

Food Accelerators

for Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central

Bundling a number of capabilities important to the food industry, Food Accelerators for Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central reach across business groups and processes to help you streamline your business management while giving you better control and visibility.

Food Accelerators include maintenance management, including asset tracking, finance, purchasing, and inventory keeping. They also let you track catch weights accurately and efficiently, and apply alternate units of measure to items. Industry-tailored financial tools help you manage deductions, promotions, and rebates according to your business needs and practices in account and finance management. A repacking utility supports the frequent tasks of creating a new item with the right item quantities as well as the costs for items, labor, and packaging.

Food Accelerators are part of Food Manufacturing and Distribution for Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central, a richly featured solution suite that also supports effective, agile management of manufacturing, distribution, quality control, costing, and other processes for companies that make and sell food products. The Food Accelerators integrate closely with other functionalities in Food Manufacturing and Distribution, so information becomes pervasive and easily available across your entire operation.



Benefits

- **Maintain all production equipment and facilities in optimal working order** and up to industry and company standards for the food industry.
- **Bring full transparency, effective cost control, and timeliness** to maintenance operations.
- **Record and manage catch weights and dual units of measure** wherever they play a role in your costing, pricing, inventory management, reporting, and other processes.
- **Eliminate contention and arbitrariness in relationships** with customers and vendors by means of accurate, policy-consistent management of deductions, rebates, and promotions.
- **Create new items by repacking goods** as best serves your business goals and customers, while maintaining full lot traceability and cost tracking.

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Features

Asset management	Fully track the status, history, parts, work orders, downtime, and costs associated with your assets, which can be various kinds of equipment as well as facilities, so you can plan and perform maintenance in a timely and cost-efficient manner.
Maintenance categories	You can classify maintenance activities as repairs, preventive maintenance, or other scheduled maintenance; record and review costs by labor, material, and contractor costs; and assign material costs to stock or non-stock.
Preventive maintenance	You can create a usage- or calendar-based maintenance schedule for each asset, and capture maintenance and cost histories along with documentation and illustrations.
Purchasing and inventory	The purchasing function in Food Accelerators supports the acquisition of materials and services for maintenance purposes. You can also commit spare parts and materials to inventory and track them within the solution.
Catch weights	Throughout your processes—purchasing, warehousing, data collection, inventory management, and sales—the solution provides catch weight functionality for accurate tracking, costing, and pricing of varying weights.
Alternate units of measure	When you sell products in different-size packages, you may want to track the number of packages as well as the actual weight or volume sold. You can use this functionality to set up items with two units of measure, which you can use and incorporate into inventory management, pricing, and reporting.
Deductions	The deduction management functionality enables you to record, allocate, write off, and transfer customer deductions in line with your practices for account and finance management. Integration with Microsoft Dynamics Business Central means you can easily apply deductions to invoices and handle them within general ledger accounts.
Promotions and rebates	Flexibly use your own criteria to calculate promotions and rebates for customers and vendors, and to determine sales commissions. The calculated amounts can be accrued in the general ledger, and can also be settled together with invoices.
Repacking	When you want to break up bulk packages into smaller units, combine several items in one, or perform other light assembly, you can use the repacking functionality to accomplish this without setting up a new BOM, simply by creating a repack order that includes all pertinent data. The repacking utility makes it easy to pull in the right item quantities and calculate the expenses of packaging and labor. It enables accurate output costing of the items you create and maintains complete lot traceability.