

Continental Shelf Department

Data Room Guidelines

This document is intended to provide guidance to qualified companies attending the data room at the Continental Shelf Department.

1. Eligibility

The data room is open to qualified companies having a proven record in either assessing the petroleum potential or the potential for carbon storage within areas under Malta's jurisdiction including areas on Malta's continental shelf.

2. Application

Companies interested in visiting the physical data room are invited to write to the Director General of the Continental Shelf Department at dgcs.csmalta@gov.mt indicating their preferred dates for the data room visit. Access to the data room is subject to a Confidentiality Agreement. A two-day physical visit by two to three geoscientists is usually sufficient for an initial assessment of the data.

No virtual data room is currently available.

3. Location and Opening Hours of the Data Room

The physical data room is located at the offices of the [Continental Shelf Department](#). The data room will be open from 9:00 am to 4:30 pm (Malta time) Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays) and is open to a team of a maximum of three (3) representatives from the visiting company.

A data room coordinator will be available during the data room visit.

4. Data Room Fees

The Continental Shelf Department currently charges no admission fee for the use of the data room. Please contact the Director General of the Continental Shelf Department at dgcs.csmalta@gov.mt for more information.

5. Use of IT and Other Equipment in the Physical Data Room

Although visitors may use mobile telephones and personal computers in the physical data room, the use of copiers, cameras (including but not limited to mobile phone cameras or pen cameras), scanners, external storage devices or any other copying device is strictly prohibited.

6. IT Facilities in the Physical Data Room

Data is available on two desktop computers: one containing the well and block/regional evaluation reports and the other containing a Petrel project with all available seismic and well data for viewing.

Wi-Fi is available in the data room.

7. Conduct

Company representatives visiting the data room are permitted to make annotations during the visit and to take representative screen shots of legacy data that will assist the company in its assessment of the prospectivity of the area of interest. Screen shots as agreed with the Continental Shelf Department will be transferred to the company after the data room visit. The screen grabs shall be for the company's strict internal use.

It has to be clarified that the above applies only to legacy data which is owned exclusively by the Continental Shelf Department.

8. Representation and warranty

The Continental Shelf Department represents and warrants that it has the right and authority to make the data available in the data room. However, the Continental Shelf Department makes no representations or warranties as to the quality, accuracy and completeness of the data made available and shall have no liability whatsoever with respect to the use or reliance upon the data by the company viewing the data.

9. CCTV Monitoring

The physical data room as well as the conference room, corridors and reception area of the Continental Shelf Department are monitored on a 24/7 basis by CCTV cameras.