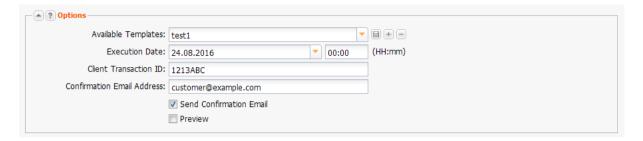
Select the entry *Custom Nameserver* to use other nameservers. Enter the nameserver in the form fields below.

Entry details:

Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com.
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your secondary nameservers. Example: ns2.example.com. You can display up to seven form fields for the secondary nameserver.
TTL	(= Time to Live) Enter a TTL value here (Format = seconds). The TTL value defines the time span the nameserver entry is valid. After this time span the name resolution has to be repeated. The <i>TTL</i> form fields will only be displayed if the setting in the user configuration is set.

Select the entry **NodeSecure** for domains, you are using NodSecure for. The current zone will be copied and a new NodeSecure zone will be created. The current zone will remain unchanged. Click **Yes** in the respective dialog, to confirm this.

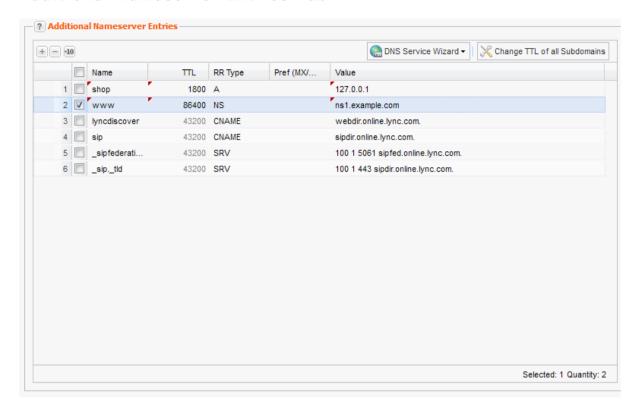
Options



Entry details:

Available Templates	In this form you can work with templates. A template contains predefined values such as for domain contacts and name servers. When selecting an existing form template in the list the values will automatically be filled in the form fields. To create a new template fill in values in the form and save it under a special name as a template for further activities. See: "Form Templates" on page 27. Help for creation and usage of form templates is also available in the user interface. Click the icon in the form header.
Execution Date	You can enter date and time for the delayed execution of the request here. Select the date in the schedule and enter the time in the shown format. If you don't enter anything, the request will be executed at once.
Client Transaction ID	You can define an identification number to identify the request clearly here. This <i>Client Transaction ID</i> will be included in the server responses.
Confirmation Email Address	Enter the email address you want the report to be sent to here. In the <i>User Profile</i> you can specify a default email address. You can overwrite the email address for each request.
Send Confirmation Email	Select the check box to receive a confirmation email for your request.
Preview	Select the check box to receive a preview of your request. If you want to use the preview generally, you can define this in the presettings for the user interface.

Additional Nameserver Entries Tab



You can create additional nameserver entries, e.g. subdomains here.

Click to create a new entry. Double-click the entry field to enter a new value.

NOTE:

The MX main server (Mailserver) can also be entered into the **Domain Mailserver** field in the **Zone Data** section and will automatically have the priority value of 10.

If no MX server is entered in the **Zone Data** section, the MX server that is entered here in the form section **Additional Entries / Subdomains** will be set to the lowest priority and therefore function as the primary MX server. This MX server will then not be shown in this form section. All other additionally entered MX servers with a priority value of less than 10 will automatically be increased by a value of 10 (example: from 6 to 16).

Please keep in mind that the name of the primary MX server must fulfill one of the following criteria:

- The field must be left empty or
- a zone name must be entered (i.e.: example.com) or
- a zone name must be entered (and end with a period i.e.: example.com.).

Name	Enter the name of the entry here.
TTL	Enter the TTL value here. A value is not required.
RR Type	Select the desired RR Type (resource record type).
	The available RR types are:
	A = IPv4 address of the host AAAA = IPv6 address of the host MX = Mail Exchange – the mail server for the domain CName = Canonic name for the host (the domain with this RR is an alias) NS = Host name of the authoritative nameserver

PTR = Domain Name Pointer (for reserve mapping to assign Names to IP addresses)

TXT = free text. You can create SPF entries here. Example see below. HINFO = Host information (Type of processor and operating system) NAPTR = (Naming Authority Pointer) extension of the A resource records SRV = Service (Example see below)

For further information about the resource record types, see: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_DNS_record_types

Example for a SPF record:

Note:

Please note, that SPF entries are created as TXT entries.

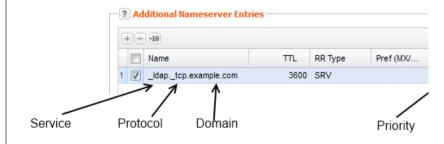
Entry 1: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record, else discard the email.

Entry 2: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record and if the email

was sent from this specific IP, else discard the email.



Example for SRV record



Pref (MX/SRV)

Please enter a preferred MX value that is larger than 10. In certain cases smaller values may be increased by 10 in order to ensure that the given primary mailserver will remain as such.

Value

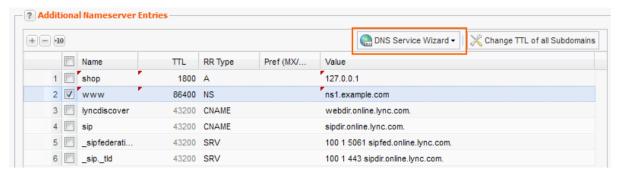
Enter a value. Use drag and drop to enter favorites here.

TIP: Edit several TTL entries at once

Keep the *Ctrl* key pressed while selecting all entries you want to change the TTL value for. Double-click one of the selected TTL entry fields and change the value. Press *Enter*. All selected TTLs will be changed.

New Feature: DNS Service Wizard

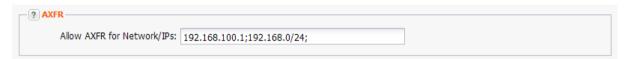
The DNS-Service-Wizard allows you to correctly set the required zone records for popular "Services" such as Jabber-Server or Google Apps for Work with custom domain with the push of a button.



See: "Creating Nameserver Entries with the DNS Service Wizard" on page 264.

Extended Tab

AXFR



Allow AXFR for Network/IPs

Enter IP addresses or subnets, from which you can start a zone transfer. Generally, only the involved nameservers can start a zone transfer. The entry has to compliant to BIND syntax. That means it has to be separated by a semicolon, can have an optional prefix length and must end with semicolon.

Example:192.168.100.1; 192.168.200.0/24;

It is not necessary to list the IP addresses of the secondary nameservers. They will be added automatically, so that it is not possible to interrupt the nameserver communication accidentally.

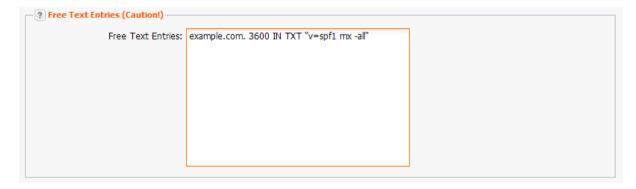
NOTE

If the form section is not visible, you can change the settings in the user profile to display it. See: "Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields" on page 45.

Free Nameserver Entries

Click the Extended tab to create free nameserver entries.

Free Entries (Caution!)



Example: TXT entry

example.com. 3600 IN TXT "v=spf1 mx -all"

ATTENTION

Please only use this option if you are knowledgeable about DNS as a wrong entry can have drastic effects on your domain.

NOTE:

The value of the entry may not be longer than 255 characters.

If the name does not end with the zone name, the zone name will be automatically added.

Example:

domainkey.testzone.de IN TXT "k=rsa; t=y;

p=MIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQDTfkhMdOXaBxDnsxwY9SrGsJ0/lsvXUw/O3QsmIS29rQQ3illehPPpTtAA92y+FI7GkaqUn8IRA/Rnij0QLRY0pB

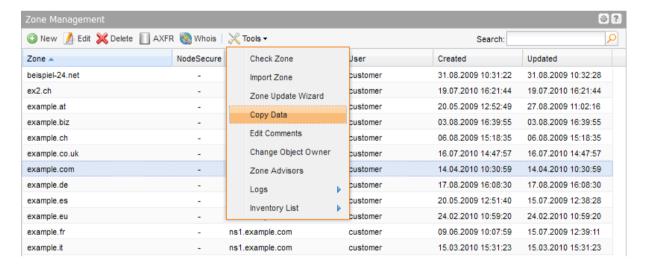
jE0Mu4LN+wQllklxYD/rSPEqYxH3ltupdEzp4cYakobVkZYsQoQduuilKlyhG2JLlq0y4AO1lpOw063pwbHQIDAQA B; =A 1024 bit key;"

_ldap._tcp.pdc._msdcs.example.com IN SRV 0 100 389 server.example.com.

Creating a new Zone by copying existing Zone Data

You can use an existing zone to create a new zone faster.

- 1. Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Select the zone you want to copy the data from.
- 3. Click Tools in the toolbar.
- 4. Click Copy Data in the menu.



The *Copy Data* form opens. The data for the selected zone is visible in the form fields. For details see **Creating Zones** on page 225.

Importing Zones

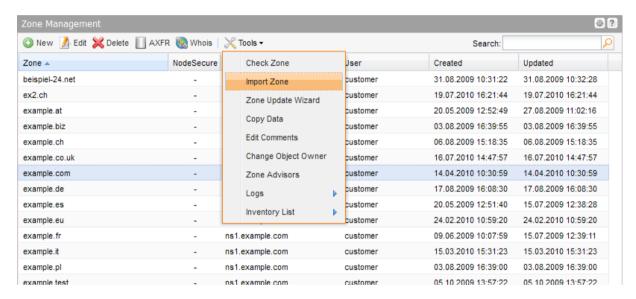
Importing zones means transferring the data of one or more zones from a source nameserver to a target nameserver. This is necessary when the nameserver has been changed, e.g. when carrying out a domain transfer.

IMPORTANT NOTE

Please keep in mind that you have to activate the zone transfer(AXFR) on your nameserver in order to import zones. Enter the IP addresses 62.116.132.5 and 62.116.129.216 in the configuration file bind.conf when using BIND-based nameserver software (section starting with "allow transfer from/to") or pdns.conf when using PowerDNS based nameserver software. If you use any other type of nameserver software, please refer to the respective instruction manual. Without this explicit change in the nameserver configuration file, it is not possible to import any zone information from your nameserver.

- 1. Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Click Tools in the toolbar and select Import Zone.

The *Import Zones* form opens.



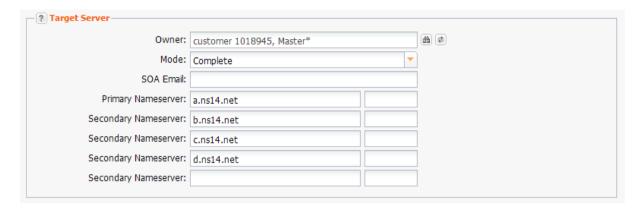
Form section details:

Source Server



Domain	Enter the name of the domain for which the zone will be created here, e.g. "example.com".
Primary Nameserver	Enter the primary nameserver from which the zone will be imported here.

Target Server



You can configure the nameserver the zone will be transferred to here.

Form field details:

Mode	 Select a nameserver mode: Complete: the zone will be generated on all nameservers. Primary only: the zone will only be generated on the primary nameserver. Secondary: the zone will only be generated on the secondary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to primary via AXFR. You have to authorize the IP 62.116.132.5 for a zone transfer (AXFR) to the primary nameserver (Form Edit Zone/Extended tab/Allow AXFR for Network/IPs) Hidden: the zone will be generated on the primary nameserver. Zone data will be transferred to the secondary nameserver via AXFR. The primary nameserver is not recorded as entered as primary nameserver. However, the primary nameserver has to be entered into the nameserver form.
SOA Email	Enter the email address of the zone administrator (ZoneC).
	NOTE If the form field is not displayed, you can activate it in the user settings for the user interface.
Primary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your primary nameserver. Example: ns1.example.com.
Secondary Nameserver	Enter the host name of your secondary nameservers. Example: ns2.example.com. You can display up to seven form fields for the secondary nameserver.

<u>Creating Nameserver Entries for your Zones (Ressource Records)</u>

Select the desired RR Type (resource record type).

The available RR types are:

A = IPv4 address of the host

AAAA = IPv6 address of the host

MX = Mail Exchange - the mail server for the domain

CName = Canonic name for the host (the domain with this RR is an alias)

NS = Host name of the authoritative nameserver

PTR = Domain Name Pointer (for reserve mapping to assign Names to IP addresses)

TXT = free text. You can create SPF entries here. Example see below.

HINFO = Host information (Type of processor and operating system)

NAPTR = (Naming Authority Pointer) extension of the A resource records

SRV = Service (Example see below)

For further information about the resource record types, see:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_DNS_record_types

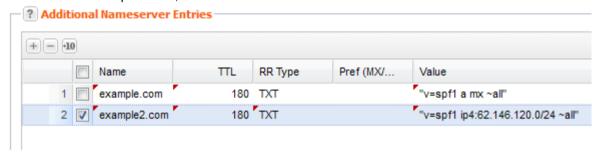
Example for a SPF record:

Note:

Please note, that SPF entries are created as TXT entries.

Entry 1: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record, else discard the email.

Entry 2: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record and if the email was sent from this specific IP, else discard the email.



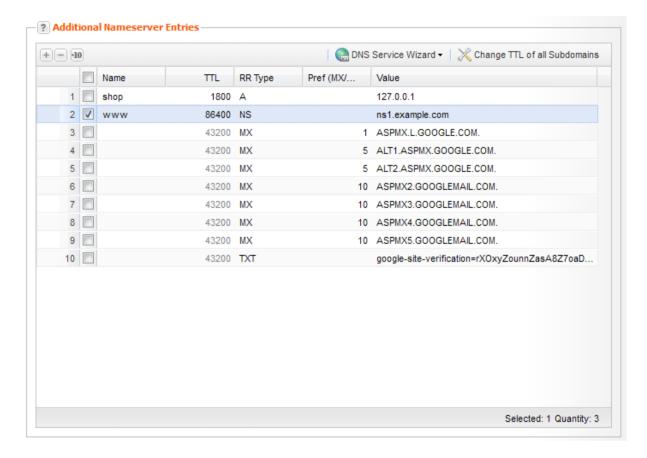
Example for SRV record



- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects.**
- 2. Select the zone you want to create a subdomain for. If the zone doesn't exist yet, create one first. See: "Creating Zones" on page 225.
- 3. Click Edit.

The form *Edit Zones* opens.

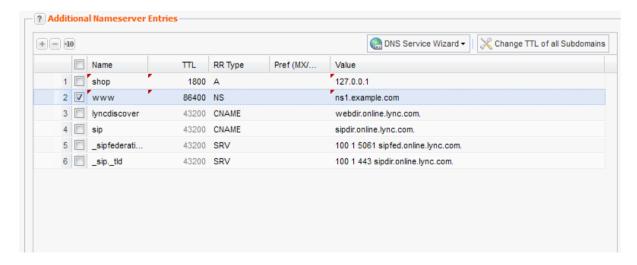
4. Click the **Additional Nameserver Entries** tab.



- Click + in the Additional Nameserver Entries section. Another row to configure a new subdomain entry will be added.
- 6. Enter the desired data.

Form section details:

Additional Nameserver Entries Tab



You can create additional nameserver entries, e.g. subdomains here.

Click to create a new entry. Double-click the entry field to enter a new value.

