

Available Data Sources

[Spatial Hub Scotland](#) is a single point of access to quality-assured Scottish local authority data

[The One Scotland Gazetteer](#) – the definitive register of all addresses in Scotland.

[The National Street Gazetteer](#) – the definitive road network including asset and maintenance information.

[TellMeScotland](#) – informing the public of local government notifications like roadworks, planning and licensing.

[Local Government Benchmarking Framework](#) is a high-level benchmarking tool designed to support senior management teams and elected members to ask questions about key council services.

[Open Data Scotland](#) is a crowdsourced open data portal, aggregating open datasets across Scotland.

[Landclan](#) enables developers to easily find and evaluate potential land parcels for development.

[NatureScot](#) is a service providing links to datasets available on SNH Natural Spaces.

[Scottish Forestry](#) Open Data

[SEPA](#) (Scottish Environment Protection Agency) provides environmental data

[Ordnance Survey Hub](#) provides access to buildings, roads, greenspaces, addresses, maps and much more.

[Geospatial Commission](#) housing land and planning open datasets

[Land Cover Map 2021 \(LCM2021\)](#) datasets describe the UK land surface in 2021

[Registers of Scotland](#) open datasets

[SpatialData.gov.scot](#) provides spatial data from Scottish public sector organisations

[Natural Earth Data](#) provides all the key cultural and physical vector GIS datasets.

The [USGS Earth Explorer](#) is one of the largest free sources of data.

[OpenStreetMap \(OSM\)](#) is created by individuals so the data may not be 100% accurate.

The [Esri Open Data Hub](#) houses over **250,000+ open data sets** from **5,000+ organizations** worldwide.

NASA's [Socioeconomic Data and Applications Center \(SEDAC\)](#) shows human interactions with the environment.

[Open Topography](#) provides a portal to high spatial resolution topographic data and tools and houses LiDAR data.

[United Nations Environment Programme \(UNEP\)](#) is the authoritative source for UN data.

[NASA's Earth Observations \(NEO\)](#) is a real-time climate snapshot of the world.

Sentinel-2 is the highest resolution satellite imagery available through the [Copernicus Open Access Hub](#).

[Terra Populus](#) integrates census data from over 160 countries around the world, spanning up to six decades for household-level and aggregate data for more than 80 countries.