

Is mainpost.de legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 96/100

mainpost.de

Verdict

96

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

mainpost.de appears legitimate.

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

Not Scam

Safe for Login

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-17 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 55%.

What this site appears to be

Main-Post regional news homepage in German. Contains numerous local and regional articles, sections for sports, culture, and services; cookie/consent banner and subscription prompt (PUR-Abo) visible. Standard news site behavior with third-party embeds and tracking.

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	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	Not available No registration record was returned	NOTED
Web archive	Never archived No public history of this site	WATCH
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by Amazon RSA 2048 M01	NOTED

The page as captured

<https://www.mainpost.de/>



What mainpost.de served when TrustSniffer captured it on 2026-08-17. The page may look different now.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

This website is Main-Post, a German regional news publisher presenting current reporting from Würzburg, Schweinfurt, Franconia, Bavaria, and international sources, alongside sports, culture, weather, services, advertising, and paid subscription offerings such as PUR-Abo and ePaper.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No scam or impersonation contradictions were observed. The homepage presents a coherent regional-news model, links to ordinary editorial and service sections, and shows no phishing, brand-impersonation, wallet, or credential-harvesting indicators. Behavioral telemetry recorded extensive third-party activity and substantial page changes after interaction, but these are consistent with the visible consent, advertising, and subscription mechanisms; no sensitive form, hidden form, wallet activity, clipboard manipulation, or cloaking was detected. External reputation checks recorded no malicious or suspicious detections, supporting the conclusion that the observed implementation complexity is not evidence of deceptive activity.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage contains regional news, politics, sport, culture, weather, and service content, with no red-flag findings or suspected brand impersonation.
- The homepage exposes a consent banner and PUR-Abo subscription flow; analysis identified one consent-related form, no sensitive form, and no external password form.
- Behavioral testing recorded 154 external XHR requests, 84 external POST requests, 31 console errors, and a maximum post-interaction DOM difference of 5,181, alongside zero wallet-connect, wallet-sensitive, wallet-drainer, clipboard-hijack, and hidden-form events.
- External reputation assessment recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious detections, with a Tranco rank of 16411 and inclusion in the top 1 million websites.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The available evidence is consistent with a conventional media publisher monetising through advertising and optional paid subscriptions, rather than a financial service requiring the type of investment licensing associated with trading or yield platforms. The site links to an Impressum and Datenschutz page, but the supplied material does not establish an independently verified real-world operator identity. No license claim or license number is shown in the available site analysis; this is a transparency item for ordinary publisher and subscription verification, not evidence of a scam. The clean external reputation, strong traffic footprint, identified Amazon hosting, and valid transport encryption provide affirmative support for an established-site assessment, while not proving the operator's legal identity.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies Main-Post coverage for Würzburg, Schweinfurt, Franconia, Bavaria, and the wider world, and presents PUR-Abo/ePaper subscription options.
- The site's navigation includes Impressum, Datenschutz, Kontakt, and regional editorial sections.
- Served from AS16509 (AMAZON-02 - Amazon.com, Inc., US); TLS certificate issued by Amazon RSA 2048 M01, validation level DV, valid to 2027-03-16.
- The site's hosting infrastructure is identified in the United States through ARIN-registered AS16509.

What to Verify Next

Before credential or payment interactions, an independent check should reconcile the publisher identity shown in the Impressum with the subscription merchant, billing entity, and customer-support channels. Subscription users should review cancellation, renewal, refund, and payment-protection terms through the site's own legal and purchase documentation, and confirm any material discrepancy through an independently sourced contact route.

EVIDENCE

- The site provides dedicated Impressum, Datenschutz, Kontakt, and subscription-related navigation points that can be used for document-level verification.
- The visible subscription flow distinguishes between PUR-Abo access and existing subscriber login.
- The homepage presents consent choices for third-party tracking and a separate advertising-free subscription option, making privacy and billing terms relevant to the verification review.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate regional news website and supports a high-trust, low-risk posture. No scam or impersonation contradictions were observed, although the real-world operator identity is not independently verified.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website uses CDN/WAF protection, with observed addresses belonging to edge infrastructure rather than an identified origin candidate. This reduces direct origin exposure and is a mitigating infrastructure characteristic, although protective hosting alone does not establish legitimacy.

EVIDENCE

- CDN/WAF protection was present; 2 edge IP addresses were observed and 0 likely origin IP addresses were identified.
- Observed edge addresses were 13.248.139.131 and 144.76.59.138.
- Hosting infrastructure was resolved through Amazon-associated edge infrastructure.

Closing Assessment

Normal browsing is proportionate to the assessed posture; before submitting credentials or payment details, ordinary independent checks of the merchant identity, subscription terms, and available payment protections should be completed.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-17 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	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 mainpost.de.

- The request stayed on mainpost.de. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by iwelt-ag.net, across 3 name servers. NOTED
- It is hosted on AMAZON-02, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Not available
Hosting	AMAZON-02 - Amazon.com, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2600:9000:278f:4a00:16:46af:c300:93a1
Name servers	dns2.iwelt-ag.net, dns3.iwelt-ag.de, dns.iwelt-ag.net
SSL issuer	Amazon RSA 2048 M01
SSL expiry	2027-03-16
Domain age	Not available (no registration date was returned)
Domain expiry	Not available
Archive first seen	Not available
Archive snapshots	0
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about mainpost.de 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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