

# Key Tips for Writing Privacy Policies That Build Trust

Whether you run a blog, eCommerce store, or company website, your privacy policy should be a top priority. It ensures compliance with laws like DPDP while building legitimacy and trust with visitors.

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# The Trust Gap

63%

## Unsatisfied Customers

Customers are unhappy with how companies handle data privacy

54%

## Lack of Benefit

State that companies don't use data to customers' benefit

As we move forward, data privacy has become integral to lead generation. It's time to write or reevaluate your policies.

# Why Privacy Policies Matter

## Legal Compliance

Laws like DPDP (EU) and CalOPPA (California) require businesses to publish privacy policies. Fines for non-compliance are astronomical.

## Beyond Compliance

A strong privacy policy builds trust, communicates transparency, and gives users peace of mind when purchasing or sharing your site.



# Key Benefits of a Strong Privacy Policy



## Build Trust & Loyalty

Establish credibility with website users through transparency



## Legal Compliance

Meet local and international data privacy regulations



## Third-Party Compliance

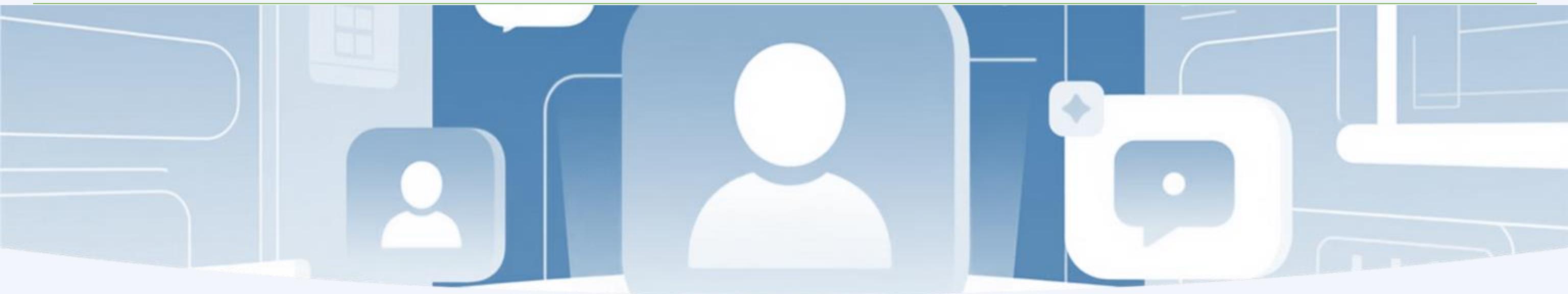
Satisfy requirements for services like Google AdSense



## Higher SEO Ranking

Improve search visibility through compliance standards

# Tip #1: Outline Collected Data Types



Get to the point immediately. Users want to know what data you collect before anything else. Be upfront and transparent from the start.

## Common Data Types

- User names and addresses
- Contact numbers and emails
- IP addresses
- Access dates and times

## Key Principle

Never collect more data than needed. Stay in line with the **data minimization principle** to maintain trust and compliance.

