

Find geospatial datasets - search for user-contributed, research-generated and derived datasets.

Re-use geospatial datasets - download datasets for research and teaching.

Share your geospatial datasets - contribute your own datasets.

Why use ShareGeo?

- increase the visibility of your research
- share datasets with colleagues and peers
- find datasets you may be interested in
- save time by re-using existing datasets that others have created
- create a record of your data
- manage your data for future use

Accessible to ALL registered Digimap Users*

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What is ShareGeo?

ShareGeo is a geospatial data sharing facility within the Digimap service, accessible to all registered Digimap users*. The data offered by ShareGeo can include both spatial data derived from datasets already licensed through Digimap, as well as open-access data collected or generated by individuals and submitted for others to re-use.

What does the facility offer?

Find and re-use geospatial datasets

- Search for geospatial datasets anywhere in the world
- Use a map search interface
- Use keywords and subject categories to find the data you want
- Browse by title, contributor, institution etc.
- Clear licensing terms for each dataset
- Download data for use in GIS

Contribute your geospatial datasets

- Contributed datasets can be for anywhere in the world
- Multiple formats supported including:
 - Shapefiles
 - MIF/MID and TAB
 - KML/KMZ
 - GML
 - GPX (GPS eXchange)
 - TIFF/GeoTIFF
 - ArcInfo ASCII Grid
 - CSV
- Simple metadata requirements
- Bounding box of contributed data is automatically identified and added to the metadata
- Specify your own licensing terms
- Package datasets in simple Zip files

User Support

A range of documentation and promotional material is available on the ShareGeo website at:
<http://edina.ac.uk/projects/sharegeo/>

Users can also email the EDINA Helpdesk at: edina@ed.ac.uk for further help and information.

How to Access the Facility

Access is free at the point of use to staff and students of institutions subscribing to Digimap. Access to ShareGeo is from the ShareGeo link on the Digimap Collections page.

Login to Digimap at:

<http://edina.ac.uk/digimap/> and find the ShareGeo link on the Digimap Collections page.



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Search for datasets



ShareGeo

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EDINA, a JISC national datacentre, designed and developed ShareGeo and is responsible for the hosting and delivery of the facility.
<http://edina.ac.uk>

JISC

The Joint Information Systems Committee supports the facility.
<http://www.jisc.ac.uk>

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