



Item Replacement Sales Line Replacement

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Overview

Item Replacement allows users to set up replacement items in Inventory Lookup that will be suggested during Sales Document Entry when an item that has an available replacement is entered.

Security

Sales Line Replacement must be enabled in the Security Editor. In 4.1 and later versions, the *Show Only Available Items* sub-setting can be set to True to only display the Sales Line Replacement popup window when replacement items are available. This sub-setting will also default the value of the **Show Only Available Items** check box when the "Sales Line Replacement" screen is manually opened (True for checked, False for unchecked).

The screenshot displays the Security Editor window. At the top, there are buttons for 'Select All' (checked), 'Select None', and 'Copy From...'. Below this is a table with columns 'Access' and 'Name'. The table contains two rows: one with an unchecked checkbox and the name '*replacement', and another with a checked checkbox and the name 'Sales Line Replacement*'. Below the table is a filter bar with a checked checkbox and the text 'Contains([Name], 'replacement')', followed by an 'Edit Filter' button. The main area shows a section titled 'Item_Replacement' with a sub-setting 'Show Only Available Items' set to 'True'. At the bottom, there is a section titled 'Show Only Available Items' with a descriptive text: 'If set to true, Item Replacement plugin will show only items that are available. Defaults to 'False'.'

Access	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	*replacement
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sales Line Replacement*

Contains([Name], 'replacement') Edit Filter

Item_Replacement
Show Only Available Items True

Show Only Available Items
If set to true, Item Replacement plugin will show only items that are available.
Defaults to 'False'.

In 4.1 and later versions, *Item Maintenance* must be enabled to allow setting replacement

items.

Usage

INVENTORY LOOKUP - SETTING UP/ VIEWING REPLACEMENT ITEMS

In Inventory Lookup, search for an item and open the Item Properties tab. An item's existing replacement item will display in the Replaced By field.

In this example, the HD-40 is a replacement for the HD-20:

The screenshot shows the 'Item Properties' tab in a software application. The 'Basic Info' section contains the following fields:

Item Number	HD-20
Description	20 Gig Hard Drive
Short Description	
Generic Description	
Item Type	Sales Inv
Item Class	RM-ACT
Shipping Weight	0.00

The 'Replaced By' field is highlighted with a red box and contains the value 'HD-40'. To the right of the main form, there is a 'Quantity:' section with the following options: On Hand, On Order, Allocated, Backorder, Available, and Reorder F.

In 4.1 and later versions, this field cannot be edited from the Item Properties tab. To set replacement items in these versions, click the ellipsis (...) in the Item Number field to open the "Item Maintenance" screen (*Item Maintenance* must be enabled in the Security Editor).

On the "Item Maintenance" screen Item Information tab, enter a replacement item in the Replaced By field:

The screenshot shows the 'Item Maintenance' screen with the 'Item Information' tab selected. The 'Properties' section contains the following fields:

Item Number:	WIRE-SCD-0001
Item Description:	Single conductor wire
Short Description:	Single wire
Generic Description:	Wire
Replaced By:	
Copy From Item:	

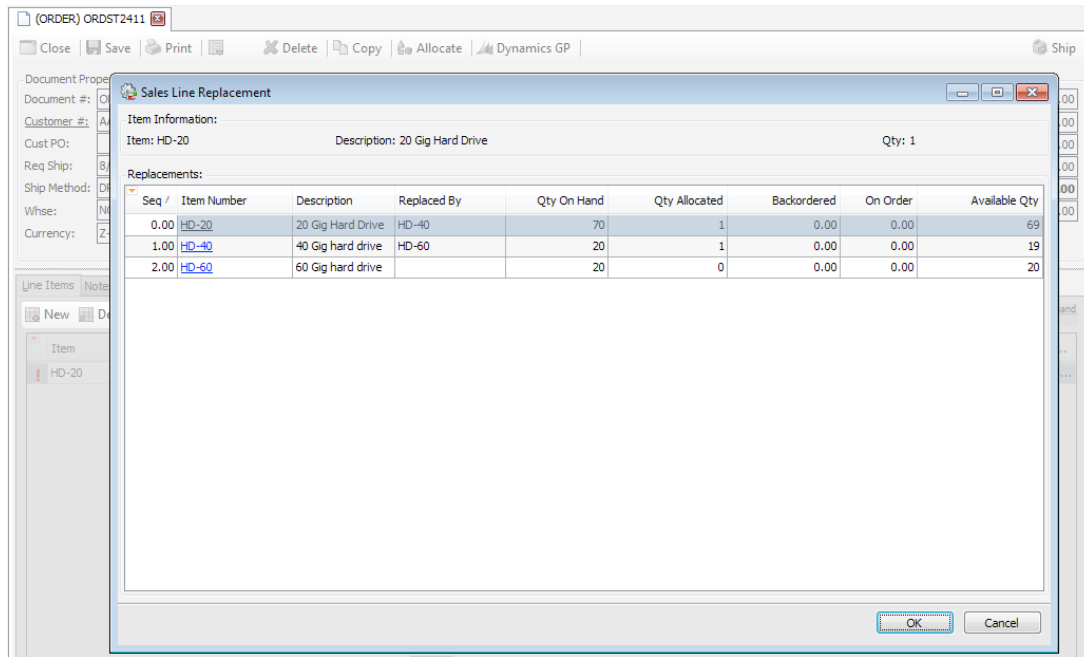
The 'Replaced By' field is highlighted with a red box. The 'Item User I' section on the right shows 'Product Pa' and 'ld_xyz'.

SALES DOCUMENT ENTRY - VIEWING/SELECTING REPLACEMENT ITEMS

The Sales Line Replacement window is designed to display any hierarchy of related items that have been set up as replacements for others, providing an entire list of items to view and select from.


During sales document entry, the "Sales Line Replacement" window will pop up when an item with a replacement option is entered, or if the item is a replacement for other items, displaying a choice of items (and their Available Quantities) that can be added to the

document:



In versions 4.1 and later, this window may automatically pop up regardless of whether the item has replacements, if *Sales Line Replacement > Show Only Available Items* is set to False in the Security Editor.

Also in versions 4.1 and later, the "Sales Line Replacement" window will have a **Show Only Available Items** check box on the right side of the screen that allows users to hide replacements with no available items.

At any point during sales document entry, you can access this list and choose a replacement item by selecting the line item, clicking the **Actions** () dropdown menu on the Line Items tab, and selecting Sales Line Replacement.