

Industry
Energy

Workstations
670

Product
Reach

Opportunity
Increase the amount of workstations while improving storage and enhancing workstation usability.

Color Palette

Paint
Flint P02

Fabric
Tempest Tumbleweed TP970

Laminate
Desert Zephyr LT5A

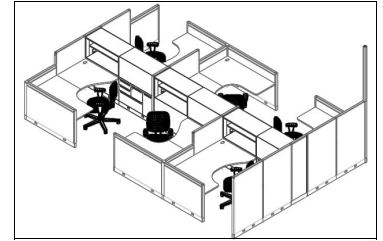
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Reach™ the Right Mix for Chemical Firm

When this Texas chemical and energy firm was looking to maximize real estate use in their Houston offices, they wanted a solution that could be cost efficient. They wanted to provide maximum productivity for a diverse range of employees. With Reach, they were able to maximize their use of existing real estate and maximize the productivity of their employees.

Reason for Success With a large workforce, multiple floors, and high storage and filing needs, this project was an ideal example of how Reach can improve productivity and save money. In the old layout, a great deal of filing was stored in vertical files in the aisles. This meant employees had to leave their seats to store or retrieve files. The filing impeded workflow throughout the office and made maintaining ADA-compliant offices difficult. Because Reach allowed the storage to be contained within workstation walls, space was opened up to allow for collaborative areas, letting light and ideas flow from one workstation to another.



“Reach was the right solution because it had the ability to open up space by lowering the panels and creating a teaming environment,” said the Allsteel dealer. “And by eliminating pedestals, they now have more worksurface AND free leg space!”

While the lower panel height caused some initial employee

concern over losing visual privacy, those worries vanished as employees realized the convenience of having storage right at their fingertips and the ease of communication the more open plan has provided.

Reach’s efficiency has been proven by the increase in workstations. While the previous plan allowed room for 550 workstations, the Reach plan allowed 675 workstations, an increase of more than 22 percent – all without the need to rent or purchase additional costly office space.

With Reach, a single wall of customized components is the foundation for a pair of opposite-facing offices. The storage wall extends the active, available worksurface. So you can give more people more workable, functional space in the same amount of real estate.