

Stock Control

All details of stock lines are held such as stock levels, locations, prices, suppliers etc. We can equip the stock module with regularly updated manufacturer and third party price files. This module also allows for invoicing and will both read and write bar codes. A full history of each and every stock movement is kept for reporting. Powerful text searches, optional links to fiche software and bar coding enable stock codes to be rapidly identified. This system is purpose designed to work at Point of Sale and thus has built in till reporting, credit card authorisation, bar-code reading and receipt printing as standard features. Motorcycle trade specific features such as supercessions and kits are all easily handled. One of this modules strongest features is its aggressive search facility. Stock items can be searched for on any word or combination of words contained in the stock description at any point in the package that a stock code is required. Stock codes exist but effectively never need to be used.

Full bill of materials features are incorporated enabling stock to be broken down to 10 levels of subcomponents.

Create and Edit Stock Records

- All stock details are entered from a single screen
- Up to 15 character stock code
- Extensive 30 character by three line stock description



- Limitless number of stock lines
- Easy entry and amend routine using cursor movement keys
- Limitless number of suppliers per stock line
- Up to 3 cost prices for each supplier
- Create quantity break discounts
- Limitless number of sales prices per stock line

- Maximum & minimum stock levels for reordering
- Stock lines may be grouped and given up to 9 analysis codes for reporting purposes.



- Rapid entry of similar items by copying details
- Supersession information may be entered if appropriate
- Up to 999 Product Pictures maybe stored against each stock item.

Stock Enquiries

- Has a rapid routine to display stock levels & prices.
- Designed to allow the user to find a stock line without the code by ranging on any or a combination of the following: -
 - Stock group
 - Stock code range
 - Stock application
 - Supplier
 - Any word/part word from the stock description
- Stock alternatives displayed if required
- Prices may be displayed per line (including cost) for telephone enquiries etc.
- Items out of stock highlighted in colour.

Parts File Maintenance

- Full bill of materials to 10 levels of subcomponents
- Limitless number of components at each level
- Automatic assembly from sub-components
- Automatic disassembly to sub-components
- Comprehensive reports
- Provides picking list for assembly if required

Stock Reports

- A very comprehensive range of standard reports including price lists and supplier lists is available.
- Extremely powerful report generator for designing custom reports
- Reports may be directed to either screen or printer as required
- All reports may be ranged to provide only relevant information
- Reports ranged on stock code, group, and supplier etc.

Price Groups & Depots

- Quick amendments to depot information
- Quick amendments to price groups

Stock Alternatives

- Set up alternative stock lines for use in enquiries & invoicing options
- Printed/screen report listing alternatives by stock line

Stock Applications

- Set up applications for which stock items may be used (applications may be vehicles, machines etc.)
- Assign stock lines to applications for use from enquiries & invoicing
- Report of applications to screen or printer

Stock Movements

- Quick entry of sales, purchases & stock level adjustments
- Move stock from depot to depot
- Displays standard prices & margins during sales or purchase updates in order to monitor profitability
- Standard prices & location may be altered during Posting

Stock History

- A complete audit for stock level changes
- Viewed summary of previous 36 months history per stock line
- No limit to length of time that history may be held
- All reports may be ranged on group, account, dates etc.
- Sophisticated history indexing ensures rapid recall of data
- Stock history may be selectively removed as required

Motor Cycle Parts Guide Support

- MPG is an electronic parts catalogue containing data supplied by the Motor Insurance Repair Research Centre.
- MPG can be started from within Stock Control (also Workshop and Order Processing) and will import part codes into invoices etc.

Account Information

- Set up customers standard price range for invoicing
- Set up customer price ranges & stock group matrix for invoicing
- Set up customers normal payment method, invoice type etc.

Surcharges Outstanding

- Monitors any Surcharges Held
- Printed Report of any Surcharges Held
- Automatic Removal of Unclaimed Surcharges after Specified Period

Mail shots

- Enter & delete names & addresses
- Produce mail shot letters
- Produce mail shot list for use with external word processor
- Letters may be amended using most word processors or editors

Bar-coding

- All leading retail barcode formats may be read.
 - Is compatible with a wide range of scanners (flat bed, gun etc).

Re-Ordering

- Flexible range of stock items on report to give report by supplier, stock group etc. user defined formula to calculate maximum & minimum levels.
 - Any number of formulae may be held & used.

Deposits Outstanding

- Monitors deposits held on behalf of clients
- Prints report of deposits held

Stock Labelling

- May be printed on any size label.
- Barcodes printed.
- Extremely flexible format allows text, description, price, etc. to be positioned to an accuracy of 1mm.
- Will automatically print labels when booking in stock if required.

Till Maintenance

- Till information stored
- Cash up and cash reconciliation
- Auditable report of transactions through the till

Batch Tracking

- This feature may be used to keep track of individual batches of stock. This is essential in many trades in order to comply with British & International standards.

Stock Take

- Dedicated stock take option ranged by stock codes, groups and suppliers
- Report in location or stock code order
- Simple & fast stock adjustment facility to post discrepancies

Lost Sales

- Records any lost sales
- Lost sales reports
- Lost sales information used in re-order formulae

Invoicing

- Quick and easy "back order" entry system including the taking of deposits & receipt printing
- Rapid data entry using the fewest keystrokes possible Stock enquiries including details of "back orders"
- Full & simple search by description
- View previous sales prices by stock code & account
- View previous purchase prices by stock line
- Access to supersession detail enables rapid
- Access to Oldest or Newest Part Code
- New Sales Accounts may be entered without leaving the Option
- Invoice may be Produced Immediately or Built up Over a Period
- Advice Notes may be printed in Addition to Invoices
- Quotations & Pro-Forma Invoices may be Printed & Stored then Restored to Invoice at a Later Date if Required
- Credit Note Printed if Appropriate
- Optional Item Limit to Each Invoice if Required
- Deposits may be Taken and Receipts Issued
- Invoices may be printed on Either Plain
- Paper, pre-printed paper, receipt slip, or custom design.
- Prompting acceptance of surcharges if appropriate
- Payment may be accepted for point of sale including on line credit card authorisation
- Payments may be allocated to cash, bank, credit card etc.
- Previously entered deposits may be allocated as payment details are entered
- Previously used delivery addresses may be recalled & re-used
- Both line discounts and total invoice discounts may be used
- Settlement discounts may be employed

Miscellaneous

- Web Page Links
- E-mail Addresses, documents and pictures can be opened or viewed from within Platinum.



MANUFACTURERS PARTS & PRICE FILES

Many manufacturers are concerned that their data does not fall into the hands of non-franchised dealers. Pre-converted parts and price files for use with Platinum systems are available for the manufacturers below to give you the most accurate parts and price information as it becomes available. It may be necessary for Catalyst to obtain the specific consent of the data providers prior to supplying these data files. These data files can be pre-installed on your Platinum System so you can be up and running with the latest prices at your fingertips. These files can be very large and have to be preformatted at Catalyst before they can be used. A small administration charge is made each time a manufacturer issues price/parts changes.

Manufacturers Parts/Price Files currently available.

Aprilia	BMW
Ducati	Harley Davidson
Honda	Kawasaki
KTM	Piaggio
Suzuki	Triumph
Yamaha	

3rd Party Parts/Price Files available.

3 Cross	Bickers
Custom Chrome	EBC Brakes
Feridax	Hi Level
Staniforth	Tran Am
Zodiac	

Many smaller manufacturers, even if they do not already do so, may make their parts & price files available on disk, and the [Data Import Module](#) comes into its own, allowing you to convert the data yourself.

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