

LandStar8 FAQ Series: Sharing LandStar 8 Projects

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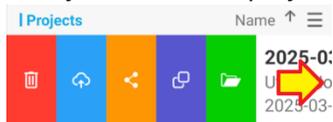
If you have email configured on your data collector, it is easy to share a project with others, and it is easy to receive and load the shared project.

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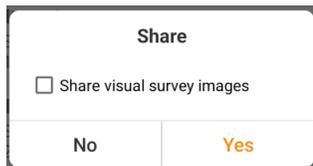
Sharing Projects



From the Project list, slide a project entry to the right:



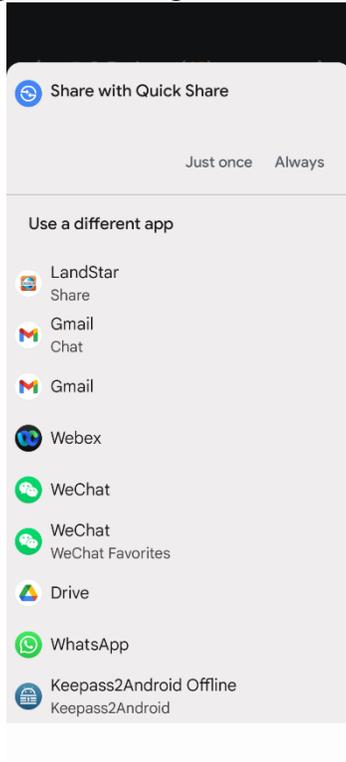
Click the  **Share project** button. If the project has Visual survey images, image inclusion will be prompted:



Check **Share visual survey images** to include image sets. Enabling image inclusion will generate very large projects.

If you include images the resulting file will be too large to email, so leave the box unchecked if seeking support.

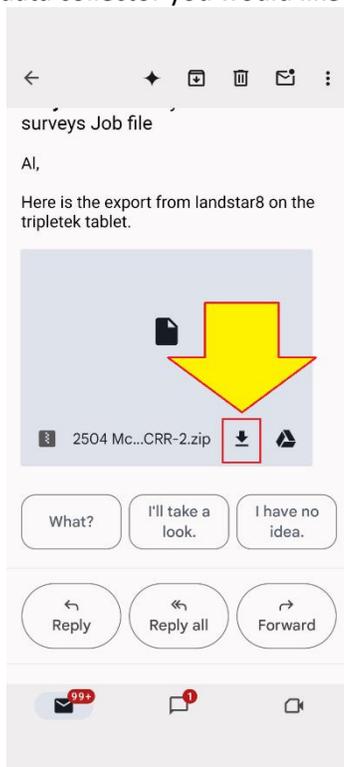
The entire current project will be compressed into a single ZIP file. Share the file, typically by email, or Google Drive if images are included, to another device or user:



Click on **Gmail** (not **Gmail chat**), then email to the support agent.

Loading a shared project

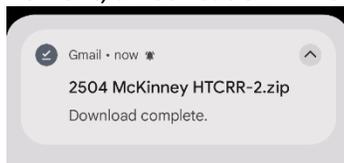
On the data collector you would like to load the job onto, open the email with the shared file:



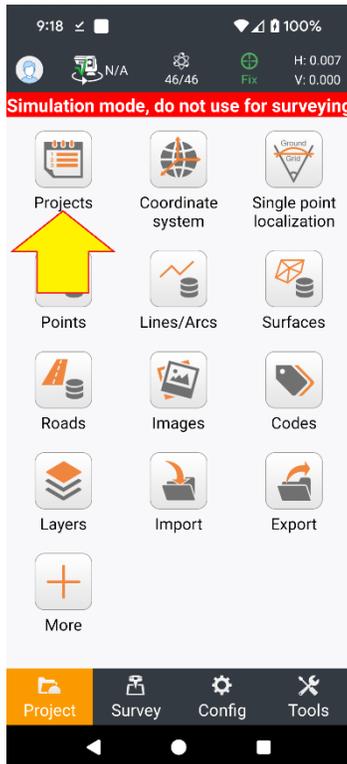
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Click on the down arrow to download the file from the cloud to the download folder on the device.

After a moment, a notification will be shown in the notification area:

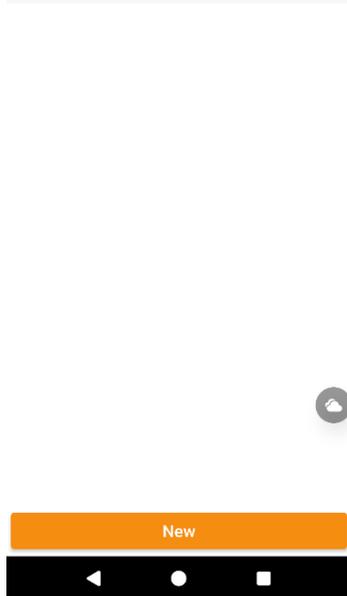
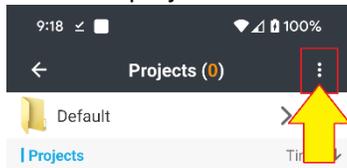


Open LandStar 8:



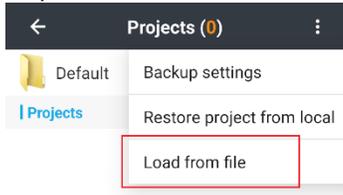
Click on **Projects** from the **Project** tab.

The current list of projects will be shown:



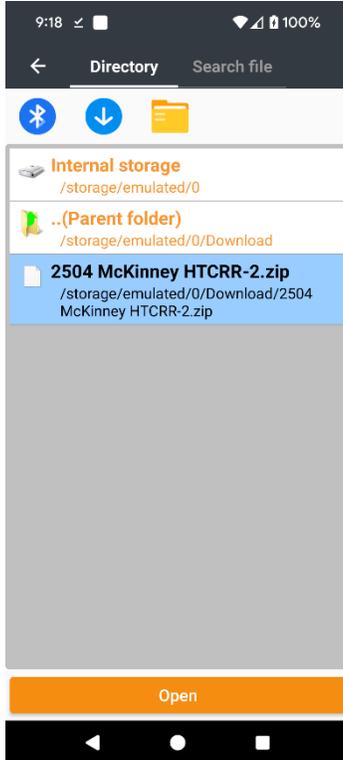
Click on the 3-dot button.

On the dropdown menu:"



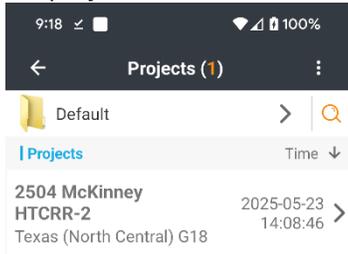
click on **Load from file**.

Navigate to the **Download** folder:



Select the shared project file, then click **Open**.

The shared project will now be listed:

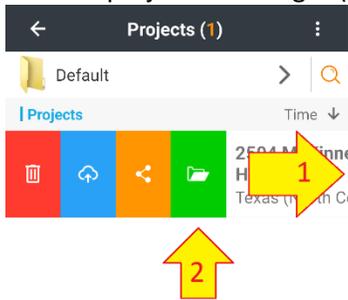


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however it will not be automatically opened.

Drag the shared project to the right (1):



Then click on the green Open button. The shared project, along with any settings will be opened and available for use.