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Information Requests  
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## Freedom of Information request: Right to know request

Thank you for your request for information about 2026 amateur radio licences

We received this request on 30 March 2026 and we have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

### Your request

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*I saw a published Ofcom-survey from 2017 with regard to how many radio amateur licences that are issued in Foundation, Intermediate, and Full. Is there an updated available survey published with the number of licences as per 2026?*

### Our response

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Please see the callsigns list (published on 20 February 2026 and updated regularly) on the [Open data](#) page of our website, under the Spectrum Open Data section. This is available as a CSV file and can be downloaded.

You will need to filter the document to see the status of the licences, and set the last modified date to 2026. You can do this by downloading the document, selecting “enable editing” then under the “Data” tab, select “Filter”. This will allow a drop down menu to become available at the top of the data sheet, where you can set your desired filters.

More information on [callsign allocations](#) is available on our website.

Yours sincerely,

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### Request an internal review

If you are unhappy with the response you have received to your request for information, or think that your request was refused without a reason valid under the law, you may ask for an internal review. If you do, it will be subject to an independent review within Ofcom. We will either uphold the original decision, or reverse or modify it.

If you would like to ask us to carry out an internal review, you should get in touch within two months of the date of this letter. There is no statutory deadline for us to complete our internal review, and the time it takes will depend on the complexity of the request. But we will try to complete the review within 20 working days (or no more than 40 working days in exceptional cases) and keep you informed of our progress. Please email the Information Requests team ([information.requests@ofcom.org.uk](mailto:information.requests@ofcom.org.uk)) to request an internal review.

### Taking it further

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our internal review, then you have the right to [complain to the Information Commissioner's Office](#).