



Prestel Travel

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User Costs

Prestel standing charge (VAT Free):

Business use	—	£18.00 per quarter	=	£72.00 per annum
Home use	—	£ 6.50 per quarter	=	£26.00 per annum

Time based charge for using Prestel (VAT Free):

8am - 6pm Monday - Friday	=	6p per minute
8am - 1pm Saturday	=	6p per minute
Sunday and all other times	=	free of charge

Telephone charges (+VAT):

98% of the country at local rate — local rate quoted		
9am - 1pm Monday - Friday	=	5p for 90 seconds
8am - 9am and 1pm to 6pm Monday - Friday	=	5p for 120 seconds
All other times	=	5p for 480 seconds

Information Provider Costs

Information Provider (+VAT):

to become a full Information Provider	=	£6,000.00 per annum
the cost of 100 frames as an I.P.	=	£ 500.00 per annum
additional frames are £5.00 each		

Sub-Information Provider (+VAT):

to become a sub-I.P. with editing facilities	=	£ 320.00 per annum
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Editing Charges:

there is no editing charge for I.P.s		
for sub-Information Providers (VAT Free):		
Monday - Friday 8am - 6pm	=	8p per minute
All other times	=	8p for 4 minutes

Closed User Group Facility: bulk discount terms available	=	£ 320.00 per annum
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Private Database on Prestel

Packages are tailored to the requirements of the user at extremely competitive rates.

To talk about your requirements please phone us on — 01-822 1144.

Telex Link

There is no subscription charge for Telex-Link.

Incoming telexes are FREE.

Transmission charges (+VAT):

UK	=	£0.50	Europe	=	£1.00
USA	=	£2.00	Worldwide	=	£3.00
To ships using the Inmarsat service				=	£5.00

Prestel Travel Trainer

The Prestel Travel Trainer consists of a self-learning manual containing 15 sections and a training database on Prestel.

The cost of the complete package is £32.00 (VAT Free) plus £2.25 postage.

On completion of the course an exam paper can be applied for and the Prestel Travel Proficiency Certificate awarded to successful candidates.

Exam and certificate = £5.00 including postage and packing.

Prestel Gateway

Costs of Connecting to a Gateway (+VAT)

Option (1) Private Line/PSE

9.6 Kilo-stream line (up to 20 channels)	=	£2,100.00 per annum
Connection charge to external computer	=	£ 400.00 per annum
Connection charge to Prestel	=	£2,500.00 per annum
48 Kilo-stream line (up to 100 channels)	=	£3,675.00 per annum
Connection charge to external computer	=	£ 400.00 per annum
Connection charge to Prestel	=	£7,000.00 per annum

There is no channel charge.

Plus distance charge from Prestel to the external computer
@ £5.50 per kilometre

Option (2) PSS lines

2.4 dataline (up to 10 channels)	=	£1,750.00 per annum
Connection charge to external computer	=	£ 450.00
9.6 dataline (up to 20 channels)	=	£3,300.00 per annum
Connection charge to external computer	=	£ 800.00
48 Kilo-streamline (up to 100 channels)	=	£8,000.00 per annum
Connection charge to external computer	=	£1,300.00

For each of these lines there is one channel given free, every channel after that is charged at £20.00 per annum.

One channel equals a simultaneous phone call.

Plus time charged at £0.25 per hour
volume charge at £0.25 per 64,000 characters } when the lines are
being used

Costs of the Prestel Gateway Service

Normal Gateway where the user is paying the Prestel time based charge of 6p per minute plus the telephone charge.

Gateway charge £6,000.00 per annum

Channel charge per channel £ 260.00 per annum

For Courtesy-connect Gateway the company owning the external computer pays the Prestel time based charge of 6p per minute and the user pays the telephone charge.

An Example of Gateway Costs (+VAT)

Making the following assumptions:

- the customer has a Digital VAX or PD11 computer
- the computer is located 100km from London
- the customer needs to accept a minimum of 10 simultaneous phone calls at peak times.

Setting Up costs

X25 Software	£ 4K
Gateway Software	£12K
Application	depends on application/complexity

Communication costs

Option (1) PSE	
9.6 Kilo-stream	£2,100.00 per annum
Connection charge	£ 400.00
Connection to Prestel	£2,500.00 per annum
Distance of 100km x £5.50	£ 550.00 per annum
	£5,550.00 per annum No other charges

or Option (2) PSS Lines	
9.6 dataline	£3,300.00 per annum
Connection charge	£ 800.00
Channel charge	
@, £20.00 x 9	£ 180.00 per annum (1 free)
	£4,280.00 plus time and vol for usage

Prestel costs (normal Gateway)

Prestel charge	£6,000.00 per annum
Channel charge @ £260.00 x 10	£2,600.00 per annum
	£8,600.00 per annum

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE PHONE 01-822 1144

Where indicated, VAT is applicable as an addition to the tariff quoted, at the rate applicable. At the time of publication this was 15%.

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