

## «GS1 Key Range Service» terms and conditions

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These terms and conditions apply together with the general terms of use of the GS1 system, which can be found here:

[https://www.gs1.ch/sites/default/files/2022-07/a4\\_en\\_nutzungsbedingungen\\_2016.pdf](https://www.gs1.ch/sites/default/files/2022-07/a4_en_nutzungsbedingungen_2016.pdf)

The privacy policy declaration by GS1 Switzerland applies, which can be found here:

<https://www.gs1.ch/en/data-protection>

### 1. Contractor and operator of the «GS1 Key Range Service»

GS1 Switzerland offers its members additional services to allow them to optimize their processes along the complete value-added chain. The «GS1 Key Range Service» is one such service.

GS1 Switzerland offers the service «GS1 Key Range Service» and therefore constitutes the contractor. GS1 Switzerland has the right to subcontract the operation of this service (hosting, 2<sup>nd</sup> level support, etc.) to external partners. GS1 Switzerland remains however responsible for their performance.

### 2. Scope of the SaaS solution «Key Range Service»

To ensure that GS1 keys, already used on type plates or printed labels, are not erroneously reused, GS1 Switzerland offers its members a software as a service (SaaS) solution called «GS1 Key Range Service» for an annual usage fee.

This solution allows to generate (according to GS1 rules), manage and export into an excel file at any time, the following GS1 keys.

- Global Trade Item Number (in short: GTIN).
- serialized Global Trade Item Number (in short: sGTIN)
- Global Location Number (in short: GLN)
- Global Individual Asset Identifier (in short: GIAI)
- Global Returnable Asset Identifier (in short: GRAI)

The client obtains a non-exclusive, non-transferable, non-licencable and by the duration of this contract temporarily limited right to use the «GS1 Key Range Service» for his GS1 company prefixes. The number of users is not limited. The right of access can be extended by the client to his subcontractors (for instance label or type plate manufacturers).

### 3. Fee

The yearly fee is CHF 1'200 (in word: one thousand two hundred Swiss Francs) excl. VAT.

The fee for the subscription of the «Key Range Service» is invoiced annually and in advance.

The invoices are to be paid within 30 days upon receipt.

GS1 Switzerland reserves itself the right to adapt the fee, with an advance notice of four months, with the start of each new calendar year. The client has the right, should he not agree with a fee adaptation, to terminate the contract in writing with a notice period of three months.

#### **4. Availability, support and data back-ups**

The «GS1 Key Range Service» can be accessed via the web browsers Chrome or Edge. The normal availability is around >99%.

The yearly subscription fee includes support and one onboarding webinar, when the service is first activated. Any availability disruptions or technical problems must be reported to [systemberatung@gs1.ch](mailto:systemberatung@gs1.ch) and will be troubleshooted according to a «best effort» approach. Neither a SLA nor reaction times are promised.

It is in the client's responsibility to regularly back-up the issued key ranges and save them on appropriate servers. GS1 Switzerland does not take any responsibility for any data lost.

#### **5. Contract duration and cancellation**

The «GS1 Key Range Service» can be terminated in writing with a notice period of three months after each subscription year. The first subscription year starts with the requested activation date indicated by the client on the application form. Without termination the subscription of the «GS1 Key Range Service» is automatically extended for another year.