

Instructions for Delivering Data From Telonics Transmitters To Movebank

TelonicWeb can optionally deliver GPS data from Globalstar and Iridium transmitters to Movebank in real time. This service is free and you maintain full ownership and control of your data. This document provides an overview of how that works and the steps to follow to get everything configured.

If you do not already have a Movebank account, register (https://www.movebank.org/cms/webapp?gwt_fragment=page=search_map&action=register) for a free account at movebank.org.

When your transmitters ship from Telonics, your Telonics Coordinator will email you a TelonicWeb username and password. The TelonicWeb username determines which transmitters you can access. You will use these credentials to view your data in Telonics Data Converter. Telonics can optionally deliver a copy of all new data for a TelonicWeb username to Movebank in real time.

To configure a new TelonicWeb account for Movebank, send your Telonics Coordinator your Movebank username when they send you the TelonicWeb username and password.

Note: Movebank usernames are case sensitive.

Log into Movebank. Go to Tracking Data Map > Studies. Find your existing study or create a new one. Select Manage Live Feeds > Telonics.

Press the Select button and select one or more of the available tags to include in your study. Tags are identified by their Telonics CTN (without the suffix letter). Press Save after choosing the tag(s).

After you have created a subscription, you can register to receive daily or weekly email notifications (<https://www.movebank.org/cms/movebank-content/live-feed-notifications>), including Google Earth files of recent locations. Movebank will automatically add new data to your study when they are received from Telonics. You can view the current status of data imports and make changes to the feed by selecting Manage Live Feeds > Telonics.

Once a TelonicWeb username is configured to deliver data to Movebank, any new units added to this TelonicWeb user in the future will also have new data sent to Movebank automatically. You will not need to provide your Movebank username for future orders for this TelonicWeb username. But, you will need to select those new units on the Manage Live Feeds page within the Movebank site to include data from those new units in a particular study.

Be aware that TelonicWeb delivers only new data to Movebank as it arrives from the satellites in real time. Any data sent prior to your TelonicWeb account being configured for Movebank will not be delivered to Movebank.

Each TelonicWeb user can send data to at most one Movebank user. However, you do have the option within the Movebank site to list other Movebank users who can share access to your study.