

Arup Inspect

Product Introduction

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Arup Inspect is a digital platform designed to transform the conventional site inspection experience.

It is a mobile-first cloud platform that allows field staff to quickly and collaboratively capture site observations that embed Arup's engineering knowledge.

Arup Inspect saves time, cuts costs and improves the impact and quality of site inspection outcomes.



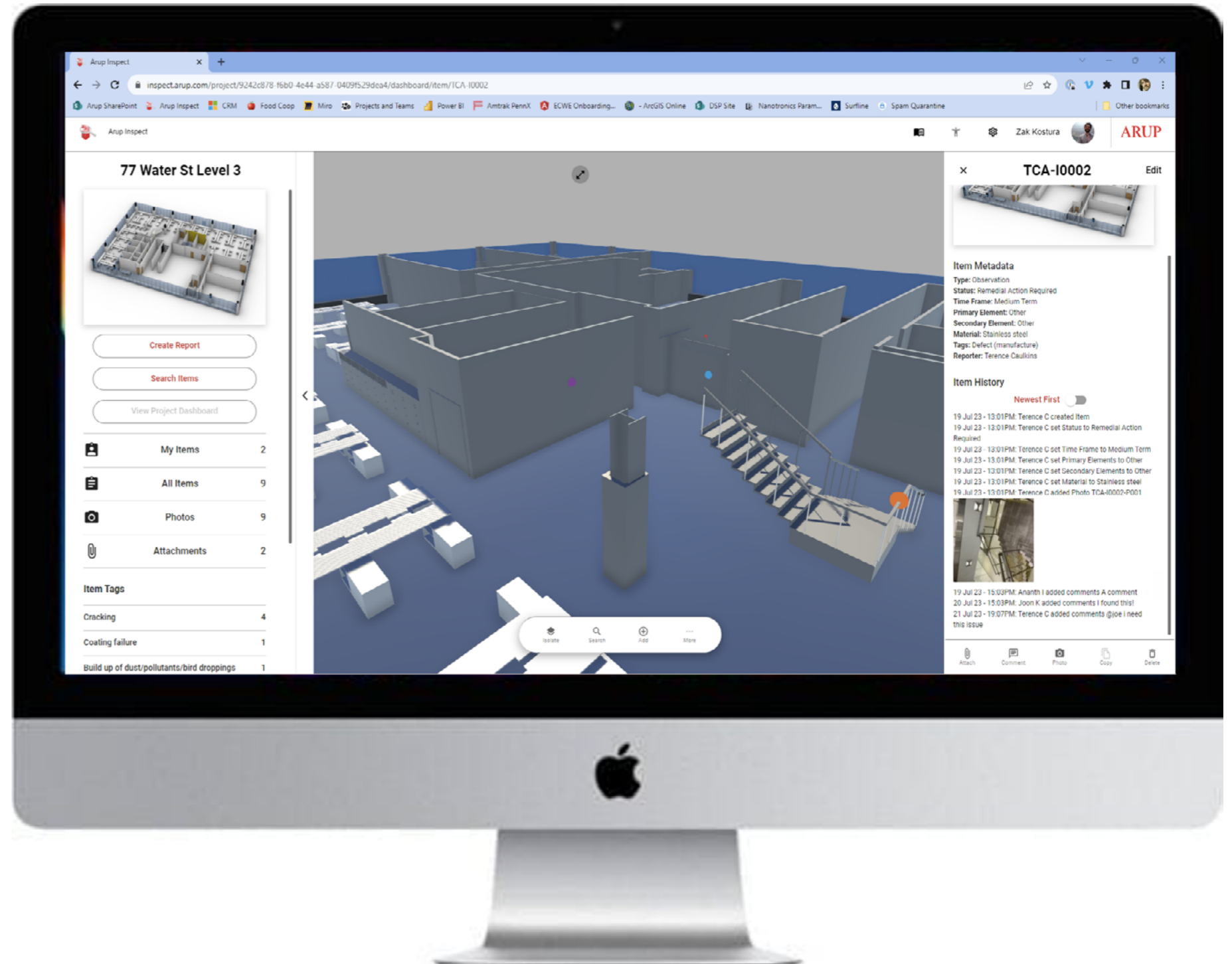
What is Arup Inspect?