NOTE:

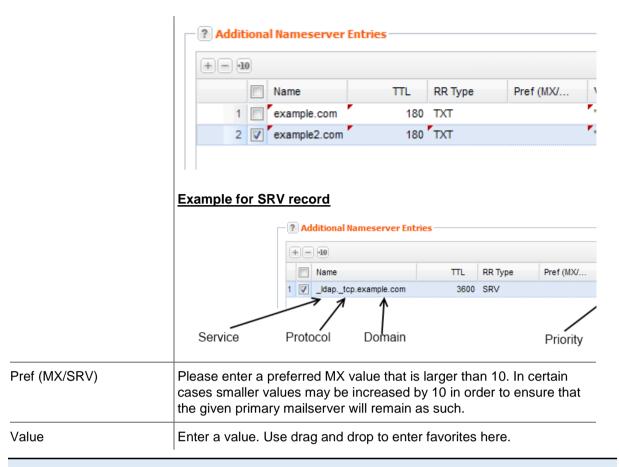
The MX main server (Mailserver) can also be entered into the **Domain Mailserver** field in the **Zone Data** section and will automatically have the priority value of 10.

If no MX server is entered in the **Zone Data** section, the MX server that is entered here in the form section **Additional Entries / Subdomains** will be set to the lowest priority and therefore function as the primary MX server. This MX server will then not be shown in this form section. All other additionally entered MX servers with a priority value of less than 10 will automatically be increased by a value of 10 (example: from 6 to 16).

Please keep in mind that the name of the primary MX server must fulfill one of the following criteria:

- The field must be left empty or
- a zone name must be entered (i.e.: example.com) or
- a zone name must be entered (and end with a period i.e.: example.com.).

Name	Enter the name of the entry here.
TTL	Enter the TTL value here. A value is not required.
RR Type	Select the desired RR Type (resource record type).
	The available RR types are:
	A = IPv4 address of the host AAAA = IPv6 address of the host MX = Mail Exchange – the mail server for the domain CName = Canonic name for the host (the domain with this RR is an alias) NS = Host name of the authoritative nameserver PTR = Domain Name Pointer (for reserve mapping to assign Names to IP addresses) TXT = free text. You can create SPF entries here. Example see below. HINFO = Host information (Type of processor and operating system) NAPTR = (Naming Authority Pointer) extension of the A resource records SRV = Service (Example see below) For further information about the resource record types, see: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_DNS_record_types
	Example for a SPF record:
	Note: Please note, that SPF entries are created as TXT entries.
	Entry 1: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record, else discard the email. Entry 2: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record and if the email was sent from this specific IP, else discard the email.

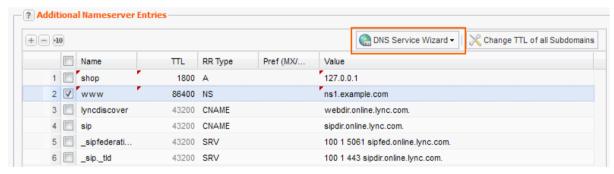


TIP: Edit several TTL entries at once

Keep the *Ctrl* key pressed while selecting all entries you want to change the TTL value for. Double-click one of the selected TTL entry fields and change the value. Press *Enter*. All selected TTLs will be changed.

New Feature: DNS Service Wizard

The DNS-Service-Wizard allows you to correctly set the required zone records for popular "Services" such as Jabber-Server or Google Apps for Work with custom domain with the push of a button.

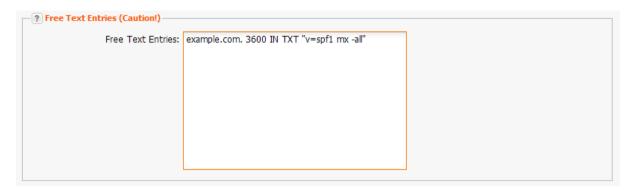


See: "Creating Nameserver Entries with the DNS Service Wizard" on page 264.

Free Nameserver Entries

Click the Extended tab to create free nameserver entries.

Free Entries (Caution!)



Example: TXT entry

example.com. 3600 IN TXT "v=spf1 mx -all"

ATTENTION

Please only use this option if you are knowledgeable about DNS as a wrong entry can have drastic effects on your domain.

NOTE:

The value of the entry may not be longer than 255 characters.

If the name does not end with the zone name, the zone name will be automatically added.

Example:

domainkey.testzone.de IN TXT "k=rsa; t=y;

p=MIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQDTfkhMdOXaBxDnsxwY9SrGsJ0/lsvXUw/O3QsmIS29rQQ3illehPPpTtAA92y+Fl7GkaqUn8IRA/Rnij0QLRY0pB

jE0Mu4LN+wQllklxYD/rSPEqYxH3ltupdEzp4cYakobVkZYsQoQduuilKlyhG2JLlq0y4AO1lpOw063pwbHQlDAQA B; =A 1024 bit key;"

_ldap._tcp.pdc._msdcs.example.com IN SRV 0 100 389 server.example.com.

Allowing the Zone Transfer (AXFR) for Zone Subnets or specific IP Addresses

You can define an IP address or a subnet from which a transfer (AXFR) can be carried out here. AXFR is a complete transfer of the zone records from one nameserver to another.

- 1. Click **Zones Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects**.
- 2. Click **New** in the toolbar to create a new zone including the AXFR settings.

Or:

- 2. Select an existing zone and click Edit.
- 3. Click the *Extended* tab.

Form section details:

Extended Tab

AXFR



Allow AXFR for Network/IPs Enter IP addresses or subnets, from which you can start a zone transfer. Generally, only the involved nameservers can start a zone transfer. The entry has to compliant to BIND syntax. That means it has to be separated by a semicolon, can have an optional prefix length and must end with semicolon.

Example:192.168.100.1; 192.168.200.0/24;

It is not necessary to list the IP addresses of the secondary nameservers. They will be added automatically, so that it is not possible to interrupt the nameserver communication accidentally.

NOTE

If the form section is not visible, you can change the settings in the user profile to display it. See: "Display of Domain and Zone Form Fields" on page 45.

Displaying the Zone Data (AXFR)

- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects**.
- 2. Select the zone you want to display the zone data of. Press *Strg* to select several zones. Please note that you cannot select more than 10 zones at one time.
- 3. Click **AXFR** in the toolbar.

The zone data is copied via AXFR from the primary nameserver and displayed in the *AXFR Results* window. The data of each selected zone is displayed in a separate tab.

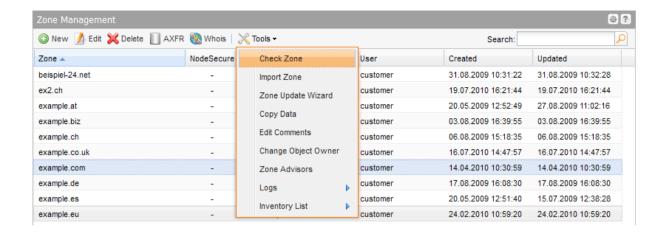
Nameserver Check

This function checks whether the nameservers and zone data meet the requirement for a well-functioning delegation. This check is compliant to the Denic "NAST" check. (= Denic Documentation Nameserver Predelegation Check, Document: DENIC-23p.)

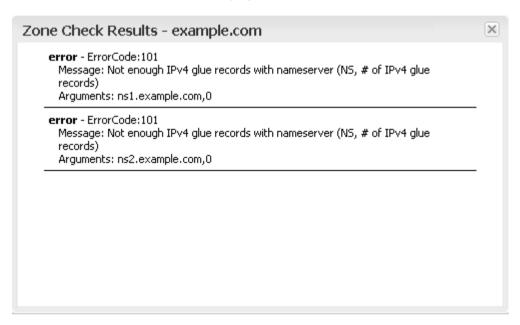
The check result is displayed in a window. It can include warning and error messages. ERROR means: the zone data does not match the obligatory requirements. The domain cannot be connected.

WARNING means that the zone data does not follow the recommendations. The domain can be connected nevertheless.

- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects**.
- Select the zone you want to check.
- 3. Click the Tools button.
- 4. Click Check Zone in the list.



The results of the zone check are displayed in a window.



The following checks are carried out among others:

- Are all nameservers reachable and authoritative for the requested zone?
- Does the IPv4 address of at least one name server differ from the other IPv4 nameserver addresses?
- Are the existing Glue records valid?
- Is the SOA serial identical on all nameservers?
- Do the SOA values comply with the guideline values?
- Do the NS Resource Records correspond exactly to the entered nameservers?
- Is no CName Resource Record entered?
- Does the referral response fit in a DNS UDP package, i.e. does it not exceed 512 bytes?

Deleting Zones

- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects.**
- 2. Select the zone you want to delete. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the request.

8.4 SPF RECORD GENERATOR

With the SPF Record Generator you can automatically create SPF entries for your domain.

What is SPF?

SPF (Sender Policy Framework) is a technology for authenticating the sender of an email. It is intended to make forging the sender on SMTP-level more difficult. For this purpose, a SPF record is set in the zonefile listing the servers which are allowed to send emails.

The receiving mail server can then check the identity of the sender (the "MAIL-FROM" and "HELO" identity). E-Mails whose sender is not authenticated can be marked as Spam. The SPF records are stored as a TXT resource records which reflects the current state of the RFC.

- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects.**
- 2. Select the zone you want to create a SPF entry for.
- 3. Click Edit.
- 4. Click the **Additional Nameserver Entries** tab.
- 5. Click the drop-down-menu DNS Service Wizard
- 6. Select the menu entry SPF Record Generator.
- 7. Select the desired entries and enter the required information in the entry fields.
- 8. Finally, click Add Nameserver Entries.

To have a look at the entries switch to the *Additional Nameserver Entries* tab. If you want you can edit the SPF entry here.

Form section details:

SPF Record Generator

You can create valid SPF records here.

Form section details:

Allow the mail server(s) defined MX Record(s) in this zone record to send email for this domain:	Yes (recommended) No
Allow the current (main) IP address of the domain to send email for this domain?	Yes (recommended) No
Are all subdomains allowed to send email for this main domain?	Yes No (recommended)
Allow the following IPv4 addresses to send emails:	Enter the desired IP addresses. Separate them with blank space.
Allow the following IPv6 addresses to send emails:	Enter the desired IPv4 addresses. Separate them with blank space.
Allow the following domains to relay or deliver email for this domain:	Enter the desired IPv6 addresses. Separate them with blank space.
Allow the following server hostnames to relay or deliver email for this domain:	Enter the desired host names. Separate them with blank space.
Select how strict the server should treat the emails:	 Fail: the mail is not compliant and will be rejected. SoftFail: emails will be accepted but it will be marked because it is not compliant. Neutral: emails may possibly be accepted.

Example for user-defined settings:

SPF Record Generator		
Allow the mail server(s) defined MX Record(s) in this zone record to send email for this domain:	Yes (recommend)	-
Allow the current (main) IP address of the domain to send email for this domain?	Yes (recommend)	•
Are all subdomains allowed to send email for this main domain?	No (recommend)	•
Allow the following IPv4 addresses to send emails:	192.0.2.1/24 192.0.2	
Allow the following IPv6 addresses to send emails:	2001:0DB8::1/32 200	
Allow the following server hostnames to relay or deliver email for this domain:	example.de www.exa	
Allow the following domains to relay or deliver email for this domain:	example.de www.exa	
Select how strict the server should treat the emails:	SoftFail (Will be accepted	

The SPF entry looks like this:

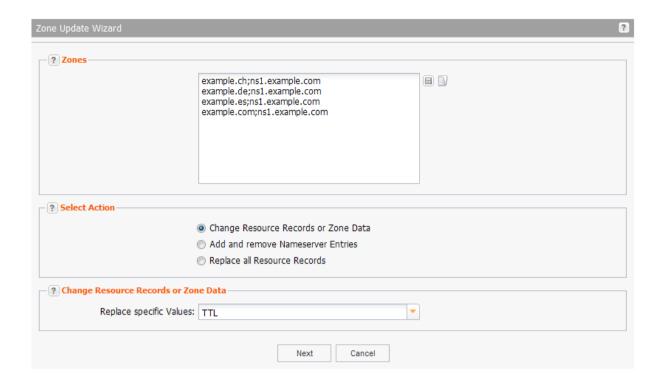
Value
"v=spf1 mx a ptr ip4:192.0.2.1/24 ip4:192.0.2.2/24 ip6:2001:0DB8::1/32 ip6:2001:0DB8::2/32 a:example.com a:www.example.com include:example.com include:www.example.com ~all"

8.5 ZONE UPDATE WIZARD

Executing targeted Bulk Zone Updates with the Zone UpdateWizard

You can change specific zone data in a targeted bulk request with the Zone Update Wizard.

You can select the zones and specify the data to be found and replaced. You can edit resource records and zone data, add or delete nameserver entries and replace all resource records at once.



The selected zones are listed in the **Zones** section. You also can click to select a defined zone list or to select all zones.

Finally, choose the action you want to carry out for the selected zones in the **Select Action** section and select the values to be changed in the section **Change Resource Records or Zone Data**.

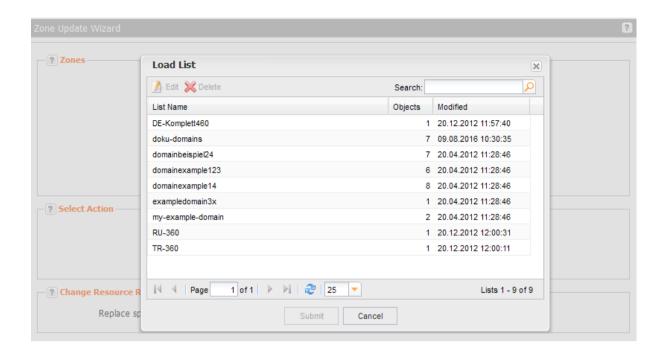
Edit Resource Records or Zone Data

- Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects to see the Zone Management area.
- 2. Select the zones you want to edit. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click the menu *Tools* and select the *Zone Update Wizard*.

Zones

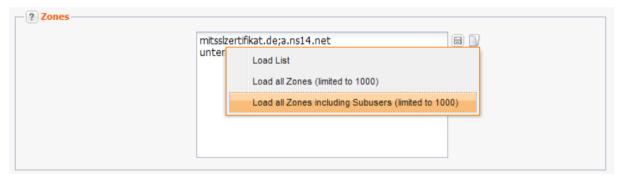


1. You can enter the zones to be updated here. Use *Enter* to separate the entries in a bulk request. Or click the icon to load an existing zone list. See: "Creating Object Lists in Forms" on page 297.



Additional Options for subusers:

- Load all Zones to load all existing zones.
- Load all Zones including Subusers to load the domains of subusers too.



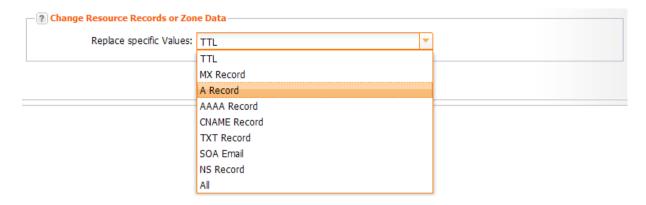
These options are not available to the system owner, because the amount of data might be too large.

Select Action

1. Select the option Change Resource Records or Zone Data in the form section Select Action.



Edit Resource Records or Zone Data



You can edit the following values for the selected zones:

- TTL
- MX Record
- A Record
- AAAA Record
- CNAME
- SOA Email
- NS Record
- All (includes HINFO, SRV, NAPTR)

After you have selected the desired entry click *Next* to open the respective form.

Replace specific Values



- Click to add new entry fields.
- Enter the value to be replaced in the Search field on the left.
- Enter the value to be pasted into the Replace field on the right.

NOTE

For these values wildcard search with "*" is provided: TTL / A / AAAA / SOA EMAIL / NS RECORD / TXT.

Only characters can be entered which are valid for the value you have selected before. E.g. for TTL only numbers are allowed.

