

Is backaniang.com safe? TrustSniffer's moderate-trust assessment: 65/100

backaniang.com

Verdict



65
OUT OF 100

MODERATE TRUST

backaniang.com is moderately trusted.

Most signals looked ordinary, and some evidence was missing. Read the checks below before you pay or hand over personal details.

Governance Risk

Assessed 2026-08-21 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 50%.

What this site appears to be

Official artist site for Backa Niang featuring biography, discography, news, media and newsletter signup. Contact email provided; social links present.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: **UNKNOWN**

- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

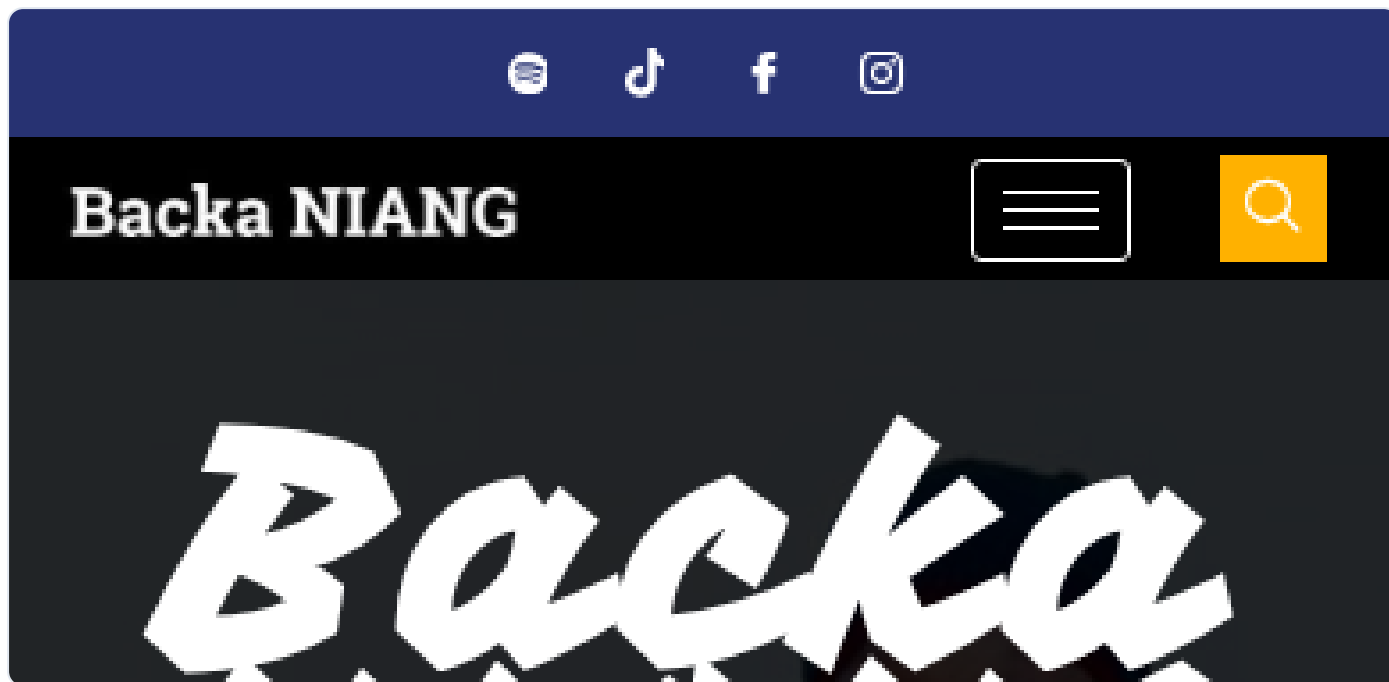
At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	21% confidence AbuseIPDB, 3 reports; shared hosting inflates reports	CLEAR
Domain age	2.6 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2023 Public history exists	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YR1	NOTED

The page as captured

<https://backaniang.com/>



What backaniang.com served when TrustSniffer captured it on 2026-08-21. The page may look different now.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Governance Risk.
- Domain age: 1 to 3 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2023.
- VirusTotal and Google Safe Browsing had no flags for this domain; its hosting IP carries AbuseIPDB reports below the confidence level TrustSniffer treats as a flag.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is an artist portfolio for Backa Niang, presenting a biography, music discography, news and agenda updates, media content, social links, and newsletter contact functionality. Its apparent purpose is to promote the artist's work and support music-related engagement such as streaming, bookings, and private events.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed. The site's content is internally consistent with an artist portfolio: it presents a biography describing Backa Niang as a Senegalese singer and griot, references musical collaborations and albums, and provides discography, news, media, and newsletter functions rather than financial services or credential-collection workflows. There is no login form, hidden sensitive form, wallet interaction, phishing indicator, or detected brand impersonation. A limited reputational signal exists at the shared hosting-IP level: three abuse reports were associated with the address used by the hosting provider, with the attribution explicitly applying to shared infrastructure rather than identifying conduct by this website. Evidence:

