

# Moving Locus to a new device

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## Question

I have purchased a new mobile or tablet. How am I supposed to move Locus into the new device and continue using all the data and settings?

## Answer

First of all it is necessary to **back up all Locus Map data and settings**:

- Data - maps, points, tracks
- Settings – your personally defined colors, function settings etc.

Then transfer your backup to the new device, install latest version of Locus Map, restore the backup and re-define paths to your other data (external maps and other items).

## Instructions

- make full backup of your settings, points and tracks with the help of **Backup** feature > select **Backup all**
- copy your entire Locus directory to the new device (via Dropbox for example). Its location is stated in Menu > About application > Information > Locus
- copy your **external maps** to the new device
- install the latest version of Locus Map to the new device
- start Locus Map on your new device
- use **Backup** feature to restore settings, points and tracks
- define paths to your external maps by **Map manager > Add external maps**

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