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Useful Resources:

- EU Data Privacy Directive, 23.11.1995, requiring an adequate level of protection for data that are to be transferred into non-EU countries: https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A31995L0046

- EU Commission of 26.07.2000 declaring the EU US Safe Harbor Principles to provide an adequate level of protection: https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/en/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A32000D0520

- European Court of Justice (ECJ) of 06.10.2015 “Schrems I” (C-362/14) rendering the EU US Safe Harbor Agreement invalid: https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A62014CJ0362

- ECJ of 16.07.2020 “Schrems II” (C-311/18) rendering the EU US Privacy Shield invalid (and requiring Transfer Impact Assessments when using the Standard Contractual Clauses):https://curia.europa.eu/juris/liste.jsf?nat=or&mat=or&pcs=Oor&jur=C%2CT%2CF&num=C-311%252F18&for=&jge=&dates=&language=en&pro=&cit=none%252CC%252CCJ%252CR%252C2008E%252C%252C%252C%252C%252C%252C%252C%252C%252C%252Ctrue%252Cfalse%252Cfalse&oqp=&td=%3BALL&avg=&lgrec=de&lg=&page=1&cid=812200

- European Data Protection Board (EDPB) issuing Opinion 5/2023 on the EU Commissions draft adequacy decision, 28.02.2023 (54 p.): https://edpb.europa.eu/system/files/2023-02/edpb_opinion52023_eu-us_dpf_en.pdf

- The EU Commission Decision Implementing the DPF, dated 10.07.2023: https://commission.europa.eu/system/files/2023-07/Adequacy%20decision%20EU-US%20Data%20Privacy%20Framework_en.pdf

- The DPF Framework itself (online since 10.07.2023): https://www.dataprivacyframework.gov/s/

- Search for registered US recipients of data: https://www.dataprivacyframework.gov/s/participant-search

- Q+A Leaflet from the EDPB of 10.07.2023 regarding the DPF: https://edpb.europa.eu/system/files/2023-07/edpb_informationnoteadequacydecisionus_en.pdf

- Advice from the Joint German Data Protection Authorities, Datenschutzkonferenz, on the DPF, dated 04.09.2023 (32 p.) https://datenschutzkonferenz-online.de/media/ah/230904_DSK_Ah_EU_US.pdf

- UK-US data bridge explainer – GOV.UK : https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/uk-us-data-bridge-supporting-documents/uk-us-data-bridge-explainer