

## Why do I need an inspection?

- The maintenance of your racking is a legal requirement under the 1974 Health and Safety at Work Act. This includes regular safety inspections and subsequent maintenance including the keeping of records.
- The HSE (Health and Safety Executive) recommends an expert safety inspection is carried out at intervals of not more than 12 months.
- Any damage to pallet racking will reduce its load carrying capacity, and in worse case if still used, potentially result in racking collapse.

## NSI Projects recommend 5 steps to safety.

- 1 The contents of the maximum load notices and design are adhered to.
- 2 All staff are encouraged to report any damage.
- 3 Weekly internal inspections where a log book is kept for recording inspections damages and repairs.
- 4 Annual expert inspection to comply with current legal requirement under the 1974 Health and Safety at Work Act - The Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1998 - The Workplace Health Safety and Welfare Regulations 1992.
- 5 Where any uncertainty exists regarding the integrity of a pallet racking system contact NSI projects.

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# Rack Safety Inspection Service:

- SARI qualified rack inspector will visit your premises to undertake the inspection.
- Comprehensive inspection report will be compiled will be sent to you with recommendations and if necessary, repairs, the report is broken down using a red, amber and green colour code system.

## Red Risk

Immediate action, which will need urgent offloading and repair.

## Amber Risk

Damages outside the agreed tolerances and will need action.

## Green Risk

Damages within agreed tolerances will need monitoring, with no immediate action required.

The report and any necessary remedial actions are proof that adequate care has been taken to demonstrate adherence to HSE recommendations. We will notify you in 12 months time to advise you that your inspection is due.



## NSI Projects additional inspection services include: Mezzanine Floors - Cantilever Racking - Shelving

## NSI Projects Racking Safety Awareness Training.

- The training is carried out by an approved SARI rack inspector and allows your team to understand what they should be looking out for during their daily, weekly or monthly rack inspections.
- The training takes place at your site and is mainly classroom based followed by a practical session observing the racking onsite.
- The duration of the training is approximately 4 hours and valid for 3-4 attendees. Once completed all attendees will receive a training certificate which is valid for 3 years.

### What makes a SARI INSPECTOR?

This is a professional qualification which is gained after attending an intensive training course, written exam and practical assessment. The inspector is then required to commit to ongoing continuous Professional Development (CPD)



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