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HMI UPGRADE
WALKING LEG BIN SITE
WITH LX / MX TREATER

Operators Manual
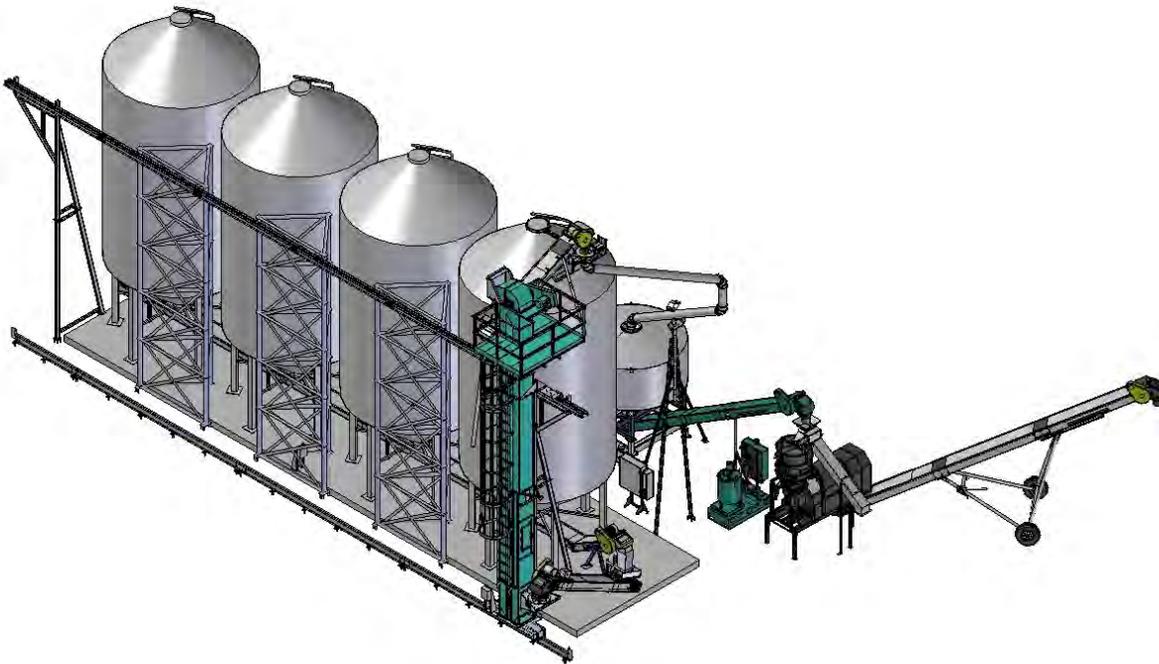
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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing USC, LLC for your equipment needs. We appreciate your business and will work diligently to ensure that you are satisfied with your choice.

OVERVIEW

The purpose of this manual is to provide you with the basic information needed to operate the Bin Site HMI Upgrade. It does not hold USC, LLC liable for any accidents or injuries that may occur.

OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES

As the purchaser/owner/operator of this equipment and control system, you have an obligation to install, operate, and maintain the equipment in a manner that minimizes the exposure of people in your care to any potential hazards inherent in using this equipment. It is critical that the owner of this equipment:

- Has a clear and documented understanding of the process this machine is being used in and of any resulting hazards or special requirements arising from this specific application.

- Allow only properly trained and instructed personnel to install, operate, or service this equipment.

- Maintain a comprehensive safety program involving all who work with this machine and other associated process equipment.

- Establish clear areas of staff responsibility (e.g. operation, setup, sanitation, maintenance, and repairs).

- Provide all personnel with necessary safety equipment.

- Periodically inspect the equipment to insure that the doors, covers, guards, and safety devices are in place and functioning, that all safety   instructions and warning labels are intact and legible, and that the equipment is in good working order.

- In addition to the operating instructions, observe and enforce the applicable legal and other binding regulations, national and local codes.

As the person with the most to gain or loose from working safely, it is important that you work responsibly and stay alert. By following a few simple rules, you can prevent an accident that could injure or kill you or a co-worker.

- Disconnect, lockout, and tagout electrical and all other energy sources before inspecting, cleaning, servicing, repairing, or any other activity that would expose you to the hazards of electrical shock.

