



Data Centre Connect

The clever way to connect your network to ours

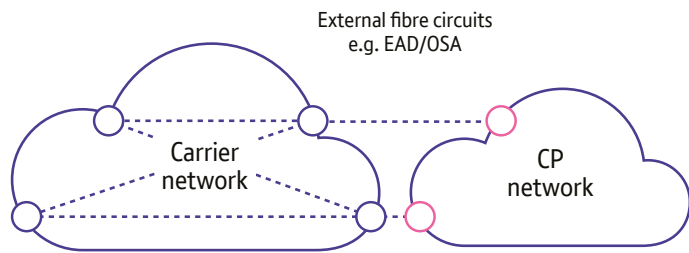
Are your customer demands for bandwidth solutions above 1Gb increasing?

With Data Centre Connect, you can quickly connect your network to ours so you can **meet growing bandwidth demands without having to worry about increased investment in growing your own network.**

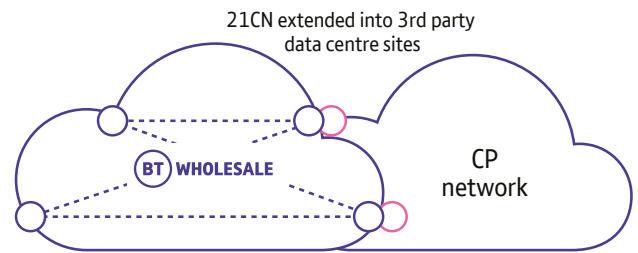
Connect with confidence

Data Centre Connect is our quickest, most cost-effective and resilient way for you to connect your network to ours. It might sound familiar to you as it's known in the industry as a hub or Network to Network Interconnect (NNI). It's our recommended method of aggregating your customers' traffic. All you need is to have presence in one of our ever-expanding third-party data centres across the UK.

Traditional external fibre interconnects



Wholesale Ethernet data centre access



Meeting your bandwidth needs

We set ourselves apart from the competition by going above and beyond to meet your demands. So as **companies require** more and more bandwidth, we can provide 10Gb ports faster than ever before, on a scale unmatched by other providers.

Leaders in high bandwidth services

We can offer up to 2.5Gb VLANs at over 40 of our 10Gb enabled data centres. As part of our commitment to becoming leaders in the high bandwidth market we currently have a programme underway to increase this, rolling out up to 10Gb VLANs.

Did you know?

- We've slashed our delivery lead times on all data centre orders to just three working days*.
- We've invested millions in our pre-build initiative, meaning we build 1Gb and 10Gb ports ahead of order, so you can benefit from rapid deployment.
- In 2015, we had just one 'on-net' data centre. Now we have over 50 for Wholesale Ethernet and more than 40 for Wholesale Optical.
- All our on-net data centres have the benefit of diversity included as standard from the data centre back into our 21C network.

* Three working days subject to survey and capacity checks. Where capacity is readily available, we have seen orders being delivered the same day.

** Resilience is provided in the connectivity between the equipment in the data centre and our 21C core. Handover at the data centre might be restricted to the same shelf or rack if two ports are ordered. There's no resilience option within the ports at the data centre.

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Benefits

Serious about speed. We can handover 1Gb and 10Gb ports in just three working days – much quicker than ordering Fibre Etherways or Ethernet Exchange Connect. With Etherflow VLAN provision in just 24 hours, it also means we can provide end-to-end connectivity up to 10Gb between data centres, in just four working days.

Excellent commercials. Data Centre Connect is proven to be the most cost-effective way to connect your network to ours. It also comes with a generous hub/NNI discount scheme.

More choice. Available in 1Gb or 10Gb, depending on the data centre location, with fibre hand-off options.

Reliability at its core. We support 100 per cent backhaul resilience** across our whole national core and backhaul network. Every ethernet switch is connected to two separate nodes on our core network via resilient backhaul. So if one leg is lost, traffic automatically switches to the alternative route.

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