

**COOKIE POLICY**

This cookie policy explains the ways in which we use cookies. Please read the cookie policy carefully. If you have questions, you may contact us at [DataPrivacyOffice@timken.com](mailto:DataPrivacyOffice@timken.com).

**What are Cookies, how are they used, and can I stop them?**

A cookie is a portion of code installed in the browser and stored in the memory of your computer or device that collect information about the use of our website in order to make it function effectively and to improve our website visitors' experience. Cookies on our website are either session cookies, which are temporary cookies that are erased from your computer or device when you close your browser, or persistent cookies that stay in one of your browser's subfolders after you close your browser. You can erase persistent cookies from your browser history.

Our website uses cookies to save your session and to carry out other activities that are necessary for the operation of our website, for example in relation to the distribution of traffic. We further use cookies to tailor our products and services to your interests and needs.

We use functional, analytical, performance, targeting, advertising and third-party cookies. The types of cookies that we use on our website are listed below.

**What do we collect?**

Cookie	Description	Type of Cookie	Duration	Use
<code>_gat_gtag_</code> [property ID]	This is a pattern type cookie set by Google Analytics, where the pattern element on the name contains the unique identity number of the account or website it relates to. It appears to be a variation of the <code>_gat</code> cookie which is used to limit the amount of data recorded by Google on high traffic volume websites.	Session	1 min.	Performance
<code>Visitor_id</code> [number]	The visitor cookie includes a unique visitor ID and the unique identifier for your account. For example, the cookie name <code>visitor_id12345</code> stores the visitor ID 1010101010. The account identifier, 12345, makes sure that the visitor is tracked on the correct Pardot account. The visitor value is the <code>visitor_id</code> in your Pardot account. This cookie is set for visitors by the Pardot tracking code. The data is stored anonymously, only after converting the data will be visible in combination with personal details.	Persistent	2 years	Analytics

Visitor_id [number] #	The visitor hash cookie contains the account ID and stores a unique hash. For example, the cookie name visitor_id12345-hash stores the hash “855c3697d9979e78ac404c4ba2c66533”, and the account ID is 12345. This cookie is a security measure to make sure that a malicious user can’t fake a visitor from Pardot and access corresponding prospect information.	Persistent	2 years	Analytics
_ga	Used to distinguish users.	Persistent	2 years	Analytics
_gid	This cookie is installed by Google Analytics. The cookie is used to store information of how visitors use a website and helps in creating an analytics report of how the website is doing. The data collected including the number visitors, the source where they have come from, and the pages visited is stored in an anonymous form.	Persistent	1 day	Analytics
Cookies_allowed	To check whether or not the visitor has accepted cookies in the past.	Persistent	1 year	Necessary
CONCRETE5	To check if an user is logged in.	Session	1 min.	Necessary
Preferred language	To save the language preference	Persistent	1 month	Necessary

**What third party cookies or tracking tools does our website use?**

In addition to the cookies mentioned above, some of the third party services listed below use cookies. We cannot control or influence the use of these cookies and/or the use by third parties of the information collected through these cookies. These cookies collect statistics and track your browsing habits.

**Google Analytics**

Installs persistent cookies to calculate visitor, session, campaign data and to keep track of website usage for the website’s analytics report as well as to understand user interaction with the website. These persistent cookies store information anonymously and assign randomly generated numbers to identify unique visitors. Google Analytics also installs session cookies that provide a pattern element on the name, which contains the unique identity number of the account or website it relates to.

To learn more about the use of cookies for Google analytics and to exercise choice regarding such cookies, please visit the [Google Analytics Opt-out Browser Add-on](#).

**Google Maps**

Installs persistent cookies to calculate visitor, session, campaign data and to keep track of website usage for the website’s analytics report as well as to understand user interaction with the website. These persistent cookies store information anonymously and assign randomly generated numbers to identify unique visitors.

### Google Tag Manager

Installs persistent cookies to calculate visitor, session, campaign data and to keep track of website usage for the website's analytics report as well as to understand user interaction with the website. These persistent cookies store information anonymously and assign randomly generated numbers to identify unique visitors.