- Do not operate, clean, or service this equipment until you have read and understood the contents of this manual. If you do not understand the information in this manual, bring it to the attention of your supervisor, or call your local USC dealer for assistance.

- Any operator who is known or suspected to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs should not be allowed to operate the equipment.

- Understand and follow the safety practices required by your employer and this manual.

- **PAY ATTENTION** to what you and other personnel are doing and how these activities may affect your safety.

- **Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious personal injury or death.**

RECEIVING YOUR EQUIPMENT

As soon as the upgrade kit is received it should be carefully inspected to make certain that it has sustained no damage during shipment and that all items listed on the packing list are accounted for. If there is any damage or shortages, the purchaser must immediately notify USC, LLC. Ownership passes to purchaser when the unit leaves the USC, LLC. premises.

The following items should be in your shipment:

1. 64K PLC memory device.

2. Compact flash drive

3. Installation instructions.

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Electrical Operation

HIGH VOLTAGE ~ Always disconnect the power source before working on or near the control panel or lead wires.

HIGH VOLTAGE ~ Use insulated tools when making adjustments while the controls are under power.

AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL only shall work on the control panel. Never allow anyone who has not read and familiarized themselves with the owner's manual to open or work on the control panel.

This section provides a general overview and description of the operator controls for the Bin Site System.

General Panel Descriptions

This system consists of one panel:

- The Main Control Panel (MCP) is a 36 x 30 x 10 inch enclosure that contains all of the electrical control components as well as the HMI (Human/Machine Interface) touch screen. The air solenoid bank that controls all of the bin site system's air valves is located on the side of and hardwired to the MCP. The operator is able to control the entire system through the HMI. The MCP is connected to the scale head via an Ethernet cable. The MCP may be connected to the Treater MCP via an Ethernet cable, as well. If the walking leg system is tied in with a PLC based treater, then the HMI will be located on the Treater MCP.

Main Control Panel

The following pages explain the function of the touch screen controls.

USC STARTUP SCREEN

This screen is the first screen the operator will see after the system receives power.
Touch this screen to allow the operator to advance to the Main screen.

MAIN SCREEN

This screen informs the operator of the status of all system motors and electrical devices and allows for control / adjustment of system operations.
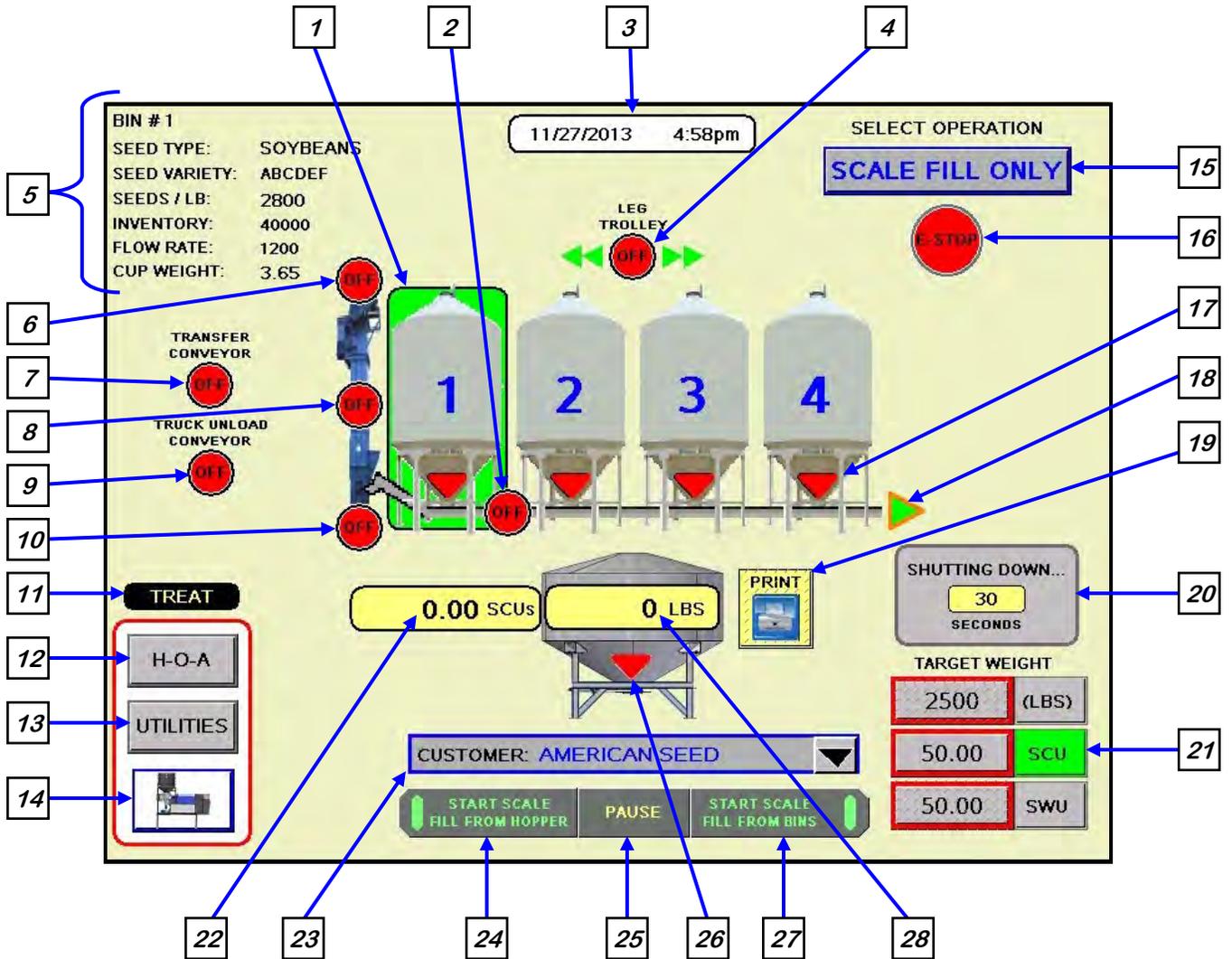
Main Screen Button Descriptions

