

**HOW TO FIGURE LINEAR FILING INCHES (LFI)**

**If you know the total number of charts your practice has, you can calculate the average number of files per inch.**

To do this, start by compiling a 10" high stack of charts and then counting the total number of individual files included in the 10" stack. Then, divide the total by 10. Then, divide the results into the total number of files in your current system, which will provide you with the present amount of LFI needed in the shelving unit you select.

**36" Datum Straight Shelf Linear Inches**

No. of Shelves	Height	Linear Filing Inches
2	22.75"	70
3	33.00"	105
4	43.50"	140
5	54.00"	175
6	65.25"	210
7	74.50"	245
8	85.00"	280

**36" Datum Slanted Easy-View Shelf Linear Inches**

No. of Shelves	Height	Linear Filing Inches
2	22.75"	57
3	33.00"	85.5
4	43.50"	114
5	54.00"	142.5
6	65.25"	171
7	74.50"	199.5
8	85.00"	228

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