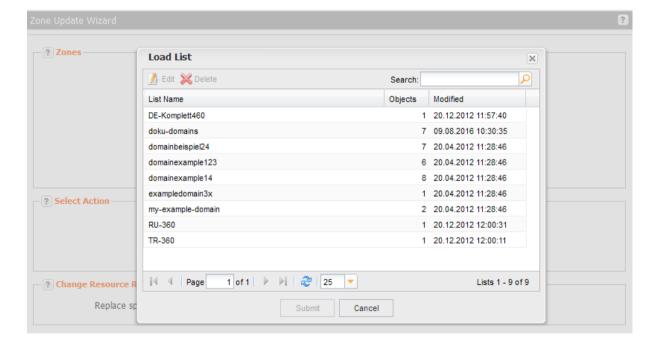
Add and Remove Nameserver Entries

- 1. Click **Zone Management** in the menu group **Zones & Redirects** to see the **Zone Management** area.
- 2. Select the zones you want to edit. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click the menu Tools and select the Zone Update Wizard.

Zones



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Select Action

Select the option Add and remove Nameserver Entries.



Click Next.

The form *Add and remove Nameserver Entries* opens. It consists of two form sections: *Add Entries/Subdomains* and *Remove Entries/Subdomains*.

Adding and removing Nameserver Entries

Form Section Add Entries/Subdomains



Here you can add new subrecords to the selected zones.

Click to enter a new entry. Double-click the entry field to enter a new value.

Click to add ten entries at once.

Name	Enter the name of the subdomain here.
TTL	Enter the TTL value here. Click Change TTL of all Subdomains to change the TTL value of all subdomains in the same way. A dialog opens in which you can enter the new value.

RR Type

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TXT = free text. You can create SPF entries here. Example see below.

HINFO = Host information (Type of processor and operating system)

NAPTR = (Naming Authority Pointer) extension of the A resource records SRV = Service (Example see below)

For further information about the resource record types, see: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List of DNS record types

Example for a SPF record:

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Please note, that SPF entries are created as TXT entries.

Entry 1: Checks, if the domain, from which the email was sent, has an SPF record, else discard the email.

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was sent from this specific IP, else discard the email.



Example for SRV record



Pref (MX)

Enter the preferred value (for MX).

Value

Enter a value. Use drag and drop to enter favorites.

Form Section Remove Entries/Subdomains

You can remove existing subdomains here. Click for a new entry. Double-click the entry fields to enter a new value.



Name	Enter the name of the subdomain here.
RR Type	Select the resource record type for the entry you want to delete here.
Value	Enter the value of the entry here.

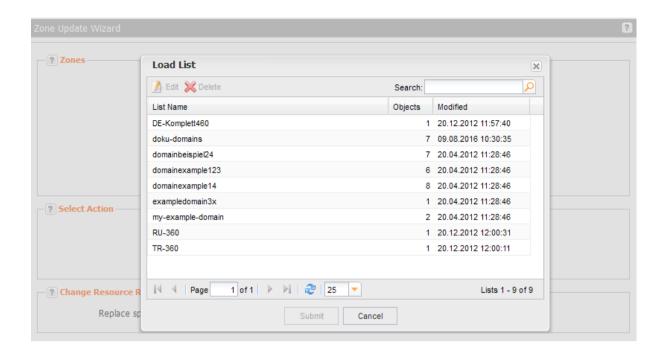
Replace all Resource Records

- Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects to see the Zone Management area.
- 2. Select the zones you want to edit. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click the menu *Tools* and select the *Zone Update Wizard*.

Zones

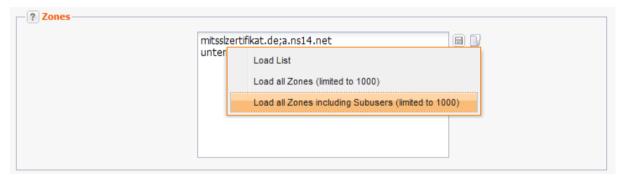


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Select Action

Select the option Replace all Resource Records in the section Select Action.



Click Next.

Replace all Nameserver Entries

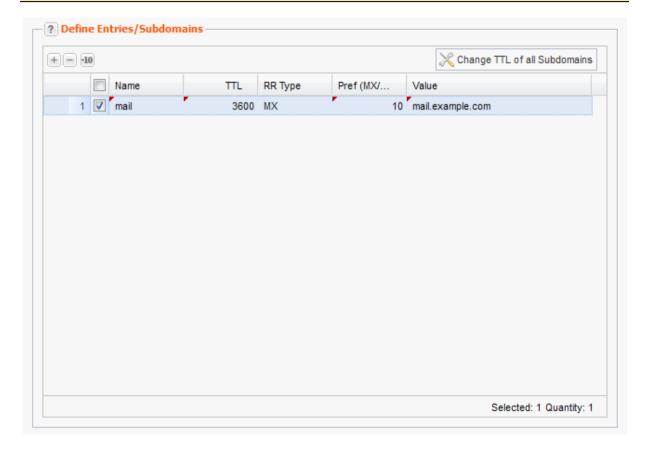
You can define new entries and subdomains here. All existing entries and subdomains will be deleted and replaced by new ones.

CAUTION!

If you do not define new resource record values, all existing resource records will be deleted for the domains you have selected.

NOTE

Please keep in mind, that ALL resource records, including the www records, will be replaced.



- 1. Click for a new entry.
- 2. Double-click the entry field to enter a new value.

Subdomain	Enter the name of the subdomain here.
TTL	Enter the TTL value here
RR-Type	Select the desired RR-Type (resource record type). The available types are: Select the desired RR Type (resource record type).
	The available RR types are: A = IPv4 address of the host AAAA = IPv6 address of the host MX = Mail Exchange – the mail server for the domain

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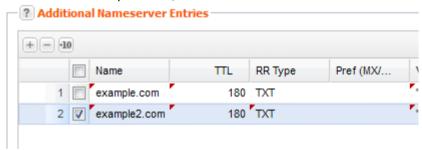
Note:

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Example for SRV record



Pref (MX)

Enter the preferred value (for MX).

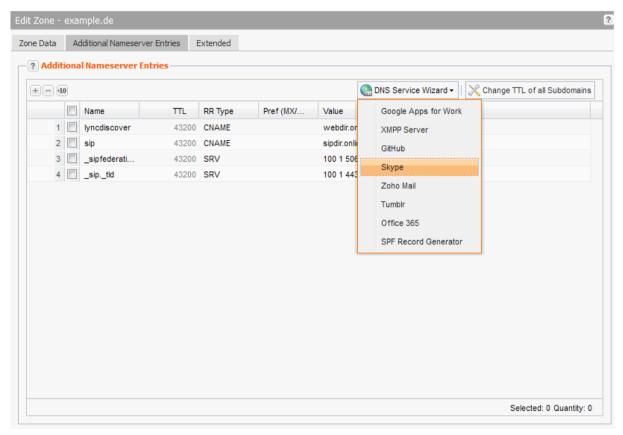
Value

Enter a value. Use drag and drop to enter favorites.

8.6 DNS SERVICE WIZARD

DNS Service Wizard

With the **DNS Service Wizard** you can enter automatically additional nameserver entries for selected services.



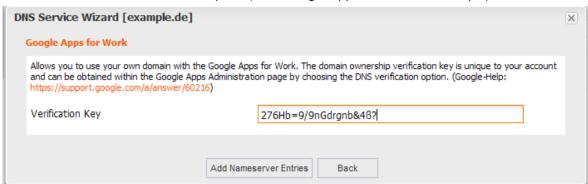
These DNS-Services can be configured with the DNS Wizard:

- Google Apps for Work
- XMPP-Server
- GitHub
- Skype
- Zoho Mail
- Tumblr
- Office365
- SPF Record Generator

Creating Nameserver Entries with the DNS Service Wizard

- 1. Click Zone Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Select the zone you want to create a DNS Service entry for.
- 3. Click Edit.
 - The form *Edit Zones* opens.
- 4. Click the **Additional Nameserver Entries** tab.
- 5. Open the **DNS Service Wizard** menu.

The **DNS Service Wizard** window opens (here Google Apps for Work as example).



- 6. If prompted, please provide the additional data such as a verification code. Information can be found within the short description of the respective DNS Service.
- 7. Click Add Nameserver Entries after you have entered all required data.
- 8. Click **Submit** after you have added all desired services.

Note

The functionality of already existing zone records may be affected by new zone records. A warning message will be displayed if adverse effects are to be expected. You can then choose if you want to add the new records anyway or if you want to replace and thereby delete the existing zone records.

9 Redirect Management

9.1 REDIRECT MANAGEMENT

The **Redirect Management** area is your control area for working with domain and email redirects. A redirect allows you to redirect domains and subdomains to existing URLs (http/https) and email addresses to existing email addresses.

Please contact our sales department, if you want to buy this optional feature.

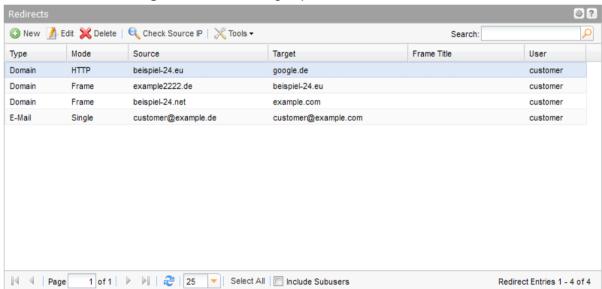
All your redirects are displayed in the Redirect Management overview.

NOTE

Redirects are managed by a dedicated server (*IP address 62.116.130.8*). In addition to the entry in the redirector, you have to change the domain and the subdomain entries to point to this IP address. If you operate your own nameservers, you have to enter the IP address manually on your nameserver.

Click the *Check Source IP* to check whether the IP of the source is set correctly. You can select one or several domains or run the check - without selection - for all redirects in the overview.

1. Click Redirect Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.



The following details are displayed:

- Type: the redirect type (domain or email redirect)
- Mode: the mode of the redirect (domain redirect: frame or http; email redirect: single or catchall)
- Source: the originating email address or domain to be redirected to the target
- Source IP Status: is displayed when you run a source IP check
- Target: the domain or email address to which the source is directed to
- Frame Title: the browser title to be used for domain redirects of the type "frame"
- User: the user the redirect object belongs to

You can create, edit and delete redirects in the toolbar. Use the *Check Source IP* button to check whether the Source IP is correct for the A record.

The following tasks can be started in the Tools menu:

Create .CSV lists

Selecting all entries with the same value

With the function **Select Entries with the same Value** you can find easily all redirect entries with the same value.

- 1. Select an entry with the desired value.
- Open the menu in the column header of the respective column and click the menu entry Select
 Entries with the same Value
- 3. All redirect entries with the respective value will be selected now.

To select all entries with a specific source IP status click the button *Check Source IP* first. For each redirect the status will be displayed in the *Source IP Status* column.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the *Search* field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- 2. Click lo have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click to have all entries displayed again.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- **Don't display Data automatically:** the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- Always display Subuser Data: the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section *Global Settings*. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click at the bottom of the overview.

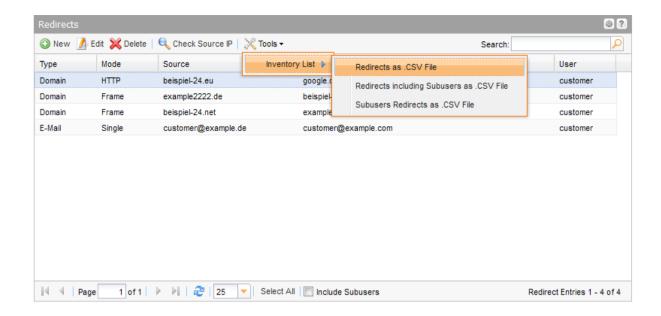
9.2 DISPLAYING REDIRECTS

You can see all your redirects in the *Redirects Overview*. You can also create a .CSV inventory list of your redirects.

Creating a .CSV List of your Redirects

You can create inventory lists of your redirects in the CSV file format.

- 1. Click Redirects in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select the **Inventory List** entry in the menu.
- Specify whether you want to include or exclude subusers in the list or if you only want to include the redirects of the subusers.



The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

9.3 CREATING AND EDITING DOMAIN REDIRECTS

Creating Domain Redirects

- 1. Click Redirect Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Click New in the toolbar.

The form Create Redirect Entry opens.



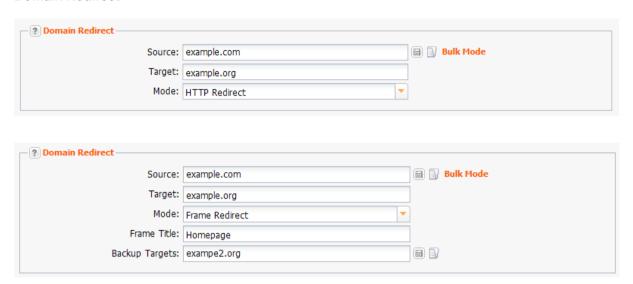
Select *Domain Redirect* in the section Redirect Type. The form section *Domain Redirect* will be displayed.

NOTE

Redirects are managed by a dedicated server (IP address 62.116.130.8). In addition to the entry in the redirector, you have to change the domain and the subdomain entries to point to this IP address.

Form section details:

Domain Redirect



NOTE

Source and target of the redirect may not be the same.

Tip:

We recommend selecting HTTP/HTTPS for search engine friendly redirects!

The reason: A "301 Moved Permanently" is implemented for HTTP and HTTPS redirects. Search engines therefore follow this link and update the relevant pages in their databases, so the search engine ranking is maintained.

For frame redirects, a "302 Moved Temporarily" is implemented. These links are not followed by search engines.

Entry details:

Source	Enter the domain to be redirected (source) with and without "www." Example: "www.test.com" and "test.com". For bulk processing, enter several domains. Use <i>Enter</i> as separator.
	Note Please be aware, that wildcard entries with "*" followed by ".", like example*.com are not allowed.
Target	Enter the URL of the target domain. Enter the domain without "http://".
Mode	Select the mode <i>HTTP Redirect</i> if the URL of the target domain should be displayed in the browser address bar Select the mode <i>HTTPS Redirect</i> if the URL of the target domain should be displayed in the browser address bar and you want to use a HTTPS connection. Select the mode <i>Frame Redirect</i> if the URL of the source domain is to be displayed in the browser address bar.
Frame Title	If you have selected <i>Frame Redirect</i> mode, the target website is displayed in a frame. Enter the title to be shown in the title bar of the browser here. This form field is displayed for frame redirect only.

Backup Targets

Enter one or several backup targets here. If the first target is not accessible, the domain will automatically be redirected to the backup target.

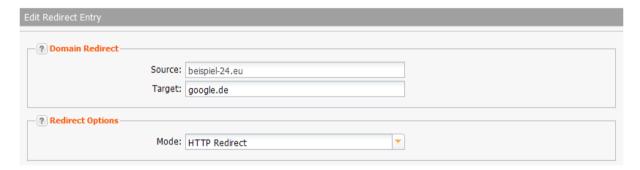
This form field is displayed for *Frame Redirect* only.

Editing Domain Redirects

Changing the redirect target or the redirect mode.

- 1. Click Redirect Management in the menu group Zones & Redirect.
- 2. Select the domain redirect you want to edit in the *Redirects* overview. Press *Ctrl* for multi select.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar of the *Redirects* overview.

The form Edit Redirect Entry opens.



Form section details:

Domain Redirect



You can enter the source and target of domain redirects here.

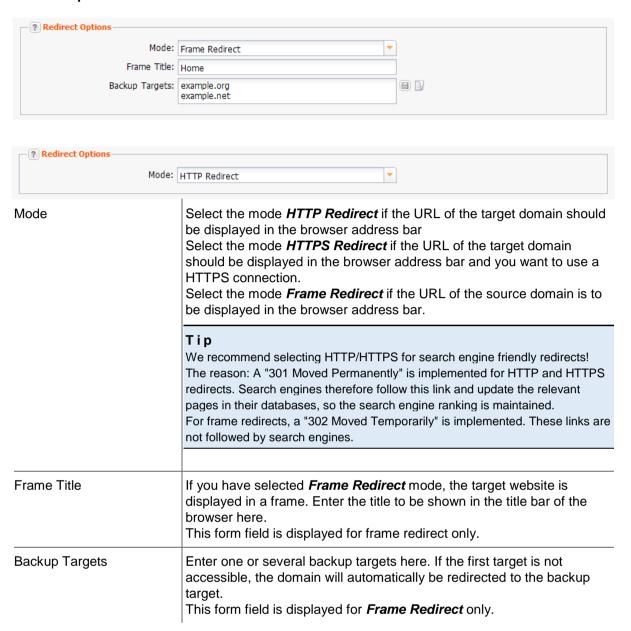
NOTE

Source and target of the redirect may not be the same.

