



Summary

The Ministry of Defence's Imagery section uses a secure hybrid cloud environment designed and hosted by iomart to provide the UK and world's media with access to thousands of images and videos of British Armed Forces activity.

The hosting environment is fully compliant with UK data protection regulations and hosted in secure, ISO accredited facilities.

Benefits

- Bespoke hybrid cloud environment
- Hosts infrastructure and private network
- Flexibility to use latest high-end technology
- High Availability and High Redundancy
- Meets UK data protection regulations
- UKAS accredited
- 24/7 VIP technical support

The Challenge



The Ministry of Defence employs professional service and civilian photographers and videographers to record the varied work of the British Armed Forces. The images captured are transmitted to the MOD's imagery section in London, where they are managed, processed and distributed to international, national and regional media organisations and the general public.

To ensure this process is fast and secure, the department needs a hosting environment that is highly available, that can accommodate the latest software and technology, has redundancy built in, and adheres to the UK's data protection legislation.

The Solution

iomart provides a bespoke, fully managed, hybrid cloud environment for the MOD's defence imagery section that incorporates dedicated network firewalls and routers.

The environment was designed and built to give the defence imagery team full control and the flexibility to make changes when necessary.

The environment fully complies with UK data protection legislation and the imagery is hosted within the UK, in secure data centres.

iomart provides 24/7 VIP support so if an issue crops up, it can be resolved as soon as possible.

The Result

The MOD's imagery section has a hosting environment that allows it to provide important images to the world's media as securely and as quickly as possible.

The platform and network have been designed to be as flexible, efficient and robust as possible and the whole environment is backed up to a separate iomart UK data centre for disaster recovery purposes.

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