

# SOP: Adjusting Damaged Food Stock

## Purpose

To ensure all damaged food products are properly recorded, adjusted out of inventory, and physically placed in the correct area for disposal or return.

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## Step 1: Record the Damaged Item Details

Before using the system, record the following on the **Damaged Food Log Sheet**:

- Primary Location
- Item Code
- Quantity
- Type of Damage
  - For Royal Canin (R/C), Hills, BlackHawk, or Eukanuba:  
→ Type = Ullage + damage type (e.g., Hole, Dent, Expired)
  - For all other brands:  
→ Just note the damage type (e.g., Hole, Dent, Expired)

You can find this information by **scanning the product in the Handheld Login screen**, then tapping the **Product Info** button located in the bottom taskbar of Phoenix.

The reason for recording on paper first is that it is the **fastest method** for processing multiple damaged items at once.

You **can record non-food damages** on the same sheet, but it's best to finish all **food damages first** before moving on to non-food — or vice versa — for efficiency.

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## Step 2: Perform Stock Adjustment in the System

1. **Log in** to the Handheld System:  
<http://phoenix.svs.co.nz:9080/caseacc/hheld/main/?from=menu>
2. Click the "**Stock Adjustments**" container.
3. In the stock adjustment screen:
4. Enter the **Primary Location** and press **Enter**.
5. Check that the **Item Code** matches.
6. Type **scanover** in the barcode field to override.
7. Enter the **Quantity** of damaged product.

8. Select "**Reduction**" as the adjustment type.
  9. Choose the correct **Reason**:
    10. **Ullage** – Only for R/C, Hills, BlackHawk, or Eukanuba when classified as ullage
    11. For all other brands or non-food items, use one of the following as applicable:
      - **Goods Damaged in Store** – Common option for general damage like dents or holes
      - **Short Dated / Expired** – For expired items
      - **Change in Product Size**
      - **Stock Variance**
      - **Non KPI**
      - **Petstock**
    12. On the next page, in **Final Adjustment Notes**, briefly describe the issue (e.g., "Hole in bag", "Dented can", "Expired stock").
    13. Click **Complete**.
    14. If prompted to **take a photo**, select **No** and click **Complete** again.
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## Step 3: Place the Damaged Food in the Correct Area

After completing the adjustment, place the item in its appropriate location:

Brand	Location
Royal Canin (R/C)	Pallet next to the <b>orange forklift</b>
BlackHawk	<b>Table by the walkies</b>
Hills (Prescription)	<b>Prescription bin</b>
Hills (Science Diet)	<b>No Prescription bin</b>
All Other Brands	<b>No Prescription bin</b>

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## Step 4: Non-Food Items

- You **can record non-food damages** on the same damaged goods log sheet.
- When adjusting them in the handheld system, follow the same **Stock Adjustments** process as food.
- **Do NOT select any ullage types** for non-food items.
- After adjustment:
  - If **salvageable**, place in a **box in the equipment cupboard**.
  - If **damaged beyond salvaging**, dispose of in the **specific bins** designated for damaged goods.