Arup Inspect is a Software as a Service (SaaS) digital platform allowing field staff to quickly and collaboratively capture site observations that embed Arup's engineering knowledge.

The platform enables field data collection, empowering users to tag observations directly onto a virtual 3D or 2D model of the asset.

Key Features of Arup Inspect include:

- Structured, consistent collection of inspection information
- Automated reporting and inspection data visualisation capabilities
- Multiple users can collaboratively collect data simultaneously
- Compatible with iOS and Android mobile devices
- The simple user interface promotes safety and minimizes distraction from physical surroundings
- Industry-standard user management and authentication, conforming with general project cybersecurity requirements
- Standardized BIM model import services included with licensing cost

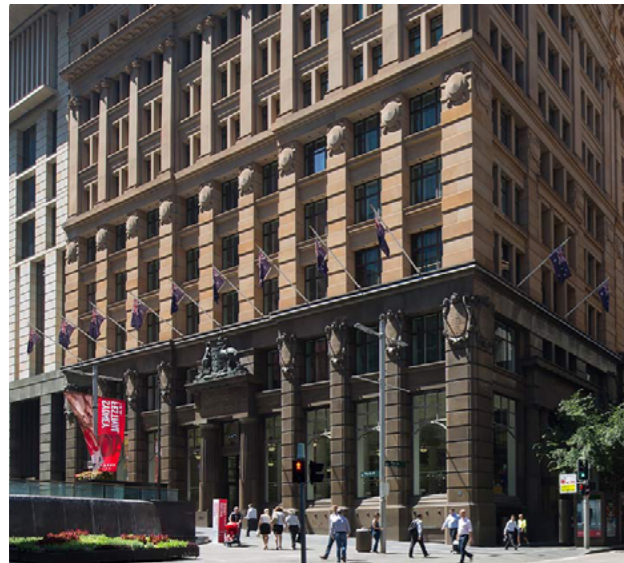


How it works

During inspections, field staff need to pinpoint issues and collect details in an organised and efficient way. This is almost always a challenge, and it is aggravated when the project involves unique or complex 3D systems. Site visits can result in a significant amount of information - notes, photos, videos and other data - which then needs to be organised. Arup Inspect helps consolidate this process.

