



# 846 Inventory Inquiry/Advice

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# 846 Inventory Inquiry/Advice

Functional Group=**IB**

**Purpose:** This Draft Standard for Trial Use contains the format and establishes the data contents of the Inventory Inquiry/Advice Transaction Set (846) for use within the context of an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) environment. The transaction set can be used in the following ways: (1) for a seller of goods and services to provide inventory information to a prospective purchaser, with no obligation to the purchaser to acquire these goods or services; (2) for a representative of a seller of goods and services to supply inventory information to that seller; (3) for one location to supply another location with inventory information; and (4) for an inquiry as to the availability of inventory with no obligation on the seller of goods and services to reserve that inventory.

**Heading:**

<u>Pos</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Segment Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Max Use</u>	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Usage</u>
010	ST	Transaction Set Header	M	1			Must use
020	BIA	Beginning Segment for Inventory Inquiry/Advice	M	1			Must use
050	DTM	Date/Time Reference	O	10		N1/050	Used
<b>LOOP ID - N1</b>					<b>5</b>		
080	N1	Name	O	1			Used

**Detail:**

<u>Pos</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Segment Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Max Use</u>	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Usage</u>
<b>LOOP ID - LIN</b>					<b>10000</b>		
010	LIN	Item Identification	M	1			Must use
100	DTM	Date/Time Reference	M	10			Used
140	REF	Reference Numbers	O	>1			Used
<b>LOOP ID - QTY</b>					<b>99</b>		
320	QTY	Quantity	O	1			Used

**Summary:**

<u>Pos</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Segment Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Max Use</u>	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Usage</u>
010	CTT	Transaction Totals	O	1		N3/010	Used
020	SE	Transaction Set Trailer	M	1			Must use

**Notes:**

- 1/050 Provides the date/time on which the inventory levels were current. This may not be the same date as BIA04.
- 3/010 Number of line items (CTT01) is the accumulation of number of LIN segments. If used, hash total (CTT02) is the sum of the values of the quantities (QTY02) of each QTY segment.

**Simplot Example:**

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ST\846\12388#
BIA\00\LC\Inventory Number\221027\060024#
DTM\007\221027\060024\20#
N1\WH\91\Warehouse Number#
LIN\IVP\11377\LT\1567316#
DTM\511\250801#
QTY\17\142#
LIN\IVP\12652\LT\15MAR22BAT#
DTM\511\250301#
QTY\17\2425#
LIN\IVP\12653\LT\09MAY22BAT#
DTM\511\250501#
QTY\17\1146#
LIN\IVP\12653\LT\17MAY21BAT#
    
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DTM511240501#  
QTY17176#  
LIN\IVP\12755\LT\1565442#  
DTM511250601#  
QTY171836#  
LIN\IVP\12755\LT\1577456#  
DTM511251001#  
QTY171294#  
LIN\IVP\12814\LT\22AUG2022#  
DTM511230523#  
REF\08\322#  
QTY17111#  
LIN\IVP\12824\LT\1564623#  
DTM511250701#  
QTY171420#  
LIN\IVP\13078\LT\1560267#  
DTM511250701#  
QTY17127#  
LIN\IVP\34448\LT\1558842#  
DTM511270401#  
QTY17117#  
LIN\IVP\34448\LT\1567664#  
DTM511270801#  
QTY1711133#  
CTT\83#  
SE\257\12388#

# ST Transaction Set Header

Pos: 010	Max: 1
Heading - Mandatory	
Loop: N/A	Elements: 2

**User Option (Usage):** Must use

**Purpose:** To indicate the start of a transaction set and to assign a control number

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
ST01	143	Transaction Set Identifier Code	M	ID	3/3	Must use

**Description:** Code uniquely identifying a Transaction Set.

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 236, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

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ST02	329	Transaction Set Control Number	M	AN	4/9	Must use
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**Description:** Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set

