Generic Ethernet Access (GEA)

CityFibre's Generic Ethernet Access represents a highly cost-effective form of connectivity for businesses looking for a lower price Ethernet alternative to a traditional leased line or EFM, providing a synchronous and uncontended service when predictability and reliability is important.

What you need to know:

Like FTTC (Fibre to the Cabinet), CityFibre's GEA solution is delivered via a single copper pair to the cabinet, then over fibre to the exchange. However, unlike FTTC, traffic then passes onto an Ethernet network rather than a contended broadband one.

This product is available at a large number of fibre enabled exchanges and offers businesses symmetrical Ethernet speeds from 2Mbps to 20Mbps.

Installation can be completed within just 18 working days.

Our GEA solution is backed by a comprehensive Service Level Agreement and optional broadband backup. We additionally provide 24/7 UK based technical support with 24/7 network monitoring by our Network Operations Centre; and guarantee a return to service within 9 business hours in the event of a circuit failure.

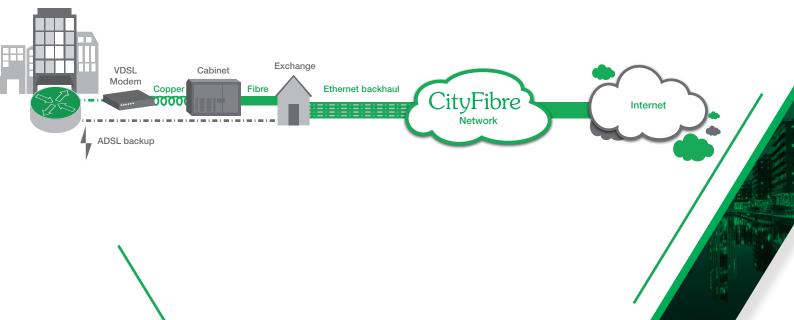
Key Features

• Dedicated connection across the Ethernet network.

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- 2, 5,10,15 and 20Mbps symmetric speed options.
- Installation in as little as 18 working days.
- Growing UK availability.
- Lower installation costs.
- Comprehensive 100% SLA.
- Backup options available
- 9 business hour return to service guarantee.
- 24/7 NOC monitoring and maintenance.

Businesses are increasingly reliant on their connectivity solutions in order to connect multiple branches and remote workers, run critical applications such as VoIP or cloud hosted services and maintain essential online assets such as e-commerce portals and websites.





Why GEA?

GEA solutions are particularly suitable for organisations seeking greater reliability from their connectivity at an easily affordable price.

GEA uses a copper line to the cabinet and then fibre to the exchange. From the exchange the service behaves like a traditional leased line rather than using any broadband infrastructure. Coupling this with a comprehensive Service Level Agreement and a range of backup options shows why many organisations see GEA as a step up from rate adaptive fibre broadband.

GEA is often chosen by organisations that want to reduce monthly rental and install costs by utilising their existing copper infrastructure, while reducing lead times to just 18 working days.

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