Step 1: Model and Import

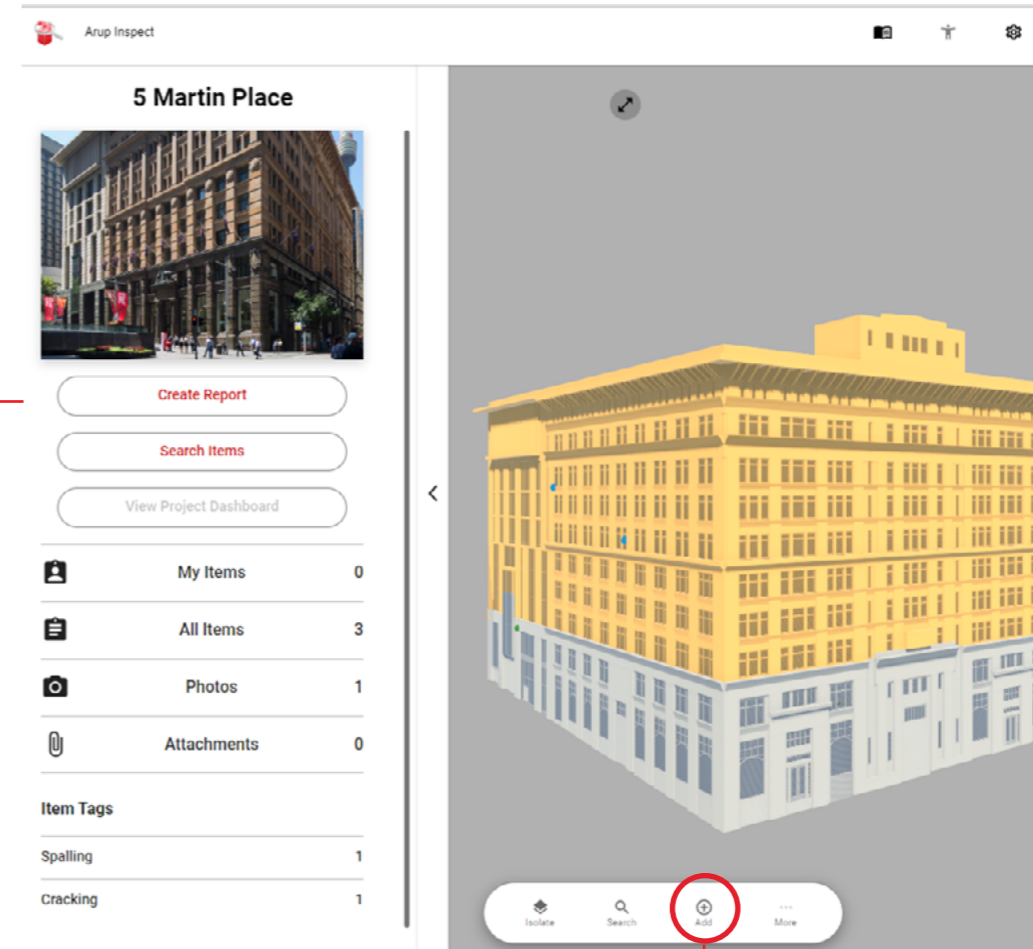
Arup Inspect can host 3D and 2D models via an always online interface that allows for the plotting of inspections points in real time, visible to all users, across all devices. We have a streamlined import process of building assets from Revit models built to Arup standards and support a variety of other formats including Rhino and Grasshopper.



Step 2: Inspect

Supporting multiple users at a time, the Arup Inspect interface allows on-site staff to easily identify and plot site inspection data on the model.

Our forms allow for categorisation across a wide range of different elements, including the ability to add comments, attach files and upload images attributed to individual observations.



Type: Observation

Status: Immediate Action Required

Time Frame: [Dropdown]

Primary Elements*: Historic Facade

Secondary Elements*: Stone panel

Material: Stone

Tags: Chips

Item History

Newest First

- 24 Aug 23 - 20:08PM: Allison T created Item
- 24 Aug 23 - 20:08PM: Allison T set Status to Clean
- 24 Aug 23 - 20:08PM: Allison T set Time Frame to Long Term
- 24 Aug 23 - 20:08PM: Allison T set Primary Elements to Historic Facade
- 24 Aug 23 - 20:08PM: Allison T set Secondary Elements to Other
- 24 Aug 23 - 20:08PM: Allison T set Material to Stone

Attach Comment Photo Copy

How it works

Step 3: Review

As the inspection data populates the model, all users see the same data simultaneously, preventing time wasted recording the same observation multiple times. Office based staff and clients can see progress of the inspection in real time, with time stamped data and the ability to review comments and photography.

One click exporting allows for asset inspection data to be easily and cleanly downloaded to a CSV file. Data is reviewed and aggregated using Tags and ID numbers, allowing for easy search and filtering of specific issues with the Arup inspect interface.