**Simplot Note:** *Unique number assigned by the originator.*

# BIA Beginning Segment for Inventory Inquiry/Advice

Pos: 020	Max: 1
Heading - Mandatory	
Loop: N/A	Elements: 5

**User Option (Usage):** Must use

**Purpose:** To indicate the beginning of an inventory inquiry/advice transaction set.

## Element Summary:

Ref	Id	Element Name	Req	Type	Min/Max	Usage
BIA01	353	Transaction Set Purpose Code	M	ID	2/2	Must use

**Description:** Code identifying purpose of transaction set.

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 49, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

00 Original

BIA02	755	Report Type Code	M	ID	2/2	Must use
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**Description:** Code indicating the title or contents of a document, report or supporting item

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 258, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

LC Location Inventory Report

BIA03	127	Reference Number	M	AN	1/30	Must use
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**Description:** Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.

**Simplot Note:**

*This is the sender's internal number used to identify the transaction in their application system.*

BIA04	373	Date	M	DT	6/6	Must use
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**Description:** Date (YYMMDD).

**Simplot Note:**

*The date the transaction was generated on the sender's application system. It is analogous to the date placed on the paper document; the date it was written.*

BIA05	337	Time	O	TM	4/8	Used
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**Description:** Time expressed in 24-hour clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD, where H = hours (00-23), M = minutes (00-59), S = integer seconds (00-59) and DD = decimal seconds; decimal seconds are expressed as follows: D = tenths (0-9) and DD = hundredths (00-99)

**Simplot Note:**

*The time the transaction was generated on the sender's application system.*

# DTM Date/Time Reference

Pos: 050	Max: 10
Heading - Optional	
Loop: N/A	Elements: 4

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To specify pertinent dates and times

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
DTM01	374	Date/Time Qualifier	M	ID	3/3	Must use

**Description:** Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time.

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 601, Included: 1)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Name</u>
007	Effective

DTM02	373	Date	X	DT	6/6	Used
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**Description:** Date (YYMMDD).

**Simplot Note:** Stock reconciliation date.

DTM03	337	Time	X	TM	4/8	Used
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**Description:** Time expressed in 24-hour clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD, where H = hours (00-23), M = minutes (00-59), S = integer seconds (00-59) and DD = decimal seconds; decimal seconds are expressed as follows: D = tenths (0-9) and DD = hundredths (00-99)

**Simplot Note:** Stock reconciliation time (HHMMSS).

DTM05	624	Century	O	N0	2/2	Used
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**Description:** The first two characters in the designation of the year (CCYY).

**Simplot Note:** Century value of stock reconciliation date.

# Loop Name

Pos: 080	Repeat: 5
Optional	
Loop: N1	Elements: N/A

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To identify a party by type of organization, name and code

## Loop Summary:

<u>Pos</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Segment Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Max Use</u>	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Usage</u>
080	N1	Name	O	1		Used

# N1 Name

Pos: 080	Max: 1
Heading - Optional	
Loop: N1	Elements: 3

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To identify a party by type of organization, name and code

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
N101	98	Entity Identifier Code	M	ID	2/2	Must use

**Description:** Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, or an individual

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 687, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

WH Warehouse

N103	66	Identification Code Qualifier	X	ID	1/2	Used
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**Description:** Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67).

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 138, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

91 Assigned by Seller or Seller's Agent

N104	67	Identification Code	X	AN	2/17	Used
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**Description:** Code identifying a party or other code.

**Simplot Note:** Warehouse number assigned by Simplot (2 alpha)

# Loop Item Identification

Pos: 010	Repeat: 10000
Mandatory	
Loop: LIN	Elements: N/A

**User Option (Usage):** Must use

**Purpose:** To specify basic item identification data.

## Loop Summary:

<u>Pos</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Segment Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Max Use</u>	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Usage</u>
010	LIN	Item Identification	M	1		Must use
100	DTM	Date/Time Reference	M	10		Used
140	REF	Reference Numbers	O	>1		Used
320		Loop QTY	O		99	Used

# LIN Item Identification

Pos: 010	Max: 1
Detail - Mandatory	
Loop: LIN	Elements: 4

**User Option (Usage):** Must use

**Purpose:** To specify basic item identification data.

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
LIN02	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	M	ID	2/2	Must use

**Description:** Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234).

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 307, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

VP Vendor's (Seller's) Part Number

LIN03	234	Product/Service ID	M	AN	1/30	Must use
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**Description:** Identifying number for a product or service.