1. *Bin Selection Indicator:* Informs the operator of the currently selected bin.

2. *Underbin Conveyor Motor Status Indicator:* Informs the operator if the underbin conveyor motor is ON or OFF.

3. *Current Date and Time Display.*

4. *Leg Trolley Module:* Informs the operator if the leg trolley motor is ON or OFF and displays the direction that the leg is traveling.

5. *Current Bin Info:* Displays the bin information that has been entered into the currently selected bin. Includes seed type, seed variety, seeds/lb, inventory, flow rate and cup weight.

6. *Bin Fill Conveyor Motor Status Indicator:* Informs the operator if the bin fill conveyor motor is ON or OFF.

7. *Transfer Conveyor Motor Status Indicator (optional):* Informs the operator if the transfer conveyor motor is ON or OFF. This indicator will only be present if the bin site system has an included transfer conveyor.

8. *Leg Motor Status Indicator:* Informs the operator if the leg motor is ON or OFF.

9. *Truck Unload Conveyor Motor Status Indicator:* Informs the operator if the truck unload conveyor motor is ON or OFF.

10. *Leg Feed Conveyor Motor Status Indicator:* Informs the operator if the leg feed conveyor motor is ON or OFF.

11. *Diverter Indicator (optional):* Informs the operator if the diverter is currently in the TREAT or BYPASS position. This indicator will only be present if the bin site system has a diverter.

12. *H-O-A (Hand-Off-Auto) Button:* This button advances the operator to the H-O-A screen.

13. *UTILITIES Button:* This button advances the operator to the UTILITIES screen.

14. *Treater Button (optional):* This button advances the operator to the treater Main screen. This button is only available if the bin site system is being operated in conjunction with a PLC controlled seed treater.

Main Screen Button Descriptions

15. _SELECT OPERATION Button:_ Pressing this button will bring up a drop down list of possible system operation modes for the operator to choose from (right).
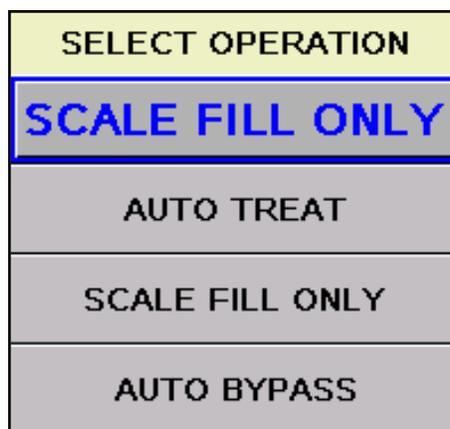
16. _Emergency Stop Indicator:_ This blinking display is activated when the system E-Stop button is activated.

