## **Active Ants**



Location: Industry: Partner:

Netherlands 3PL Dematic

Active Ants was founded in 2010 with the goal of making e-fulfillment more accurate and efficient with the help of innovation, automation and the use of robots. Since its inception, Active Ants has become one of the largest players in the Netherlands with more than 250 clients and over three million orders per year. The AutoStore system has been incredibly beneficial for the Active Ants team; they've saved costs while requiring fewer people for order picking and increasing storage capacity by 75%.

With the decision to install an AutoStore system, Active Ants was able to reduce annual operating costs by 35% as well as increasing space efficiency by six times when compared to their previous storage model.

In addition, the scalability of the system is important for a fast-growing company such as Active Ants. They can add more Robots and picking Ports and can easily expand the number of Bins while the system is running.

AutoStore also supports a safe and sustainable environment at Active Ants. The system puts less physical pressure on its employees to walk long distances or to lift heavy boxes. Due to this, the employees at Active Ants can focus more on complex and rewarding work.



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Making space for incredible means changing the industry of e-commerce fulfillment by reducing the carbon footprint of all our e-commerce orders.

**Jeroen Dekker** Founder, Active Ants

Increased storage capacity

75%

Reduction of annual operating costs

35%

Robots

Products in system

88

22k