- The homepage presents the title "Backa Niang – Singer, African griot at heart!" and artist biography, discography, and agenda content.

- The homepage contains one newsletter/contact form and no password or sensitive-data form.
- The hosting-IP reputation record lists 3 reports against shared data-centre infrastructure, attributed to the IP rather than specifically to the website.
- Historical coverage records the domain from 2023-12-28 through 2025-07-10, with 3 years tracked and no indicated category repurposing.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The available content supports an apparently genuine music-promotion purpose, but the real-world operator identity is not independently verified by the supplied evidence. The site identifies Backa Niang and provides biographical material and social links; it does not present a corporate legal entity, financial-services license, or registration number. For the stated artistic business model, the absence of a financial license is not evidence of wrongdoing, but booking, merchandise, or paid-event arrangements would still warrant confirmation of the responsible contracting party and applicable consumer terms. The external broker-context check produced no match and should be treated only as limited reputational context, not as a regulatory determination. Evidence:

- Domain registration records show registration through NETIM on 2023-12-28, with GAYE Alassane listed as the registrant and expiry on 2026-12-28.
- The site's transport encryption uses a DV certificate issued by YR1, valid through 2026-09-21.
- The website is hosted on AS24940, operated by HETZNER-AS / Hetzner Online GmbH in Germany.
- The artist homepage provides links to Facebook, Spotify, TikTok, and Instagram, but no formal licensing or corporate-registration disclosure is shown.

What to Verify Next

Before a material booking, purchase, or paid engagement, the counterparty should confirm the contracting individual or business, obtain applicable booking or refund terms, and ensure that any payment destination corresponds to the independently confirmed contact. Newsletter participation should be limited to the information necessary for subscription, and official contact channels should be cross-checked through an established social profile or another independent route. Evidence:

- The homepage identifies the artist and describes music, biography, and event-related activity.
- The site provides social links across Facebook, Spotify, TikTok, and Instagram for independent channel comparison.
- The available form is identified as a newsletter signup rather than a credential or payment form.

Summary Verdict

The website has a **moderate-trust posture** and is evidence-consistent with an apparently legitimate artist website. Its content and observed behaviour do not indicate an active scam or impersonation pattern, while the available evidence does not independently prove the real-world operator's identity.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is protected by a CDN/WAF arrangement, with the observed edge address in AS24940 operated by Hetzner Online GmbH; the origin server was not observable in this analysis. This infrastructure reduces direct exposure of the origin and is a mitigating security control, but it is not proof of operator legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Ordinary browsing and artist-content use are proportionate; independent confirmation of booking, payment, and official contact details should precede high-value commitments or sensitive submissions.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-21 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

1 finding contributed to this verdict, raised by registration and ownership.

01 Governance Risk

- The public registration record for this domain is incomplete.

Registration and ownership rule:KF_WHOIS_INCOMPLETE

Signals weighed against the site

- AbuseIPDB: 3 reports on hosting IP 138.199.142.78 (Hetzner Online GmbH, Data Center/Web Hosting/Transit), 21% confidence. The reports are attributed to shared infrastructure, not specifically to this website.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	76/100
Identity verification confidence	76%

- Trusted social count=2

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of backaniang.com.

- The request stayed on backaniang.com. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under NETIM. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by wanekoodns.net, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2026-12-28. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2023-12-28. CLEAR
- It is hosted on HETZNER-AS, from a server in DE. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	NETIM
Hosting	HETZNER-AS - Hetzner Online GmbH, DE
Country	DE

Server IP	138.199.142.78
Name servers	NS1.WANEKOODNS.NET, NS2.WANEKOODNS.NET
SSL issuer	YR1
SSL expiry	2026-09-21
Domain age	2.65 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2026-12-28
Archive first seen	2023-12-28
Archive snapshots	Not counted (archive lookup incomplete)
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 21% confidence, 3 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about backaniang.com at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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