Our unrivalled range of technical expertise is underpinned by a nationwide network of accredited laboratories, field based operations and advice.

**RANGE OF SERVICES**
Delivering seven million tests a year to more than 5,000 clients, SOCOTEC offers the widest range of testing, inspection and compliance services in the UK. We pride ourselves on our client-focussed approach and continual drive to exceed expectations through our leading technical expertise, operational excellence and technological innovation.

Our extensive service offering allows us to support you with complete solutions, providing peace of mind and delivering efficiencies. Dating back more than 100 years, SOCOTEC is incredibly proud of its heritage and today the business has more than 1,700 highly experienced employees in the UK, all with the aim of being ‘your leading partner for expertise and service’.

**THE SOCOTEC GROUP**
The SOCOTEC Group has built its reputation as an independent third party, assisting companies in the areas of quality, health and safety and the environment.

SOCOTEC is France’s number one construction inspection service provider. Through its inspection and measurement, assistance and consultancy, and training and certification services, SOCOTEC helps to optimise the performance of companies in every sector by managing the risks inherent in their activities. Drawing on its expertise and positioning itself as a long-term partner, SOCOTEC supports its clients throughout their project’s lifecycle.

With consolidated revenue of €700 million, operations in 25 countries, 200,000 clients, 7,800 employees, over 250 forms of external recognition (accreditations, qualifications, approvals and certifications) and a network of 150 operations in France including 32 training centres, the SOCOTEC Group is a major player in risk management.
QUALITY ASSURED

Our comprehensive range of accreditations and certifications ensure that quality is built into all of our operations and processes. Our clients have peace of mind that our services are quality assured and our stringent internal quality control system is backed up by industry leading accreditations and approved supplier recognition. In all we have more than 20 testing facilities operating UKAS accredited methods including the following schedules:

0001. Construction Materials, Oils, Coatings, Metallurgy and Energy Testing
1015. Air and Emissions, Occupational Hygiene, Microbiology, Environmental Monitoring
1157. Testing of Soil and Rock for Civil Engineering Purposes
1252. Environmental Chemistry, Nuclear, Specialist Chemistry, Forensics
0148. Asbestos Surveying
1089. Asbestos Testing
6123. Legionella Risk Assessments

SOCOTEC IN THE UK

SOCOTEC offers over 200 testing, inspection and compliance services
SOCOTEC carries out 7 million tests and inspections each year
SOCOTEC employs over 1,700 people
SOCOTEC services over 5,000 clients
Operating throughout the UK, SOCOTEC is well positioned to provide solutions across the whole asset life cycle, ensuring regulatory compliance - helping to inform business critical commercial decisions.
CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS TESTING

- Concrete Testing
- Soil Testing
- Aggregate Testing
- Bituminous Testing
- Construction Materials Guidance, including Reuse
- Hazardous Materials Advice
- Foundation Testing
- Road Pavement Investigations
- Vibration Monitoring
- Structural Surveys
- Paints & Coatings
- Metallurgy Testing
SITE INVESTIGATION

- Site Surveys
- Drilling and Sampling
- In Situ (Field) Testing and Monitoring
- Cone Penetration Testing (CPT)
- Pressuremeter Testing
- Geotechnical Services
- Topographic Surveys
- Geophysical Surveys
- Underground Utility Surveys
- Services for Marine, Ports and Harbours
- Contaminated Land Investigation & Consultancy
- Earthworks and Remediation Support
- Materials Testing Soil Classification
- Earthworks Testing
- Shear Strength
- Consolidation & Permeability
- Rock Testing
- Electrochemical Testing
- Contaminated / Hazardous Soil Testing (RED samples)
LABS & ANALYTICAL SERVICES

- Environmental Chemistry
- Specialist Chemistry
- Radiochemistry
- Forensic Services
- Paints & Coatings
- Oil, Lubricant and Fluid Condition Testing

