

Is ntpool.org legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

ntppool.org

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

ntppool.org appears legitimate.

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

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-13 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 70%.

What this site appears to be

Official NTP Pool project site describing the public network time service, how to join and use the pool, news about infrastructure and monitoring, and community information. The site is informational and operated by volunteers with hosting support from known providers.

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	19 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2008 3 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by Certainly Intermediate R1	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 2008.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is the NTP Pool Project, a volunteer-run open-source infrastructure service that provides public network time synchronization, explains how visitors can use or contribute servers to the pool, and publishes project, monitoring, infrastructure, and community information.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed. The site presents a consistent informational project identity, with no detected phishing, impersonation, malicious-content, or abuse indicators. Its observed behavior is non-transactional and does not show signs of credential harvesting, wallet interaction, cloaking, or suspicious external activity.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage and project content contain no reported red flags or brand-impersonation indicators.
- Browser observation recorded no login form, sensitive form, wallet connection, password submission, clipboard manipulation, or suspicious inline script.
- External reputation checks recorded zero malicious and zero suspicious detections, with no blacklist or phishing finding.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate open-source infrastructure project, but the real-world operator identity is not independently verified. The site does not present a financial-services license or registration claim; given its stated informational and volunteer-run purpose, this is a transparency point for confirmation rather than evidence of misconduct. The domain and technical history provide substantial provenance support, while the archived record should be treated as limited historical coverage rather than a complete record.

EVIDENCE

- Domain registered on 2007-07-01 and approximately 19.13 years old; registrar: Porkbun LLC; expiration: 2028-07-01.
- Archive record contains 3 snapshots spanning 2008-08-20 to 2009-04-22 across 2 tracked years.
- TLS certificate is valid, issued by Certainly Intermediate R1 at DV validation level, valid through 2026-08-28.

What to Verify Next

Before any credential or payment interaction, independently confirm the responsible organization, applicable terms, and any relevant registration or licensing position through authoritative sources rather than relying solely on on-site descriptions. Confirm official contact channels through an independent route, and ensure that any future payment request includes ordinary merchant identity, return-policy, and payment-protection safeguards.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage and project pages are classified as informational and contain no sensitive forms.
- The site content focuses on using or contributing to public NTP infrastructure, with no apparent deposit, purchase, or other financial-transaction workflow.
- The project pages provide operational, infrastructure, and community information that can be compared against independently obtained project records.

Summary Verdict

The overall posture is high-trust and low-risk, with the evidence consistent with an established, apparently legitimate website. Normal informational interaction is proportionate, while the absence of independent operator verification means that legitimacy should be described as apparent rather than proven.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is protected by Fastly CDN/WAF infrastructure, and observed addresses resolve to CDN edge servers rather than a directly exposed origin. This is a meaningful mitigation against routine infrastructure exposure, but it supports security posture rather than independently proving the operator's identity.

EVIDENCE

- Served from AS54113 (FASTLY - Fastly, Inc., US); observed server IP: 199.232.173.55.
- Fastly edge addresses observed: 151.101.1.55, 151.101.129.55, 151.101.193.55, and 151.101.65.55.
- Origin candidates observed: 0; CDN edge addresses observed: 8.

Closing Assessment

The site is suitable for ordinary informational use; any future credential or payment request should first undergo independent identity, terms, and payment-protection checks.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-13 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 ntpool.org.

- The request stayed on ntpool.org. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Porkbun LLC. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by pch.net, across 5 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2028-07-01. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2008-08-20. CLEAR
- It is hosted on FASTLY, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Porkbun LLC
Hosting	FASTLY - Fastly, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2a04:4e42:6b::311
Name servers	anyns.pch.net, ns1.eu.bitnames.com, ns1.us.bitnames.com, ns2.us.bitnames.com, ns3.us.bitnames.com
SSL issuer	Certainly Intermediate R1
SSL expiry	2026-08-28
Domain age	19.13 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2028-07-01
Archive first seen	2008-08-20
Archive snapshots	3
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 ntpool.org 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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