

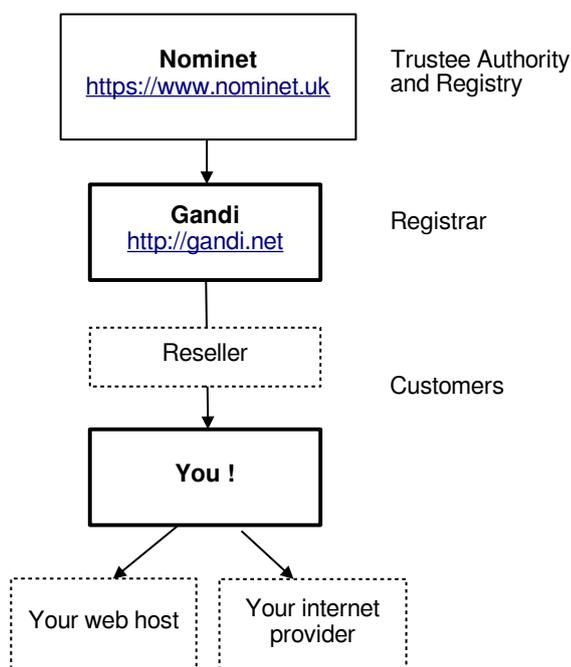
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In addition to Gandi's [General Terms and Conditions](#) of domain name registration, the registration and use of a domain name in .UK implies the acceptance of and compliance to the present special conditions contained herein.

All Your legal information and contracts can be viewed at any time via Our [website](#). Capitalized terms have the definition attributed to them in our [General Terms and Conditions](#) of Domain Name Registration. Specifically, “You” refers to the owner of the domain name, and “We” designates Gandi.

### Section .UK.1. Trustee authority and Registry

.UK is the official country code Top-Level-Domain (ccTLD) of the United Kingdom. The following diagram presents the various parties involved and the Trustee Authority for the .UK TLD:



You can view the information and special rules of each party involved by clicking on the respective links.

### Section .UK.2. Registration terms and conditions

When You apply to register a .UK domain name, You acknowledge that You have fully understood, and that You have full knowledge of and You agree to abide by all the rules and specific conditions of .UK domain names, as defined by Nominet, and which may be viewed at the following page:

<https://www.nominet.uk/uk-domains/policies/policies-rules>

These rules, that You acknowledge to have fully understood and to have accepted via Our website bind You to the .UK Registry. The present special conditions do not replace these rules, which are incorporated by reference, and are binding on Us and You.

### Section .UK.3. Special requirements

.UK special requirements are available on:

<http://www.gandi.net/domain/uk/info>

The opening of .UK second level domain names runs from June 10th 2014 under the « first come first served basis ».

.UK second level domain names are open to anyone.

However in the context of the .UK opening, the holder of a .CO.UK, .ORG.UK or .ME.UK (third level domain name) has, in this priority order, a registration right for the .UK second level domain name that is strictly identical : the registration of the domain name is reserved to this holder for 5 years, during this period only him can make a registration request for the domain name. At the end of this period, if the .UK second level domain name is not registered, it will become available for registration on the “first come first served” basis.

To benefit from this registration right, the third level domain name must have been registered :

- for .CO.UK before June 10th 08:00:00 UTC, or
- for .ORG.UK or .ME.UK before October 28th 2014 23:59:59 UTC.

For information, the Registry has implemented a [tool](#) indicating if a priority right for a .UK domain name exists.

If a third level domain name that is the basis of a registration right is deleted, the registration right is also cancelled.

If the .UK second level domain name is registered by the holder of the registration right, then deleted, whatever the period and the reason of the deletion, the registration right has been exercised and the domain name will become available for registration on the “first come first served” basis.

If the third level domain name that is the basis of Your registration request of a .UK second level domain name is registered with an other Registrar and You opted out of having Your personal data published in the Whois, an authentication procedure will be required. The Registry will send an email for authentication to the email address of the owner contact. Failing to complete this procedure within 7 days, Your domain name will be deleted by the Registry.

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### Section .UK.4. Verification procedure

You agree to provide and maintain accurate, reliable and up-to-date personal contact information.

The Registry proceeds to automatic verifications of Your personal data during the registration of Your domain name or when the contact information is modified.

If Your personal data can not be verified by the Registry, the Registry will inform Gandi. Gandi will contact You to request the provision of documents. Failing to provide the documents requested within the deadline given, all Your domain names in .UK and Your account with the Registry will be suspended.

The Registry reserves the right to delete the domain names suspended.

### Section .UK.5. Registration term

The registration term is from 1 to 10 years. To avoid any deletion of the domain name, the renewal must be paid, and funds cleared, no later than 30 days after the Expiration date.

### **Section .UK.6. Pricing**

Our prices can be viewed on:

<https://www.gandi.net/domain/price/detail/uk>

### **Section .UK.7. Storage of contact information**

You consent to the collection, use, and publication in the Registry public [Whois](#) database if applicable, modification and other processing of Your personal data by the Registry and its designees and agents for the purposes of providing Registry services and in accordance with the Registry privacy policy.

### **Section .UK.8. Dispute resolution policy**

Nominet has set forth a specific dispute resolution policy for .UK domain names ("UK Dispute Resolution Service" – DRS), that You agree fully abide by:

<https://www.nominet.uk/uk-domains/policies/policies-rules/>

### **Section .UK.9. Transfer (change of Registrar)**

To proceed to the transfer of a .UK domain name to Gandi, firstly change the IPS tag of the domain name to "GANDI" with Your

current Registrar. Then, You will have to launch the transfer request on Our interface within 5 days. The effective transfer will be subject to validation by email.

The transfer does not change the domain's Expiration date.

### **Section .UK.10. Ownership change**

The ownership change process is available on Our interface and requires the confirmation of the current and future holders by email.

The owner change for a .UK domain name does not change the domain's Expiration date.

### **Section .UK.11. Deletion process**

30 days after the Expiration date, the domain name enters in a suspension period for 60 calendar days, during which time all associated technical services are deactivated. Late renewal at normal price is possible during this period.

If the domain is not renewed within these deadlines, the Registry will delete the domain name, which will become available for registration on a "first come first served" basis.

Attachment: [Terms and Conditions of registration](#)

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