

.md

This article describes the procedures and requirements of .md domain names.

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Registration

The registration can be done via the control panel. After registration, the domain will be "reserved" by the registry for a period of 3 days. After those 3 days, the domain will start to resolve.

Transfer

Authorization code required	no
Method of confirmation	forms
Registration period after transfer	restarts
Average transfer time	14
Advanced and simple transfers available	Contact our Sales department to check if easy transfer of 100 or more .md domains is available.

Outgoing transfer

Update

Owner change (trade)

- Ensure that the registrant's e-mail address is working and someone is reading it
- Send us the details of the required change
- We will schedule a date and time with you to process the change; at this date and time, both we, you and the domain holder should be available by phone
- At the chosen date/time, we will initiate the change

- The registry will send a unique, one-time code to the registrant
- We must get this code from the registrant within 5 minutes
- We provide the code to the registry again
- If the code is correct, the change can be completed

Other update

- Ensure that the registrant's e-mail address is working and someone is reading it
- Send us the details of the required change
- We will schedule a date and time with you to process the change; at this date and time, both we, you and the domain holder should be available by phone
- At the chosen date/time, we will initiate the change
- The registry will send a unique, one-time code to the registrant
- We must get this code from the registrant within 5 minutes
- We provide the code to the registry again
- If the code is correct, the change can be completed

Deletion / Restore

Delete

Restore / reactivate

Detailed extension information

Registry

- Registry: [MOLDDATA](#)
- Registry whois: [whois.nic.md](https://nic.md/en/whois/)
- Registry web based whois: <https://nic.md/en/whois/>
- Registry zonefile updates:

Technical information	• DNSSEC support: no • Minimum length: 3 characters • Maximum length: 63 characters • Allowed characters: a-z 0-9 - • IDN characters: yes • Registration period: 1-5 years • Renewal date offset: 35 days <i>The number of days before the registry's expiration date, that Openprovider requires the domain to be renewed or expired. More info.</i> • Soft quarantine period: n/a days <i>During this period, following after an expiration, the domain can be restored for free. This period does not apply if the domain is deleted explicitly. More info.</i> • Quarantine period: 28 days <i>During this period, an expired or deleted domain name can be reactivated at an additional fee.</i>
Restrictions	• Local presence required? no • Does Openprovider provide local presence services? no • Local activity required? no • Correct nameserver configuration required? yes • A domain name can be registered by any natural or legal person. • The registry may reject domain names of bad taste, incorporating foul languages, domains with obscene or pornographic words or domain names with otherwise offending character.
Policies	
Registration agreement	<i>The registry requires that a registration agreement is in place between the provider and the domain holder. The text of this registration agreement and any required supplements is the following:</i> • General registration agreement

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