









Aftercare

Manufacture & Build

From concept to completion and beyond Kuboid are redefining the self storage experience.

— Andy O'Dell Kuboid Chief Executive Officer





## Welcome to Kuboid. Your self storage Expert.

At the forefront of redefining the self storage experience, Kuboid are specialists in the design, manufacture and construction of self storage facilities, servicing clients of all sizes across the UK and throughout Europe. Working in close partnership with our customers we take on challenges and transform spaces from initial concept through to completion, exceeding client expectations with our commitment to delivering the highest quality knowledge, products and services, at the best price.

As trusted self storage experts, our passion and dedication, along with a focus on customer excellence, gives our customers the reassurance that we will always deliver the best self storage solution to help drive maximum return from the self storage facility.



### We are proud to offer a full-service solution that alleviates the worry of sourcing multiple suppliers.

With specialised departments in consultancy, design and planning, manufacture and build, and aftercare, we provide a full range of self storage services and solutions for facilities large and small.

Offering long term value to our customers, we provide them with all the tools required for every success in the self storage industry.



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### Consultancy

Taking our time to understand your exact needs and requirements, we consult with you on all areas of your project, advising on the specific services and solutions needed to bring your self storage vision to reality. Whatever your project size, we have the industry knowledge, skill and expertise to deliver a facility that delivers in every way.



### **Design & Planning**

Our experienced CAD Design experts understand the importance of maximising your storage facilities Net Lettable Area in order to deliver the best return on your investment. Working closely with you, our specialist team produce detailed technical plans and designs that take into consideration all aspects required to deliver your project, outlining full pricing, and expected income return.



### **Manufacture & Build**

Our highly qualified construction and fitting teams ensure that each facility meets our exceptionally high Kuboid 'no compromise' standards, from installing mezzanine floors and doors to applying the final finishing touches. Fully trained in-house, our fitters use the highest quality materials throughout the construction process ensuring the delivery of a safe and compliant installation.



### Aftercare

We understand the value of providing support to you throughout the construction of your project, but equally appreciate it does not stop at build completion. When partnering with Kuboid, you will have on-going access to our dedicated aftercare service, providing access to the latest industry trends and insights, sales and marketing support, as well as future build enhancements and restoration advice, ensuring your self storage facility continues to thrive.





Over recent years the self storage industry has become widely popular across the UK & Europe, proving to be a viable investment for many businesses and entrepreneurs. Whether it's a new business venture or the expansion of an existing facility, there are a wide range of benefits which make this investment a particularly attractive choice amongst many.

**Return on investment** – Transforming an existing property into a self storage facility can increase the overall property yield, and in turn the investment return. **Low maintenance** - Requiring minimal maintenance, a self storage facility has minimal footfall which means that the upkeep can be managed in-house.

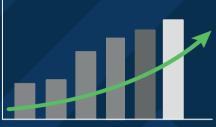
**Under utilised space** - Due to the wide range of storage solutions available, no matter the size or footprint of your space, storage capacity can be maximised to its potential.

Low staff requirement – Many self storage facilities operate with a minimum of 1-2 members of staff, with some automated facilities only requiring security, reducing employment costs.

No matter the size of your space, the self storage industry continues to demonstrate its on-going benefits, with a many operators reaping the rewards of running a successful facility.

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# Average rental rate (ARR) has increased **by 9%** in the last 12 months to £26.13 per sq. ft. (record high)



of the public have a good awareness of self storage



56%)

of operators decreased the level of discounts being made in 2021 Industry annual turnover has increased by 4.5% to £930 million



2019 76.2% 2020 82.3% 2021 83.3% Record high 83.3% occupancy rate on current lettable space



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Kuboid transform spaces for small first time operators to larger corporate chains with multiple facilities.

We have proudly been trusted to deliver over seven hundred self storage projects across the UK and Europe over the last 17 years, transforming a range of spaces into profitable self storage facilities.

Having worked with a wide range of customers including pension funds, private companies as well as landowners and entrepreneurs, we pride ourselves on the close relationship we continue to build, ensuring that they have the reassurance and tools required to launch and maintain a successful self storage facility.





















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### ARDEN SELF STORAGE CASE STUDY

Arden Self Storage is 100 per cent let and delivering an exceptionally high return Location: Solihull, England Range of Unit Sizes: 25 sq ft to 100 sq ft Door Colour: Forest Green Door Trim Colour: White

**Scope of works**: Partitioning, mezzanine, fire protection, electrics, stairs and floor painting.

Farmer Robert Cooks had diversified into self storage on his land in 2007 when his farming work became unprofitable, by converting his former cattle shed. A few years later, due to customer demand, he wanted to add an extension to the facility so selected four companies, including Kuboid, from an industry magazine and got in touch. Kuboid impressed him the most due to the high level of experience and the can-do attitude of the team

Kuboid conducted a site survey and designed a self storage solution to maximise the available space for the best return. This included the various unit sizes and partition system, positioning of mezzanines and stairs, fire regulations, automatic lighting and security. Each unit is alarmed and customers have their own keypad number for 24/7 access. Robert was impressed by the team's commitment to delivering the job to the highest quality and on schedule.