Entry details:

Source	Enter the domain to be redirected (source) with and without "www." Example: "www.test.com" and "test.com". For bulk processing, enter several domains. Use <i>Enter</i> as separator.
	Note Please be aware, that wildcard entries with "*" followed by ".", like example*.com are not allowed.
Target	Enter the URL of the target domain. Enter the domain without "http://".

Redirect Options



9.4 CREATING AND EDITING EMAIL REDIRECTS

Creating Email Redirects

Redirection email addresses to another existing email address.

NOTE

Redirects are managed by a dedicated server (IP address 62.116.130.8). In addition to the entry in the redirector, you have to change the domain and the subdomain entries to point to this IP address. If you run your own nameservers, you have to enter the IP address manually on your nameserver. If you want to set up an email redirect without a domain redirect, you have to change the MX for the source. It has to point to the IP address 62.116.130.8. Please change the IP addresses for the domain or subdomain which is used as MX.

- 1. Click Redirect Management in the menu group DNS & Redirect.
- 2. Click New in the toolbar.

The Create Redirect Entry form opens.



3. Select *Email Redirect* in the section *Redirect Type*. The *Email Redirect* section will be displayed in the form.

Form section details:

Email Redirect



Entry details:

Source	Enter the email addresses to be redirected (= mode single). To redirect all emails from the source to the target enter the source like this: @example-source.com (= mode catchall).
Target	Enter the target URL to which the email addresses should be redirected to.

Editing Email Redirects

Changing the source or target address of an email redirect.

- 1. Click Redirect Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Select the email redirect you want to edit in the *Redirects* overview.Press *Ctrl* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- Click Edit in the toolbar of the Redirects overview.

The *Edit Redirect* form opens.



Form section details:

Email Redirect



Entry details:

Source	Enter the email addresses to be redirected (= mode single). To redirect all emails from the source to the target enter the source like this: @example-source.com (= mode catchall).
Target	Enter the target URL to which the email addresses should be redirected to.

Deleting Domain and Email Redirects

- 1. Click Redirect Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- Select the redirect you want to delete in the *Redirects* overview. Press *Ctrl* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar of the **Redirects** overview list.
- 4. Click **Delete** to delete the redirects.
- Confirm the request.

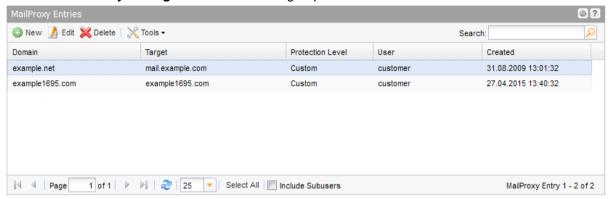
10 MailProxy

10.1 MAILPROXY MANAGEMENT

The MailProxy receives the mail sent to the domain it is configured for. It then checks the mail for spam, viruses and other malware. Contaminated mail can be deleted or removed to a quarantine folder. All mail, including the marked spam, is then redirected to the target mail server.

The MailProxy overview lists all domains for which a MailProxy has been configured.

1. Click MailProxy Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.



The following details are displayed:

- Domain: the domain the MailProxy is configured for
- Target: the hostname of the mail server the mails proxy sends the mails to
- Protection Level: the protection level that is selected for the domain
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Created: when the MailProxy was created

In the toolbar you can create, edit and delete MailProxy entries.

You can create a .CSV inventory file of your MailProxy entries

- 1. Click *Tools* in the *toolbar* and select *Inventory List* in the menu.
- 2. Choose, if you want to create a list with or without subusers or if you want to export only the subusers MailProxy entries to a .CSV file.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field.
 Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- Click to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- Click to have all entries displayed again.

The following tasks can be started in the *Tools* menu:

Creating a .CSV file of your MailProxies

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area *User Configuration/User Interface* of the *User Management* menu item.

In the form section Overview Settings you can select:

- Don't display Data automatically: the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- Always display Subuser Data: the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section Global Settings. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click



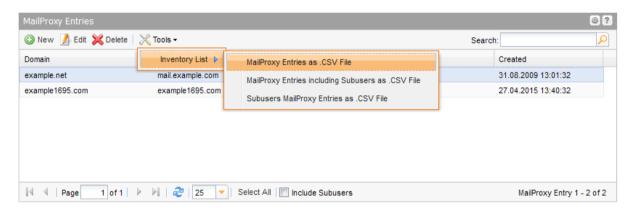
at the bottom of the overview.

10.2 DISPLAYING MAILPROXY ENTRIES

Creating a .CSV List of your MailProxies

You can create inventory lists of your mail proxies in .CSV file format here.

- Click *MailProxy Management* in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Click *Tools* in the toolbar and select the *Inventory List* entry in the menu.
- Specify whether you want to include or exclude subusers in the list or if you only want to get the subuser entries.



The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

10.3 CREATING, EDITING AND DELETING MAILPROXY ENTRIES

Creating a MailProxy Entry

- Click MailProxy Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- Click New in the toolbar.

The form *Create MailProxy Entry* opens.

NOTE

In addition to the configuration of the MailProxy, you have to configure the zone too.

You have to add an MX entry for the MailProxy:

example.com IN MX 10 mailproxy.domain-robot.org

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You have to delete the MX entry for the mail server:

Example:
example.com IN MX 10 mail.example.com

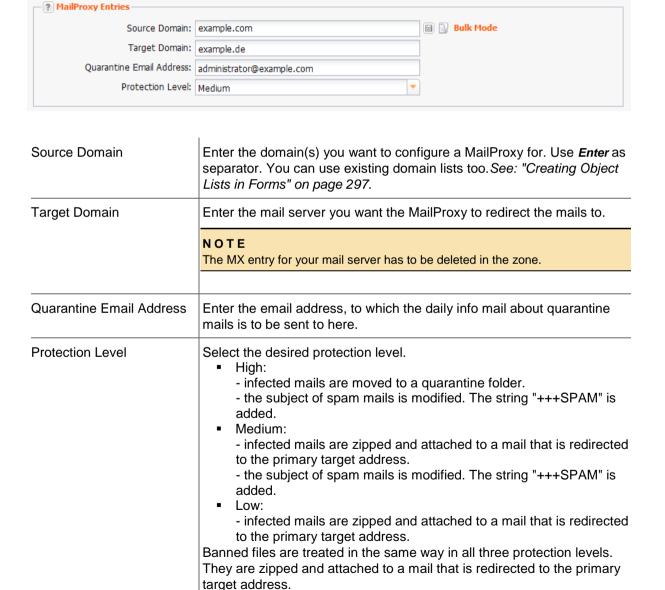
Enter the mail server in the Target field of the MailProxy Create form.

If you want to configure a MailProxy and a BackupMX entry, both need an MX entry.
Example:
example.com IN MX 10 mailproxy.domain-robot.org
example.com IN MX 20 backupmx.domain-robot.org

In this case, you have to enter the mail server in the Target Field of the MailProxy Create form.
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Form section details:

MailProxy Entries



To specify the *Custom* settings, go to the section *Protection Settings*.

NOTE

The MX for the zone has to point to the following IP 62.116.162.145. The redirect target which is configured in the MailProxy may not refer to the MailProxy.

Example:

example.com IN MX mailproxy.domain-robot.org

Alternatively:

example.com IN MX mailproxy.example.com mailproxy.example.com IN A 62.116.162.145

Protection Settings



NOTE

Please be aware that emails deleted because of your protection settings cannot be restored.

Enable Greylisting

Activate the checkbox to use the *Greylisting* feature. When using *Greylisting*, the first email from an unknown sender is rejected. Only subsequent emails from the sender are accepted.

NOTE

Please note that greylisting can cause the delayed delivery of mails.

Virus Protection

When a virus is detected, the infected mail is zipped and attached to a mail. This mail is redirected to the primary target address containing a warning, e.g.:

WARNING: contains virus Trojan.ArcBomb-1 Trojan.ArcBomb-1

Select the setting for virus protection here :

- Quarantine: the filtered mails are moved to a quarantine folder. An information mail is sent daily to the administrator email address you have entered in the *MailProxy Entries* form section. It informs about all emails in the quarantine folder. Using a link, you can open the quarantine folder and decide how to treat each mail.
- Delete: the emails are not accepted.
- Mark: the filtered emails are accepted, even though they are filtered out.
- Disabled: virus protection is not active.

File Type Filter

Select the setting for the usage of the banned files list here. Banned files are a list of file types, known to be infected with viruses often, e.g. .scr, .exe.jpg. A list with the respective file types is stored in the system.

	These file types are stored in the list:
	 double file extensions containing the following extensions: exely vbs pif scr bat cmd com cpl dll these MIME Types: application/x-msdownload,application/x-msdos-program,application/hta,message/partial,message/external-body these simple file extensions: ade adp app bas bat chm cmd com cpl crt exe fxp hlp hta inf ins isp js jse lnk mda mdb mde mdw mdt mdz msc msi msp mst ops pcd pif prg reg scr sct shb shs vb vbe vbs wsc wsf wsh these types: exe-ms, exe lha cab dll
Spam Protection	 Select the settings for the spam protection here. Delete: the emails are deleted. Mark: the filtered emails are accepted, even though they are filtered out. Disabled: spam protection is not active.
Modify Subject	Activate the check box to add the string "***SPAM" to the mail header of spam mails.
Header Tag Score	Enter a score here. If an incoming email reaches this value, a tag that flags the mail as spam is added to the header (Header X-Spam-Status and X-Spam-Level).
	Recommended: values between -999 and 1
Spam Score	Enter a score here. If an incoming email reaches this value, it is marked as spam (X-Spam-Flag). The score is added to the header.
	Recommended: Values between 4.5 and 8. The lower the value, the more mails are marked as spam.
Kill Score	Enter a score here. If an incoming email reaches this value, it is treated according to the protection settings you defined in the section Spam Filter and is sent to the quarantine folder when this is set.
	NOTE Please note that the kill score value has to be higher than the spam score value.

Email Filter



Entry details:

Enter one email address per line. To include all emails sent to a domain in one of the lists, enter only @ and the domain name, e.g. "@example.com".

Whitelist	Add specific email addresses to the white list here. Incoming mails from these email addresses will not be marked as spam.
Blacklist	Add specific email addresses to the blacklist here. Incoming mails from these email addresses will always be marked as spam.
Exclusion List	Add specific email addresses to the exclusion list here. Incoming mails from these email addresses will not be processed by the MailProxy and sent directly to the mail target. E.g. "hostmaster@example.com".
	NOTE Please be aware that you may not enter the Quarantine Mail Address here.

Editing MailProxy Entries

You can edit the MailProxy for your domains here.

- 1. Click MailProxy Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
- 2. Select the domains you want to edit. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click Edit in the toolbar.

The form Edit MailProxy Entries opens.

NOTE

In addition to the configuration of the MailProxy, you have to configure the zone too.

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You have to add an MX entry for the MailProxy:
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Example:
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example.com IN MX 10 mailproxy.domain-robot.org

You have to delete the MX entry for the mail server:

Example:

example.com IN MX 10 mail.example.com

Enter the mail server in the ${\it Target}$ field of the ${\it MailProxy}$ ${\it Create}$ form.

If you want to configure a MailProxy and a BackupMX entry, both need an MX entry. Example:

example.com IN MX 10 mailproxy.domain-robot.org

example.com IN MX 20 backupmx.domain-robot.org

In this case you have to enter the mail server in the Target field of the MailProxy Create form too.

Form section details:

MailProxy Entries



Source Domain	Enter the domain(s) you want to configure a MailProxy for. Use <i>Enter</i> as separator. You can use existing domain lists too. See: "Creating Object Lists in Forms" on page 297.
Target Domain	Enter the mail server you want the MailProxy to redirect the mails to.
	NOTE The MX entry for your mail server has to be deleted in the zone.
Quarantine Email Address	Enter the email address, to which the daily info mail about quarantine mails is to be sent to here.
Protection Level	 Select the desired protection level. High: infected mails are moved to a quarantine folder. the subject of spam mails is modified. The string "+++SPAM" is added. Medium: infected mails are zipped and attached to a mail that is redirected to the primary target address. the subject of spam mails is modified. The string "+++SPAM" is added. Low: infected mails are zipped and attached to a mail that is redirected to the primary target address. Banned files are treated in the same way in all three protection levels. They are zipped and attached to a mail that is redirected to the primary target address. To specify the <i>Custom</i> settings, go to the section <i>Protection Settings</i>.

NOTE

The MX for the zone has to point to the following IP 62.116.162.145. The redirect target which is configured in the MailProxy may not refer to the MailProxy.

Example:

example.com IN MX mailproxy.domain-robot.org

Alternatively:

example.com IN MX mailproxy.example.com mailproxy.example.com IN A 62.116.162.145

Email Filter



Entry details:

Enter one email address per line. To include all emails sent to a domain in one of the lists, enter only @ and the domain name, e.g. "@example.com".

Whitelist	Add specific email addresses to the white list here. Incoming mails from these email addresses will not be marked as spam.
Blacklist	Add specific email addresses to the blacklist here. Incoming mails from these email addresses will always be marked as spam.
Exclusion List	Add specific email addresses to the exclusion list here. Incoming mails from these email addresses will not be processed by the MailProxy and sent directly to the mail target. E.g. "hostmaster@example.com".
	NOTE Please be aware that you may not enter the <i>Quarantine Mail Address</i> here.

Protection Settings



NOTE

Please be aware that emails deleted because of your protection settings cannot be restored.

Enable Greylisting

Activate the checkbox to use the *Greylisting* feature. When using *Greylisting*, the first email from an unknown sender is rejected. Only subsequent emails from the sender are accepted.

NOTE

Please note that greylisting can cause the delayed delivery of mails.

Virus Protection	When a virus is detected, the infected mail is zipped and attached to a mail. This mail is redirected to the primary target address containing a warning, e.g.: WARNING: contains virus Trojan.ArcBomb-1 Trojan.ArcBomb-1
	Select the setting for virus protection here :
	 Quarantine: the filtered mails are moved to a quarantine folder. An information mail is sent daily to the administrator email address you have entered in the <i>MailProxy Entries</i> form section. It informs about all emails in the quarantine folder. Using a link, you can open the quarantine folder and decide how to treat each mail. Delete: the emails are not accepted. Mark: the filtered emails are accepted, even though they are filtered out. Disabled: virus protection is not active.
File Type Filter	Select the setting for the usage of the banned files list here. Banned files are a list of file types, known to be infected with viruses often, e.gscr, .exe.jpg. A list with the respective file types is stored in the system.
	These file types are stored in the list:
	 double file extensions containing the following extensions: exe vbs pif scr bat cmd com cpl dll these MIME Types: application/x-msdownload,application/x-msdos-program,application/hta,message/partial,message/external-body
	 these simple file extensions: ade adp app bas bat chm cmd com cpl crt exe fxp hlp hta inf ins isp js jse lnk mda mdb mde mdw mdt mdz msc msi msp mst ops pcd pif prg reg scr sct shb shs vb vbe vbs wsc wsf wsh these types: exe-ms, exe lha cab dll
Spam Protection	 Select the settings for the spam protection here. Delete: the emails are deleted. Mark: the filtered emails are accepted, even though they are filtered out. Disabled: spam protection is not active.
Modify Subject	Activate the check box to add the string "***SPAM" to the mail header of spam mails.
Header Tag Score	Enter a score here. If an incoming email reaches this value, a tag that flags the mail as spam is added to the header (Header X-Spam-Status and X-Spam-Level). Recommended: values between -999 and 1
Spam Score	Enter a score here. If an incoming email reaches this value, it is marked as spam (X-Spam-Flag). The score is added to the header. Recommended: Values between 4.5 and 8. The lower the value, the more mails are marked as spam.
Kill Score	Enter a score here. If an incoming email reaches this value, it is treated according to the protection settings you defined in the section Spam Filter and is sent to the quarantine folder when this is set.
	NOTE Please note that the kill score value has to be higher than the spam score value.

