

ALTCHA Spam Protection

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About ALTCHA



ALTCHA is a GDPR-compliant form abuse protection option that effectively prevents automated form submissions without requiring respondents to solve a puzzle.

If ALTCHA validation fails, respondents will be unable to submit their form response.

Note:

- You can use either reCAPTCHA or ALTCHA on forms, but not both at the same time.
- Akismet, which uses post-submission spam filtering, can be used in addition to ALTCHA

Visit [ALTCHA's website](#) for more information about how it works.

Requirement

To use ALTCHA, a FormAssembly user must be part of a Team plan or higher.

Enable ALTCHA

ALTCHA is available for use on forms and workflows.

SPAM PROTECTION BEFORE SUBMISSION:

- ALTCHA (an invisible privacy-friendly check that helps prevent spam). [?](#)
- Google reCAPTCHA (a challenge that helps prevent spam). [?](#)
- None (no before submission spam protection).

Enable ALTCHA on a Form

- Navigate to the **Processing** page of your form
- Scroll to the **Spam Protection Before Submission** section
- Select **ALTCHA**
- Click **Apply** at the very bottom of the page

Enable ALTCHA on a Form in a Workflow

- Within the Workflow Builder, open the **Form Properties** of the Form step
 - Select the **Configure** tab
 - Select **ALTCHA** under Spam Protection Before Submission
 - **Save** the workflow
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