

Is centralbank.ie legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

centralbank.ie

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

centralbank.ie appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-02 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage of the Central Bank of Ireland, presenting its statutory role in monetary and financial stability, financial regulation, consumer protection, economic research, statistics, publications, news, events, and public guidance.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness:

UNKNOWN

- 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	1 report AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	27 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 1999 3377 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 1999.
- 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 the official Central Bank of Ireland public-sector portal, presenting information on monetary policy, financial regulation, financial stability, consumer protection, payments, economic research, statistics, publications, news, events, and public guidance.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No phishing, impersonation, blacklist, or conflicting legal-identity indicators were observed. The homepage's statutory central-bank presentation, extensive institutional content, absence of commercial sales mechanics, and clean behavioral profile are consistent with a legitimate public authority rather than a deceptive or abusive service.

- The homepage identifies the Central Bank of Ireland and describes central banking, regulation, supervision, financial stability, and consumer protection functions.
- The homepage contains no login form, sensitive form, hidden form, wallet connection, or untrusted submission destination.
- Domain registration: 1999-09-19 (~26.88 years old).
- Web archives contain 3,377 snapshots spanning 1999–2026, covering 28 tracked years.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site presents statutory and supervisory functions, consumer-protection guidance, publications, and institutional contact/navigation areas. The supplied homepage evidence does not show a license number or separate commercial registration disclosure; this is a limited documentation point, not an identity contradiction. No adverse broker-reputation match was identified.

- The homepage navigation includes About, Contact, Financial Regulation & Supervision, Consumer Protection, and institutional information.
- The site's stated model is public-sector central banking and financial regulation, not consumer investment solicitation.
- Registration was recorded through Kerna Communications.
- The site is hosted on AS13335 through Cloudflare, Inc.; its TLS certificate is issued by WE1 using DV validation and is valid to 2026-10-29.

What to Verify Next

For decisions involving a specific regulatory statement, confirm the relevant statutory or supervisory reference through an independently sourced government or legal registry. Standard institutional contact-validation procedures may also be applied for consequential correspondence.

- The homepage provides institutional sections for regulatory supervision, consumer protection, publications, and Contact.
- The homepage presents public guidance and official financial information rather than a commercial onboarding or investment transaction flow.

Summary Verdict

The website has an established, legitimate, high-trust posture with strong convergence across institutional content, historical continuity, technical stability, and external reputation. No scam or impersonation contradiction was identified.

Infrastructure Integrity

Cloudflare CDN/WAF protection provides a mitigating layer for network exposure; observed traffic resolved to Cloudflare edge infrastructure, including AS13335, with no origin candidate exposed in the analysis.

Closing Assessment

Normal interaction, including account login where applicable and standard use of the site’s published services and guidance, is appropriate.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-02 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	79/100
Identity verification confidence	78%

- Trusted social count=3

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 centralbank.ie.

- The request stayed on centralbank.ie. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Kerna Communications. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by f5clouddns.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-09-20. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 1999-01-25. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Kerna Communications
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	104.16.212.134
Name servers	ns1.f5clouddns.com, ns2.f5clouddns.com
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-29
Domain age	26.9 years
Domain expiry	2027-09-20
Archive first seen	1999-01-25
Archive snapshots	3377
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 1 report Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about centralbank.ie 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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