

Colocation Services

Secure, off-site datacentre services

Colocation Services gives you all the benefits of an off-site datacentre, while keeping you in the driving seat. Your IT and communications equipment are located in one of our secure exchange buildings, but you retain full control and access.

It's convenient, secure and you won't have to worry about running out of space as your business grows. Plus Colocation Services is aligned with our core network. It gives you access to local fibre WAN connectivity and reduces overall service latency, by collocating within the same buildings hosting the telecoms transmission networks.



Key benefits

- Thousands of exchanges all over the UK.
- Complete control over the design of your datacentre.
- Access to your hardware 24/7, 365 days a year.
- Complete reliability, thanks to uninterruptible power supplies and on-site backup generators. Operated by the same teams and processes that maintain our core infrastructure.
- A choice of connectivity, via BT or other carriers.
- Power, security, fire safety and environmental controls can be tailored to your operational and resiliency demands.
- Local connectivity to BT's core networks, ideal to reduce latency for services like edge compute. Space available within our key distribution exchanges.

The complete datacentre solution

Colocation Services enables you to build the right kind of datacentre for your business. Whether you need single racks, high-density server rooms or a full datacentre, we're here to help.

We have thousands of exchanges, stretching across the UK, and more than 100 premium locations with low-latency core access. So you can put your servers close to your customers or to your premises – whatever helps you meet your business goals.

And while your datacentre may be in our exchange, you're still in charge. It's up to you how it's designed, and you can access your equipment any time you want.

Who is Colocation Services good for?

Businesses large and small can benefit from Colocation Services. By keeping your data infrastructure in one of our exchanges, you don't need to worry about finding space for a datacentre. The perfect solution to support your business growth.

Colocation Services is perfect for disaster recovery too. Our safety and security measures help make sure your business-critical data is protected at all times.

Keep your data safe and sound

As well as monitored electronic entry systems in our exchanges, we offer the option of standard or electronic locks on racks. We also provide high-quality resilience and safety measures that protect your datacentre from downtime and disaster. They include on-site generators, with seven days of fuel stored at all times, as well as fire detection and suppression systems.

Build the service you need

Take your datacentre to the next level with our range of complementary services.

- Smart Hands. In key locations, we can help with equipment patching and out-of-hours replacement.
- Datacentre migration services to support your move into a Colocation Services exchange.
- Cross-connect capabilities to cloud providers, including Microsoft Azure and Amazon AWS.
- Managed decommissioning of old equipment. Recover latent financial value while protecting against data breaches and complying with Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) disposal regulations.

A sustainable solution

- Your equipment will be powered by 100% renewable energy.
- Members of the Climate Group coalitions RE100 and EV100.
- Aim to be net zero emissions by 2045.
- 57% reduction in carbon intensity since 2016.

Why BT Wholesale?

- Our Partner Plus programme gives you the support and the resources you need to succeed.
- Our network is the biggest and most reliable in the UK, with 99.999% availability and more than 99% coverage.
- We invest £3.7 billion in our network every year, and we spend more on R&D than any other network in the UK.
- BT is a name you can trust. We have more than a million SME customers, and we serve more than half of the FTSE350.
- We have more than 2,500 cybersecurity experts, including more than 1,000 ethical hackers.
- To provide the best services possible, we partner with some of the biggest, most respected vendors and suppliers in the world.

Find out more

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