Stocktakes (General)

mSupply Mobile will automatically keep track of your stock levels for you, as you receive stock and give it out.

But sometimes data gets entered incorrectly or stock goes out without anyone making an entry in the system.

Of course, we try not to let that happen BUT, if it does happen, we can make corrections. The easiest way to correct mistakes is to do a **Stocktake**.

With mSupply Mobile, you can easily do a stocktake for:

- The full inventory; or
- A limited range of items (such as all your anti-malarials); or
- A single item (if you notice that the quantity on your shelves is wrong)

Stocktakes

You should already be doing stocktakes with your current ordering systems.



Stocktakes are a very important way to ensure that the orders we are placing are accurate and that the stock will be correct if anyone checks!

Ideally, you should be doing a physical stocktake of each item **EVERY** time you place a main order but this depends on your local policies and procedures (and it may not be possible in larger facilities).

Let's learn how to do a stocktake... Using mSupply Mobile makes doing stocktake a lot easier than before!

Click on Stocktakes

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This brings up a list of all your previous stocktakes.

The description of each stocktake will be shown, with its **Date** and **Status**.

There are two stocktake statuses: In Progress (current) and Finalised (past).

An **In Progress** stocktake is one you are still working on. If you want to keep working on an In Progress stocktake, double click on it.

In Progress stocktakes	
In Progress stocktakes are the stocktakes you are still working on and haven't finalised.	
We strongly recommend only having one In Progress stocktake at any time. This will prevent mistakes when moving between them.	
Finalise or delete old stocktakes before starting new	

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Let's start a new stocktake now...

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Click on New Stocktake

NAME	CREATED DATE	*	STATUS	\$ DELETH
Stocktake 11/8/2016 14:21	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	٥
Stocktake 11/8/2016 14:20	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	0
April full stocktake take	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	0
may full stocktake	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	0
June full stocktake take	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	0
July full stocktake	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	0
august full stocktake	Thu Aug 11 2016		In Progress	0

Select the items you wish to count

Select items by highlighting them in the far right **Selected** column. It's possible to tap selected items to remove previously selected items.

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CODE	\$	NAME	*	SELECTED
030063		Acetylsalicylic Acid 100mg tabs		•
030062		Acetylsalicylic Acid 300mg tabs		0
030453		Amoxicillin 250mg tabs		0
050457		Amoxicillin Dry Powder for Suspension 125mg/5ml Bot/100ml		0
201116		Bandage W.O.W. 15cm wide x 5m roll		0
047288		Benzyl penicilin Injection 1000000 Unit		0
047290		Benzyl penicilin Injection 500.0000 Unit (300 mg)		0
031661		Captopril scored 25mg tabs		0
042304		Cloxacillin Sodium Injection Powder Vial/500mg		0
COV1		COVID19 Vaccine AstraZeneca		0
07_9898		DPT Vaccine		0
088882		Ibuprofen 200mg tablets		0

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If you want to include every item or most items, click **All Items Selected**.

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030062		Acetylsalicylic Acid 300mg tabs			•
030453		Amoxicillin 250mg tabs			•
050457		Amoxicillin Dry Powder for Suspension 125mg/5ml Bot/100ml			•
201116		Bandage W.O.W. 15cm wide x 5m roll			•
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COV1		COVID19 Vaccine AstraZeneca			•
07_9898		DPT Vaccine			
088882		Ibuprofen 200mg tablets			
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To hide items with 0 stock, select the 'Hide Stockouts' toggle.

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ODE	¢	NAME		SELECTED
37020		Paracetamol 500mg tabs		0
30063		Acetylsalicylic Acid 100mg tabs		0
88882		Ibuprofen 200mg tablets		0
OV1		COVID19 Vaccine AstraZeneca		0
38423		Salbutamol scored 2mg tabs		0
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50457		Amoxicillin Dry Powder for Suspension 125mg/5ml Bot/100ml		0
st		test		0
30062		Acetylsalicylic Acid 300mg tabs		0

Give your stocktake a logical name

For example, 'April Full Stocktake'.

Then click **Create**.

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03_0061	Acetylsalicylic Acid double scored 500mg tabs		۲
04_0084	Adrenaline HCL (Epinephrine) Injection 1mg/ml Amp/1ml		۲
03_0200	Albendazole scored 400mg tabs		۲
03_0280	Aluminium Hydroxide 500mg tabs		۲
03_0452	Amoxicillin 500mg tabs		۲
05_0457	Amoxicillin Dry Powder for Suspension 125mg/Sml Bot/60ml		۲
04_0505	Ampicillin Injection Powder Vial/1gm		۲
04_0654	Artemether Injection 80mg/ml Amp/1ml		۲
03_0630	Artemether/Lumefantrine 20mg/120mg (>35 kg) tabs 6x4		۲
03_0651	Artemether/Lumefantrine 20mg/120mg (15-25 kg) tabs 6x2		۲
4. 03_0632	Artemether/Lumefantrine 20mg/120mg (25-35kg) tabs 6x3		۲

This will bring up the Stocktake Editor

This lists each item (including **Item Code**, **Item Name** and **Unit** as set up in mSupply Desktop), its **Snapshot Quantity** and its **Actual Quantity** (from the physical count).

