# **COOKIES POLICY**

'Yeo Valley Farms (Production) Limited (and associated Yeo Valley companies), a company incorporated in England and Wales whose registered office is at Yeo Valley HQ, Rhodyate, Blagdon, Bristol BS40 7YE (registered number 01283809) ("we/us/our"). We use cookies and this document explains their use.

We may use cookies to provide you with a better or more secure experience when accessing our websites.

## **General Information about Cookies**

- 1. A cookie is a small file typically consisting of a string of letters and numbers that is sent by our web server to your web browser (e.g. Chrome or Safari), and is then stored by the browser. Each time the browser requests a page from the server, it sends this small file back to the server so that the server can distinguish and track users as they navigate different pages on a website and improve the experience for returning users.
- Cookies can be either 'session cookies 'or 'persistent cookies'. A session cookie will expire, be deleted, at the end of the user session, when you close your web browser. A persistent cookie will be stored by the browser and will remain valid until a set expiry date (unless you go in and manually delete it before the expiry date).

## How we use Cookies

- 3. We may use cookies for the following purposes:
  - 1. To remember your cookie preferences
  - 2. To assist in content display
  - 3. To improve the security of our websites

## Cookies on our website

- 4. We use both session cookies and persistent cookies on this website. Session cookies are those that delete themselves when you leave the site. Persistent cookies are those that last for up to two years acer you first visit our website. The specific cookies that we use are:
  - 1. Cloudflare Website Security Cookie
  - 2. Cookies that support content
  - Cookies that support your cookie consent decision and the function of our cookie banner
- 5. Most cookies we use are persistent cookies to give you a better experience and service, as well as making it more secure.
- 6. For your information these are the cookies active on our website.

## **Device Cookies**

- 7. We use a persistent cookie to understand what device you are using and make sure the website is displayed correctly.
- 8. We use this in conjunction with the VID cookie to keep track of the logged in entity. It allows us to identify the secure zone where the entity is logged in.

9. A secure area is created for each candidate and we use the VID cookie to ensure candidates log into their correct secure area.

## **Managing and Blocking Cookies**

- 10. You can block some or all cookies by activating the setting on your browser. If you use your browser setting to block all cookies (including essential cookies) you may not be able to access all or parts of our websites. This may impair your ability to fully utilise our websites.
- 11. More information about cookies can be found on <u>AboutCookies.org</u>. This also gives details on how to delete cookies from your device. For information on how to do this on your smart mobile phone or tablet browser, please consult your device's manual, or manufacturer.
- 12. Please read <u>BC Cookies Quick reference</u> for more information.

## **Your Consent**

13. By clicking "CLOSE" on the cookie banner, you agree to the placement of cookies on your device, unless you actively block them. If you choose not to receive our cookies, we cannot guarantee that your experience will be as fulfilling as it would otherwise be, in fact you might not be able to access any or all of the website. Once your consent has been provided, this message will not appear again when you revisit. If you, or another user of your computer, wish to withdraw your consent at any time, you can do so by altering your browser settings.

## Contact us

14. If you have any questions about our cookies or this cookies policy please contact us by email at <a href="hello@yeovalley.co.uk">hello@yeovalley.co.uk</a>

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