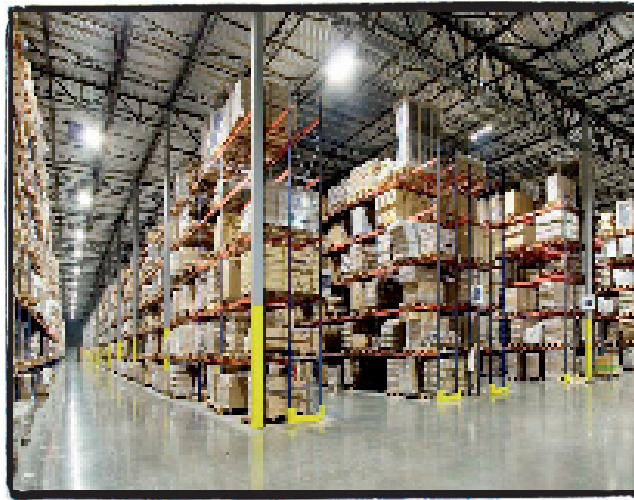


Energy saving at IKEA



Energy efficient construction

The IKEA store in Spreitenbach, Switzerland uses energy saving equipments. There are 4 centimetres of extra insulation on the roof and façade, solar panels, and a pellet furnace. Rainwater is used for lavatory flushing.



Motion detectors save electricity

The IKEA distribution centre in Tejon, Canada, have reduced electricity costs by 50 percent by installing motion sensors that regulate lighting. The motion sensors allow IKEA to only light areas which are in use.



Reduced energy use

IKEA co-workers in Shanghai, China, have reduced energy use per sold cubic meter by 23 percent in the IKEA store by using energy more efficiently. Lighting is now turned off during non-business hours and a new system controls the use of air-conditioning.