



Eligibility Policy

.Coop is a restricted top level domain (TLD) that is only open for registration to cooperatives and other organizations meeting the .coop eligibility criteria. The aim of DotCooperation LLC (DCLLC) is to provide a namespace to the Global Cooperative Movement.

The following are the primary criteria for determining eligibility for a .coop domain name.

- The organization is a democratically controlled member owned cooperative, consistent with the International 7 Cooperative Principles; or
- Is an Association comprised of cooperatives; or
- Is an Organization that is majority controlled by a Cooperative; or
- Is an Entity whose operations are principally dedicated to serving Cooperatives.

DCLLC conducts audits of .COOP domain registrations and reserves the right to cancel or modify a domain name in accordance with their policies. Refer to the [Verification Policy](#) to learn about how the audits are conducted.

Contact Us

If you have any questions about this policy, please contact cooperate@identity.coop.