

Reference: 02038259

Information Requests information.requests@ofcom.org.uk

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Freedom of Information request: Right to know request

Thank you for your request for information about Telecommunications Fixed Links locations.

We received this request on 18 July 2025 and we have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Your request

The locations of the Telecommunications Fixed Links, preferably as a GIS file (shapefile/kml) or a CSV containing the easting/northing of individual Telecommunications Fixed Links locations. Please can you also provide the line of sight lines between each of the locations, again, as GIS files if possible.

Our response

Ofcom already provides information relating to Fixed Links locations on its website. The information published, including the geographic location, can be found here.

However, this only contains information on Fixed Links assigned by Ofcom. Some Wireless Telegraphy licences, such as Spectrum Access 28 GHz, have been awarded to operators on a regional or national basis. This permits them to deploy Fixed Links within the area they are licensed for without requiring individual authorisation from Ofcom. For these licences we do not hold location information of individual transmitters.

We hope this information is helpful. If you have any further queries, then please send them to information.requests@ofcom.org.uk – quoting the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely,

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Request an internal review

If you are unhappy with the response you have received to your request for information, or think that your request was refused without a reason valid under the law, you may ask for an internal review. If you do, it will be subject to an independent review within Ofcom. We will either uphold the original decision, or reverse or modify it.

If you would like to ask us to carry out an internal review, you should get in touch within two months of the date of this letter. There is no statutory deadline for us to complete our internal review, and the time it takes will depend on the complexity of the request. But we will try to complete the review within 20 working days (or no more than 40 working days in exceptional cases) and keep you informed of our progress. Please email the Information Requests team (information.requests@ofcom.org.uk) to request an internal review.

Taking it further

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our internal review, then you have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner's Office.