

Kardex AutoStore™ Xperience Tour

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Experience a milestone for South African logistics: the country's first-ever AutoStore™ system, implemented by Kardex at Goldwagen's National Distribution Centre.

South Africa's first-ever AutoStore™ system

At its Centurion Distribution Centre, Goldwagen is introducing South Africa's first AutoStore™ system. Designed and implemented by Kardex, the solution addresses a key growth challenge: creating more storage capacity and improving service levels without relocating, reducing headcount or disrupting ongoing operations. The phased automation concept maximises cubic storage within the existing warehouse while creating a scalable foundation for future growth.

The customer

Goldwagen is one of South Africa's leading automotive parts distributors. Its National Distribution Centre serves the country's growing automotive aftermarket through an expanding retail network, with a strong focus on quality, service and innovation.

The solution at a glance

Phase 1 of the AutoStore™ solution includes:
- Approx. 13,000 bins
- 20 AutoStore™ robots
- Multiple picking ports
- Full conveyor solution

The project objectives

- Maximise storage capacity within the existing distribution centre
- Reduce the storage footprint by using the available warehouse height
- Improve service levels while supporting continued business growth
- Integrate Kardex WES with Goldwagen's existing SaaS WMS
- Maintain operations throughout implementation with zero operational downtime
- Enable future expansion through a Phase 2-ready system design

What to expect

- The story behind South Africa's first AutoStore™ implementation
- Project insights from Goldwagen, Kardex and AutoStore™
- A guided tour of the National Distribution Centre
- Live insights into AutoStore™ and the connected processes
- Direct exchange with the customer and Kardex experts

Agenda

Welcome and Get-together
Customer Story & Kardex and AutoStore™ insights
Guided Site Tour
Networking & Lunch

Participation

Participation is free of charge. As places are limited, attendance is subject to confirmation.

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You will receive the exact address and further organizational details with your participation confirmation.