

The Data Act for transport and logistics: who gets access to your vehicle and supply-chain data?

In short. The Data Act has applied since 12 September 2025 and affects anyone with connected vehicles, machines or sensors. It governs who can access the data they generate, enforces fair sharing terms, and makes switching between cloud services easier. What does that mean for transport and logistics?

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PRIMARY SOURCES

- <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/eli/reg/2023/2854/oj>
Regulation (EU) 2023/2854 (Data Act): access to and sharing of connected-product and related-service data; applicable since 12 September 2025.
- <https://digital-strategy.ec.europa.eu/en/policies/data-act>
European Commission — Data Act policy page: scope, rights and obligations, and phased application.