# PLC Code Repo Privacy Policy

Thank you for any contributions you make to PLC Code Repo. This Privacy Policy is simple and designed to help you understand what information we collect, why we collect it, and how it is used.

### Data collection

When you upload code, you agree to the submission of your code to the site and to the sharing of your PLC program with PLC Code Repo. Code submissions are used for research purposes only.

The purposes of our research include but are not limited to developing metrics for PLC code safety/security, developing models for PLC code quality, and creating instruction for writing safe/secure PLC code. The results of this research can be found on the <u>Publications</u> page.

Specifically, we only collect the information that users provide when a submission is uploaded to the site. This information includes the PLC program file, supporting documentation, name of the vendor whose software was used in the creation of the program, primary language used, type of programmer that created the program, and whether the program was used in a real process control system. When users contact us for support or other reasons, email addresses used to contact us are not stored or used for any purpose other than to communicate back with you.

Please refer to <u>Idaho State University's (ISU) Privacy Policy</u> to see how data is collected as you are accessing ISU servers while using PLC Code Repo.

#### Disclaimer

It is your responsibility to ensure you do not submit personal information. We cannot be held responsible for the contents of your submission.

Before making an upload to the site, please ensure you have performed due diligence to remove any identifiable information that may connect anyone to a submission.

# Changes and updates

We reserve the right to change this Privacy Policy as necessary.

## Contact

If you have questions or concerns, please contact us at the email address found on the Contact page.