



General Data Protection Regulation

The General Data Protection Regulation, or GDPR, is the European Union's response to the growing concern of data protection and security. The regulation is imposing a cost to the collection, storage, and usage of data by holding organizations responsible for its protection and forcing them to return ownership and concern to the individual because it acknowledges the value of such data.

The GDPR gives you more control over how your data is used and is desirable for all parties!

This new regulation came into effect May 25 2018 and UP Google Maps endeavours to meet these strict regulations and help our customers do the same.

## WP Google Maps and the GDPR

WP Google Maps relies on your consent for data processing purposes. The GDPR defines consent as "...freely given, specific, informed..., a statement or by a clear affirmative action, signifies agreement to the processing of personal data...".

WP Google Maps provides for granular consent processes in each instance where personally identifiable data is processed. Supporting the spirit and aim of data protection proposed by the GDPR, we have not only ensured for consent safeguards in our internal processes, so endeavouring to affect Privacy by Design, but have implemented GDPR compliance tools to assist Users of WPGM in communicating data protection to their site visitors.



Team Training: On the implication and standards of the GDPR.

	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	Strategy Preparation: Implementing GDPR regulations to services and products provided. Strategy Preparation: Implementing GDPR regulations to internal and external procedures.
	<b>~</b>	Add GDPR alerts, applicable Consent Notices and a Maps API Notice to the Maps area.
		Add GDPR features to Maps VGM functionality: search and export, erasure and request for access. Add GDPR actions to the Plugin
	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	website. Implement re-subscriber lists and insert consent checks in all applicable areas.
	<b>~</b>	Ensure DPA's are in place with all major third-parties. Localize external library requests.
	<ul> <li>✓</li> <li>✓</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Updates in company's documentation according to GDPR requirements</li> <li>Communicate GDPR compliance to customers.</li> </ul>

## If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us!

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