17. _Bin Slide Gate Indicator:_ Informs the operator if the bin slide gate is in the OPEN or CLOSED position.

18. _Underbin Conveyor Reverse Indicator: (optional)_ Informs the operator that the underbin conveyor is currently running in reverse. This indicator will only be present if the bin site system has a reversible underbin conveyor.

19. _PRINT Button:_ Allows the operator to print the current weight in the weigh hopper.

20. _System Shutdown Indicator:_ Informs the operator that the system is in the process of shutting down. The timer in the middle counts down how many seconds are left before shutdown is complete.

21. _TARGET WEIGHT Module:_ Pressing this button brings up a numerical key pad (right).   This allows the operator to enter the amount of seed that is to be pulled in from the selected bin in pounds. The operator can also select to call in seed via seed count units (SCU) or seed weigh units (SWU). If SCU is selected, the system will base the units upon the settings in the Edit Product screen that are attached to specific seed types and the seed count of the currently selected bin. If SWU is selected, the system will base the units upon 50 lbs/unit.

22. _SCU Total Count Display:_ Displays the total weight in the hopper in seed count units.

Main Screen Button Descriptions

23. *CUSTOMER BUTTON:* There are two ways to use this button. First, select the main field and a pop-up keyboard allows you to type a customers name. Second, you may select the down arrow to the right of the main field and bring up the Rolodex pop-up window. If you select Enter Search Name at the top, the same keyboard appears. You may use the up or down arrows to scroll through the customer names already entered in the system or select the file cabinet icon that takes you to the Customer Info page so you may create a new entry. (See page 22)
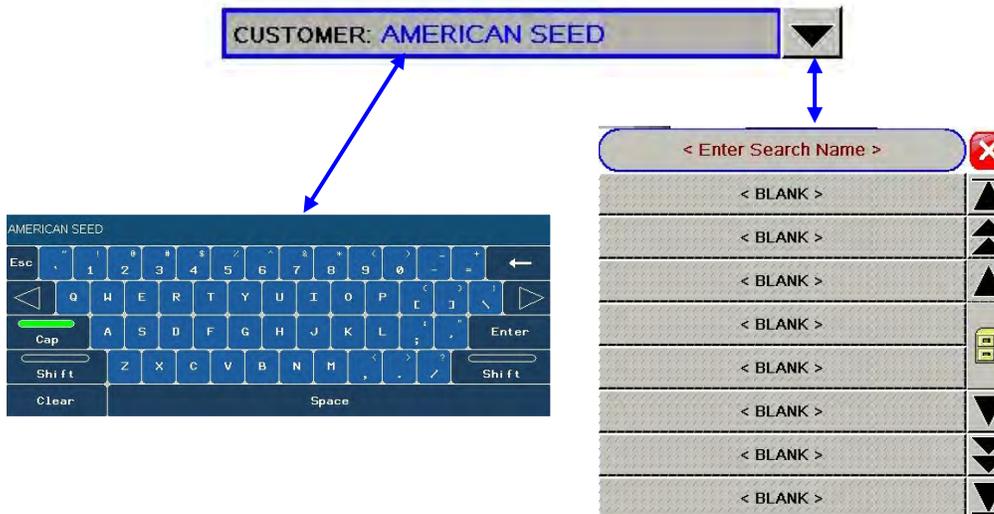
24. *START SCALE FILL FROM HOPPER BUTTON:*
Allows the operator to run seed in the auto mode from a Pro Box hopper.

25. *PAUSE BUTTON:* Allows the operator to pause the ongoing process in the event of a set-up error or an alarm situation. Pushing this button will stop the run. Once the issue is resolved push continue to re-start the process.

26. *Weigh Hopper Slide Gate Button & Indicator:*
Pressing this button will bring up a slide gate control window (right). This allows the operator to manually open and close the slide gate that is located directly below the weigh hopper. Also, the indicator informs the operator if the weigh hopper slide gate is in the OPEN or CLOSED position.

