



Secure on-site shredding

Cowans is serious about shredding...

We take the security of your confidential data very seriously. With the growing threat of ID fraud, many organisations are now looking for a more visible and immediate data destruction solution. Designed to give peace of mind to customers dealing with highly sensitive information, our on-site shredding service meets this demand with an enhanced level of security.

Whether your confidential material is in the form of paper records, digital media, uniforms, ID badges or other branded goods, our secure process ensures that all materials and data are strictly contained and controlled.



Your confidential material will be collected by our shredding partners security-checked and uniformed staff, and shredded there and then, in a mobile shredding vehicle – guaranteeing that no confidential information will leave your site unshredded.

As an authorised BS EN15713:2009 company, you can be confident that our business partner processes and procedures, including staff-vetting, vehicle security and documentation, meet the very highest industry standards.





Why shred?

You're legally obliged

As a company you handle confidential information on a daily basis, and are entrusted by your staff, customers and suppliers to protect this information. Data protection legislation also places a legal duty on businesses to protect confidential information with unlimited fines for those who fail to do so. This includes all methods of information storage, and not just paper documents.

If a breach in security does occur, the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) has the authority to impose huge fines in the instance of non-compliance with the data protection legislation.

Your reputation depends on it

For many organisations, information is the most important and most valuable commodity they own. No company can afford to underestimate the cost, to both their reputation and their bottom line, of information falling into the wrong hands. In an increasingly competitive business environment, your company's integrity, reputation and prosperity depend upon the secure handling, storage and destruction of sensitive information.

Our seriously secure vehicles

Using top of the range vehicles and commitment to the very highest service standards mean you can be confident that Cowans partners on-site shredding service is a secure and controlled choice that can shred to Government high security standards. Operated by highly trained, uniformed and security-vetted staff, using fully equipped mobile shredding vehicles that are capable of shredding up to two tonnes per hour and are available 24 hours a day, thereby offering you complete flexibility to specify a service time that suits you.

Our shared environmental responsibility

We ensure that all of our activities are closely monitored to minimise waste and carbon production, and designed to help customers improve their own environmental performance by ensuring that once shredded, all paper waste is recycled. Our range of office recycling solutions can also help you to further protect the environment and meet your in-house environmental targets.

On-site shredding process

