

# Shepherd in Nottingham



## 1. The customer's challenge.

When constructing a multi storey (12 storey) building in Nottingham, Shepherd Construction had particular problems to deal with. Firstly, it was a “very tight site” making loading access particularly difficult. Secondly, each floor is on two different levels. The company had tried using a scaffold tower, but found that it was too time consuming to use and that every time they used a different loading access point they had to generate a new design for the loadings.

## 2. Xena's solution.

Xena originally supplied two 2.8m wide “standard” XenaDeck platforms, that were so successful the following week Shepherds ordered two more. Unlike scaffolding they are very easy and quick to relocate, typically taking around half an hour to be back in use again.



## 3. The benefits to the customer.

Xena's fast response ensured that the site were able to start loading on the project within days of placing the order and within an hour of the XenaDeck arriving at the site gates.

Increased efficiency - the platforms “have saved us 2-3 hours per day of loading time and are very easy to install”  
Ibor Hughes, Shepherd Site Manager

Enhanced safety compliance using a loading platform has enabled staff to work in a safe area when transferring materials to the construction floor.

Cost effective - the platforms pay for themselves due to the increased efficiency and save considerable amounts of both time and money.

## 4. Our approach

Xena's approach to any problem is, “satisfy the customer without compromising safety”. Our qualified engineers can design platforms for any bespoke application to meet customer's requirements, while our in-house fabrication facility is able to manufacture “specials” to the highest quality. Our experienced installation crews provide support and assistance on the suitability of installation site and installation methods. We aim to build long term relationships with our customers and work in partnership to ensure an efficient and safe working environment.



### The project

A very tight site with two level floors

### The benefits

Fast response, to installation

Increased efficiency

Enhanced safety

Cost effective

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