The following is a selective list of map shops and map suppliers in Cambridge and further afield in Britain. For more information on map suppliers operating overseas from whom maps can be purchased by post, see Information Sheets 1B and 1C. For more information on Ordnance Survey (OS) maps see Information Sheets 1D and 1F.

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Small Scale Maps

In addition to the shops listed below, some of which also sell online, newsagents, garages and other outdoor leisure shops may stock a selection of maps.

**Heffers / Blackwells**
20 Trinity Street
Cambridge  CB2 1TB
Tel: (01223) 463200
heffers@heffers.co.uk
https://heffersbookshop.business.site/
Part of the Blackwell’s group
https://blackwells.co.uk/
Stock includes small-scale maps of Britain and Ireland and some overseas areas. Also has a selection of wall maps and some globes.

**Waterstones**
22 Sidney Street
Cambridge  CB2 3HG
Tel: (01223) 351688
cambridge@waterstones.com
www.waterstones.co.uk
Stocks sheet maps for Britain and Ireland at small scales. Also some maps and atlases for popular holiday destinations. Globes and wall maps available.

**W.H. Smith**
14-15 Market Place
Cambridge CB2 3PA
Tel: (01223) 311313
www.whsmith.co.uk
A selection of small scale maps of Great Britain and Ireland. Some foreign sheets available, but mostly for Europe. Also stocks wall maps and globes.

Large Scale Ordnance Survey Maps

Current large scale Ordnance Survey maps at scales of 1:1,250, 1:2,500 and 1:10,000 are no longer published. Instead, sheets are printed-on-demand from digital data at retail outlets. For print-on-demand services (including planning application maps) see https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/general-public or take a look at the list of stockists at the ned of the page at https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/about/history/historical-map-archives

Blackwell’s Mapping Services https://blackwells.co.uk/bookshop/mapping can provide Superplan (1:1,250 / 1:2,500) and Landplan (1:10,000) plots as well as plans for planning applications and digital data. Instant downloads are available at https://shop.blackwellmapping.co.uk Maps are not printed in Cambridge branch of Heffers/Blackwell’s but someone there may be able to help.

Also see the OS OpenData web site – www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/business-government/tools-support/open-data-support – from which it is possible to access a selection of OS mapping datasets for Great Britain.

See also Information Sheet 1D - Where to buy Ordnance Survey Maps.

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Apart from various online sources, bookshops and outdoor leisure shops in other parts of the country will, as in Cambridge, stock varying ranges of OS and other maps.

Listed below are some of the larger map and globe suppliers in England and Wales.

- **International Map Industry Association (IMIA)** [http://www.imiamaps.org/]: also provides addresses and direct links to map stores and publishers that are members of the Association.

  - **Admiralty Charts**
    - Taunton, Somerset
    - TA12DN
    - [https://www.admiralty.co.uk/](https://www.admiralty.co.uk/)
    - Use the link to the left to find an Admiralty Chart Agent. The nearest to Cambridge is: **Imray Laurie Norie & Wilson**, Wych House, The Broadway, St Ives, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire, PE27 3WR, (01480) 462 114 ; sales@imray.com ; [www.imray.com/](http://www.imray.com/)

  - **Airbus Defence and Space**
    - [www.intelligence-airbusds.com/](http://www.intelligence-airbusds.com/)
    - A major UK provider of satellite imagery. Previously known as The National Remote Sensing Centre, then Infoterra, and also as Astrium Services.

  - **Bellerby & Co Limited**
    - London
    - [https://bellerbyandco.com/](https://bellerbyandco.com/)
    - Artisan Globe makers.

  - **British Geological Survey**
    - Keyworth, Nottingham
    - [https://www.bgs.ac.uk/](https://www.bgs.ac.uk/)
    - Geological mapping. Published mapping and print-on-demand. Mapping also available of their website, e.g. at [https://shop.bgs.ac.uk/](https://shop.bgs.ac.uk/)

  - **Cordee**
    - [https://www.cordee.co.uk/](https://www.cordee.co.uk/)
    - Online only. Strong stock in support of outdoor pursuits.

  - **Greaves & Thomas**
    - Ryde, Isle of Wight
    - PO33 2ER
    - [www.greavesandthomas.co.uk](http://www.greavesandthomas.co.uk/)
    - Commercial globe makers. Specialise in historical facsimile and modern day globes. Also does restoration.

  - **Lander & May**
    - Porchfield, Isle of Wight
    - PO30 4QB
    - [www.landerandmay.com](http://www.landerandmay.com)
    - Artisan globe making company. Each piece is made by hand, from a range of contemporary and historical map designs.

  - **The Map Shop**
    - 15 High Street
    - Upton upon Severn, Worcestershire
    - WR8 0HJ
    - Tel: (01684) 593146
      - themapshop@btinternet.com
      - [www.themapshop.co.uk](http://www.themapshop.co.uk)
    - Well stocked shop. British and foreign mapping for all destinations. Able to advise on what mapping is available, to order maps not in stock and support standing orders. Also stocks globes.

  - **Maps International**
    - Oxfordshire
    - Tel: (01993) 880 939
      - [www.mapsinternational.co.uk/](http://www.mapsinternational.co.uk/)
    - Especially strong on wall maps, maps for children and gifts. Their parent company is cartographic company Lovell Johns.

  - **Maps Worldwide**
    - Devizes
    - Wiltshire
    - Tel: (01380) 727 228
      - customers@mapsworldwide.co.uk
      - [www.mapsworldwide.com/](http://www.mapsworldwide.com/)
    - On-line shop selling topographic maps, road maps, wall maps, postcode maps, atlases, globes, guide books, travel guides, nautical charts, satellite images, GPS equipment & Mapping. Perhaps the largest map shop in Britain. Wide range of large and small scale maps for all parts of the world but especially strong on popular hiking/touring/expedition destinations.

  - **Stanford’s**
    - 7 Mercer Walk, Covent Garden, London WC2H 9FA
    - Tel: 0207 836 1321
      - sales@stanfords.co.uk
      - [https://www.stanfords.co.uk/](http://www.stanfords.co.uk/)
    - Perhaps the largest map shop in Britain. Wide range of large and small scale maps for all parts of the world but especially strong on popular hiking/touring/expedition destinations.

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