27. *START SCALE FILL FROM BINS Button:* Allows the operator to run seed in the auto mode from the selected bin.

28. *Totalized Weight Display:* Displays the total pounds of seed in the weigh hopper.

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H-O-A (HAND-OFF-AUTO) SCREEN

Hand-Off-Auto controls are provided for most of the automated devices in the system, and are accessed on this screen.

These H-O-A buttons force the selected component to be energized (HAND), de-energized (OFF), or automatically energized by the normal logic sequence (AUTO). The HAND function will cause the component to operate independent of whatever else the system is trying to do automatically. These functions should not normally be used if the automated sequencing is active. **Be sure to understand the impact of energizing or de-energizing a component with the HAND/OFF settings before using them. These commands are not a substitute for lockout/tagout procedures when working on or near this machine. Use proper lockout/tagout procedures to disable the equipment before servicing it.**
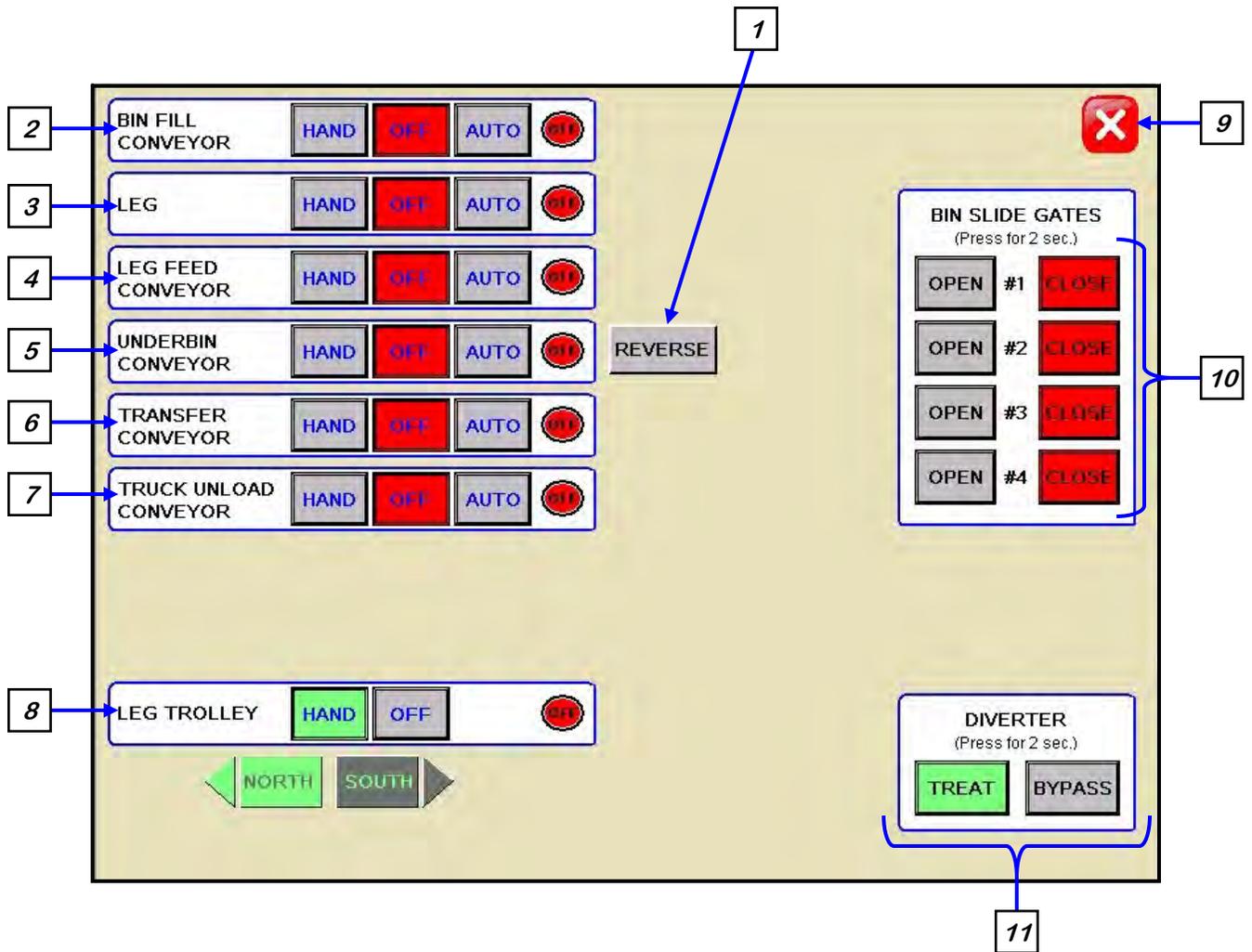
H-O-A Button Descriptions