Deleting MailProxies

- Click *MailProxy Management* in the menu group *Zones & Redirects*.
 All domains which have a MailProxy entry are displayed in the *MailProxy* overview.
- 2. Select the MailProxy entry you want to delete. Press Ctrl for multi select. (For Mac users cmd)
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the request.

NOTE

If you delete a MailProxy entry, you also have to change the configuration of the zone. Delete the MX entry of the MailProxy and enter the mail server MX entry instead.

11 BackupMX

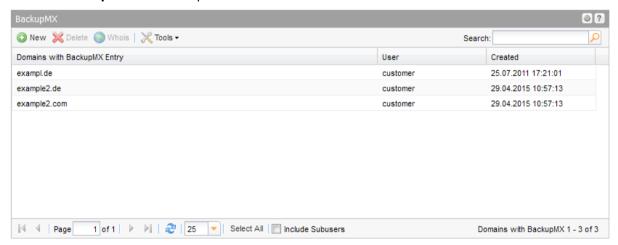
11.1 BACKUPMX

In the area **BackupMX** you can define a backup mail server to cache your mails in case the primary mail server breaks down. When the primary mail server is operational again, the BackupMX server automatically sends the mails to your primary mail server.

All current BackupMX entries are displayed in the **BackupMX** overview.

Click BackupMX Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.

The **BackupMX** overview opens.



The following details are displayed:

- Domains with BackupMX Entry: the label of the domain with BackupMX entry
- User: the user the object belongs to
- Created: when the BackupMX entry was created

You can create and delete BackupMX entries and carry out Whois requests in the toolbar.

Searching certain entries:

- Enter the term you want to look up into the **Search** field. Or: enter an arbitrary detail of the term and use "*" as a wildcard.
- Click lo have the corresponding entries displayed.
- to have all entries displayed again. 3.

TIP

You can define the overview presettings in the area User Configuration/User Interface of the User Management menu item.

In the form section *Overview Settings* you can select:

- Don't display Data automatically: the overview is loaded without data. This reduces the loading time. Use this function if you use the search function of the overview often.
- Always display Subuser Data: the subuser data is loaded automatically in the overview. Note, that this is not recommended if you have a lot of subusers, because this significantly increases the loading time.

You can configure the caching of the overview data in the form section Global Settings. The cache is used to speed up the display of data in the overviews. It stores the results and displays them for the next requests until the cache is refreshed.

To refresh the data manually click



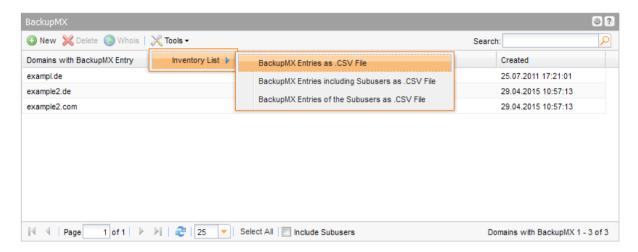
at the bottom of the overview.

11.2 DISPLAYING BACKUPMX ENTRIES

Creating a .CSV List of your BackupMX Entries

You can create inventory lists of your BackupMX entries in .CSV file format here.

- 1. Click BackupMX Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects area.
- 2. Click **Tools** in the toolbar and select the *Inventory List* entry in the menu.
- Specify whether you want to include or exclude subusers in the list or if you only want to get the subuser entries.



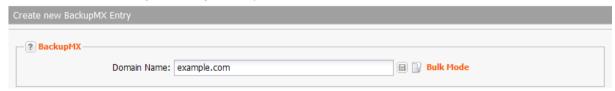
The list will be created and opened in the application assigned to the format .CSV. This is normally a spreadsheet program such as Excel.

11.3 CREATING AND DELETING BACKUPMX ENTRIES

Creating BackupMX Entries

- Click BackupMX Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
 Your current BackupMX entries are displayed in the BackupMX overview.
- 2. Click **New** in the toolbar.

The Create BackupMX Entry form opens.



NOTE

In addition to the configuration of the BackupMX entry, you have to configure the zone too.

You have to add an MX entry for the BackupMX server.

Example:

example.com IN MX 10 mail.example.com

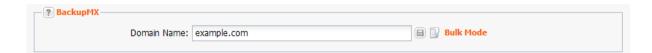
example.com IN MX 20 backupmx.domain-robot.org

If you want to configure a MailProxy and a BackupMX entry, both need an MX entry.

Example:

example.com IN MX 10 mailproxy.domain-robot.org
example.com IN MX 20 backupmx.domain-robot.org
In this case you have to enter the mail server in the **Target field** of the **MailProxy Create** form too.

To configure the MailProxy See: "Creating a MailProxy Entry" on page 275.



You can specify the domains you want to create a BackupMX entry for here.

Domain Name

Enter one or several domains in the Domain Name(s) field. Use *Enter* as separator. You can load existing domain lists too. See: "Creating Object Lists in Forms" on page 297.

Deleting BackupMX Entries

- Click BackupMX Management in the menu group Zones & Redirects.
 Your current BackupMX entries are displayed in the BackupMX overview.
- 2. Select the domain with BackupMX entry you want to delete. Press *Ctrl* for multi select. (For Mac users *cmd*)
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the request.

NOTE

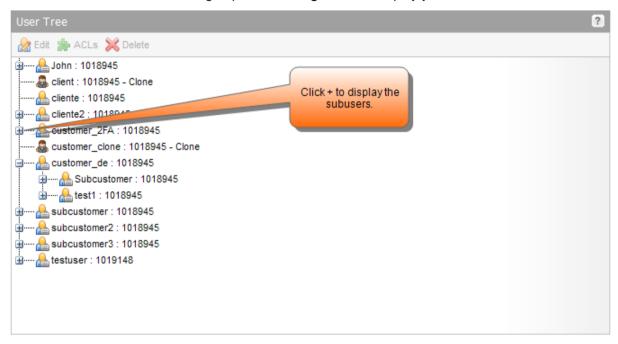
If you delete a BackupMX entry you have to delete the BackupMX entry of the zone as well.

12 User Management

12.1 USER TREE

The *User Tree* gives you a clear overview of the user and subuser hierarchy. You can use this tree view as your starting point for user management. You can edit and delete users and set their user privileges (ACLs) with this convenient tool.

1. Click *User Tree* in the menu group *User Management* to display your users and their subusers.



You can carry out following actions here:

- Double-click the user or select the user and click *Edit* in the toolbar to edit the user data. The form *Edit User* will open. See: "Editing a User" on page 289.
- Select the user and click **ACLs** to edit the user privileges.
- Select the user and click **Delete** in the toolbar to delete a user.

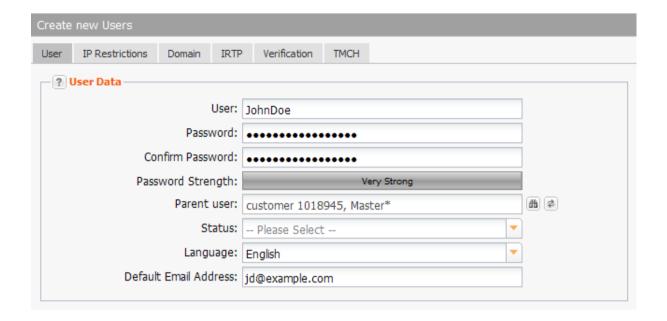
12.2 CREATING NEW USERS, EDITING USER PROFILES AND DELETING USERS

Creating new Subusers

1. Click Create Users in the menu group User Management.

Or:

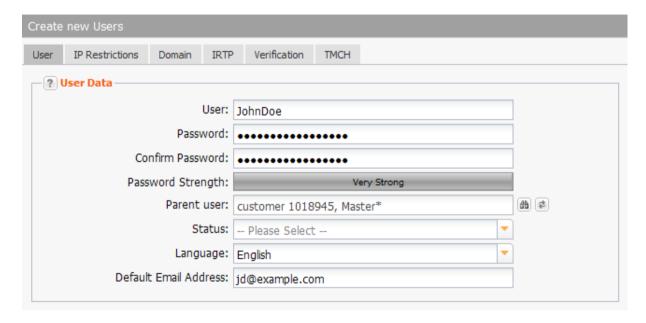
- 1. Click User Management in the menu group User Management.
- 2. Click **New** in the **User Management** toolbar.
 - The Create User form opens.
- Enter the user data.
 The data will be used for the user profile. The logged in user can edit his user profile data, except for the user name.



NOTE

If a user with the status "clone" wants to create a new subuser, he must select his parent user for the new subuser.

User Data



You can enter detailed user data here.

Entry details:

User	Enter the name of the user. It may only consist of letters (A-Z, a-z), numbers (0-9) and the special characters "". It must be between 3 and 40 characters in length.	
Password	Enter the user password here.	
Confirm Password	Enter your password again here.	

NOTE: Valid passwords

Minimal length: 6 characters. Maximum length: 40 characters.

Allowed characters: a-z A-Z 0-9!\" # \$ % & () * + . , _ - / : ; < = > ? @ ^` | ~ ' [] { }

Forbidden characters: ä Ä ö Ö ü Ü ß

NOTE: Safe Password

A safe password consists of at least 13 characters and contains letters and numbers. It should not contain meaningful parts like "domain" or "london" but should consist of meaningless sequences like "aKhg". Caps and lower case characters should be mixed. An example of a safe password is "3aK1EnZ5nb56L". to increase the security even more use special characters from the list of allowed special characters.

NOTE

If you do not enter a password when creating a new user, a password with a length of 15 characters will be automatically generated by the system. The password is then displayed in a visual cue in the top right-hand corner when using the graphical interface or in the response message when using the API.

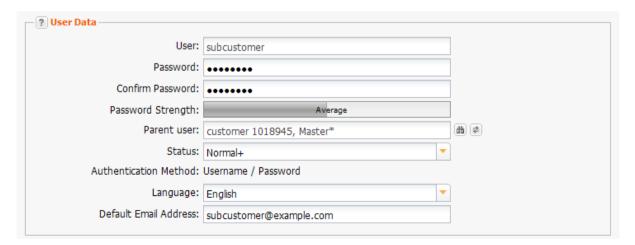
Parent	You can enter the parent user here. Click to select a user as parent. Click to set the logged in user as parent user.	
Status	Select the user status here. See: "User Status" on page 319.	
Language	Select the user language here. This affects the user interface and system messages.	
Default Email Address	Enter the default email address of the user here.	

Editing a User

- 1. Click *User Management* in the menu group *User Management*.
- 2. Select the user you want to edit.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The *Edit User* form opens.

Form Details:



Entry details:

Password	Enter a new password here, if you want to change the password.
Confirm Password	Enter the password once more here.

NOTE: Valid passwords

Minimal length: 6 characters.

Maximum length: 40 characters.

Allowed characters: a-z A-Z 0-9!\"#\$%&()*+.,_-/:;<=>?@^`|~'[]{}

Forbidden characters: ä Ä ö Ö ü Ü ß

NOTE: Safe Password

A safe password consists of at least 13 characters and contains letters and numbers. It should not contain meaningful parts like "domain" or "london" but should consist of meaningless sequences like "aKhg". Caps and lower case characters should be mixed. An example of a safe password is "3aK1EnZ5nb56L". to increase the security even more use special characters from the list of allowed special characters.

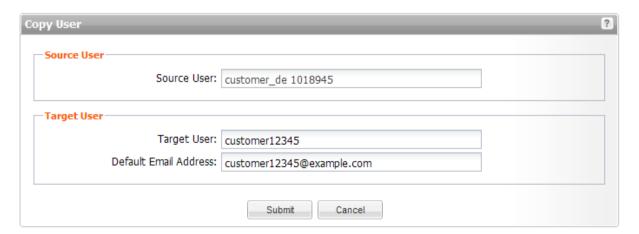
Parent	You can enter the parent user here. Click to select a user as parent. Click to set the logged in user as parent user.	
Status	Select the user status here. See: "User Status" on page 319.	
Authentication Method	The currently selected authentication method.	
Language	Select the user language here. This affects the user interface and system messages.	
Default Email Address	Enter the default email address for the new user here.	

Copy User

With this function you can copy the data of an existing user and create a new user of it.

Note:

Please keep in mind that the user must also possess the right to use the UserCreate function in order to use the UserClone function.



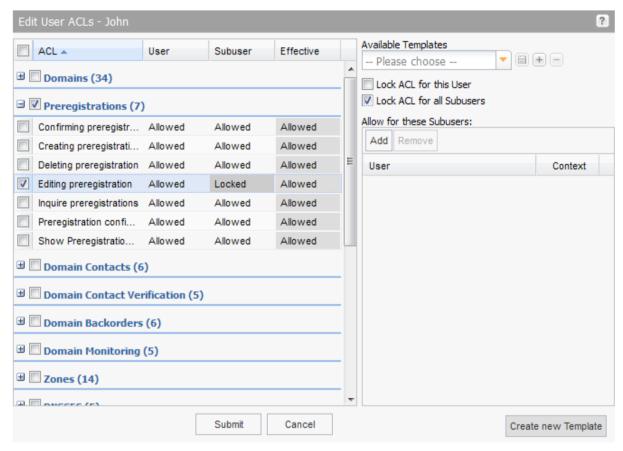
Deleting a User

NOTE

To delete a user you have to log in as the parent user. The logged in user cannot delete himself. A user can only be deleted if he has no objects (domains, zones, ...).

- Click the menu entry User Management or User Tree in the menu group User Management to see your users.
- 2. Select the user that you want to delete.
- 3. Click **Delete** in the toolbar.
- 4. Confirm the request.

Editing the User Privileges (ACLs) of Subusers



Editing User Privileges (ACLs)

You can edit the ACLs of your subusers or those of your subusers subuser. You have the possibility to edit the ACLs individually for a user or to work with ACL templates. How to work with templates is explained below.

NOTE

Please be aware that you cannot edit your own ACLs, if you are a clone user. In this case there is no entry *User Privileges (ACLs)*.

How to open the form to edit your subusers ACLs

- 1. Click User Configuration in the menu group User Management.
- 2. Click User Privileges (ACLs) in the main area.

How to open the form to edit the ACLs of your subusers subuser

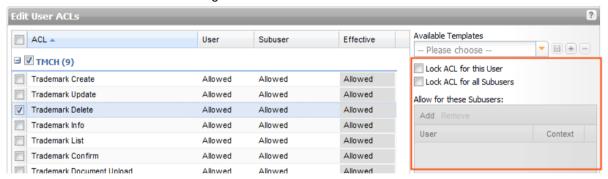
- 1. Click *User Management* in the menu group *User Management*. Alternatively, click *User Tree* in the menu group *User Management*.
- 2. Select the users whose privileges you want to edit.
- 3. Click ACLs in the toolbar

Alternatively you can work as the user whose subusers ACLs you want to edit:

- 1. Click on your user name on the *User* button on the top of the menu.
- 2. The form Work as Subuser opens, displaying the user list.
- Select the desired user or use the search function to find the desired user.
- 4. Click **Submit** to work as the selected subuser or double-click the desired user.

The following details are displayed in the overview Edit User ACLs:

- ACL: the task the privilege refers to, grouped by object type.
- User: current user setting
- Subuser: setting for the subusers
- **Effective**: the system shows the conclusive effective privilege here. This results from the combination of all privileges that have been set by parent users. A privilege may be blocked by a parent user if e.g. payment is required before it becomes available.
- 1. Click to open the desired ACL group.
- 2. Select the user privilege you want to edit.
- 3. Set the desired settings in the two checkboxes on the right side.
- 4. Click Submit to save the settings.



