

## Privacy Policy for Y

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Y ("we," "our," or "us") respects your privacy and is committed to protecting your personal data. This Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, and safeguard your information.

### 1. Information We Collect

We collect the following types of data when you use Y:

#### a. Information You Provide

- **Account Information:** Username, email address, profile details.
- **User Content:** Posts, comments, images, and other interactions.
- **Support Requests:** If you contact us, we may collect communication details.

#### b. Information We Collect Automatically

- **Device & Usage Data:** IP address, browser type, device type, and interactions with Y.
- **Cookies & Tracking Technologies:** We use cookies to enhance user experience and improve security.

#### c. Third-Party Data

- We may receive data from authentication services (e.g., signing in via Google) or external integrations you choose to use.

### 2. How We Use Your Information

We use your data for the following purposes:

- To **operate and improve** Y's functionality and security.
- To **personalize content and recommendations**.
- To **enforce policies, detect abuse, and prevent fraud**.
- To **comply with legal obligations** and respond to law enforcement requests.

### 3. How We Share Your Information

We **do not sell** your personal data. However, we may share information with:

- **Service Providers:** Hosting, analytics, and security providers.
- **Legal Authorities:** If required by law, such as responding to subpoenas or investigations.

### 4. Your Rights & Choices

Depending on your location, you may have rights under laws like GDPR (EU) or CCPA (California), including:

- **Access & Data Portability:** Request a copy of your data.
- **Correction & Deletion:** Modify or delete your account information.

- **Opt-Out:** Manage cookies and tracking preferences.

## 5. Data Security & Retention

- We take reasonable security measures to protect your data but **cannot guarantee absolute security**.
- We retain data as long as necessary for legal compliance, moderation, and platform functionality.

## 6. Cookies & Tracking Technologies

- We use cookies to store preferences, track engagement, and improve the platform.
- You can adjust cookie settings via your browser.

## 7. Children's Privacy

- Y is **not intended for users under 13**. If we discover an account belongs to someone under 13, it will be deleted.

## 8. Changes to This Privacy Policy

We may update this policy periodically. The latest version will be posted on Y. Continued use after changes signifies acceptance.