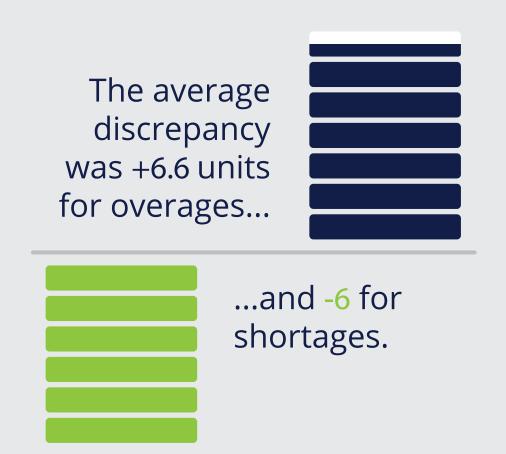
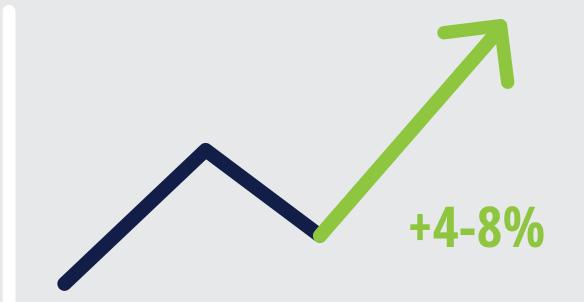
DOES THE ACCURACY INACCURATE INVENTORY RECORDS ARE A MEASURABLE AND SIGNIFICANT DRAIN ON REVENUE. LET'S EXPLORE WHY. AFFECT YOUR BOTTOM LINE? TO PUT IT SIMPLY – YES.

AN ACADEMIC STUDY FUNDED BY THE ECR COMMUNITY SHRINK & OSA GROUP FOUND:



60% of SKUs out of more than 230,000 studied were inaccurate.





The grocery and apparel retailers saw a 4-8% increase in sales when stock levels were corrected.

IT'S CLEAR THAT CORRECTING STOCK ISSUES HAD AN IMMEDIATE IMPACT ON REVENUE.

KEY TAKEAWAYS:

- Utilizing Datascan's self-scan inventory counting model can reduce your overall counting costs up to 40% as compared to an outside service.
- Counting inventory more regularly leads to increased sales, higher productivity, and lower costs.
- Retailers should implement preventative measures to avoid inaccuracies and corrective measures to fix them when they occur.
- It is strongly suggested that retail leaders, to increase sales, should consider the frequency and timing of inventory counts to be a critical strategic initiative especially for fast moving merchandise with high discrepancies.