Archive Maximising storage capacity
Archive solutions

Your objects of historical value and legal documents deserve intelligent storage solutions

Despite increasing digitisation, many types of documents and objects still need to be stored in a physical archive. Objects of historical value and legal documents often need to be held in their original form. Some organisations will choose to maintain physical archives for speed and ease of access.

Companies are increasingly relying on mobile archives to allow for efficient storage of assets. Mobile archives maximise the storage capacity of a given space, providing safe, compact storage as well as delivering cost savings.
How to maintain accessibility and maximise storage capacity

Maintaining accessibility and maximising storage capacity go hand in hand when setting up an archive. By choosing the right storage system, every cubic centimetre of an archive room can be used efficiently and all documents remain at your fingertips. Bruynzeel Storage Systems consultants will help you maximise the use of your available space. Our bespoke solutions can work around door openings, restricted height ceilings – even ventilation ducts.
Increase your storage capacity by 400% with a Double Decker system

If floor space is scarce but there is sufficient height in a storage facility, a Double Decker ‘two-tier’ system can be installed. A Double Decker system increases storage capacity in a given floor area by 400%, when compared with single storey static shelving. Ideal for offsite archival storage in a warehouse.

Doubling your storage capacity with mobile shelving

Mobile shelving makes the best use of the available space by using only a single aisle, nearly doubling the storage capacity of the archive. Mobile shelving can be moved individually or in multiples, where necessary. The system can be specified with extra-wide aisles, suitable for wheelchair users.

Use static shelving to access your archive material regularly

Static shelving is a good choice for an archive that is intensively used by a number of different people. Archive material is readily available to all users via permanent aisles, avoiding bottlenecks in the store room. Bruynzeel’s steel static archive racks are available in varying length, height and depth measurements.
Mobile archive shelving

Reduce your costs and gain 50% more space

You need every square metre for your business activities. Mobile storage systems offer a number of advantages over static archive shelving. For example, mobile shelving makes the best use of the available space by using only a single aisle, nearly doubling the storage capacity of the archive.

Mobile shelving can be moved individually or in multiples, where necessary. Space saving archives will help reduce your energy bill, impact on your carbon footprint and help you towards your sustainability goals. Optimising space with mobile shelving will also mean lower costs for lighting, cleaning and security, saving you money.
Effortless movement

Bruynzeel mobile shelving is supplied with one of two controllers as standard: traditional hand cranks or electronic panels with extra functionality, such as RFID and PIN access. It is possible to convert a hand-cranked system to an electronic control panel at a later date.
Award-winning security systems
Designed for easy access

You can now securely store even the most confidential information thanks to our intelligent electronic control system. PIN codes and RFID (Radio-Frequency Identification) allow different levels of authorisation by assigning specific shelving to designated users or departments. A mechanical system can be locked with an integrated Euro Lock located in the end cabinet. Maximum safety for users is also guaranteed: should someone enter the aisle while the mobile shelves are moving, the shelving will stop automatically when it meets resistance. Infra red beams provide an added level of safety. When interrupted by an object or person in the aisle, the unit will stop until manually restarted, thereby avoiding accidents.
The storage of historical documents requires specific conditions for safe and long-term preservation. Ventilation ducts and filters ensure an optimum climate to protect the archive against dust and mould. In addition to climate control, Bruynzeel’s mobile shelving has a range of features to preserve a historical archive collection.
Our mobile storage for archives offers optimum protection for your collection. Features include:

**Vibration-free movement**
Our ‘soft start and stop’ mechanism is ideal for preserving delicate items such as ceramics, textiles and glass.

**Overnight parking**
The system can be programmed to automatically park with spaces in between the units overnight, allowing airflow and eliminating stale air pockets - a very useful function in climate controlled environments.

**The ‘Fire Park’ function**
Your system can be linked to the building’s fire alarm. When an alarm is signalled the storage system can automatically close or open depending on whether you wish to protect it from smoke or open it to allow gas or water fire extinguishers to access the shelves.

**Damage prevention for oversized objects**
Bruynzeel's mobile storage systems can accommodate large objects by allowing adjustment of the mobile stopping distance between shelves, thereby preventing accidental damage to objects projecting into aisles.
“To combine a total repository relocation with the design of new shelving has been a very big task characterised by the tight schedule we faced. However, we are pleased with the result which is a modern storage solution, providing better working conditions for the staff, and with better storage conditions for our media.”

Katrine Madsbjerg, Archivist, Arbejderbevægelsen (Denmark)
Combine different functions

Archive bays can be easily customised with a variety of accessories for specific storage needs.

For more accessories, please visit our website.
Exceeding expectations in service

Bruynzeel offers a worldwide network of authorized distributors and service technicians. For more information regarding service for Bruynzeel storage systems in your region, please contact your local Bruynzeel distributor or the Bruynzeel Headquarters.
Choosing Bruynzeel means quality is guaranteed.

To make sure you get the best possible storage system our products comply with recognised international quality standards, awarded by independent experts in the field. The RAL certificates awarded for our products are your guarantee for performance and reliability.

Your storage solution is made in our factory in the Netherlands, according to ISO 9001 and ISO 14001.

World-class manufacturing tools and methods implemented in our facilities allow us to produce your order with great precision in thousands of different configurations. We use mainly oil-free steel to minimise our impact on the environment by eliminating the need for detergents and cleaners. Our powder coating process guarantees a 100% coating with epoxy powder, so no corrosion can occur.

We would be delighted to assist you in achieving your sustainability goals by offering you durable products and space-saving concepts.
The power of partnership

Finding efficient and sustainable storage solutions for your archive requires careful consultation and is the key to designing a tailored solution that matches your needs.

Every Bruynzeel storage solution is unique and based on your specific requirements. In close cooperation with you, we create the relevant storage solution for the proper care and management of your unique collections.

Because we have our own Research & Development department and an experienced team, we are able to adapt our products to your requirements and market trends.

Nothing is impossible. We can design a storage system for any need. Our staff are expert at providing customised storage solutions to preserve and protect a wide range of artefacts and collections.
Smart Storage makes a difference