



BEFORE



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ALSTOM

## Materials Reclamation

### The Challenge

**When Alstom were planning to de-mobilise their Peterborough stores, they turned to Unipart Rail to manage the process.**

**The 1000 sqm of internal and 1950 of external storage space, and an operational life of over a decade, meant that a lot of materials were returned from possessions over time.**

**Some of the material had been in place for many years and needed careful assessment, whilst other was much newer and easily taken back into useful storage.**

**And there was a lot of 'non rail' materials that needed assessing too - such as consumable and janitorial materials.**

### The Solution

With our technical know-how, we assessed all the materials to ensure that all that could be re-used were brought back into the supply chain and, where required, serviced or refurbished back into AI condition.

Rich Jackson, Unipart Rail Contract Delivery Manager, said "We often de-mobilise stores, and with such a vast range of materials it's good to be able to draw on Unipart Rail's wide knowledge to identify the materials - some of which can be very old or specialised that could be critical assets for the industry."

## The Result

In Peterborough, our team of 8 worked with an Alstom colleague to deal with:

**230** pallets of materials

**11 Artic** loads of materials brought back into the supply chain

**9 x 20yd skips** of waste (separated into Electrical, Metal, Concrete and Mixed)

We managed to finish the process in just **14 days** - handing the empty facility and cleared yard back to Alstom well within the targeted 22 days.



Olivier Quindos, Sourcing & Supply Chain Director at Alstom UK&I said “Unipart Rail worked closely with the Alstom Operations team to identify those materials that are recoverable and re-usable for future Network Rail schemes. Unipart Rail provided a safe and professional service which was delivered ahead of the agreed schedule”.

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