1. REVERSE Button (optional): This button is only present when the underbin conveyor is in the OFF mode. Pressing it allows the operator to run the underbin conveyor in reverse. Once this button is pressed, the operator will also need to place the underbin conveyor to the HAND mode for the motor to run. **ALWAYS ENSURE THE BELT IS IMMEDIATELY AND PROPERLY ALIGNED WHEN RUNNING IN REVERSE! BELTS WILL OFTEN SHIFT ALIGNMENT WHEN THEIR DIRECTION OF TRAVEL IS REVERSED.** This button will only be present if the bin site system has the reversing option for the underbin conveyor.

2. BIN FILL CONVEYOR Control Module: This module controls the function of the bin fill conveyor. The HAND button will place the bin fill conveyor in the manual mode of operation. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation. The AUTO button will place the device in the automatic mode of operation. The motor will not operate in this function unless all other devices are in the AUTO mode and the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button is pressed on the Main screen or BIN FILL START / STOP button is pressed on the side of the leg.

3. LEG Control Module: This module controls the function of the leg. The HAND button will place the leg in the manual mode of operation. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation. The AUTO button will place the device in the automatic mode of operation. The motor will not operate in this function unless all other devices are in the AUTO mode and the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button is pressed on the main screen or the BIN FILL START/STOP button is pressed on the side of the leg.

4. LEG FEED CONVEYOR Control Module: This module controls the function of the leg feed conveyor. The HAND button will place the leg feed conveyor in the manual mode of operation. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation. The AUTO button will place the device in the automatic mode of operation. The motor will not operate in this function unless all other devices are in the AUTO mode and the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button is pressed on the Main screen or the BIN FILL START/STOP button is pressed on the side of the leg.

5. UNDERBIN CONVEYOR Control Module: This module controls the function of the underbin conveyor. The HAND button will place the underbin conveyor in the manual mode of operation. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation. The AUTO button will place the device in the automatic mode of operation. The motor will not operate in this function unless all other devices are in the AUTO mode and the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button is pressed on the Main screen. If the underbin is equipped with the optional underbin counter and this module is in the AUTO or HAND mode of operation, the REVERSE button next to the module will disappear and will be replaced with a counts per second indicator.

H-O-A Button Descriptions

6. *TRANSFER CONVEYOR Control Module (optional):* This module controls the function of the transfer conveyor. The HAND button will place the transfer conveyor in the manual mode of operation. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation. The AUTO button will place the device in the automatic mode of operation. The motor will not operate in this function unless all other devices are in the AUTO mode and the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button is pressed on the Main screen. This button will only be present if the bin site system has a transfer conveyor.

7. *TRUCK UNLOAD CONVEYOR Control Module:* This module controls the function of the truck unload conveyor. The HAND button will place the truck unload conveyor in the manual mode of operation. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation. The AUTO button will place the device in the automatic mode of operation. The motor will not operate in this function unless all other devices are in the AUTO mode and the BIN FILL START/STOP button is pressed on the side of the leg.

8. *LEG TROLLEY Control Module:* This module controls the function of the leg trolley. The HAND button will place the leg in the manual mode of operation and will pull up a directional control module. The operator can use the directional buttons to control the movement of the leg trolley along the track or use the included remote control to control the trolley as well. The OFF button will turn the associated device in the OFF mode of operation.

9. *Screen EXIT Button:* This button is used to exit back to the previous screen. Its functionality is the same throughout the HMI display.

10. *BIN SLIDE GATES Control Module:* This module allows the operator to manually control the operation of the slide gates that are located underneath each bin. The bin slide gates will be opened and closed automatically when the operator presses the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button on the main screen.