**Simplot Note:** *Simplot JDE product number (15 alpha)*

LIN04	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID	2/2	Used
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**Description:** Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234).

**Simplot Note:** *LIN04 and LIN05 will only be entered if the Simplot Lot ID is non blank.*

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 307, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

LT Lot Number

LIN05	234	Product/Service ID	X	AN	1/30	Used
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**Description:** Identifying number for a product or service.

**Simplot Note:** *Simplot Lot ID. (10 alpha)*

*This is usually a manufacture or use-by date in DDMMYY format.*

# DTM Date/Time Reference

Pos: 100	Max: 10
Detail - Mandatory	
Loop: LIN	Elements: 2

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To specify pertinent dates and times

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
DTM01	374	Date/Time Qualifier	M	ID	3/3	Must use

**Description:** Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time.

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 601, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

511 Shelf Life Expiration

DTM02	373	Date	X	DT	6/6	Used
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**Description:** Date (YYMMDD).

# REF Reference Numbers

Pos: 140	Max: >1
Detail - Optional	
Loop: LIN	Elements: 2

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To specify identifying numbers.

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
REF01	128	Reference Number Qualifier	M	ID	2/2	Must use

**Description:** Code qualifying the Reference Number.

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 859, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

08 Carrier Assigned Package Identification Number

REF02	127	Reference Number	X	AN	1/30	Used
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**Description:** Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.

**Simplot Note:** Refer 5.15.2.2 for status codes

# Loop Quantity

Pos: 320	Repeat: 99
Optional	
Loop: QTY	Elements: N/A

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To specify quantity information.

## Loop Summary:

<u>Pos</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Segment Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Max Use</u>	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Usage</u>
320	QTY	Quantity	O	1		Used

# QTY Quantity

Pos: 320	Max: 1
Detail - Optional	
Loop: QTY	Elements: 3

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To specify quantity information.

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
QTY01	673	Quantity Qualifier	M	ID	2/2	Must use

**Description:** Code specifying the type of quantity.

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 326, Included: 1)

**Code Name**

17 Quantity on Hand

QTY02	380	Quantity	M	R	1/15	Must use
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**Description:** Numeric value of quantity.

**Simplot Note:** Stock on Hand in cartons (8,0 numeric), in kilograms (8,2 numeric) or each (8,0 numeric)

QTY03	355	Unit or Basis for Measurement Code	O	ID	2/2	Used
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**Description:** Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken

**Code List Summary** (Total Codes: 719, Included: 3)

**Code Name**

CT Carton

EA Each

KG Kilogram

# CTT Transaction Totals

Pos: 010	Max: 1
Summary - Optional	
Loop: N/A	Elements: 1

**User Option (Usage):** Used

**Purpose:** To transmit a hash total for a specific element in the transaction set

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
CTT01	354	Number of Line Items	M	N0	1/6	Must use

**Description:** Total number of line items in the transaction set.

# SE Transaction Set Trailer

Pos: 020	Max: 1
Summary - Mandatory	
Loop: N/A	Elements: 2

**User Option (Usage):** Must use

**Purpose:** To indicate the end of the transaction set and provide the count of the transmitted segments (including the beginning (ST) and ending (SE) segments).

## Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>Id</u>	<u>Element Name</u>	<u>Req</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Min/Max</u>	<u>Usage</u>
SE01	96	<b>Number of Included Segments</b>	M	N0	1/10	Must use

**Description:** Total number of segments included in a transaction set including ST and SE segments.

**Simplot Note:** *Usually generated by EDI software.*

SE02	329	<b>Transaction Set Control Number</b>	M	AN	4/9	Must use
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**Description:** Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set

**Simplot Note:** *Same number as ST02.*