

Case Study

Mixed Media Storage

Project: Offsite Storage Facility
Client: Ascent Media
Product: Multistor racking Mezzstor floor
Deltastor shelving & Maxstor bases
Material Stored: Film & music tape formats

Brief: To design a fully flexible offsite storage facility for a variety of film can and tape formats.

The storage location was a conventional warehouse, divided into two separate zones.

Zone 1: Low-activity film can storage of various weights and sizes:- This requirement was best served by our widest racking product. Given the potential double height of the available space, we designed a two-tier system that will provide the flexibility of a mezzanine floor and reducing the cost by utilizing the widestor frames as the support structure for the walkways at the upper level.

Zone 2: High activity tape storage requiring a secure, environmentally-controlled vault:- An existing Compact Storage mobile shelving system was relocated and reconfigured to accommodate the growing large and small digital tape storage requirement.

Again, given the available head-room, we designed a mezzanine floor structure capable of taking additional mobile shelving as and when the ground floor installation reached capacity. The three storage elements to this project met all the design criteria, with the advantage of providing long-term storage capable of tracking Ascent Media's continuing expansion.



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