

# PRIVACY POLICY

Last Updated: February 12, 2025

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to Athena ("we," "our," or "us"). We respect your privacy and are committed to protecting your personal information. This Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, and safeguard your information when you use our decentralized application ("dapp").

## 2. INFORMATION WE COLLECT

### 2.1 Automatically Collected Information

When you visit our dapp, we automatically collect certain information about your device and usage patterns:

- Usage Data: Pages visited, features used, time spent on pages
- Technical Data: Browser type, operating system, device type
- Network Data: IP address, network status
- Performance Data: Load times, app errors

### 2.2 Wallet Information

When you connect your Web3 wallet to our dapp:

- Transaction history with our smart contracts
- Network information

We do not collect or store your private keys or seed phrases.

### 2.3 Analytics and Cookies

We use Google Analytics to understand how users interact with our dapp. This service may collect:

- Usage patterns
- Feature engagement
- Performance metrics
- User flow data

You can opt out of analytics tracking through our cookie consent interface.

## 3. HOW WE USE YOUR INFORMATION

We use the collected information to:

- a) Provide and maintain our services
- b) Improve user experience
- c) Analyze usage patterns and optimize performance
- d) Detect and prevent technical issues
- e) Comply with legal obligations

## 4. DATA STORAGE AND SECURITY

Our dapp operates on public blockchains, which means:

- Transaction data is publicly visible on the blockchain
- Smart contract interactions are permanent and immutable
- Wallet addresses are pseudonymous but publicly visible

For off-chain data:

- We use industry-standard security measures
- Data is encrypted in transit and at rest
- We regularly review our security practices

## 5. THIRD-PARTY SERVICES

We work with the following third-party services:

- Google Analytics for usage tracking
- Infrastructure providers for hosting
- Web3 infrastructure providers (e.g., Infura)

Each third-party service has its own privacy policy and data handling practices.

## 6. YOUR RIGHTS

You have the right to:

- Opt out of analytics tracking
- Request information about your stored data
- Request deletion of off-chain data
- Withdraw consent for data collection

Note: Blockchain data cannot be deleted due to the immutable nature of the technology.

## 7. CHANGES TO THIS POLICY

We may update this Privacy Policy from time to time. We will notify users of any material changes by:

- Updating the "Last Updated" date
- Displaying a notice in the dapp
- Requiring re-acceptance of terms if necessary

## 8. CONTACT US

For any questions about this Privacy Policy, please contact us at:

Email: [contact@athenains.io](mailto:contact@athenains.io)

## 9. ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 9.1 Children's Privacy

Our dapp is not intended for children under 18 years of age. We do not knowingly collect personal information from children.

### 9.2 International Data Transfers

Our services operate globally. By using our dapp, you consent to your data being transferred and processed in various jurisdictions.

### 9.3 Data Retention

We retain data only as long as necessary to:

- Provide our services
- Comply with legal obligations
- Resolve disputes
- Enforce agreements

### 9.4 Blockchain Data

Please be aware that:

- All blockchain transactions are permanent
- Smart contract interactions are public
- Wallet addresses are publicly visible

### 9.5 Cookie Policy

We use essential and analytics cookies. Essential cookies are required for the dapp to function. Analytics cookies are optional and can be disabled through our consent interface.

## 10. YOUR CHOICES

You can control your data by:

1. Using privacy-focused Web3 tools
2. Controlling cookie preferences
3. Using multiple wallets for different purposes
4. Opting out of analytics tracking

## 11. COMPLIANCE

This Privacy Policy complies with:

- General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)
- California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA)
- Other applicable privacy laws and regulations