

Desktop mapping

We can come to you!

Desktop mapping is ideal for customers who still want the help and support provided by an Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre but who prefer to choose and organise maps and data at their convenience, in their own time and at their own premises.

The customer's own desktop system can be configured to access the Ordnance Survey servers.*Invoicing takes place automatically, ensuring that you pay only for what has been emailed or downloaded.

Desktop mapping brings tremendous benefits:

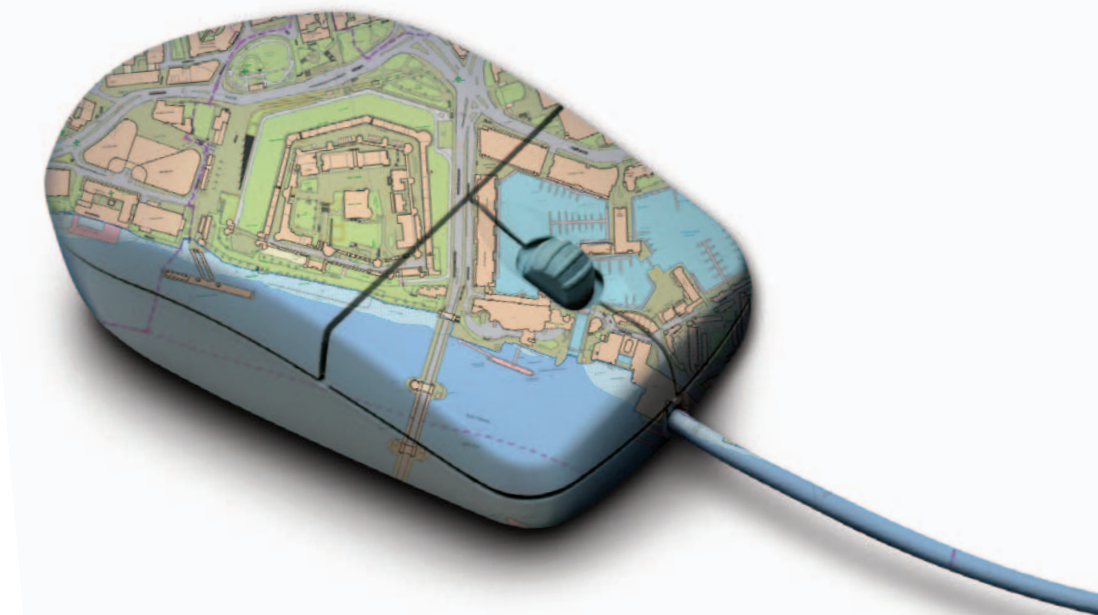
- controlled by you at your premises but with all the help and support you need;
- no time restrictions – you have round-the-clock access to the products you have chosen;
- fast and easy to use;
- direct access to Ordnance Survey's servers, ensuring you get the latest information available;
- plots can be printed out or data exported directly to a CAD system;
- compatibility with in-house systems avoids delays and improves project analysis and planning;
- extended range of outputs;
- small, readily downloadable files save time and have minimum storage impact;
- you pay only for used material; and
- PC and Mac compatible

***Your Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre will be happy to discuss desktop mapping with you, show you a demonstration and work closely with you in setting up your own system.**



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Mapping and data in the 21st century



There are over 150 Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centres across the country. Finding one local to you could not be easier. Either go online to:

www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/mdc

or telephone our Customer Contact Centre on **023 8030 5030**.

Your Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre and you

If you want direct access via your own PCs to the latest available large-scale data from Ordnance Survey, then the desktop mapping solution from an Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre is the answer.

When you choose Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre products, they are the most accurate and up to date that Ordnance Survey provides. The information can be readily accessed in a range of paper plot or data formats specifically for the land and property sector.

Most important of all – knowledgeable help is also available. You can discuss your precise requirements with an experienced advisor to get the most cost-effective solution – leaving you to concentrate on what you know best.

It offers due diligence and mitigates risk for your land and property project.

Desktop mapping is ideal for customers preferring to choose and organise maps and data in their own time and at their own premises.

With unique direct access to Ordnance Survey servers, desktop mapping firmly puts OS Sitemap and OS Landplan in a league of its own. It gives you a range of output choices, including traditional plotted maps in black and white, greyscale or colour, in hard copy, image or TIFF and/or DXF™ data outputs.

The choice is extensive and goes beyond format. You can select specific areas and levels of information – downloading data specific to your plan or project. And you are getting the latest Ordnance Survey data, which ensures accuracy and currency.

Software compatibility

With desktop mapping the data does not have to stand alone, but can be streamed into a range of packages, including CAD systems. So products like OS Sitemap and OS Landplan can ‘sit’ at the centre of your project – fully harmonised with other data and the planning process.

Convenience

Everything we have just described can be initially set up on your computer system by contacting your Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre.

Then we can enable remote access on your own computer system. Your Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre can advise on system compatibility. You can then choose data from the comfort of your own offices or premises and download direct from the Ordnance Survey Mapping and Data Centre whenever you want.

Invoicing takes place automatically, ensuring that you pay only for what has been emailed or downloaded.

Once you have downloaded the data you can import it into your CAD system, print off plots or as hard copies of the data. That’s entirely up to you.



OS Sitemap™



OS Landplan®

Desktop mapping is ideal for use with both OS Sitemap and OS Landplan



Features and advantages

- Hard copy, image, DXF or TIFF data outputs
- **An extensive choice of electronic output alternatives to suit the demands of your project**
- Site centred
- **The project site can be put at the centre of the map or data so nothing is wasted, including money**
- Layering
- **Choice is not confined just to area but also to the data featured. Subsequent need for additional data is no problem**
- Real-time access to Ordnance Survey database
- **Electronic output avoids the out-of-date content that any printed map could suffer from. Accuracy and currency are assured.**
- Data exportable into a wide range of packages, including CAD systems
- **Compatibility with in-house systems avoids errors and delays and improves project analysis and planning. Ordnance Survey data becomes an inherent part of the project rather than ancillary**
- Low-volume data files
- **Small, readily downloadable files save time and have minimum storage impact**
- OS Sitemap and OS Landplan are both available through desktop mapping
- **Electronic access to two key products**
- Data can be emailed direct
- **Fast and easy to use, saving time**
- Customer computer system can be configured for remote access
- **You can choose data from your own offices or premises, downloading selected data direct from the Ordnance Survey servers**
- Payment flexibility and automatic invoicing
- **You pay only for what is used**

