

# How the Jewson MBS Distribution Model reduces material transport carbon emissions

Jewson Major Build Solutions (MBS) is a key supplier of Keepmoat's building materials and use an efficient hub distribution model to reduce carbon emissions from transport of materials.

- ▶ Jewson MBS have six delivery hubs located nationwide with goods delivered into these hubs by manufacturers/suppliers in bulk. These orders are then co-ordinated, or plot packed and sent to Keepmoat sites on set delivery runs once or twice a week. Being able to make multiple deliveries for one order, whilst also collating deliveries from several branches, helps reduce the number of delivery miles travelled, saving on fuel and ultimately reducing carbon emissions.
- ▶ The distribution model is more efficient as the hubs are housebuilder specific, which means they store more of fewer items of higher quantities.

## Supply security

The hubs are essential for ensuring on time, in full deliveries as well as a consistent product offering, with underwritten volumes which ensure supply continuity during challenging supply disruption periods.

- ▶ Stocks are built on projected customer requirements and schedules.
- ▶ Have built in "overage" of supply for unexpected spikes in demand.
- ▶ Work closely with the strongest supply chain partners to ensure quality offer is market leading. Jewson's work closely with these suppliers to identify specific customer requirements and search out benefits including underwriting future volumes to guarantee supply.

