

Limited Availability Window for Sales Products

What does it do?

This option can be used to simplify the process of covering shortages for sales products by overriding the first come first serve functionality and only considering sales shortages for a short time in the future.



This affects sale products only and NOT rental/hire products being sold

How does it work?

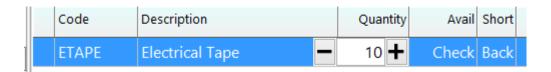
By default, when first come first serve is on, the first item booked gets the stock first. Since sales products are not coming back, any sales entered will affect any other sales booking.

With the 'limited window functionality', the sales are considered in the order they will leave the warehouse as opposed to the order they were entered. The following is an explanation of the 'Limited Availability Window for Sales' functionality.

When a sale item is entered for a future booking (beyond the time period specified), it will initially display 'Check Back' in the avail and short columns and will not appear on the shortage grid. If you hover over the avail column, it will show the date to 'check back' and see if there are any shortages for the sales item.

ETAPE - Electrical Tape Stock: 20

BOOKING A QTY: 10 **CHECK BACK** OUT: Jan 1 2017



BOOKING B QTY: 20 **Available: 20** OUT: Mar 20 2016

Code	Description	Quantity	Avail
ETAPE	Electrical Tape	20 🛨	20

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Considerations

Using the limited window will require that bookings are re-opened once they fall within the window to ensure the shortages covered.

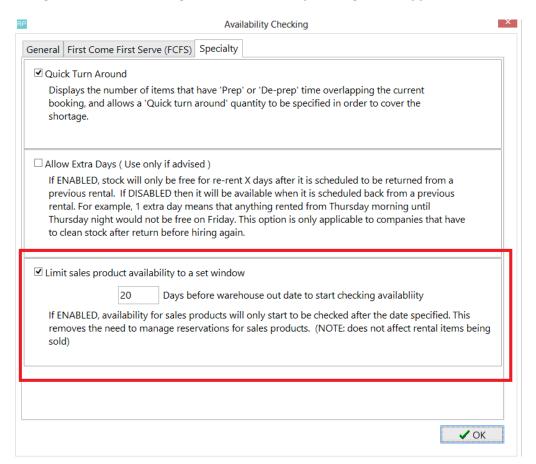
For instance with a window of 20 days a booking going out on Apr 21st will need to be opened after Apr 1st to calculate the availability.

Parameters

See Operational parameter #6.

When 'first come first serve' is enabled the 'Limit sales product availability to a set window' option will appear on the Specialty tab.

Enter the number of days to start checking availability ahead of the start date. **This should be enough time to make arrangements to cover any shortages that appear.**



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