Stadtwerke Weinheim

ENERGY UTILITY · KRITIS

Over 27,000 records under control, without disrupting daily work

How Stadtwerke Weinheim made GDPR risk management simple, scalable and easy for employees to use.

>27,000	>620	99%	KRITIS
NON-COMPLIANT RECORDS	WORKING DAYS SAVED	FASTER DELETION WORKFLOWS	ENERGY UTILITY

Stadtwerke Weinheim is a regional energy utility that has supplied electricity, natural gas, heat and drinking water for more than 100 years. By expanding renewable energy and new technology, it is pushing the local energy transition forward.

Data & More makes GDPR risk management simple, scalable and easy for employees. The result: faster deletion, less effort in audits, and more security across the organisation.

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MARKUS GÜNTHER · HEAD OF DEPARTMENT, STADTWERKE WEINHEIM

IN SHORT

Customer	Stadtwerke Weinheim, a regional energy utility for more than 100 years
Industry	Energy supply, critical infrastructure: electricity, natural gas, heat and drinking water
Challenge	Critical security information and confidential data in email, shared drives and documents, under growing pressure from NIS2 and GDPR
Solution	Data & More detects sensitive data automatically, and employees delete it themselves without a bottleneck in IT
Result	More than 27,000 non-compliant records identified, over 620 working days saved, and 99% faster deletion workflows
Quoted	Markus Günther, Head of Department, Stadtwerke Weinheim

01 · THE CHALLENGE

Security that would not scale

As a critical-infrastructure utility working with sensitive product and customer data, Stadtwerke Weinheim is under growing pressure to meet cybersecurity requirements such as NIS2 and to comply with the GDPR.

They needed a solution that cuts manual work, enables employees to meet security requirements, and builds confidence in how data is handled, without getting in the way of daily operations.

Hidden in unstructured data	Critical security information and confidential data often sit in email, on shared drives and in documents.
Deletion feels heavy	Employees experience data deletion as complex and time-consuming.
Hard to apply consistently	Existing security and privacy measures are difficult to scale and to apply in the same way everywhere.

02 · THE CHOICE

Simple, automatic, scalable

Stadtwerke Weinheim chose Data & More for its simplicity, automation and scalability.

Simplicity	Employees can start deletion themselves, without a bottleneck in IT.
Automation	Sensitive data is detected and marked automatically.
Integrations	The solution fits existing systems and ways of working.
Scalability	The volume of data to analyse can grow without slowing the existing infrastructure.

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03 · THE ROLLOUT

A few steps, a few days

Implementation ran in a few clear steps. No training was required.

01
Scope and goals
A workshop with compliance and IT on which systems to connect and what the technical requirements were.

02
Pilot
A first rollout in one department, to test usability, the process and the quality.

03
Organisation-wide
Rolled out in a few days, supported by a simple internal communication.

04
Training
Not required.

04 · THE RESULT

Part of daily operations

Stadtwerke Weinheim meets the rules with little effort and reduces risk. Employees are relieved of the load.

Automatic review	Unstructured data is checked for critical security information and privacy-relevant content.

A report for employees	Each person gets their own report so they can delete non-compliant data.
Dashboards for compliance and IT	Anonymised real-time dashboards show how deletion is progressing.
Regular updates	Updates keep detection aligned with security and privacy requirements.

The teams can focus on what matters: expanding renewable energy and new technology, so the region stays reliably supplied.

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