The screenshot displays the Arup Inspect web application interface. At the top left, the 'Arup Inspect' logo is visible. The main header shows the project name '5 Martin Place' and the user 'Ben Bray' with the ARUP logo. The central area features a 3D architectural model of a building with several colored dots (blue, purple, green) indicating inspection points. A red circle highlights one of these points, which is linked to a detailed view of an inspection item on the right. This detailed view includes a photo of the building, a 'Go To Item' button, and the following metadata:

- Item Metadata**
- Type: Observation
- Status: Monitor/Investigate
- Time Frame: Medium Term
- Primary Element: Exposed insitu concrete
- Secondary Element: Coping
- Material: Concrete (insitu)
- Tags: Cracking, Spalling
- Reporter: Hannah Jury

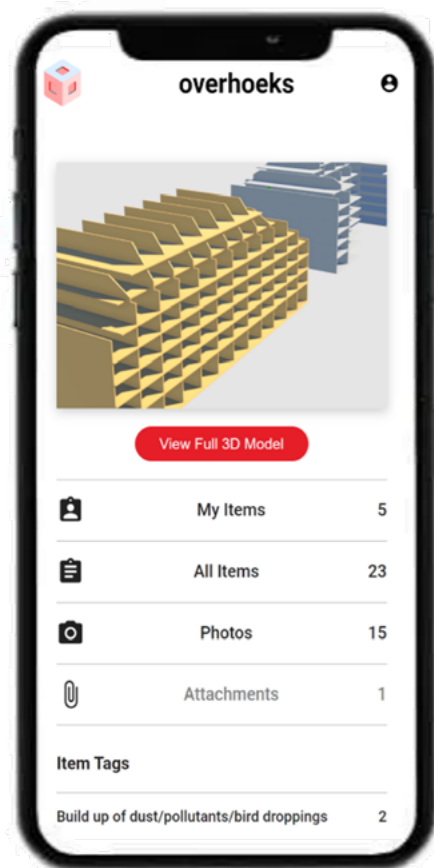
Below the metadata is the 'Item History' section, which is sorted by 'Newest First' and contains a list of actions performed on the item:

- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J created Item
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J set Status to Monitor/Investigate
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J set Time Frame to Medium Term
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J set Primary Elements to Exposed insitu concrete
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J set Secondary Elements to Coping
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J set Material to Concrete (insitu)
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J added comments Test comments
- 31 Jul 23 - 11:11AM: Hannah J added Photo HJU-I0001-P001

A small thumbnail photo of the inspection site is shown at the bottom of the history log. The left sidebar contains navigation options: 'Create Report', 'Search Items', 'View Project Dashboard', and a list of items categorized by 'My Items', 'All Items', 'Photos', and 'Attachments'. Below this is a section for 'Item Tags' with a list of tags and their counts:

Item Tags	Count
Spalling	1
Cracking	2
Coating failure	1
Condensation/misting	1

Arup inspect allows real-time data upload, management and reporting which can be seen by entire site teams, Project managers and Clients; operating across multiple platforms.



Additional Product Advantages

- **Data governance:** Arup Inspect is developed completely in-house within Arup's own infrastructure, which is aligned to the NIST cybersecurity standard. Data captured meets security agreements we already have in place with existing clients, simplifying the governance process to bring Arup Inspect to new projects.
- **Historic meta-data:** Arup Inspect is designed to host assets for years, allowing all data to be captured and reviewed over time, creating a perpetual digital record.
- **Configurable:** We understand each project is different and as such we can customise elements of your Arup inspect model with items such as custom forms and tags.
- **Evolving:** Arup Inspect is project ready and supported with regularly released new features and improvements. We have a fully funded internal development team of engineers, designers and developers to ensure an agile response to changing client needs.
- **Proven:** Arup Inspect has been deployed on projects for over 7 years. It is used by Arup all over the globe to carry out inspections across a wide range of assets: building envelopes, stadia, bridges and offshore energy systems.

Arup Inspect Global Deployment Team

Reach out to your regional Deployment Lead to discuss in greater detail how Arup Inspect can support your projects.



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We strive to strengthen these relationships to shape a better, more inclusive world.