The **Snapshot Quantity** is what the system THINKS you have. If it is correct (when compared with your physical count), you don't need to do anything!

The **Actual Quantity** is what you have actually counted. You can change this by clicking in that column and typing in the correct quantity.

Note that **Quantity** in mSupply mobile currently refers to the actual quantity of an item (i.e. the number of units) and not the number of packs.

For each item, compare your physical count with the Snapshot Quantity

Update incorrect item quantities by clicking in the **Actual Quantity** column.

If you change the amount of stock you have in the Actual Quantity column, this variation will now show in in the **Difference** column.

This can take some time but remember - if the **Snapshot Quantity** is correct, you don't need to do anything!

ITEM CODE	¢	ITEM NAME	UNIT	SNAPSHOT QUANTITY \$	ACTUAL QUANTITY \$	DIFFERENCE \$
030063		Acetylsalicylic Acid 100mg tabs	Tablet	6000	5000	-1000
030062		Acetylsalicylic Acid 300mg tabs	Tablet	3500	Not Counted	N/A
030453		Amoxicillin 250mg tabs	Tab	8000	7800	-200
050457		Amoxicillin Dry Powder for Suspension 125mg/5ml Bot/100ml	Bottle	500	490	-10
201116		Bandage W.O.W. 15cm wide x 5m roll.	Roll	300	Not Counted	N/A

If prompted, enter a reason for inventory adjustments

If your stocktake screen shows a **Reason** column, you must enter a reason for any positive or negative inventory adjustments.



As of v5.0.0 of mSupply mobile, the reason column is only displayed for stocktake batches and will not appear on the stocktake screen

Options must be enabled for **Stocktake Line Adjustments** on the mSupply desktop server and synced to mSupply Mobile to enable reasons for inventory adjustments. If the **Actual Quantity** entered is different from the **Snapshot Quantity**, you will be prompted to select a **Reason** for the **Difference** from a standard list. You will not be able to continue until a reason is selected.

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To change the reason, click on the cell again.

Edit batch-specific information

You can adjust batch-specific information or add new batches by clicking the item's **Batches** icon.

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030063	Acetylsalicylic Acid 100mg tabs	100	50	-50	C Expired	*
050457	Amoxicillin Dry Powder for Suspension 125mg/5ml B	10	Not Counted	0	Not applicable	
12763	Glipizide 5 mg tablets	200	Not Counted	0	Not applicable	*
088882	Ibuprolen 200mg tablets	300	220	-80	C Expired	A
037020	Paracetamol 500mg tabs	1000	980	-20	C Expired	۸
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In this example there is only one batch of paracetamol.

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By batch	Paracetamol 500mg tabs				Add Barch
	BATCH NAME	EXPIRY	SNAPSHOT QUANTITY	ACTUAL QUANTITY	DIFFERENCE
	supplierinvoice_2	mm/yy	1000	980	-20

If there are multiple batches:

- Inventory adjustments will be automatically made to the batch that arrived first (i.e. first in first out).
 - In this example there are three batches of ibuprofen. The Snapshot Quantity was 300 and the Actual Quantity was 220. The Difference of 80 was automatically taken away from the batch that arrived first. However, this can be manually changed in this screen.

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By batch Ibuprofen 200mg tablets					Add Batch
BATCH NAME	EXPIRY	SNAPSHOT GUANTITY	ACTUAL QUANTITY	DIFFERENCE	REASON
supplierinvoice_3	07/2012	100	20	-80	🗭 Broken
supplierinvoice_3	07/2012	100	Not Counted	0	
supplierinvoice_3	07/2012	100	Not Counted	0	

- The inventory adjustment reason selected will automatically apply to all batches.
 - However, separate reasons for different batches can be manually changed in this screen.
 In this example we have updated the inventory adjustment of 80 among the batches of ibuprofen, with separate reasons for each batch.

07/2012	100			
	200	60	-40	C Expired
07/2012	100	80	-20	C Expired
07/2012	100	80	-20	🕑 Wastage

When you are finished making changes in the **Batches** screen, click **OK**.

Note: The main stocktake screen will only show the most common reason among the batches for an item's inventory adjustment.

When you are finished...

Click Finalise.



This will update all your stock levels to match the quantities you have entered in the **Actual Quantity** column.

Like always with mSupply Mobile, you don't need to be connected to the internet to do this - the information will sync in the background when internet becomes available.

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