# Tip #2: Explain Your Collection Channels



## **Cookies**

Track user behavior and preferences



## **Surveys & Forms**

Gather direct user input and feedback



## **Newsletter Sign-ups**

Collect contact information for communications

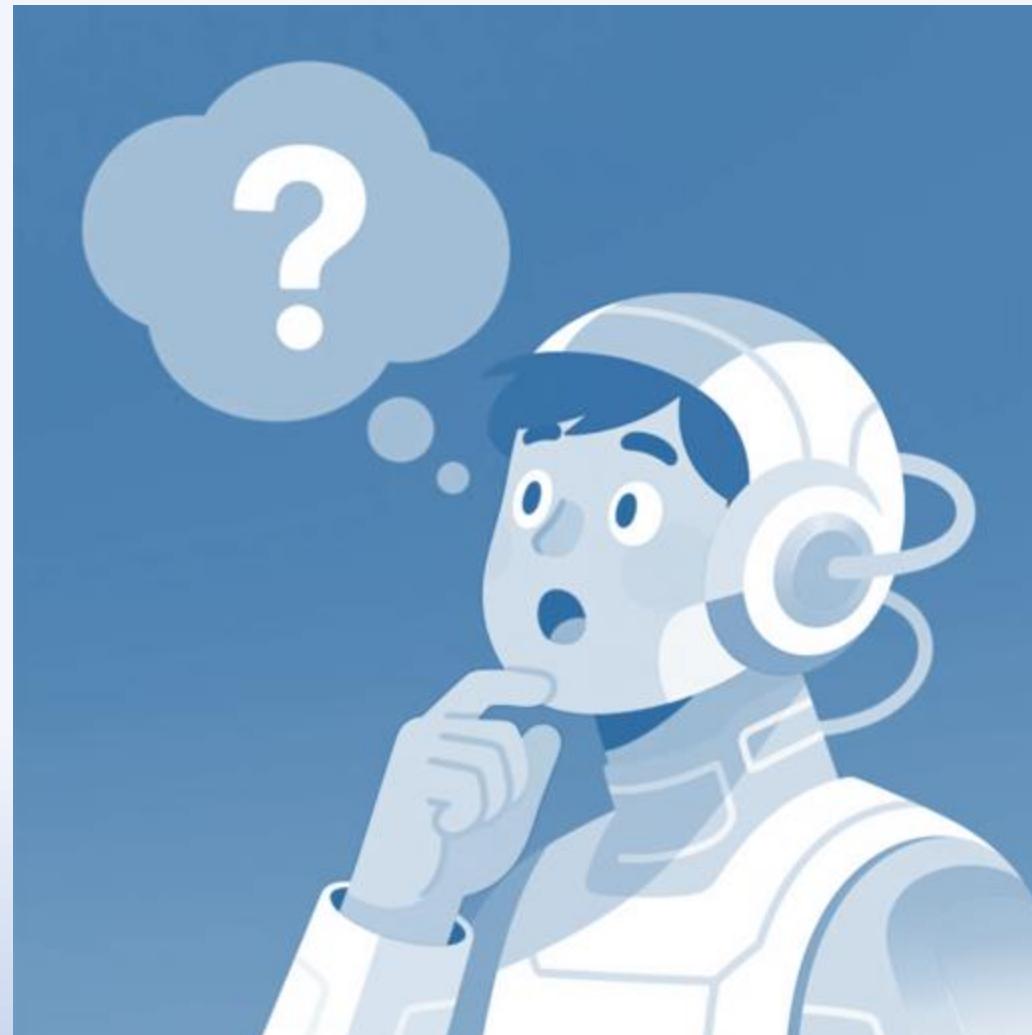


## **Order Placement**

Capture transaction and shipping details

Use bullet points or bolded fonts to help users skim through your policy.  
Transparency in collection methods builds trust.

# Tip #3: Explain Why Data Is Collected



## Address the "Why"

Users want to understand your purpose. Not everyone knows how the modern web works, so be clear and educational.

The most common reason: **to enhance the user experience.**  
Provide concrete examples of how you'll do this.

**Example:** Store interaction data helps improve item selection and future deals.

# Tip #4: Reassure Users of Data Safety



## Opt-Out Options

How can users opt out of data collection? What features will they miss?



## Access Control

Is your company the only party capable of accessing personal data?



## Security Measures

What software protection or server-side safeguards are in place?



## SSL & Hosting

Is your website SSL compliant with a secure hosting provider?



## Data Retention

How long is personal data stored for?

- ❑ Omitting any of this information can appear suspicious and damage trust.

# Tip #5: Provide Contact Information



## Open Communication

Give visitors a channel to ask questions or voice concerns about your policy. This pro-consumer move reassures users of your legitimacy.

## Contact Options

- Live chat button
- Email address
- International phone number

Users often have valuable insights into how you can optimize your policy.



## Products – Integrated Platform



All In One Solution

### Compliance/Security

### TPRM

### Data Privacy

### Internal Audit

### IT Ops/Budgeting

#### Seamless Integration, Unmatched Efficiency

- 350+ Frameworks
- Algorithm-based mapping
- One-click delta visibility and task creation
- Global and ready to go

#### Real Time Review & Response AI

- Real-time review and unmatched speed
- Dashboard provides real-time visibility
- No more alert fatigue

#### 107 Privacy Laws Ready to Go

- 107 Laws Ready Info Security and Consent/Rights Mgt out of box
- Ready reporting – DPIA

#### Ease of Use and Saving on Time

- Integrates with other Modules
- Able to use test results and validations from other modules

#### Event, Incident, Breach Mgt , Change Mgt - out of box

- Ease in integration with IT Ops
- Only tool with ready out of the box Breach, Findings Mgt,...

Competitors



## Vendors - Provide a Maximum of 2 products

### Compliance/Security

- Couple of Vendors

### TPRM

- Couple of Vendors

### Data Privacy

- One Mainly

### Internal Audit

- One Mainly

### IT Ops/Budgeting

- None for midsize

← Multiple providers, limited frameworks, duplication of work, lack of integration, risks falling through the gaps, adoption challenges, costs, inadequate reporting, no centralized dashboard, inadequate service management and findings documentation →

# Why GRC<sup>3</sup>.io

## Visual Dashboard

Continuous insight into all processing activities with clear program overview.

## Automated Processes

Innovative SaaS platform designed to automate privacy workflows and minimize risks.

## Cross-Departmental Cooperation

Support seamless collaboration ensuring compliance across your organization.

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## Product Lines

Comprehensive suite addressing key privacy challenges

20+

## Multiple Modules

Each targeting specific compliance requirements



# Transparency Leads to Trust

Once your policy is in place, update it regularly with new regulations and standards. Inform users of changes so they can opt-out or consent.

**Remember:** New laws require information about your DPO, data processors, data controller, and automated decision-making. Be as transparent and proactive as possible - your user base will respond positively.

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