

Re: Downloading Data from GPS

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What I want to do?

I need a GPS unit through which I can download the data real-time i.e. longitude/latitude/speed etc to a laptop.

My questions

- a) Which is the cheapest solution i.e. Magnellan 6000t is what Best Buy recommends. Is there anything cheaper than this.
- b) Do I have to purchase another software?
- c) If I am travelling in a car, the usb cable from the gps would plugin to my laptop. Is that correct?

thanks

Microsoft, DeLorme and others sell a USB GPS device with mapping software for from \$100.00 upwards. If you buy last year's software, you might get it for even less. The whole world does not change its geography in one year. It is a waste of a standalone GPS device to connect it to a computer except occasionally. If you already have a standalone device, use it. You should not buy an expensive standalone unit solely to run tethered to a computer.

Would love to see this mapping GPS for \$100. Must be out of touch.