The following settings are possible:

- Allow the selected user and all subusers to carry out the selected task:
 Both checkboxes have to be cleared.
- Allow all subusers to carry out the task:
 The Lock ACL for all Subusers checkbox has to be cleared.
- Lock the privilege for a user and subusers:
 Select the Lock ACL for this User checkbox.
- Lock the privilege for all subusers:
 Select the Lock ACL for all Subusers checkbox.
- Allow selected subusers to carry out the task:

First of all, select the Lock ACL for all Subusers checkbox.

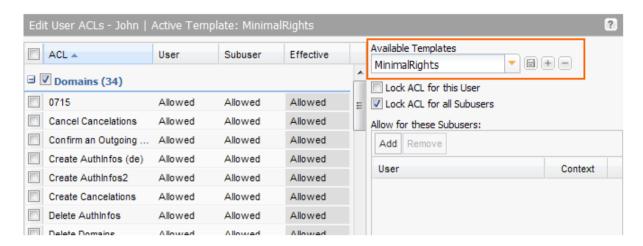
In the list **Allow for these Subuser** the users which are allowed to carry out the task are displayed.

Click Add to add additional users to the list.

Select a user and click *Remove* to remove the user from the list.

What are ACL Templates?

ACL templates are sets of ACLs which can be saved under a specified name of your choice. If you want to assign this set of ACLs to a user you only have to select the template instead of selecting every ACL individually.



Creating an ACL template

- Select the privileges that you want to combine in a template in the form *Edit User ACLs*. Activate
 the checkboxes of a group, e. g. *Domains* or *Zones*, if you want to include all the ACLs
 concerning this object in the template. Or click to expand the group an select the desired
 ACLs.
- 2. Click next to the **Available Templates** field or the button **Create New Template** at the bottom of the form.
- Enter a template name in the Name dialog and click OK.

Using an ACL template

- 1. Select the user that you want to assign the ACLs to in the *User Management* overview.
- 2. Select the desired template in the list Available Templates.
- 3. You can edit the ACLs now.
- 4. Click **Submit** to assign the ACLs to the user.

Updating an ACL template

- 1. Select the user that you want to assign the ACLs to in the *User Management* overview.
- 2. Select the desired template in the list Available Templates.
- 3. Edit the ACLs.
- 4. Click the icon *Update Template* to save the changes.

Deleting a template

- 1. Open the form Edit User ACLs.
- 2. Select the desired template in the list Available Templates.
- 3. Click next to the field **Available Templates.** The template is deleted without a confirmation request.

User Statuses and associated User Privileges

When creating a new user, there are several options to choose from for user status. The user status influences the rights the user has with regards to the kind of subusers he can create.

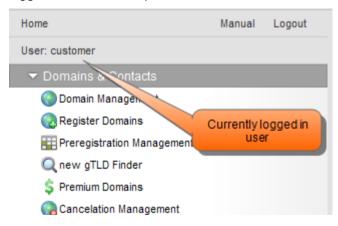
"Master" has the most extensive rights, followed by "Admin" and then "Normal". A "+" user has more rights than the " *", "normal" and "clone" user when creating subusers.

The diagram shows user rights, decreasing from the top left to the bottom right.

	+	*	normal	clone
Master	(= super-user) Master* Master			Has the same privileges as the parent.
	Master (clone)	Master (clone)		
	Admin+`	Admin+	Admin+	
	Admin*	Admin*	Admin*	
	Admin	Admin	Admin	
	Normal +	Normal +	Normal +	
	Normal*	Normal*	Normal*	
	Normal	Normal	Normal	
Admin	Admin*			Has the same privileges as the
	Admin (clone)	Admin (clone)		parent.
	Normal +	Normal +	Normal +	,
	Normal*	Normal*	Normal*	
	Normal	Normal	Normal	
Normal	Normal*			Has the same
	Normal	Normal (clone)	No privilege to create	privileges as the
	Normal (clone)	, ,	a new user.	parent.

12.3 WORKING AS A SUBUSER

Every action you carry out in the system is an action of the currently logged in user. You can see the logged in user at the top of the menu in the *User* bar.



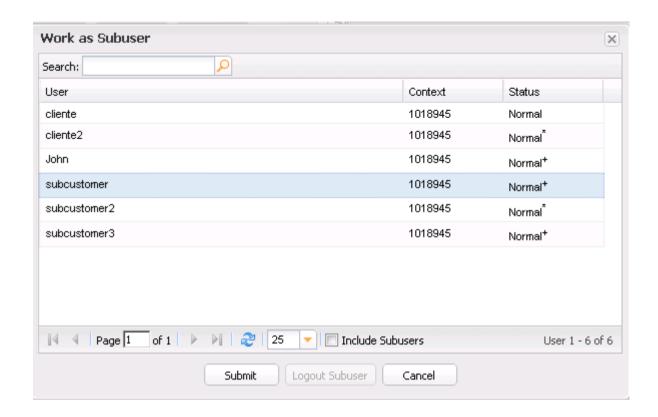
You also have the possibility to work as a subuser.

NOTE

Users with the status and substatus "Normal" cannot work as another user. For these users the *User* button is not active.

1. To work as a subuser, click the *User* bar in the menu.

The form *Work as Subuser* opens, displaying the user list.



The following details are shown:

- User: the name of the user
- Context: the context of the user (= ID of your personalized system)
- Status: the status of the user
- 2. Select the desired user or use the search function to find the desired user.
- 3. Click **Submit** or double-click the desired user to work as this subuser

Unassigning and detaching as a Subuser

Click the icon next to the user name in the menu to detach the subuser and work as the parent user again.

X User: customer => subcustomer

13 Helpful Tools

13.1 HELPFUL TOOLS

The system offers you some convenient tools for domain management.

Manage your object lists with the List Management tool. See: "List Management" on page 296.

Check the availability of domain names easily with the *Multi Whois* tool. See: "Multi Whois" on page 304.

Create lists of domain names or other objects with the help of the **Domain Name Generator**. You can use these object lists for several actions. See: "Domain Name Generator" on page 301.

Use the *IDN Converter* to transform IDN domain names into the corresponding puny code (ACE) domain name and vice versa. *See: "IDN Converter" on page 307.*

Use the *Object Owner Check* tool to find out who the owner of an object is. See: "Object Owner Check" on page 308.

Assign objects to another user conveniently with the help of the *User Object Assignment* tool. See: "Object User Assignment" on page 310.

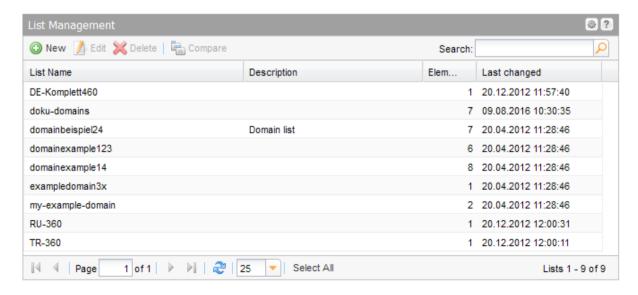
Check the validity of your SSL certificates with the SSL Checker. See: "SSL Checker" on page 313.

13.2 LIST MANAGEMENT

You can manage object lists in the *List Management* area. Object lists are a convenient way of entering multiple objects in form fields. For example, you can create domain lists and use them for several actions.

All object lists are displayed in the *List Management* overview. You can use the icons in the toolbar to create, edit, delete and compare object lists.

1. Click *List Management* in the menu group *Tools* to display the *List Management* overview.



The following details are displayed:

- List Name: the name of the list
- Description: a short description of the list contents
- Elements: the number of list elements
- Last changed: when the list was last edited.

Searching entries:

- 1. Enter an arbitrary detail of a term you want to search for into the **Search** field.
- 2. Click P to have the corresponding entries displayed.
- 3. Click ito display all entries again.

NOTE

To compare the content of two lists, press *Ctrl* (Windows) or cmd (Mac) to select them and click the *Compare* button. *See: "How to compare Object Lists" on page 1.*

Creating Object Lists in Forms

Several forms allow you to save objects like domains or zones as lists, e.g. *Register Domains* or Create Cancelations. You can also load and use these lists in several forms. All forms which support this function have the icon *Save List* on the right side of the form field. You can manage your lists under the *List Management*.

Create and save a list



- 1. Enter the desired objects into the entry field.
- 2. Press *Enter* to separate the entries.
- 3. Click the Save List icon.

The dialog *Name* opens.

- 4. Enter a list name into the entry field.
- 5. Click **OK**.

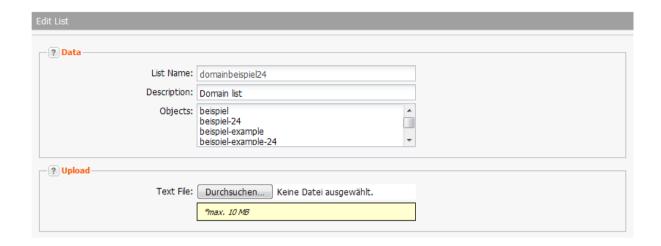
Editing Object Lists

1. Click List Management in the menu group Tools.

The List Management overview opens.

- 2. Select the list you want to edit.
- 3. Click *Edit* in the toolbar.

The form *Edit List* opens.



Form section details:

Data



List Name	Enter a name for the list here. Start the name with the object type so you can sort the object lists accordingly (Example: domains_status_lock).
Description	Enter a short description of the list here.
Objects	Enter the object names here. Press <i>Enter</i> to separate the entries.

Load List



Text File

You can upload an existing list here. The lists have to be text files with one domain name per row. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

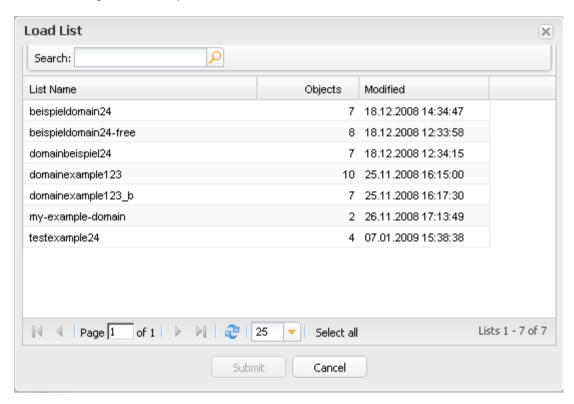
Loading Lists in Forms

In some forms e.g. *Register Domain* or *Whois* you can load existing lists. All forms which support this function have the *Load List* icon on the right side of the form field. You can manage your lists in the *List Management* area in the *Tools* menu group.



1. Click the *Load List* icon next to an entry field.

The dialog *Load List* opens.



- 2. You can use the **Search** function to find the desired list.
- 3. Select the list and click **Submit** or double-click the desired list.

The list will be loaded into the form and can be used for the desired action.

Comparing Object Lists

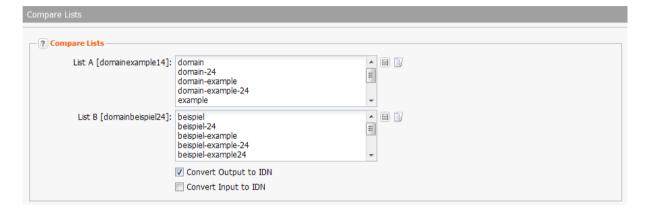
You can save object lists in several forms. They are stored in the database and can be reloaded for convenient input of the stored data where needed. You can compare the content of two of these lists in this area.

Tools > List Management > select lists > button Compare Lists

- 1. Click *List Management* in the menu group *Tools*.
- 2. Press *Ctrl* to select the lists you want to compare.
- 3. Click Compare.



The lists are displayed in the Compare Lists form.



- 4. Select the Convert Input to IDN checkbox, if you want to convert your input into IDN.
- 5. Select the Convert Output to IDN checkbox, if you want to convert the output into IDN.
- 6. Click Submit to start the comparison.

Compare Lists

The form section the *Output* form will be displayed.



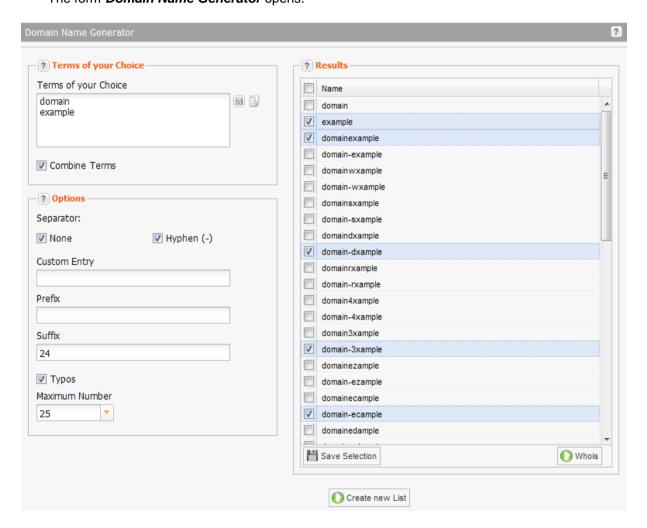
Domain names which only appear in A are listed in the area *Elements are in A and not in B.*Domain names which only appear in B are listed in the area *Elements are in B and not in A.*Domain names which appear in both are listed in the area *Intersection of both lists.*

13.3 DOMAIN NAME GENERATOR

With the *Domain Name Generator*, you can generate domain name lists containing names of your choice combined with prefixes and suffixes. You can also include typos. You can easily switch to the *Multi Whois* tool to check the availability of the chosen domains.

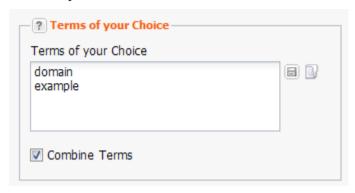
What to do:

- Enter one or more terms into the *Terms of your Choice* field. Decide if you want to combine these terms or not.
- You can select a separator, define prefixes or suffixes, decide whether or not to include typos and select the maximum number of names created in the *Options* area.
- 3. Click the Create List button to start the request.
- 4. Select the desired names in the **Result** area and save them as a list or switch to the **Whois** tool to check their availability.
- Click *Domain Name Generator* in the menu group *Tools*.
 The form *Domain Name Generator* opens.



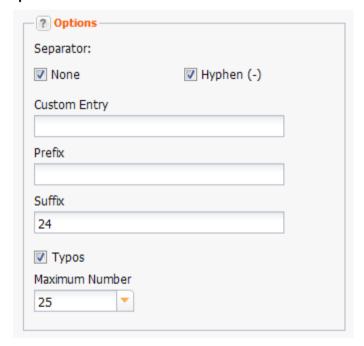
Form section details:

Terms of your Choice



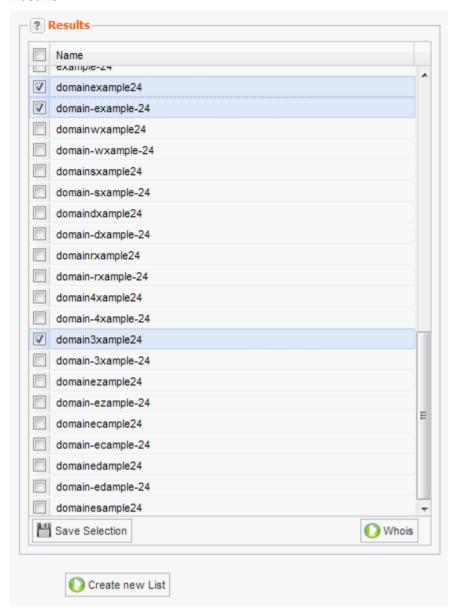
- Enter the terms you want to generate domain names from in the *Terms of your Choice* field.
 Or:
- 1. Click I to load an existing list.
- 2. Select the Combine Terms checkbox if you want to combine the entered terms.

