

# Data Management

thinkWhere provides a range of hosted data management services that aim to reduce your operational overheads and associated costs.



## Features

- Hosted data storage (published in industry standard formats)
- Instant access to maintained digital mapping data feeds
- Encrypted data services with full backup and disaster recovery
- Data sourcing, processing, translation and quality assurance service
- Data management and metadata advice and consultancy

## Benefits

- Hosted data environment - available 24/7
- Reduced data management and operational overheads
- Peace of mind that data security and resilience are taken care of
- Data provided in ready to use formats
- ISO9001 certified supplier

## About

thinkWhere understands the complexity of data and the dedicated specialist resource required to source, manage and safeguard it effectively.

We can help you source data for your business, reduce the risk of data duplication and expose out-of-date content.

Awarded a European Best Practice Award for implementing INSPIRE compliant spatial data infrastructures, thinkWhere can provide INSPIRE compliant hosted data and metadata services.

thinkWhere is an Ordnance Survey (OS) Licensed Partner.



We host hundreds of third party datasets (commercial and open data products) including those available from the OS, within our infrastructure meaning data is always up-to-date, and available for your immediate use.

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## Data Publishing

Traditional methods of data delivery used by many map publishers and digital map data providers centre on the transfer or download of data to customers as GIS files.

However, this approach doesn't necessarily satisfy market demand for easy access to up to date data that can readily be consumed within a GIS or business application.

Given the broader GIS industry trends towards cloud computing, data publishers are increasingly looking to make their products available as web services.

thinkWhere provides a modern platform for hosting, managing and sharing digital map data, making it easy to launch industry standard web services.

Our customers benefit from a ready-made platform without the significant upfront investment or need for specialist staff.

## Other Services

- Metadata management
- Training
- Web Services
- Hosted Data Services
- Address Matching
- Data licensing

- Data loading and publishing
- Data processing, conversion and translation
- Data audit
- Data Standards advice and consultancy
- Spatial data analytical services
- Data quality assurance
- Data quality improvement

## What our Customers Say

*"The web services delivered by thinkWhere are becoming the standard backgrounds for SEPA mapping applications. Reliability and performance are excellent, and we have benefitted from a significant reduction in the cost of maintaining our own OS data services."*

*Scottish Environmental Protection Agency (SEPA)*

*"The Libraries have been entrusted with the tremendous task of safeguarding the digital cartographic output of the UK. This role goes beyond simply collecting data, demanding active stewardship to ensure discoverability and availability to the public, while maintaining a highly secure environment conscious of intellectual property rights and future access. thinkWhere will assist us in achieving that goal."*

*The British Library*

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