

Safety is no accident

At Smart Storing we think it's smart to take safety seriously. We don't want people to get hurt, and we also know that unsafe practices and equipment cost the economy millions in terms of time lost and sickness pay, not to mention compensations claims and regulatory fines.

Even at the design stage we are thinking safety. Units are engineered to be solid and stable. Our pull-out units can be equipped with safety locks to ensure that only one unit at a time can be pulled out, thus avoiding the risk of tipping or overload.



Steel, welding and safety margin

Using high quality steel with known and consistent properties also contributes to safety. There are no unexpected weak spots where the metal is liable to fatigue, and we can predict accurately the overall loadings our products can handle. High quality and consistent welding also maintains reliability.

Our specified load ratings allow a wide safety margin, so you can be sure that the loads we specify are real world figures, valid for repeated daily use, not just for a one-off test. However, we also carry out overload tests using up to twice the specified load. Even when our units are so overloaded that the bearings are damaged, we make sure that the frames remain safe and don't collapse.

Ergonomic

All of our products are also designed with an eye on ergonomics. If there is a more effective way for the human body to interact with the storage equipment, we are thinking about it. We have lots of good solutions to avoid heavy lifting and awkward stretching, from the extensive use of pull-out shelves mounted on ball bearings to the fitting of **Easy-Action™ handles** and levers to move heavy loads efficiently.

We don't do all this just because we are nice people. We know that risking people's health and well-being ends up hitting a company's profits as well!

Safety in the workplace is a choice – one which will pay for itself.



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