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Tesco, a multi-national grocery retailer, enlisted the support of RGIS to assess, identify and correct issues in select departments within their supply chain. The aim of the project was to re-set stock records held in pick locations, which improves stock availability, pick accuracy, maximises customer experience and drives sales.



REQUIREMENT

- Deliver a cost effective, targeted, inventory reset programme without compromising the distribution centre operation or customer service
- · Improved inventory accuracy, driving improved pick availability and the right stock in supply chain at the right time
- Business insight in to product performance
- · Identify losses and construct a plan to minimise in future



SOLUTION

RGIS worked collaboratively to produce a robust operational delivery plan, which required agreement and approval from multiple stakeholders. RGIS was able to:

- · Provide dedicated Key Management and project support staff
- Assembling 80+ trained employees to conduct a wall-to-wall inventory correction programme across five separate sites
- Utilising real-time information, check, correct and update inventory records without affecting Live-Pick requirements
- · Compare Physical Count vs. On-Hand Quantities, to identify and eliminate losses
- · Identify how to increase the availability of fast-selling/fast-pick lines within the primary pick location, reducing need to pick from reserve locations, reducing down-time and improving DC efficiency



RESULTS

Through a proactive partnership approach, RGIS supported to achieve:

- · Improved order fulfillment and pick efficiency, and corrected 'out-of-stock' issues
- Greater stock record accuracy, lower stock write-off, cleaner pick locations which resulted in reducing wastage and loss
- Real-time proof of delivery and site management
- Excellent operational accuracy, with > 99% Accuracy Control

RGIS was able to assess, identify and correct issues in select departments within the customer's supply chain, which in turn improved stock availability, pick accuracy, maximised the customer experience and drove sales



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