



Periscope Production Planning is fundamental to executing an industry leading fresh operation. The solution is driven by the Periscope forecast engine and aligns production of retail products (either produced in-store or in a central kitchen) to meet anticipated sales demand under varying sales conditions. Periscope's forecast engine has been developed specifically for the grocery industry and is capable of handling volatile sales patterns often found in fresh sales.

Value-added features include:

- Centrally-defined Production Plans — Organizes like retail products into unique production plans for specific periods (e.g. intra-day or multi-day) to optimize product freshness and labor utilization;
- Real time Perpetual Inventory — Captures real time sales, shrink and production data from in-store systems to manage an accurate balance on hand throughout the day at the product level;
- Accurate Production Recommendations — Forecasts required production quantities by retail product to meet anticipated sales demand while accounting for a minimum presentation quantity and the current balance on hand;
- Preparation and Production Worksheets — Provides store associates or the central kitchen with detailed worksheets organized around workflow processes available in a variety of mediums such as tablets, touchscreens, or print-outs;
- Out-of-Stock Alerting — Generates alerts on products that are approaching an out-of-stock position so store associates can replenish products to ensure adequate on-shelf availability; and
- User-defined Exception-based Reporting — Provides category specialists and store / department managers with real time access to performance data such as sales, shrink, out-of-stocks as well as compliance reporting to drive effective use of the production plans.

Partial Periscope Client List



Benefits with Impact

Grocery retailers using Periscope Production Planning will realize material benefits, including:

- Higher operating margins by optimizing on-shelf availability to maximize product sales and minimize shrink;
- An enhanced shopper experience due to improved product freshness by aligning production cycles with desired on-shelf times;
- A reduction in markdowns due to unnecessary amounts of excess product being merchandised;
- Labor efficiencies realized by streamlining production processes allowing more time for customer-serving activities; and
- Access to real time operating and performance data at all levels of the enterprise (e.g. division, district and store) using user-defined exception-based reporting designed for easy interpretation and specific action planning.

About Invatron Systems Corp.

Invatron Systems Corp. is a leading global technology company specializing in Fresh Item (Periscope) and Scale (E-Plum) Management software solutions for supermarket chains around the world. Our Periscope and E-Plum solutions are deployed collectively in over 20,000 supermarket stores worldwide, actively supporting the in-store execution of fresh operations. We support our customers achieve and maintain a leadership position in their fresh food offering by enhancing sales, reducing shrink, improving overall freshness and maximizing operating margins.

Contact Us

6835 Century Avenue, Suite 201
Mississauga, Ontario
Canada L5N 7K2

Phone: +1 888-867-7586 • +1 905-363-3299

Fax: +1 905-363-3298

Email: sales@invatron.com