

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.

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.

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 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.

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 orange forklift
BlackHawk	Table by the walkies
Hills (Prescription)	Prescription bin
Hills (Science Diet)	No Prescription bin
All Other Brands	No Prescription bin

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.