

# 7 REASONS

## TO DIGITIZE PAPER DOCUMENTS

#### BETTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

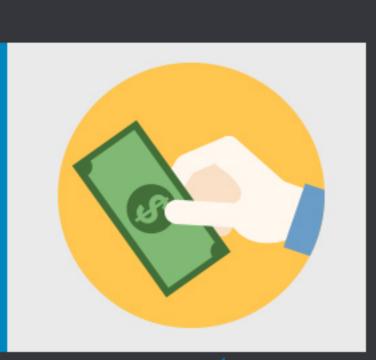
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the average office worker goes through 10,000 sheets of paper per year

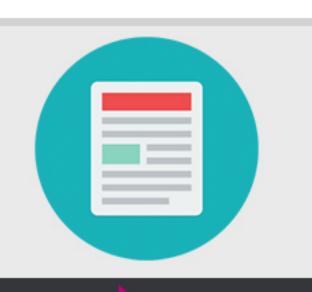
## **02** REDUCES COSTS

- ☑ a four-drawer cabinet takes up 9 sqft of office space and costs approx \$1,500 per year to maintain
- ☑ the cost of searching for a misfiled document is \$120
- ☑ it costs approximately \$250 to recreate the lost document



#### **RISK MITIGATION**

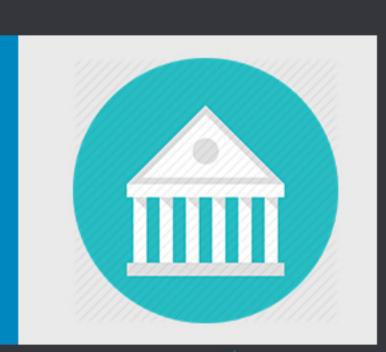




Millions of paper files are lost each year to theft, fire, severe weather, sprinkler damage, mold, and mildew or any other type of hazard that might occur in the workplace.

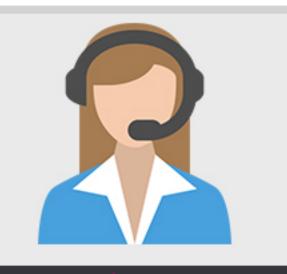
#### COMPLIANCE WITH GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS

The maintenance of a paper-based filing system that complies with regulatory requirements is expensive and burdensome. The use of scanning helps companies comply with government mandated initiatives (e.g., Sarbanes-Oxley, Paperwork Reduction Act, HIPAA, etc.) related to document retention and retrieval.



### IMPROVES CUSTOMER SERVICE

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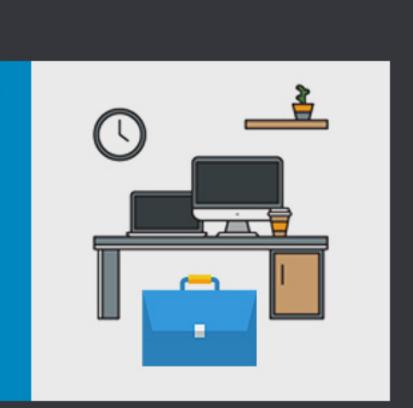


Searching paper documents is time-consuming. It takes about 18 minutes on average to search for a paper document which can affect the response time to your customer.

## 1 INCREASES OFFICE SPACE

Document scanning reduces the amount of paperwork and unnecessary filing cabinets at your facility. When office space is freed up, companies can:

- ☑ Move to a smaller office and benefit from lower rental costs
- ☑ Recapture floor space for growth
- ☑ Reduce cluttered office environment



#### SECURE DOCUMENT STORAGE

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- Scanning offers improved security for your sensitive documents.
- ☑ Scanned documents can be securely stored in an online document management system, with security access at a user or role level.
- ☑a full electronic audit trail with a detailed user access history automatic back-ups
- the choice of on-premise storage, remote storage and/or cloud storage



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