Options



- 1. Select options for domain names here:
 - Select the *None* checkbox if you don't want any separator between the combined terms.
 - Select the checkbox Hyphen (-) to separate the terms with a hyphen.
 - You can specify your own separator in the User specific Entry field.
 - Enter the start syllable for your terms in the *Prefix* field.
 - Enter the end syllable for your terms in the Suffix field.
 - Select the *Typos* checkbox if you want to include typos in the term combinations too.
 - Select the maximum number of generated domain names you want to get in the *Maximum Number* field.
- Click the Create New List button to generate the domain name list.

Results



You can save selected domain names as a list in the *Results* section. You can immediately switch to the *Multi Whois* to combine the desired names with TLDs and check their availability. Use the *Back* button in the Multi Whois to switch back conveniently to the Domain Name Generator.

 Select the checkbox next to the domain names you want to include in the list or select the checkbox next to the *Name* label to select all names.

Save as List

2. Click Save Selection to save the selection as a list.

The Name dialog opens.

3. Enter a name for the list and click OK.

You can now load the list in wherever the *Load List* icon is embedded in a form.

See: "Creating Object Lists in Forms" on page 297.

Run a Multi Whois Request

2. Click Whois to switch to the Multi Whois tool.

See: "Multi Whois" on page 304.

13.4 MULTI WHOIS

Checking the availability of one or several domains is fast and easy with the *Multi Whois* tool. You can query Whois information for domains which have already been assigned. Free domains can be registered immediately.

NOTE

This check only determines whether the domain is connected (DNS check). Even if a domain is displayed as available, it can be unavailable.

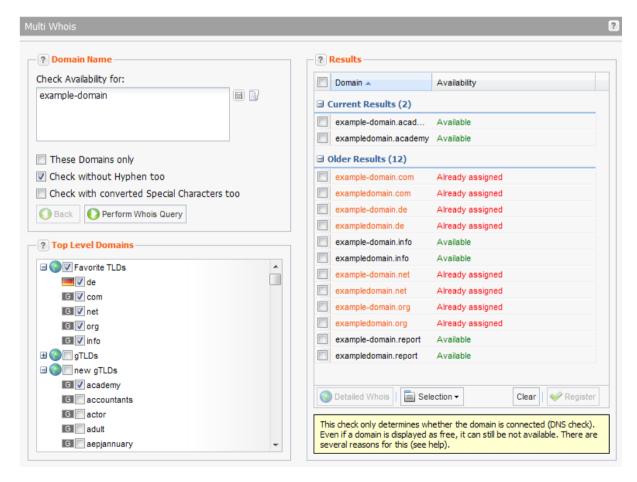
There could bee several reasons for this:

- the domain name is reserved by the registry,
- the domain status is "hold-lock" or "hold",
- the domain is in the deletion phase.

For detailed domain request please use a Whois check.

Executing Multi Whois Requests

- 1. Click Multi Whois in the menu group Tools.
- Enter the desired domain names or load an existing domain name list in the Check Availability for field.
- 3. Select the desired checkboxes.
- 4. Select the TLDs you want for the Whois query in the *Top Level Domains* section. (When the option *This Domains only* is activated, the *Top Level Domains* list is deactivated.)
- 5. Click *Perform Whois Query* to start the Whois request.
- 6. Select the desired domains in the *Result* list and register or save them as a list.

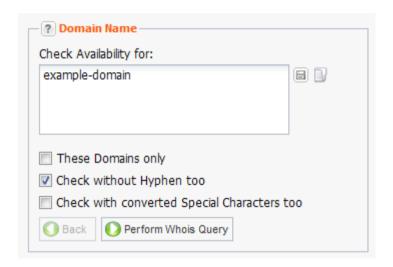


NOTE

Supported TLDs: ac, aero, af, ag, co.ag, com.ag, net.ag, nom.ag, org.ag, am, as, at, co.at, or.at, com.au, net.au, be, bi, biz, com.br, bz, ca, cat, cc, cd, ch, cl, cn, com.cn, net.cn, org.cn, com, coop, cx, cz, de, dj, dk, es, com.es, net.es, org.es, eu, fi, biz.fj, com.fj, info.fj, name.fj, net.fj, org.fj, pro.fj, fr, asso.fr, com.fr, nom.fr, prd.fr, presse.fr, tm.fr, gg, co.gg, net.gg, org.gg, gs, hk, com.hk, net.hk, org.hk, hm, hn, org.hn, hu, co.hu, ie, il, co.il, im, in, co.in, net.in, org.in, info, io, it, je, co.je, net.je, org.je, jobs, jp, co.jp, ki, kr, co.kr, kz, la, li, lt, lu, lv, com.lv, mobi, ms, museum, mx, com.mx, com.my, net.my, org.my, name, net, nl, no, nu, gen.nz, net.nz, org.nz, org, com.pe, ph, pl, com.pl, net.pl, org.pl, pr, pro, jur.pro, law.pro, med.pro, pt, com.pt, re, ro, com.ro, nom.ro, www.ro, ru, sc, se, sg, com.sg, sh, si, sk, st, tc, co.th, in.th, tk, tl, tm to, com.tr, travel, tv, tw, com.tw, org.tw, ua, com.ua, co.uk, ltd.uk, me.uk, net.uk, org.uk, plc.uk, us, vc, com.vc, net.vc, org.vc, ve, vg, ws.

Form section details:

Domain Name



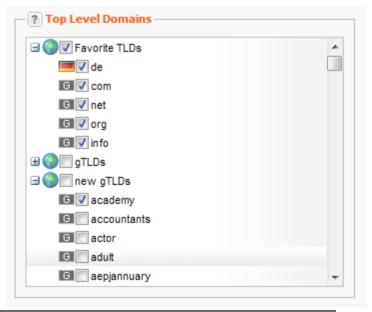
1. Enter the domain names for the Whois query in the field *Check Availability for.*

Or:

- 1. Click the icon between to load an existing domain list.
- 2. Enter complete domain names and select the *These Domains only* if you want to check exactly the entered domains only. The TLD list below will be deactivated.
- 3. Select *Check without Hyphen too* if you want to check domains with and without hyphen.
- Select Check converted Special Characters too if you want to check domains with special characters (ö, ä, ü, ß) and the converted version (oe, ae, üe, ss).

Top Level Domains

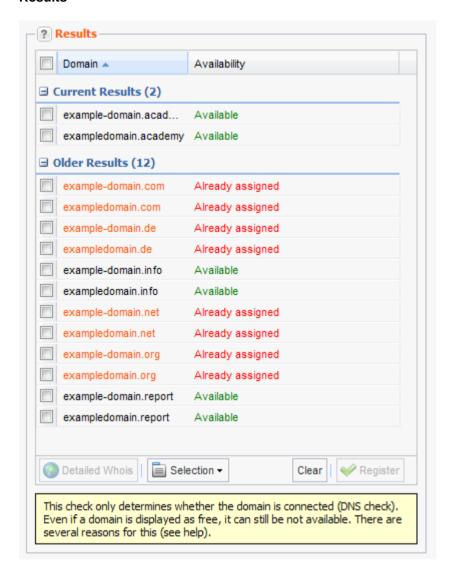
In this are your personal favorites and additional current TLDs are displayed. Select the desired TLDs here. Sub TLDs have to be selected explicitly. Choose **Select all** at the top of the sub TLD list to select all sub TLDs.



NOTE

In the *User Profile* you can specify *Favorite TLDs* individually. Click *User Configuration* in the menu and afterwards switch to the *User Interface* area. Specify your favorites in the *Favorite Top Level Domain* section.

Results



The results of your Whois query are displayed in the *Results* list. You can save selected domains as a list or switch to the domain registration form and register the desired domains immediately.

Save Domain Lists

- To save a list of all free domains, click the drop-down Selection list and then choose Select all free Domains or Remove all assigned Domains. Click Save current Selection in the same drop-down list. Enter a name for your list in the Name dialog. Click Save.
- To save a list of all registered domains, click the drop-down Selection list and choose Select all assigned Domains. Click Save current Selection in the same drop-down list. Enter a name for your list in the Name dialog. Click Save.
- To make your own list, select the checkboxes next to the desired domains and click Save current Selection in the same drop-down list. Enter a name for your list in the Name dialog. Click Save. Alternatively, you can click Remove all selected Domains and save the remaining domains as a list.

Register Domains

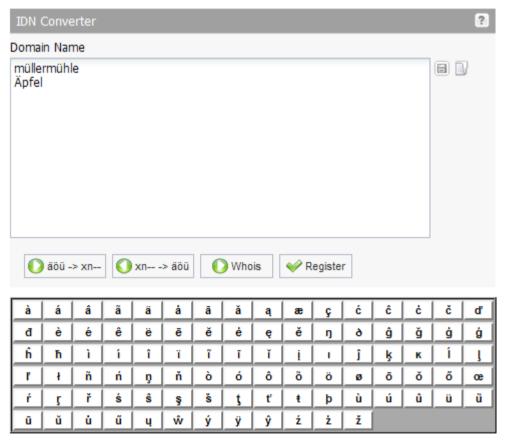
- 1. Select the checkboxes next to the domains you want to register. To register all free domains, click the drop-down **Selection** list and choose **Select all free Domains**.
- 2. Click Register. See: "Registering new Domains" on page 62.

Start a new Whois Query or edit the current Query

- Click Clear in the Results area.
- 2. Enter new data or edit existing data.
- 3. Click Perform Whois Query.

13.5 IDN CONVERTER

The *IDN Converter* transforms IDN domain names into the respective UTF-8 domain names and vice versa. The transformed names can be entered directly into the Multi Whois or the *Register Domain* form.



- Enter the UTF-8 or IDN domain names you want to convert into the entry field.
 Or click to load an existing domain name list.
 Use the displayed keyboard to enter special characters.
- 2. Click the **äöu -> xn--** button to convert UTF-8 domain names into IDN domain names. Click the **xn--** -> **äöü** button to convert IDN domain names into UTF-8 domain names.



- 3. Click the icon (a) to save the results as a list. Click **Whois** to switch to the **Multi Whois** tool.
- 4. Click **Register** to switch to the **Register Domains** form.

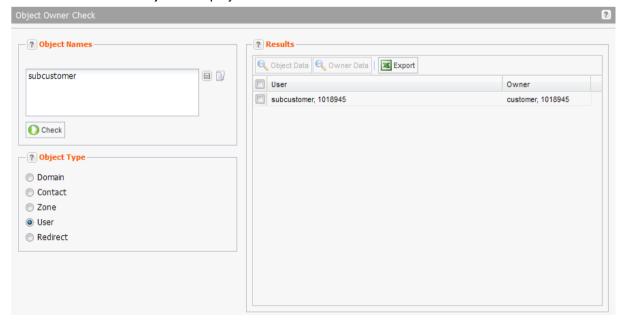
13.6 OBJECT OWNER CHECK

The *Object Owner Check* finds and displays the owner of the object types domain, contact, zone, user and redirect (optional).

What to do?

- 1. Enter the object names into the Object Name(s) field.
- 2. Select the object type in the *Object Type* form section.
- 3. Click Check.

The owner of the object is displayed in the *Results* form section.



The following actions can be carried out here. First of all, mark the checkbox of the desired object to select it.

- To get details of the object: Select the object and click the *Object Data* button.
- To get details of the owner: Select the object and click the *Owner Data* button.
- To save the selected objects as a list: Click the **Save Selection** button and enter a name for the list in the dialog.
- To export as .CSV file: Click the *Export* button and enter a name for the file in the dialog.

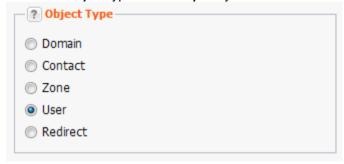
Object Names

Enter the names of the objects for which you want find and display the users or click the load an existing object list. You can save the entered entries as a list. Click the button and enter a name for the list.



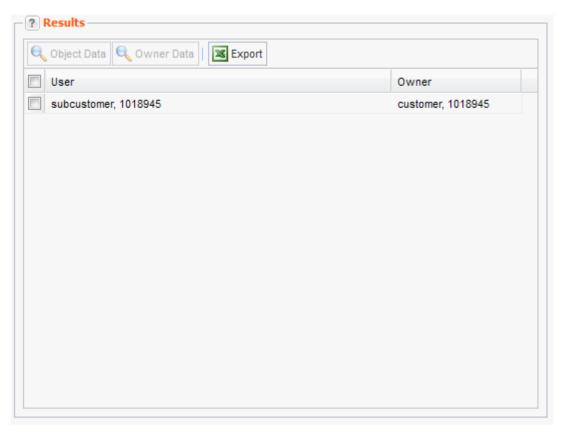
Object Type

Select the object type for the objects you have entered in the **Object Names** field.



Results

The results of the check will be displayed here. The object owner is shown in the column on the right.

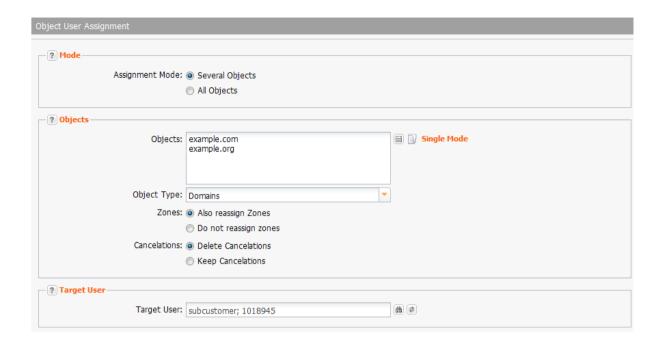


- View object data: Click the corresponding checkbox to select the desired object. Click Object
 Data to see the details.
- View owner data: Click the corresponding checkbox to select the desired object. Click Owner
 Data to see the details.
- Save selection as object list: Click the corresponding checkbox to select the desired object. Click
 Save Selection and enter a list name in the Name window which is displayed.
- Save selection as .CSV file: Click the corresponding checkbox to select the desired object. Click
 Export and select whether to open or save the file in the window which is displayed.

13.7 OBJECT USER ASSIGNMENT

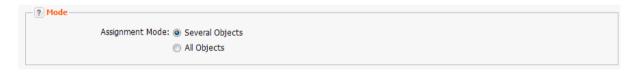
You can assign several or all objects (domains, zones, domain contacts) from the current user to another user in your account.

1. Click User Object Assignment in the menu group Tools.



Form section details:

Mode



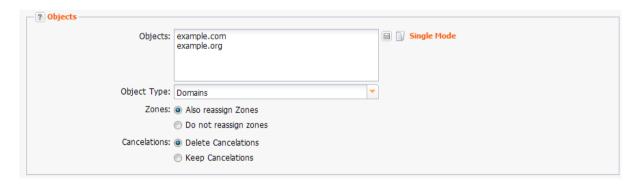
Select whether you want to assign several or all objects to another user here.

Assignment Mode

Select the option **Several Objects** to assign one or more objects to another user.

Select *All object*s if you want to assign all objects from one user to another. Existing cancelations will be assigned to the new user too.

Objects



Objects

Enter the objects to be assigned here or click the \square icon to select an object list.

	NOTE If a zone is recorded on several nameservers, you can add the nameserver to the zone object, in order to identify the zones clearly. Use ";" to separate zone and nameserver. E.g.: example.com;ns1.example.com example.com;ns2.example.com
Object Type	You can select the object type of the objects you want to assign here. The following types are available:
Zones	You can also decide whether or not to assign the zones to the new user here.
Cancelations	You can cancel domain cancelations or retain them and assign them to the selected user here.

Target User



Entry details:

Target User

Select the user you want to assign the objects to.

Click the **Select User** icon to search for the user in the database. You also can use the search function embedded in **Search User** toolbar.

