

UNDERSTANDING WHO WILL GET THE NEW .UK DOMAIN NAMES

| At Cutoff Time (23:59 on 28 October 2013) | .uk Right at Cutoff Time | From Cutoff Time to Launch (08:00 on 10 June 2014) | .uk Right at Launch | Notes |
|--|-----------------------------|--|------------------------|--|
| Example.co.uk is registered | .co.uk registrant | Example.co.uk remains continuously registered until Launch | .co.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .co.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.co.uk is deleted Example.co.uk is re-registered by Launch | .co.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .co.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.co.uk is deleted Example.co.uk is unregistered at Launch | None | .uk available to register on a first come first served basis on 10 June 2014 |
| Example.co.uk is NOT registered Example.org.uk is registered | .org.uk registrant | Example.org.uk remains continuously registered until Launch | .org.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .org.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.org.uk is deleted Example.co.uk is registered by Launch | .co.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .co.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.org.uk is deleted Example.co.uk is unregistered at Launch | None | .uk available to register on a first come first served basis on 10 June 2014 |
| Example.co.uk is NOT registered Example.org.uk is NOT registered Example.me.uk is registered | .me.uk registrant | Example.me.uk remains continuously registered until Launch | .me.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .me.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.me.uk is deleted Example.co.uk is registered by Launch | .co.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .co.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.me.uk is deleted Example.co.uk is unregistered at Launch | None | .uk available to register on a first come first served basis on 10 June 2014 |
| No qualifying domain is registered | None | Example.co.uk is registered by Launch | .co.uk registrant | .uk reserved for .co.uk registrant until 07:59 on 10 June 2019 |
| | | Example.co.uk is unregistered at Launch | None | .uk available to register on a first come first served basis on 10 June 2014 |

NOTE #1: in the above, "registrant" refers to the legal owner of the domain name at that point in time (previous owners, if any, are irrelevant)

NOTE #2: after Launch, it's impossible to "gain" the right to the .uk. If a domain with the right to the .uk is deleted, the .uk becomes free to register

NOTE #3: this guide was prepared by Edwin Hayward of Memorable Domains Ltd (<http://www.memorabledomains.co.uk/>)