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# Stock Adjustments

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Course	Stock
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Client	Generic
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Perform stock adjustments if your business runs perpetual inventory.

A stock adjustment is performed when the level of stock for a product is increased or decreased outside of sales, receipting, and invoicing activities.

**Hints and Tips**

- ✓ Stock adjustments record:
    - stock written off due to damaged packing or out-of-date codes
    - store consumed stock
    - donations
    - stock received but not invoiced (if you don't inform or return the stock to the supplier).
  - ✓ You can **import a file** of EANs:
    - Create the file in Notepad or Microsoft Word or Excel.
    - Don't include header text.
    - The **first column** contains the EAN, with spaces to pad to 20 characters.
    - The **second column** contains the new SOH unit quantity.
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- If there are **import errors**, you can also click to view them.
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- ✓ You can also perform the adjustment on a portable scanning device; refer to the [INV-6a Stock Adjustments \(Mobile\) Fact Sheet](#).
  - ✓ **Reason Codes** are configured by your business. Refer to the [TECH-1i Configure POS/BOS Reason Codes Fact Sheet](#).

**Procedure to Record a Stock Adjustment on the BOS**

1.	From the BOS <b>Tools</b> menu, select <b>Stock Functions</b> , then <b>Stock Adjustment</b> .	
2.	<p><b>To:</b> manually enter an adjustment</p> <hr/> <p><b>then:</b> import a batch of new SOH unit values</p>	<p>complete steps 3 to 8.</p> <p>In the <b>Stock</b> field, type [1] (or anything) to enable the <b>Import</b> button.</p> <p>Click .</p> <p>Click  to select the file.</p> <p>Navigate to the file.</p> <p>Click <b>Open</b>.</p> <p>Only select the <b>Run external program before import</b> check box and file if the import file has macros.</p> <p>Click <b>OK</b>.</p> <p>Click <b>OK</b>.</p> <p>Any errors are displayed. Click <b>Close</b> and enter these products manually.</p> <p><i>*Don't re-import the file, as this would duplicate the records that imported successfully.*</i></p> <p><i>*The screen advises the number of records that will be updated.</i></p> <p>Go to step 10.</p>
3.	in the <b>EAN Code</b> field type, scan, or click  to search for, the required product.	
4.	In the <b>Reason Code</b> list, select the reason for the adjustment.	

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**Hints and Tips**

- ✓ Stock values are only displayed & entered in **case.unit format** if it's been configured in the BOS System -> **Properties -> System** tab; E.g. 16.0 cases or 0.7 units.
- ✓ If the product is **weighted** (e.g. deli meat/fruit):
  - enter the **Quantity** in kilo.grams e.g. 1.2 or 0.5.
  - **Important:** the system currently adjusts SOH and reports weighed products rounded up/down to the nearest whole number (e.g. 1.3 rounds down to 1 case and 0 units, 1.5 rounds up to 2.0, and 1.8 rounds up to 2.0).
- ✓ You don't need to click **Update** after every entry; you can even close the Stock Adjustment screen in-between entries.
- ✓ **Reports:**
  - To report on the shrinkage quantity (by reason): **Reports -> Stocktake -> Stock Adjustment** report (shows increases and decreases) and **Stock Adjustment Negative** report (only shows decreases).
  - To report on the \$ value and % to sales of shrinkage and SATO markdowns (which is current retail minus markdown price): **Reports -> Sales -> Markdown and Throw-out Summary** report.
  - **Important:** weighed products (e.g. deli meats/fruit) currently adjust SOH and report rounded up/down to the nearest whole number (e.g. 1.3 rounds down to 1 case and 0 units, 1.5 rounds up to 2.0, and 1.8 rounds up to 2.0).

<p>5. In the <b>Quantity</b> field, type the number of units or cases. units that SOH needs to be adjusted by (<i>as configured</i>).</p> <p><i>*See Hints and Tips for case.unit entry rules.*</i></p> <p><i>*If <b>increasing SOH</b>, enter the amount to bring the system SOH up to the physical SOH e.g. if [-2] but there's [5] on the shelf, enter [7].*</i></p>	
<p>6. Select <b>Increase</b> or <b>Decrease</b>.</p>	
<p>7. In the <b>Additional Information</b> field, record any extra information about the adjustment (<i>max. 50 characters</i>).</p> <p><i>*This is displayed on the Stock Adjustment report.*</i></p>	
<p>8. Click  <b>Save</b>.</p> <p><i>*The message Stock Adjustment Records to Update: [x] is displayed at the bottom of the screen.*</i></p>	
<p>9. Check that the <b>Adj. Stock On Hand</b> field displays the correct new SOH value that you expect.</p> <p><i>*Repeat from step 3 if you need to correct it.*</i></p>	
<p>10. <b>If:</b> _____ <b>then:</b> _____</p> <p>there are more adjustments _____ return to step 2.</p> <p>you're finished _____ go to step 11.</p>	
<p>11. Click  <b>Update</b> to apply the adjustment/s.</p>	
<p>12. Click <b>OK</b>.</p>	
<p>13. Click  <b>Close</b>.</p>	