

# 1.5 Change of Registrar = Transfer of a Domain

## How long does it take to transfer a domain to Joker.com?

### Duration of a Transfer

The request to initiate the transfer is submitted **instantly** to the registry in the event that:

- Joker.com did receive a valid **AUTH-ID**, and
- a payment has been made

When the losing registrar has been notified about the transfer by the registry, it may take additional 3-5 days for the losing registrar to react and process the transfer. This is not under Joker.com's control.

Overall, after a **maximum of up to 6 days** after the submission of the transfer request to the registry, Joker.com closes the transaction with either status 'successfully transferred' or 'failure'.

You always may check the status of the domain by using the 'Whois query for domains' on Joker.com - please just enter the domain name in question.

In case you have problems or additional questions, please [contact us](#) to solve the problem.

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