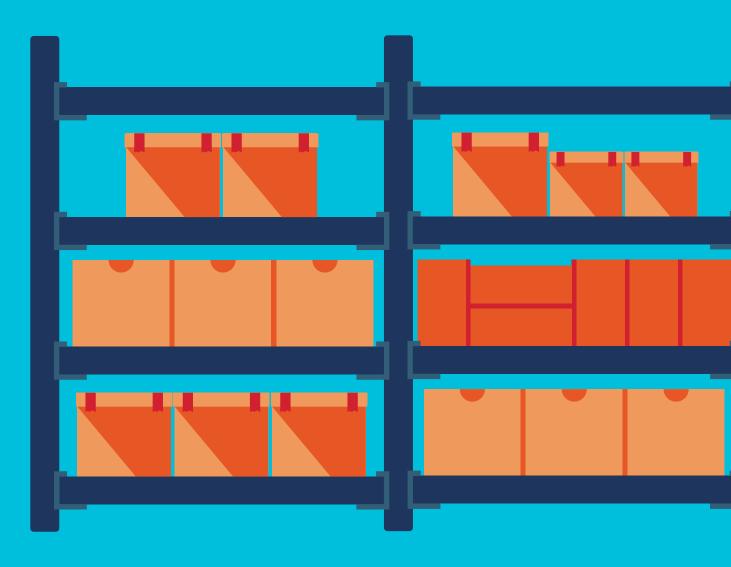


Anixter Inventory Management Solutions



Build. Connect. Power. Protect. Services. Worldwide.

WHAT WE HEAR

Common Inventory
Management Challenges:



Limited inventory VISIBILITY



Production DELAYS



High cost of WRITE-OFFS



Multiple LAST MINUTE buys



Lack of STORAGE



WORKING CAPITAL tied up in inventory

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT AT OUR SITE

Anixter Inventory Management Solutions (AIMS) at our site can be utilized when you don't have the storage capacity or don't want your valuable working capital to be tied up in inventory for large projects.

Anixter has the space and the inventory management expertise to manage your stock at our site and replenish on-hand inventory as needed, whether that means shipping it to your site or directly to the job site.

Our inventory management processes can help you improve your inventory management so you can:

- Improve working capital
- Increase speed to market
- Reduce product shortages
- Streamline warehouse investment
- Decrease write-offs
- Provision inventory

Improve cash flow, reduce working capital and increase labor efficiencies through custom inventory management solutions for your business.



THE ANIXTER DIFFERENCE

At Anixter, we help build, connect, power and protect valuable assets and critical infrastructures. From enterprise networks to industrial support and supplies to video surveillance applications and electric power transmission and distribution, we offer full-line solutions—and intelligence—that create reliable, resilient systems that can sustain your business and community.

Through our unmatched global distribution network, supply chain management expertise and technical know-how, we drive efficiency and effectiveness to benefit your bottom line.

OPTIMIZING YOUR WORKFLOW WITH INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS

Inventory management is essential to maintaining lean operations and good customer service. It directly influences the profitability of your business. Minor adjustments to fixed and variable carrying costs can have a major impact on operating income, cash flow and profit margins.

When it's imperative to your workflow or projects that the right inventory is readily available, you can rely on Anixter Inventory Management Solutions (AIMS). AIMS ensures you always have what you need, when you need it. From auto-replenishment programs to yard management, we can tailor an inventory management program to meet your challenges and business objectives by focusing inventory at three key locations:

Our Site—Anixter's network of warehouse facilities

Your Site—Your warehouse or production facility, maximized for efficiency

Job Site—The project or construction location, for easy access to inventory

HOW WE CAN HELP

Your programs, facilities and job sites are unique and require customized solutions to optimize the material inventory levels and flow. Anixter offers fully customizable services from our site, your site and the job site to enable you to anticipate lead times, manage inventory levels, and reduce risks and costs associated with returns, obsolete, excess and scrap inventory.

OUR SITE	YOUR SITE	JOB SITE		
 Cable management Forward provisioning/ dedicated inventory Integrated supply Just-in-time delivery to feed the job Customer-owned inventory 	 Auto-replenishment programs Automated/remote inventory management software Manual replenishment programs Manual or automated consignment 	All of the YOUR SITE solutions, plus: • Anixter-managed inventory (VMI) • Anixter Trakr™ • Remote job site storage • Cable management • Yard management • Service truck inventory tracking		
CUSTOMIZED TO SOLVE YOUR INVENTORY CHALLENGES				

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT AT **YOUR SITE**

Frequently used items are often out of stock, and project inventory can be a hassle to manage when warehouse space is limited. Anixter Inventory Management Solutions (AIMS) at your site can help manage inventory that is continually used or inventory that fluctuates with demand, all while maximizing limited warehouse space and cash flow for operations.