Today Arden Self Storage is 100% let and is generating a far higher return on investment compared to farming. Robert says he and his wife have a much better quality of life, with weekends and bank holidays freed up. The financial security has put his family in good stead for the next two generations.

"I would recommend Kuboid. What they say they will deliver in time, help, price. They stick to what they say. I don't know how any other company could have helped us at Arden Self Storage better than Kuboid did."

Robert Cooks Owner, Arden Self Storage





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### BOXX OPSLAG CASE STUDY

# BOXX chooses Kuboid for further nationwide expansion

Location: Amsterdam, Netherlands Range of Unit Sizes: 3m<sup>3</sup> to 12m<sup>3</sup> Door Colour: Navy Blue and Goosewing Grey Door Trim Colour: White

Scope of works: Partitioning system, swing and roller doors, soffit panels, security mesh, corner and kicker guards.

BOXX is one of Netherlands' top three self storage companies, with 16 locations nationwide, and five facilities in Amsterdam alone, which are all fully booked.

Due to the complex scope of services and products required, BOXX were searching for an experienced and flexible delivery partner not only capable of working across multiple sites at the same time, but who could also meet their strict deadlines. After impressing managing director Erwin Freer with the smooth delivery of a single facility, Kuboid were appointed to roll our further facilities across the Netherlands. Scope of works included site surveys and drawings, and the manufacturing, delivery, and installation of the partitioning systems including unit dividing partitions, corridor panels, lining panels, doors, mesh, door trims, latches, corner guards, kicker guards, and soffit panels. Erwin was most impressed by Kuboid's professionalism and ability to get on with the job: "It's great to see they are the first supplier that doesn't need my management time."

Today BOXX's 16 facilities are mostly fully let and generating a high income return. Erwin is now looking to expand the company even further in partnership with Kuboid, with an additional 14 more facilities planned. Benefiting from the highly profitable self storage industry, BOXX aims to retain their position as one of the country's top three self storage operators.

"I have no doubt in my mind that Kuboid will stay as our preferred partner. They are a great company and not afraid to go the extra mile"

Erwin Freer Owner, BOXX Self Storage

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### NESTA STORAGE CASE STUDY

Nesta and Kuboid continue partnership with delivery of fifth self storage facility Location: Kilbarrack, Ireland Range of Unit Sizes: 25 sq ft to 200 sq ft Door Colour: Poppy Red Door Trim Colour: White

Scope of works: Partitions, mezzanine, lockers, 800 individually alarmed units and staircases

Nesta is Ireland's biggest and oldest self storage provider. In 2020 it acquired its fifth site, the former headquarters of a car parts distributor in Kilbarrack. The warehouse was in the right location close to a residential area but needed a lot of work both inside and out.

Nesta chose Kuboid to deliver this latest facility as we had worked together on their previous self storage schemes and had a strong relationship. We sent a dedicated team to Ireland to deliver the project, which included 800 individually alarmed storage units, lockers, mezzanine, and staircases. Collaborating closely with Nesta, we oversaw the site survey, design, planning permission, construction, and aftercare.

The facility has beaten Nesta's expectations. The first phase was expected to reach 80 per cent occupancy within 18-24 months but it just took nine months. Kuboid were quickly

re-appointed to deliver the second phase. Nesta credit Kuboid for not only delivering a quality product on time and to budget, but for also being a big part of their overall growth over the last 3-5 years.

"Kuboid's customer service is excellent. We have built a great relationship with the team and we're on first name terms. My biggest fear initially was that they were based in the UK and we're in Ireland and how that relationship would form. But it was totally fine"

Lydia Finn Commercial Manager, Nesta





Offering a comprehensive range of quality products and solutions, ideal to suit your self storage needs and requirements.

Our flexible self storage solutions range from mezzanine floors and stacker systems, to Kubox portable storage units and compact lockers, allowing you to maximise every available inch of your space.

Whether you are looking for an all-in-one comprehensive design and build service or simply require product supply only, we have the resources and expertise to deliver.



### **Products list**

- Colour branded lifts
- Motion sensor lights
- Single swing door
- Staircase
- Soffit panels
- Smoke detector
- Mezzanine floor
- External partition
- Wall guard
- Double swing door
- Security system
- Paris latch
- Kicker guard
- Corner quard
- Security mesh
- Internal partition

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#### **PRODUCTS & SOLUTIONS**



### **Partitions**

Our system of hallway partitions form the base structure of each unit, that not only delivers with practicality but equally provides a fantastic first impression, not just today but for many years to come.

