

Terms & Conditions for Charcoal Transparency Survey

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Data publishing and confidentiality

If you are providing us with information via our online survey or via a traceability file that we have sent to you, the following conditions apply.

By accepting to share your product and supply chain information with Earthworm Foundation and benefit from having your product publically available in our database, you accept the following conditions in full.

Your basic product information as is listed below will be published on the website; this information will be open to the public:

- Declared KG / Liters
- Declared species
- Declared country of origin of Raw Material
- Certification of charcoal (FSC 100%, FSC Mix, PEFC, WWF...)
- Name of the reseller
- Brand owner
- Country of brand owner
- Carbon-Fix rate of your products.
- Are health and safety inscriptions printed on the bag?

All other information we receive from you (other answers from online survey and all information gathered from the excel file "EF_Charcoal_Supply_Chain_Questionnaire" will remain fully confidential and only be used for us to evaluate the transparency level of the product you are submitting information for. Earthworm Foundation will not sell or pass on your information to any other organisation.

We advise you to only register/upload those products where your company holds a **trademark license** or is the **trademark holder**. The company that uploads products via the EF charcoal survey must be legally entitled to distribute content and information about the product to external parties like Earthworm Foundation. EF cannot be held accountable for any wrong, missing or false information.

Based on your submitted information, Earthworm Foundation will use a scoring methodology to calculate the Charcoal Bag Score. A score between 0-100% for each product. This score will be published on the website: www.charcoal-transparency.org for the individual product. You will be notified by email once your information is put online.

Your rights and obligations

You have a right to access, modify, rectify and delete data concerning yourself, your product or your company in accordance with Article 34 of the law "Informatique et Libertés". You may not, however, adapt the transparency score given by Earthworm Foundation to your product. If you wish to exercise the right to edit or delete data, if you think your score is not fair or if you wish to improve it by providing us with additional traceability information, please contact us at: contact@charcoal-transparency.org



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