ENERGY SUPPLY, GENERATION AND REGULATION

- Sampling and Analysis of a Range of Fuels
- Cargo Superintendency and Draft Survey
- On-site Laboratories
- Advice and Consultancy
- Solid Biofuels
- Solid Recovered Fuels / Refuse Derived Fuels
- Incinerator Bottom Ash (IBA)
- Nuclear
- Stack Emissions
- Compliance

GEOTECHNICAL AND STRUCTURAL MONITORING

- Construction Monitoring
- Asset Monitoring
- Data Visualisation
- Monitoring & Instrumentation
- Surveying
- Active Support
ASBESTOS

- Asbestos Surveys
- Asbestos Sampling and Material Identification
- Asbestos in Soil Analysis and Full Quantification
- Asbestos Air Monitoring and 4-stage Clearance
- Project Management of Asbestos Removal Works
- Enforcement Liaison

HEALTH & SAFETY

- Health & Safety Support
- Health & Safety Audits and Inspections
- Health & Safety Consultancy
- Assurance
- Roof Safety Management
- Project Management
- CDM
- Fire Safety
- Risk Management Assurance Audits
- Control of Contractors
- Incident Management
- OHSAS 18001 Gap Analysis

OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE

- Workplace Exposure Monitoring
- Occupational Noise Assessments
- Hand-Arm and Whole Body Vibration Assessment
- Local Exhaust Ventilation (LEV) Assessment
- Gas & Dust Monitoring Instrument Hire, Sale and Service
- Electromagnetic Field (EMF) Exposure Assessment
- Sick Building Syndrome Investigation and Workplace Comfort Assessment
- Exposure to Physical Agents including Ionising Radiation
- COSHH Assessments, Audits and Training
WATER SERVICES

- Water Hygiene
- Legionella Risk Assessment
- Equipment Supply & Maintenance
- Water Treatment Programmes
- Water Sampling and Analysis
- Comprehensive Training

- Chemical Supply and Management
- Water Treatment Equipment Supply and Maintenance
- Remedial Work
- Consultancy

ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND CONSULTANCY

- Industrial Effluent Monitoring, Analysis and Consultancy
- Contaminated Land Investigation and Consultancy
- Asbestos Management
- Waste Management
- Landfill Monitoring
- Earthworks and Remediation Support
- Hazardous Materials Surveys
- Environmental Noise Assessment and Control
- Air Quality Monitoring and Assessment
- Radioactivity Monitoring
- Stack Emissions Monitoring
- Nuisance Dust
Real-Time Data Capture and Information Access

MiPortal
As part of our commitment to providing clients with the most efficient service, our digital management system, MiPortal, provides a comprehensive and independent solution for corporate compliance. The system delivers real-time information from reports to results and tasks to actions. Using MiPortal facilitates organisations to fulfil their legal obligations and achieve best practice, helping to manage risk, maintain business continuity and drive continuous improvement. MiPortal takes information from a wide range of sources, including SOCOTEC’s portfolio of mobile applications, and combines it into one central management system, all presented through the intuitive MiPortal dashboard.

Mobile Applications
Our range of apps ensure that our teams out in the field can instantly upload data and images to create reports for clients. By removing double entry, this technology not only significantly increases reporting efficiency, it also ensures data accuracy. Reports are often available immediately after they are completed on site.
Safety

Our health and safety culture encourages each employee to take ownership of their safety, as well as their colleagues' safety.

The UK’s ‘Everyone’s Safety Goal’ initiative keeps safety front of mind for every member of our organisation every day.

Everyone’s in this together:
› We share the vision of “everyone home safe, everyday”
› We can all judge when it is not safe to do something
› We all take personal responsibility

Safety is not negotiable:
› We will never intentionally ask an employee to do something that could cause harm
› If anyone feels that we have, we ask them to challenge us

We achieve our goal when:
› No-one is injured working for us
› No-one is injured working with us
› No member of the public is harmed by our operation

Everyone's Safety Goal