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS

AIMS offers two unique inventory management solutions. These solutions automate the on-site replenishment and inventory management process by utilizing bar-code labels that can be scanned with an iOS/Android mobile device or hand-held scanner. The programs are **RapidFire 2.0** and **JIT (Just in Time)**. Having these tools at hand allows for increased service levels, reduction in on-hand inventory, increased profitability and improved forecasting.

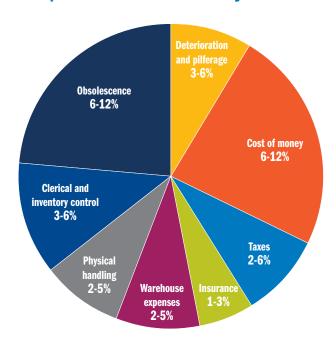
RAPIDFIRE 2.0 INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE

RapidFire 2.0 provides the latest in specialized inventory management software that can manage inventories at your site or at the job site. RapidFire 2.0 is web-based software that can be accessed from any web browser and provides real-time access to inventory status, orders and historical usage through multiple methods of data capture.

JIT (JUST IN TIME) INVENTORY REPLENISHMENT SOFTWARE

JIT is an automated inventory replenishment software that is platform agnostic and can utilize multiple methods of data capture: barcode scanning technology, data file upload, manual entry, and mobile device with Bluetooth accessory. The tools help eliminate excess inventory, minimized stock outages, automate purchasing, and lower labor costs.

The cost of carrying inventory could be up to 25% of inventory cost



Source: Inventory control and management, Dan Waters

SOFTWARE SOLUTION COMPARISON

	RapidFire 2.0	JIT Inventory
Global offering	•	•
Purchase order tracking	•	•
Job order tracking	•	•
Anixter part management	•	•
Non-Anixter part	•	
management		
Real-time on-hand	•	
inventory quantity		
Variable put-ups or	•	
reorder quantities		

RapidFire 2.0	JIT Inventory
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	RapidFire 2.0 Output

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT AT THE **JOB SITE**

The job site often creates challenges in receiving, storing, locating and tracking material for projects and on-going maintenance. Not having enough material on site can cause costly delays. Having too much material onsite can cause cost over runs.

Anixter Inventory Management Solutions (AIMS) at the job site includes all of the solutions offered at your site plus more customizable solutions to support your inventory management needs at the job site.

RapidFire 2.0 and Anixter Trakr are custom solutions offered through Anixter that help make material on the job site easier to control and manage.

ANIXTER TRAKR

Anixter Trakr is a tracking and inventory management tool that works by combining three technologies: GPS (GeoStamp), Bluetooth and data cloud storage. This solution guides the user to the specific location of materials and provides visibility to intelligently manage material for greater efficiency.



Anixter Trakr™

- Optimized field labor
- Improves safety
- Reduces excess inventory
- Increases efficiencies
- Completes more projects on time and under budget



AIMS Anixter Inventory Management Solutions

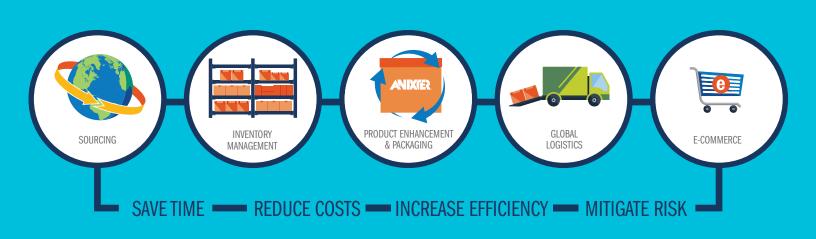
HOW WE CAN HELP

- RapidFire 2.0
- JIT
- Anixter Trakr
- Remote job site storage
- Cable management
- Yard management
- Service truck inventory
- Turn-key solutions with dedicated implementation team includes:
 - Racking
 - Shelving
 - Wire consoles
 - Storage lockers
 - Set-up and training



SUPPLY CHAIN SOLUTIONS

Reducing costs, saving time, improving productivity and mitigating risks are our goals on every project. With our customizable supply chain solutions, you can eliminate costs, address sustainability requirements, enhance focus on your core competencies and stay competitive in the marketplace.



GLOBAL REACH. LOCAL ADVANTAGE.

With Anixter, you get a true local partner around the world. No other distributor of our kind can claim an in-country presence in approximately 50 countries and in over 300 cities.

We do business in more than 35 currencies and 30 languages, which means we are uniquely positioned to help facilitate your project in the local environment, reduce risks and keep costs down.





















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