

British fiber optic cable outage



Overview

Downdetector shows live status updates and outages people are experiencing. The Internet Outages Map is an at-a-glance visualization of global Internet health over the last 24 hours, tracking Internet outages across ISPs, top application providers, public clouds, and edge service networks. This map automatically updates outage information every 5 minutes and shows ongoing. Downdetector Explorer helps companies rapidly resolve issues, reduce service downtime, and improve mean time to resolution. How is it affecting you?

#SteamDown. It could be related to fibre infrastructure problems (like FTTP), cable, or even temporary slowdowns across the network. Any current issues with our network impacting multiple customers/addresses will be shown here – please check the list below to see whether you could be affected. MANY Shetlanders have been left without internet since Saturday after a subsea internet cable was damaged overnight. Shetland Telecom said that a section of the Shefa-2 fibre optic cable, which links Faroe Islands, Shetland and Orkney to Scotland, had been damaged at around 3am on Saturday morning.



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Iran reportedly threatening to cut Red Sea cables: What it means for ...

Tech News News: Iran has reportedly threatened to damage undersea internet cables in the Red Sea, a move that will have a significant impact on internet speed across .

Check for service outages in your area

Check for an outage to your home. With MyBell, get real-time updates and manage notifications for outages that may be affecting your Bell Internet service.

Shetland communication restored after subsea cable

Modern submarine cables use fibre optic technology and are typically as wide as a garden hose, according to telecoms market research firm

BT Service status | Check Broadband, Landline and TV

Check your BT Service status to see if your BT Broadband, Landline or TV is working. It looks at any temporary issues that might be affecting your services.

Internet Outages Map

This map automatically updates outage information every 5 minutes and shows ongoing and recently detected outages. You can use this map to quickly understand if there are ongoing outages.

Is internet down today in United Kingdom? Check the real-time outage

Check the Geoblackout live outage map to see if other users are experiencing similar issues or if the network is down. It could be related to fibre infrastructure problems (like FTTP), cable, or even

Finland investigates cause of fibre-optic cable outages

The disruption followed recent breaches of two undersea fibre-optic communications cables in the Baltic Sea, which raised suspicions of potential

Better Internet Dashboard

Lookup and understand the fibre situation of an address within the UK, including multiple service provider checks, mobile data coverage, and planned roadworks.

The deep-sea "emergency service" that keeps the

Ninety-nine percent of the world's digital communications rely on subsea cables. Fixing them keeps us all connected – and has changed our

UK's worst areas for broadband outages revealed

UK's worst areas for broadband outages revealed - and what to do if yours goes down Uswitch's damning findings back up recent research by

Browse Maps and Check Broadband Performance and Coverage

The United Kingdom on Saturday 16th May 2026 had Gigabit broadband availability of 90.66% and full fibre availability of 84.33% premises. The full page includes more detail and links to other parts of the

Broadband Disrupted for Shetland and Orkney by

PICTURED: Deployment of the new R100 subsea fibre optic cable as part of BT 's R100 contract. The latest situation started at around 3am yesterday (Saturday

Rogue beaver guts Canadian town's internet after

Northwestern communities in British Columbia are subject to the occasional whims of beaver decision-making, because there is only one fiber

Mass Canadian Internet Outage Caused by Single Destructive Beaver

The downed tree damaged electricity and fiber-optic lines, plunging some customers into a blackout — and cutting many more off from the internet.

Broadband Outages on Shetland After Second Subsea Fibre Break in

Faroese Telecom's SHEFA-2 cable reaches Shetland via two landing sites, including one stretch that goes North West up to the Faroe Islands and another cable that runs south to connect

Damage to subsea cable leads to internet outages | Shetland News

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Community Fibre service status

STATUS No known/current network issues reported. We will update this page on a regular basis with information from our technical teams. If you are still experiencing technical issues but are not

Rats cause Openreach outage in Hertfordshire, UK

Broadband provider Openreach has blamed rats for causing a broadband outage in Tring, UK. The rodents bit through the broadband cables in the Hertfordshire village, leaving customers

Broadband outage: what to do when your internet is down

What happens when your broadband goes down? What can you do about it? And how long will you be offline? Here's how to deal with an internet

Downdetector

Check if services are down based on real-time user reports. Downdetector shows live status updates and outages people are experiencing.

Internet Outages Map

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