**Echelon Ground Stations**

Some of the known or suspected ground stations belonging to or participating in the ECHELON network include the following:

**The largest ground stations**

* Fort Meade (Maryland, US) (headquarters of NSA)
* Geraldton (Western Australia, Australia)
* Menwith Hill (Yorkshire, UK)
* Misawa Air Base (Japan)
* Morwenstow (Cornwall, UK)
* Pine Gap (Northern Territory, Australia - close to Alice Springs)
* Sabana Seca (Puerto Rico - US)
* Shoal Bay (Northern Territory, Australia)
* Sugar Grove (West Virginia, US)
* Yakima (Washington, US) Map
* Waihopai (New Zealand)
* Tangimoana (New Zealand)
* Naval Communication Station Harold E. Holt (Western Australia, Australia - close to Exmouth)

**Various other ground stations**

The following are various intelligence gathering stations of US intelligence agencies and armed forces or their allies.

* Alert (Ellesmere Island, Nunavut, Canada)
* Agios Nikolaos (Cyprus - UK)
* Bremerhaven (Germany - UK)
* Buckley Air Force Base (Colorado, US)
* RAF Chicksands (Bedfordshire, UK)
* Diego Garcia (Indian Ocean - US-UK)
* RAF Digby (Lincolnshire, UK)
* Elmendorf Air Force Base (Alaska - US)
* Feltwell (Norfolk, UK)
* Fort Gordon (Georgia, US)
* Gander (Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada)
* Gibraltar (UK)
* Griesheim (near Darmstadt, Germany - US)
* Guam (Pacific Ocean, US)
* Karamursel (Turkey - US)
* Kunia (Hawaii, US)
* Leitrim (south of Ottawa, Canada)
* Malta (Malta - UK)
* Masset (British Columbia, Canada)
* Medina Annex (Texas, US)
* Osan Air Base (South Korea, US)
* Rota, Spain (Spain - US)
* Aflandshage, Amager Denmark (Dennmark

**Former ground stations**

* Augsburg (Germany - US) - closed in 1993
* Bad Aibling (Germany - US) - moved to Griesheim in 2004
* Clark Air Base (Philippines - US) - closed in 1997
* Edzell (Scotland, UK) - closed in 1997
* Kabkan (Iran - US) - closed in 1979
* Little Sai Wan (Hong Kong - UK) - closed in 1984
* Woomera, South (Australia) - closed in 1999
* San Vito dei Normanni (Italy - US) - closed in 1994
* Teufelsberg (West Berlin, Germany - US) - closed in 1989
* Silvermine (near Cape Town, South Africa - US)