### Google Optimize

Installs persistent cookies to calculate visitor, session, campaign data and to keep track of website usage for the website's analytics report as well as to understand user interaction with the website. These persistent cookies store information anonymously and assign randomly generated numbers to identify unique visitors.

### Concrete5

Installs persistent cookies that are used to preserve the users' admin settings. Concrete5 also uses persistent and session cookies to record the time at which the Concrete5 settings are set.

### Pardot

Installs persistent cookies to calculate visitor, session, campaign data and to keep track of website usage for the website's analytics report as well as to understand user interaction with the website. These persistent cookies store information anonymously and assign randomly generated numbers to identify unique visitors.

## **Social media links, what happens when you click the link to a third-party platform?**

### Displaying content from external platforms

This type of services allows you to view content hosted on external platforms directly from the pages of this website and interact with them. This type of service might still collect web traffic data for the pages where the service is installed, even when you take no further action on their website. In this course, the social network is transferred the information that you have visited our website. In addition, the social network may be transferred further information about your interaction with our website, such as e.g. but not limited to the date and time, your browser and operating system and your IP-address.

Should you be registered with the social network and be logged into your account when clicking the network-link on our website, the social network may be able to assign the information collected (as described before) directly to your profile. Also identifying you personally may be possible in this course. However, you may prevent the network from executing such operations by logging off your social network account beforehand. In no case may we influence such operations of the social networks and ask you to consult the network's privacy statements for further information.

### LinkedIn

Installs persistent cookies to enable LinkedIn functionalities on the page and for routing directly to the LinkedIn website. LinkedIn also installs session cookies that are used to maintain users' state across page requests and to store the language preferences of a user to serve up content in that stored language the next time the user visits the website.

### YouTube video widget (Google Inc.)

YouTube is a video content visualization service provided by Google Inc. that allows this website to incorporate content of this kind on its pages.

### Facebook

There is an identifying share button that takes you directly to Facebook, however, there are no cookies collected from our website for Facebook.

### Instagram

There is an identifying share button that takes you directly to Instagram, however, there are no cookies collected from our website for Instagram.

### Twitter

There is an identifying share button that takes you directly to Twitter, however, there are no cookies collected from our website for Twitter.

### **How can I disable cookies?**

You can manage preferences for cookies directly from within your own web browser and prevent, for example, third parties from installing cookies. Through your browser preferences, it is also possible to delete cookies installed in the past, including the cookies that may have saved the initial consent for the installation of cookies by this website.

Here are links to manage the cookies of some of the common web browsers:

[Google Chrome](#)

[Internet Explorer](#)

[Firefox](#)

[Safari](#)

For any other web browser, you can follow the instructions in the help section of your web browser or visit [allaboutcookies.org](http://allaboutcookies.org). With regard to cookies installed by third parties, you can manage their preferences by using the means provided in the third party's privacy policy, or by contacting the third party.

To learn more about certain cookies used for interest-based advertising by third parties, including through cross-device tracking, and to exercise certain choices regarding such cookies, please visit the [Digital Advertising Alliance](#), [Network Advertising Initiative](#), [Digital Advertising Alliance-Canada](#), [European Interactive Digital Advertising Alliance](#) or your device settings if you have the DAA or other mobile app. Besides these information websites there may be other (national) websites that give you information concerning cookies used by third parties.

We refer you to our privacy notice for information concerning the processing of personal data.

### **Co-Data Controllers**

BEKA-Beteiligungs GmbH  
BEKA Japan Co., Ltd.  
BEKA Lubrication Systems (Kunshan) Co., Ltd.  
BEKA-Lube GmbH  
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BEKA-Nederland B.V.  
BEKALube France S.A.S.  
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Groeneveld-BEKA GmbH  
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MAW-Maschinenfabrik Wannberg GmbH

### **Parent company and Co-Data Controller (contact information listed below)**

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### **Co-Data Controllers Contact Information**

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### **Data Privacy Officer (Groeneveld-BEKA GmbH) Information**

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