

LF Edge Sandbox Acceptable Usage Policy

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The LF Edge Sandbox Acceptable Usage Policy (AUP) defines what is acceptable and not acceptable in the usage of the LF Edge Sandbox and its related systems. These environments are sponsored by the Linux Foundation and its partners, and made available to LF Edge project participants and community members for purposes of developing features, testing deployments, and delivering releases for LF Edge projects.

Resource Usage

- All users must have approved Linux Foundation controlled credentials (e.g. an LF ID). Control / approval / granting of those credentials is outside the scope of this policy.
- Community Lab Hardware resources are only to be used for their assigned purpose.
- Users may not "host" or "assign" Community Lab Hardware resources to other projects or individuals without the approval of the Linux Foundation.
- Resources that are not being actively used may be reallocated to another project or user.
- No data, software, confidential information, or intellectual property that is not freely available to the community may be uploaded or stored in/on the Sandbox or its related resources and systems.
- Users are responsible for obtaining, monitoring and renewing any software licenses required. No software may be downloaded or used in the sandbox without the required license(s).
- Linux Foundation reserves the right to audit software and sandbox usage without notice and remove access for users who are not following this AUP.
- Users must not use the Sandbox or any of its related resources for production deployments or similar systems. All resources are provided with no warranty, as-is, with no service level assurances.

Access

- Access to the Sandbox is provided via the public Internet, via best effort channels. Local or global networking controls may impact access to the Sandbox or its related systems.
- The Sandbox systems provide a mechanism to orchestrate the installation of LF Edge related projects and software systems. Users must provide their own hardware resources or reserved appropriate hardware within the LF Edge Shared Community Lab (<https://wiki.lfedge.org/display/LE/Shared+Community+Lab>).
- Installed artifacts, such as container images or downloaded binaries, are provided by other resources hosted on the public Internet and their usage is outside the scope of this AUP.

- Users shall not purposely engage in activity that may harass, threaten, impersonate, or abuse others; degrade the performance of (Company) Information Resources; deprive authorized (Company) personnel access to a (Company) Information Resource; obtain additional resources beyond those allocated; or circumvent (Company) computer security measures.
- Users must not share their personal authentication information, including: Account Passwords, Personal Identification Numbers (PINs), Security Tokens, Multi-factor authentication information, Digital certificates, or similar information or devices used for identification and authentication purposes.

Support

- Support is provided on a best effort basis only, by the LF Edge community.
- Support requests might take multiple business days to be completed, depending on the request.
- For support, please refer to:
 - LF Edge Sandbox Wiki (<https://wiki.lfedge.org/display/LE/Support>)
 - LF Edge Slack channel [#lf-edge-sandbox]
 - Post to the LF Edge Sandbox email distribution list (<https://lists.lfedge.org/g/lf-edge-sandbox>)

Any violation of this Acceptable Usage Policy may result in loss of Sandbox access and usage of its related resources.