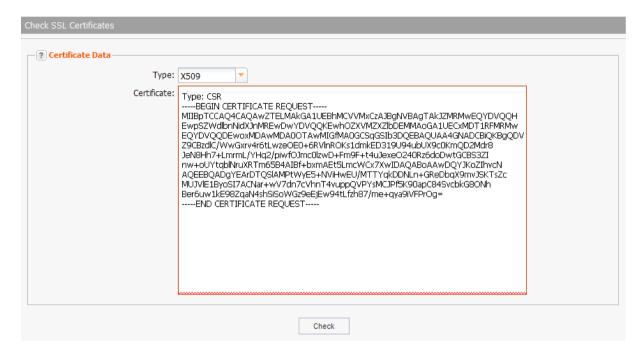
Click the **Set current User** icon to specify the logged in user as target.

13.8 SSL CHECKER

You can check the validity of SSL certificates with this tool.

1. Click SSL Checker in the menu group Tools.

The SSL Checker form opens.



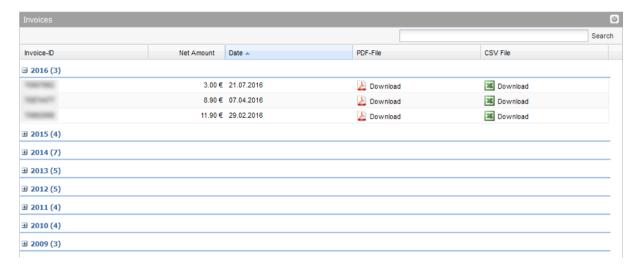
- 2. Select the certificate type in the *Type* item list.
- 3. Click Check to run the check.

14 Invoices, Price Lists and Marketing-Kits

14.1 INVOICES

1. Click *Invoices* in the menu group *Customer Center*.

The area *Invoices* is displayed. You can see the invoice list in the information area on the right. The invoice IDs and dates are displayed here.



- 2. Select the invoice you want to see or download.
- 3. Click View to open the invoice in the main area.
- 4. Click **Download** to save the invoice on your computer.

NOTE

Adobe Reader has to be installed in your system to open the invoice. If there are any problems with opening the invoices, please download the newest version of Adobe Reader.

14.2 DOMAIN PRICE LISTS

In the upper area *Domain Price Lists* you can see the up-to-date prices. Individual prices or discounts are taken into account here.

In the area *General Price List* you can download the TLD and new gTLD prices as PDF, XML or XLS file. You will find the general price lists for download here.Individual prices or discounts are NOT taken into account.

Domain Price Lists

You can view individual and general price lists for different TLD groups here.

Individual Price List

You will find an overview of all available TLDs including your individual prices here. Individual prices and discounts are already included in the overview.



General Price Lists

You will find the general price lists for download here. Individual prices or discounts are NOT taken into account.

TLD Price List

Download as:







nTLD Price List

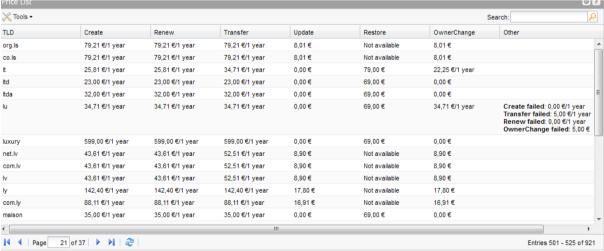
Download as:





Individual Price List

The prices for all domain actions are listed here.



- TLD: the TLD
- Create: Price for registration
- Renew: Price for prolongation of the registration period
- Transfer: Price for transferring the domain from another provider
- Update: Price for actualization of domain data
- Restore: Price for restoring the domain after its cancelation.
- OwnerChange: Price for changing the OwnerC of a domain.
- Other: Prices for several domain actions such as "Create failed", "Transfer failed", "Renew failed" or "OwnerChange" failed

Explanations

Upon request = the TLD is only available on request. Please contact the domain support 1 year / 2 years = The action is only valid for the displayed runtime. Prices which do not have a year specification are a one-time charge.

N/A = this action is not supported for this TLD

Searching entries:

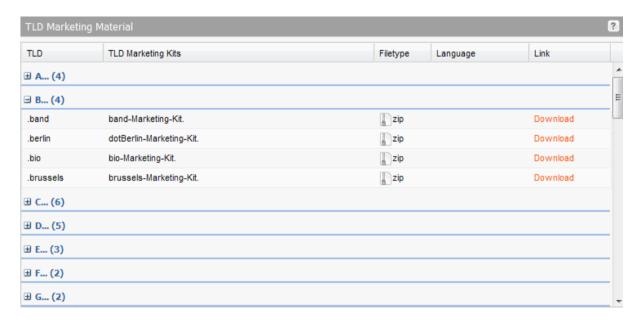
- 1. Enter the TLD you want to look up into the **Search** field. Wildcard-Search with "*" is possible.
- 2. Click to have the TLD displayed.
- 3. Click to have all TLDs displayed again.

14.3 MARKETING KITS

In the area *Marketing Kits* can download white papers and marketing kits for the TLDs here.

The following details are displayed in the overview:

- TLD: the TLDs, sorted and grouped alphabetically
- TLD Marketing Kits: name of the kit
- Filetype: data type of the material
- Language: language of the kit
- Link: Download link



15 Addendum

15.1 CHANGE LOG

9.0	09/2016	Changelog	New function with widget and menu item
		Domain pricelist	Chapter actualized
		User settings / user profile	New chapter concerning IP restrictions
		User settings / authentication method	New chapter concerning two-factor-authentication
User settings Introduction for the user settings		Introduction for the user settings actualized	
		Setup assistant	Actualized
		Domain contacts	Domain contact extensions for .pt deleted, because they are no longer required. Domain contact extensions for .swiss and .barcelona added.
		Entire manual	All screenshots actualized because of new user interface design.
8.0	09/2015		
		Domains	Chapter concerning key rollover
		NodeSecure column added	NodeSecure column added
		Domain management	NodeSecure column added
		Domain transfer	Note concerning DNSSEC signed domains
		Copy contact	Note added concerning Whois Privacy Service
7.0	02/2015	Zone Edit/ Extended	New function "SPF Entries Creator"
		Zone Edit/Additional Nameserver Entries	Entry SPF in the resource record list deleted, because the are created as TXT entries now.
		Zone Management	New chapter "DNS Service-Wizard"
		Object User Assignment	Nameserver entry example corrected
		User Profile	Settings for newsletter added
		User Management	New Function "Copy User"
		Customer Center	New chapter "Marketing Kits"
		Domain edit	New button "Send AuthInfo to OwnerC"
		Domains	New chapter "Domain Monitoring"
6.0	08/2014	Domains	New chapter about Premium Domains
		Preregistrations, new gTLDs overview	Column "Registration Type" added.
		Domain restore management	Action "restore not expired " added.
		Domain Contacts	Help for .ca extensions updated
		Preregistrations	Changes of the use interface in the area

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		Entire manual	All screenshots actualized because of new user interface design.	
			"Preregistration" updated	
		Domain Cancelation	Small changes in the hint concerning transit	
		Cancelation Management	Order of buttons in the toolbar has changed	
5.0	02/2014	Domain Management	New Sub-Chapter Trademark Claims Notice	
		Domain Management	Changes in the sub-chapter "Preregistration"	
		Domain Contacts	New sub-chapter "Domain Contact Verification"	
		User Profile	New tab for domain contact verification, Whois data reminder, Trademark Claims Notice and Trademark Claims Service	
4.1	06/2013	Chapters Domain Management, Cancelation Management, Domain Contacts, Zones, Redirects, Backup MX, Administration	The sub-chapter "Overview" has been deleted, because the chapter before includes the similar information.	
		Domain Management/TMCH	New chapter concerning Trademark Clearinghouse/	
4.0	03/2013	Domain Contacts	Extensions .pt	
		Domain Parking	ParkingCrew forms added	
3.4	12/2011	Domain Backordering	New chapter	
		MailProxy	Forms have changed	
		Zones	Zone Update Wizard changed	
		Domains	Note for owner change added	
		Customer center	Glossary changed	
		Domain contacts	Extensions for .XXX, .CA, .JP	
		Addendum	Change log added	
		Getting help	New <i>Manual</i> button in the menu header added	

15.2 USER STATUS

When creating a new user, you also set up his status. The status consists of two parts: the status (Master, Admin, Normal) and a "substatus" (+, *, normal, clone). With the status you determine whether a user is allowed to create subusers and also the number of subuser levels he is allowed to create.

The "clone" substatus is an exception: A user with the "clone" substatus is not allowed to have own objects. He always works with the objects of his parent. If a "clone" user creates new objects, his parent is the owner.

The table shows which kinds of subusers are allowed for the different user status.

	Master +	Master *	Master normal	Master clone
Master	(= super-user)			
	Master*			
	Master			
	Master (clone)	Master (clone)		
	Admin+	Admin+	Admin+	
	Admin*	Admin*	Admin*	
	Admin	Admin	Admin	The clone has the
	Normal +	Normal +	Normal +	same privileges on
	Normal*	Normal*	Normal*	the objects as the
	Normal	Normal	Normal	parent.
	Admin +	Admin *	Admin normal	Admin clone
Admin	Admin*			
	Admin			
	Admin (clone)	Admin (clone)		The clone has the
	Normal +	Normal +	Normal +	same privileges on
	Normal*	Normal*	Normal*	the objects as the
	Normal	Normal	Normal	parent.
	Normal +	Normal *	Normal normal	Normal clone
Normal	Normal*			
	Normal		No privilege to create	The clone has the
	Normal (clone)	Normal (clone)	a new user.	same privileges on the objects as the parent.

15.3 ISO 3166 COUNTRY CODES

KY (Cayman Islands) AD (Andorra)

AE (United Arab Emirates) KZ (Kazakhstan)

AF (Afghanistan) LA (Lao People's Democratic Republic)

AG (Antigua and Barbuda) LB (Lebanon) AI (Anguilla) LC (Saint Lucia) AL (Albania) LI (Liechtenstein) AM (Armenia) LK (Sri Lanka) AN (Netherlands Antilles) LR (Liberia)

AO (Angola) LS (Lesotho) AQ (Antarctica) LT (Lithuania)

AR (Argentina) LU (Luxembourg) AS (American Samoa) LV (Latvia)

AT (Austria) LY (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya) AU (Australia) MA (Morocco)

AW (Aruba) MC (Monaco) AX (Åland Islands) MD (Moldova, Republic of)

AZ (Azerbaijan) ME (Montenegro) BA (Bosnia and Herzegovina) MF (Saint Martin (French part))

BB (Barbados) MG (Madagascar) BD (Bangladesh) MH (Marshall Islands)

BE (Belgium) MK (Macedonia, the former Yugoslav Republic of)

BF (Burkina Faso) ML (Mali) BG (Bulgaria) MM (Myanmar) BH (Bahrain) MN (Mongolia) MO (Macao) BI (Burundi)

MP (Northern Mariana Islands) BJ (Benin)

BL (Saint Barthélemy) MQ (Martinique) BM (Bermuda) MR (Mauritania) BN (Brunei Darussalam) MS (Montserrat) BO (Bolivia) MT (Malta)

BR (Brazil) MU (Mauritius) BS (Bahamas) MV (Maldives) BT (Bhutan) MW (Malawi) MX (Mexico) BV (Bouvet Island) BW (Botswana) MY (Malaysia) BY (Belarus) MZ (Mozambique) BZ (Belize) NA (Namibia) CA (Canada) NC (New Caledonia)

CC (Cocos Islands) NE (Niger)

CD (Congo, the Democratic Republic of the) NF (Norfolk Island)

CF (Central African Republic) NG (Nigeria)

CG (Congo) NI (Nicaragua) CH (Switzerland) NL (Netherlands) NO (Norway) CI (Côte d'Ivoire) NP (Nepal)

CK (Cook Islands) CL (Chile) NR (Nauru) CM (Cameroon) NU (Niue) CN (China) NZ (New Zealand) CO (Colombia) OM (Oman) CR (Costa Rica) PA (Panama) PE (Peru) CU (Cuba)

CV (Cape Verde) PF (French Polynesia)

CX (Christmas Island) PG (Papua New Guinea)

CY (Cyprus) PH (Philippines) CZ (Czech Republic) PK (Pakistan) DE (Germany) PL (Poland)

DJ (Diibouti) PM (Saint Pierre and Miguelon) DK (Denmark) PN (Pitcairn) DM (Dominica) PR (Puerto Rico) DO (Dominican Republic) PS (Palestinian Territory, Occupied) DZ (Algeria) PT (Portugal) EC (Ecuador) PW (Palau) EE (Estonia) PY (Paraguay) EG (Egypt) QA (Qatar) EH (Western Sahara) RE (Réunion) ER (Eritrea) RO (Romania) ES (Spain) RS (Serbia) RU (Russian Federation) ET (Ethiopia) FI (Finland) RW (Rwanda) FJ (Fiii) SA (Saudi Arabia) FK (Falkland Islands) SB (Solomon Islands) FM (Micronesia, Federated States of) SC (Seychelles) FO (Faroe Islands) SD (Sudan) FR (France) SE (Sweden) GA (Gabon) SG (Singapore) GB (United Kingdom) SH (Saint Helena) UK (also exceptionally reserved on request of the United SI (Slovenia) SJ (Svalbard and Jan Mayen) Kinadom) GD (Grenada) SK (Slovakia) GE (Georgia) SL (Sierra Leone) GF (French Guiana) SM (San Marino) GG (Guernsey) SN (Senegal) GH (Ghana) SO (Somalia) GI (Gibraltar) SR (Suriname) GL (Greenland) ST (Sao Tome and Principe) GM (Gambia) SV (El Salvador) GN (Guinea) SY (Syrian Arab Republic) GP (Guadeloupe) SZ (Swaziland) GQ (Equatorial Guinea) TC (Turks and Caicos Islands) TD (Chad) GR (Greece) GS (South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands) TF (French Southern Territories) GT (Guatemala) TG (Togo) GU (Guam) TH (Thailand) GW (Guinea-Bissau) TJ (Tajikistan) TK (Tokelau) GY (Guvana) HK (HongKong) TL (Timor-Leste) HM (Heard Island and McDonald Islands) TM (Turkmenistan) HN (Honduras) TN (Tunisia) HR (Croatia) TO (Tonga) HT (Haiti) TR (Turkey) TT (Trinidad and Tobago) HU (Hungary) ID (Indonesia) TV (Tuvalu) IE (Ireland) TW (Taiwan, Province of China) IL (Israel) TZ (Tanzania, United Republic of) UA (Ukraine) IM (Isle of Man) IN (India) UG (Uganda) IO (British Indian Ocean Territory) **UM (United States Minor Outlying Islands)** IQ (Iraq) **US (United States)** IR (Iran, Islamic Republic of) UY (Uruguay) IS (Iceland) UZ (Uzbekistan) IT (Italy) VA (Holy See) JE (Jersey) VC (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) JM (Jamaica) VE (Venezuela)

JO (Jordan)

VG (Virgin Islands, British)

JP (Japan) VI (Virgin Islands, U.S.) KE (Kenya) VN (VietNam)

KG (Kyrgyzstan)

VU (Vanuatu)

VU (Vanuatu)

KH (Cambodia)

KI (Kiribati)

WF (Wallis and Futuna)

KI (Kiribati)

WS (Samoa)

KM (Comoros)

KN (Saint Kitts and Nevis)

YE (Yemen)

YT (Mayotte)

KP (Korea, Democratic People's Republic of)
KR (Korea, Republic of)
ZA (South Africa)
ZM (Zambia)

KW (Kuwait)

ZW (Zimbabwe)

15.4 THE MAIN RR TYPES

A	IPv4 address of the host	
AAAA	IPv6 address of the host	
CName	Canonic name for the host (the domain with this RR is an alias)	
HINFO	Host information (Type of processor and operating system)	
MX	Mail Exchange – the mail server for the domain	
NAPTR	(Naming Authority Pointer) extension of the A resource records	
NS	Host name of the authoritative nameserver	
PTR	Domain Name Pointer (for Reserve mapping to assign Names to IP addresses)	
RP	Responsible Person	
SPF	= Sender Policy Framework	
SRV	Service	
TXT	Free text	