

Is nation.com.pk legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 90/100

nation.com.pk

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

nation.com.pk 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 2026-08-11 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Established Pakistani newspaper site offering latest news, e-paper, opinion pieces and multimedia. Contains editorial, national, international, business and sports coverage and contact/advertising information.

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	29 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 1998 5000 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YR2	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 1998.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is an established Pakistani newspaper platform presenting current news, editorials, business and sports coverage, multimedia content, daily-paper access, and an e-paper service; its apparent business model is digital publishing supported by advertising, commercial contact services, classifieds or advertorials, and subscription access.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No phishing, impersonation, malicious-content, or other contradiction signals were observed. The site's content is consistent with a newspaper rather than a financial or investment service, and its homepage provides substantial editorial material across national, international, business, sports, opinion, lifestyle, and multimedia sections. Behavioral testing did identify hidden forms and changes to page content after interaction, but no login form, externally submitted password form, wallet connection, wallet-sensitive activity, clipboard manipulation, or cloaking was detected; in context, these are limited implementation signals rather than evidence of an abuse pattern. The site also has a long registration history and sustained archival continuity, supporting an established provenance assessment.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage presents "The Nation" as a newspaper with latest news, editorials, national and international reporting, business, sports, multimedia, and e-paper navigation.
- Domain registration evidence records creation on 1997-09-20 and an age of 28.91 years.
- Historical records contain 5000 snapshots spanning 1998-05-23 through 2016-02-18, covering 19 years with a maximum recorded gap of 1 year.
- Behavioral testing recorded 2 hidden forms in 2 successful runs, while recording 0 password-external forms, 0 wallet-connect runs, 0 wallet-sensitive runs, and 0 clipboard-write events.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate publishing website, but the real-world operator identity is not independently verified. The site presents an organizational association through "nawaiwaqt group" and displays newspaper, television, magazine, editorial, contact, and advertising functions; these are on-site identity claims and should not be treated as independent proof of legal ownership. No financial-services license is claimed, which is consistent with the stated newspaper business model, while the precise legal entity responsible for subscriptions and commercial services remains a transparency point for

ordinary due diligence. A third-party broker-context check found no matching result, but that signal is reputational context rather than a licensing determination.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies “The Nation” and references “nawaiwaqt group,” “Roznama Nawaiwaqt,” “Waqt News TV,” and associated magazines.
- The site content includes contact and advertising functions alongside news publishing and e-paper access.
- The page is classified as a news/media website with a low page-risk assessment and no listed content red flags.
- The site’s TLS certificate is valid and uses domain validation, providing transport protection but not independent confirmation of the publishing entity.

What to Verify Next

Before credential or payment interactions, an enterprise or prospective subscriber should independently confirm the publisher’s legal entity, confirm that the e-paper subscription terms identify the same entity, and review applicable cancellation, refund, and payment-protection arrangements. Contact details should be validated through an independent offline or established external channel rather than relying solely on information presented on the site. Any commercial advertising engagement should also confirm the contracting entity and invoice recipient before funds or sensitive business information are exchanged.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage offers daily-paper and e-paper access, creating a potential subscription and payment interaction.
- The site provides “Contact,” “Advertise,” and “Write for Us” pathways that can be used as reference points during independent entity confirmation.
- The publisher identity displayed on the site should be matched against the entity named in subscription and commercial-service documentation.

Summary Verdict

The overall posture is **high trust and low risk**, with strong convergence between the site’s established publishing profile, sustained historical presence, clean external reputation signals, and coherent page content. The website appears legitimate and established on the available evidence, although operator identity remains independently unverified.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is served through AS24940, HETZNER-AS / Hetzner Online GmbH in Germany, with CDN/WAF protection and no origin candidate observed in this analysis. This infrastructure reduces direct exposure of the origin and is a mitigating security characteristic, but it is not proof of legitimacy.

EVIDENCE

- Hosting infrastructure: AS24940, HETZNER-AS - Hetzner Online GmbH, DE; observed address 65.109.88.147.
- TLS certificate: issuer YR2, domain-validated (DV), valid through 2026-09-15T17:21:06+00:00.
- The infrastructure assessment recorded 1 CDN edge IP and 0 likely origin IPs.

Closing Assessment

Normal browsing and routine use are proportionate to the high-trust assessment; independent merchant-identity, subscription-term, and payment-protection checks should be completed before credentials or payments are submitted.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-11 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	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	50%

- No on-site identity signals detected

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 nation.com.pk.

- The request stayed on nation.com.pk. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by awsdns-07.net, across 4 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2028-02-01. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 1998-05-23. CLEAR
- It is hosted on HETZNER-AS, from a server in DE. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Not available
Hosting	HETZNER-AS - Hetzner Online GmbH, DE
Country	DE
Server IP	65.109.88.147

Name servers	ns-573.awsdns-07.net, ns-217.awsdns-27.com, ns-1381.awsdns-44.org, ns-2030.awsdns-61.co.uk
SSL issuer	YR2
SSL expiry	2026-09-15
Domain age	28.91 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2028-02-01
Archive first seen	1998-05-23
Archive snapshots	5000
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 nation.com.pk 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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