- High-tensile making them dent-resistant
- Fixings safely hidden inside U-Channels
- High quality corrosion-resistant materials
- Long-lasting with minimal maintenance



### **Door Systems**

All our doors are manufactured entirely from steel with strength and durability in mind, and are available in a range of colours ideal to complement your facility's brand.

- Swing door and roller door options
- Available in range of standard and bespoke sizes
- Long lasting with limited maintenance
- Extensive product warranty

We also offer a range of industry latches, providing maximum security and protection for your customers items.



### **Mezzanine Floors**

We design mezzanine floors specifically for self storage applications to ensure that we achieve the most costeffective design and maximise the storage capacity.

- Double your floor space to create extra revenue
- Freestanding, to reduce the cost of building rates (only applies in the UK)
- High strength and durable
- Low maintenance



### **Stacker Systems**

Stacker systems are perfect when a full mezzanine floor is not possible and can even be installed on top of existing mezzanine floors.

- Add an extra floor without a full mezzanine
- Rolling staircase
- Space saving



#### **PRODUCTS & SOLUTIONS**



### **Reception & Offices**

Incorporating a dedicated reception area and offices within your self storage facility offers a central hub to welcome customers, and provides opportunities to sell add-on products and services to help maximise profit.

- Central hub
- Welcome and greet customers
- Showcase your facilities brand
- Increase revenue by selling add-on products



### Lockers

Available in various sizes, lockers are a great way to fill small areas and maximise space, and are particularly popular with students when storing goods out of term time.

- Quick and easy to install on site
- Modular in design utilising small spaces
- Ability to stack lockers
- Available in a range of different heights
- A range of colour options available



### Portable Storage Units

Easy to install and relocate the Kubox is a portable, robust and secure storage unit, providing valuable additional rental income for many operators.

- Turn space into additional revenue
- Supplied flat-packed or pre-assembled
- Available in 4 standard sizes for quick delivery
- No planning permission required
- Contemporary design, alternative to shipping containers
- A cost-effective solution that offers a quick return on investment



### **External Storage Units**

Whether you're new to the industry and want to start small or you have land which you want to capitalise on, our external storage units are the best solution for you.

As internal self storage facilities reach capacity, external self storage units are a popular additional storage solution that allows you to maximise the usable floor area.

- Perfect for utilising unused land
- Available in a range of options and colours
- Maximise your lettable space and rental income



#### **PRODUCTS & SOLUTIONS**

### Security & Safety



### **Paris Latch**

Available for both swing and roller doors, our Paris latch offers flexibility with uncompromised protection, guaranteed to provide maximum security.



#### **Access Control**

Keep your premises safe at all times with our self storage Access Control Systems, putting you in control of who is on site, where they can access, and at what times.



#### **Berlin Latch**

Designed to be used on swing doors, Berlin latches are unintrusive, whilst providing a secure solution that effectively protects your customers belongings.



### Security

Using the very last HD vision technology and giving total visual security allowing 24/7 viewing worldwide through your mobile device.



#### **App Automation**

Automated facilities have become an increasingly popular choice as they allow businesses to reduce overall running costs, by minimising the need for additional onsite staff, allowing profits to be maximised.



#### **Fire Protection**

We provide installation of a wide variety of ceiling tiles and system grid protection, conforming to each buildings international regulations.



### Security Mesh

Provides security to storage units underneath raised ceilings and conforms to fire safety regulations for smoke ventilation.



### Accessories & Additional Services



#### **Kicker & Wall Guards**

Providing protection against trolley damage to corridors, our kicker and wall guards are available in Chequer Plate Aluminium, Bright Propeller Plate Aluminium or Galvanised Steel, with a standard height of 300 mm or any height up to a maximum of 1,250 mm.



#### **Corner Guards**

Available in Chequer Plate Aluminium, Bright Propeller Plate Aluminium or Galvanised Steel, corner guards have a standard height of 1,250 mm and can also be increased to the height of a full partition system if required.



### Lifts

Whether you're looking for Goods Only or Full Passenger we can provide a wide variety of tailor made lifts to suit your requirements.



#### **Electrical Installations**

Conducting all general lighting, emergency lighting and smoke detection installations, our fitters are fully accredited and certified through NICEIC recognition.



#### **Soffit Panels**

Fitted in corridors below high roof voids, soffit panels not only reduce the amount of lighting required but also can eliminate the need for expensive cable trunking and hide unsightly roofs. Standard size 800 x 2,500 mm.



#### **Floor Painting**

Applying a sealant protection to your concrete floor and decking boards, painted floors also enhance the look and feel of your self storage facility.

We offer a wide range of additional accessories and additional services to help take your self storage facility one step further



### Have a project in mind?

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Contact our expert team today to discuss your self storage design and build requirements in more detail, or to make an appointment to visit our showroom.

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