



Four Seasons Fairways

Mobile Logistics

Founded in 1989, Four Seasons Fairways is inserted in Quinta do Lago, one of the most prestigious luxury resorts in Algarve. This tourist resort consists of a set of villas and luxury apartments, fully equipped, and offers a safe and peaceful environment, with varied facilities and services of the clubhouse.

The villas and luxury apartments represent a Portuguese architecture with an amazing garden view. The Four Seasons Fairways Clubhouse, offers the following services: outdoorpool, indoor heated pool, jacuzzi, sauna and Turkish bath, gym, tennis courts, snooker room, golf shop, internet cafe, hairdresser and beauty salon and also a supermarket.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Client: Four Seasons Fairways

Activity Sector: Hotelaria e Turismo

Location: Av. André Jordan – Quinta do Lago

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CHALLENGE

- ▶ Error reduction in the release of invoices;
- ▶ Management and stock control;
- ▶ Reduction of time;
- ▶ Simplify tasks (inventory);
- ▶ Effective control of articles available on the supermarket;
- ▶ Resource optimization.

APPROACH

- ▶ Adoption of a complete and integrated logistics solution, which allows time reduction in the management and stocks control and simplify multiple task of inventory performance.

RESULTADOS

- ▶ Cost savings;
- ▶ Effectiveness in product management;
- ▶ Stock control;
- ▶ Time reduction;
- ▶ Release invoices improved;
- ▶ Simplicity of tasks execution.

CHALLENGE

At the end of last year, **Four Seasons Fairways** company took over the supermarket management, which is located on the facilities of the tourist resort. The high number of products and articles provided by the supermarket, led the company to immediately identify some problems such as delays in the release of invoices and inventories, which would eventually submit a waste of time and a very high cost.

Mobile Logistics implementation, was presented as the ideal solution to facilitate the stock management and inventories, streamlining the logistics process, from the receipt to the shipping and inventory.

“With Mobile Logistics solution, the process has been simplified, which allowed us to greatly reduce time either in inventories, at the conference and release invoices.”

Jorge Oliveira, General Director, Four Seasons Fairways

APPROACH

With regard to the obstacles faced, the customer was looking to implement a similar system in the company to that used in another resort in the area. The product has already been presented previously at the **Algardata** facilities reinforcing the long standing partnership between the two companies.

The contact arose naturally and in the evaluation of the company needs was presented **Mobile Logistics** solution.

The solution consists on a tool (**PDA portable**), which allows the reading of articles through barcodes, place orders, entry of goods, invoices and manage better the stocks.

The solution allowed to facilitate the inventory count, simplify release invoices and avoid hiring additional person, resulting in a significant time reduction spent on this task and minimizing errors.



IMPLEMENTATION

The implementation was held normally and gradually, allowing the supermarket maintain fully operational during the implementation period.

Some challenges have emerged, in particular how the creation of articles has been made initially, but **Algardata** team promptly took care of the situation and solve the problem naturally.

During the implementation process of the product was necessary to make some adjustments in the initial configuration, so that in the future all arises as simple and effective manner.

ADVANTAGES

- ▶ Realization of orders;
- ▶ Control of entry of goods and invoices;
- ▶ Identifying/Reading articles by barcode;
- ▶ Better stock management;
- ▶ Time reduction;
- ▶ Ease inventory count;
- ▶ Cost reduction with signings (HR).

IMPLEMENTED SOLUTIONS

- ▶ Mobile Logistics - Warehouse and Logistics Control.

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