11. *DIVERTER Control Module (optional):* This module controls the function of the diverter. The module allows the operator to choose if the diverter is in the TREAT or BYPASS mode. In TREAT mode seed will be run through the treater and in BYPASS mode seed will be diverted so that it does not pass through the treater. This module will only be present if the bin site system has a diverter.

UTILITIES SCREEN

This screen allows the operator to set various system parameters and gives access to the Reports, Security and Alarms screens.
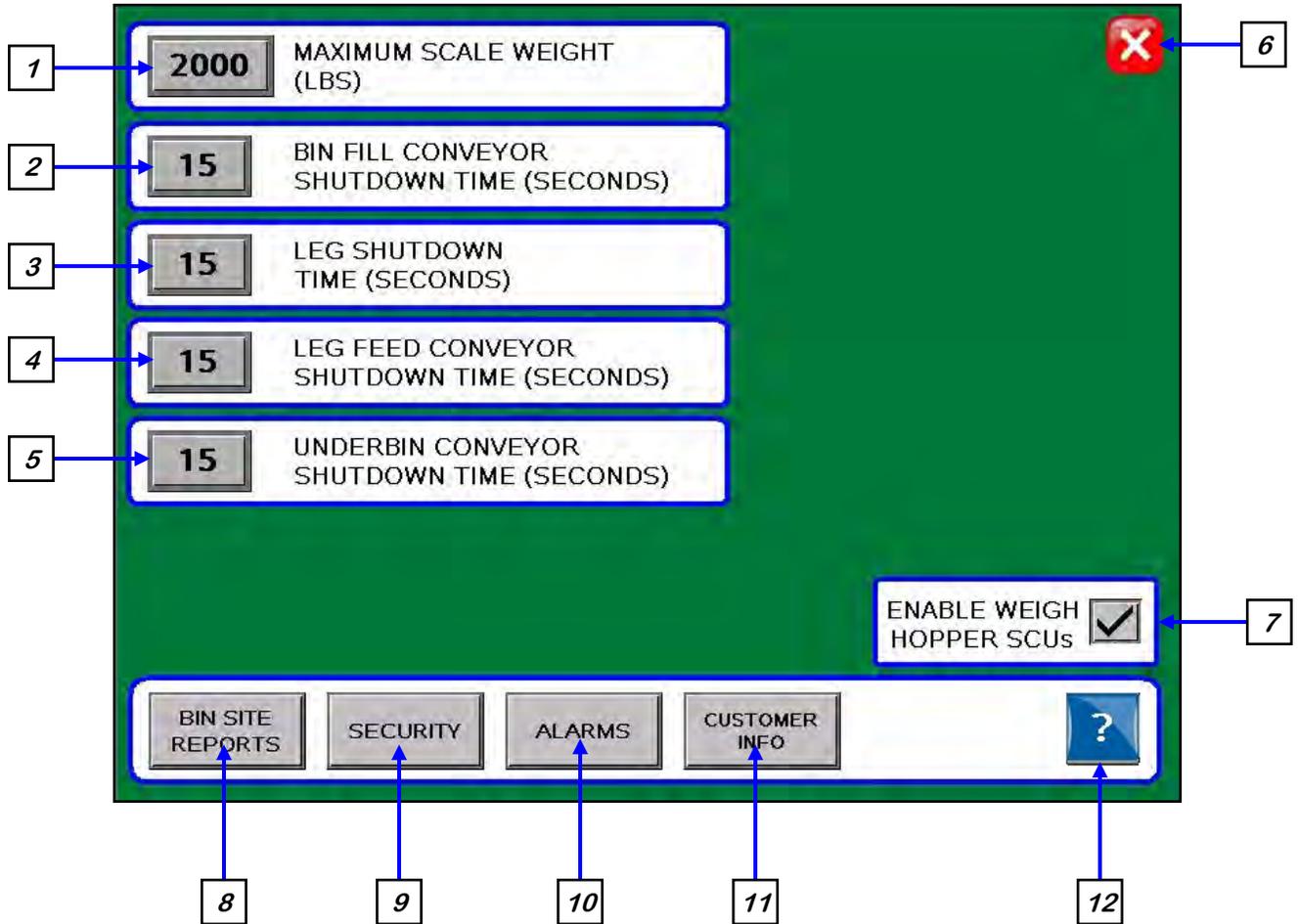
When buttons 1-5 are pressed, a numeric touch pad (right) will appear allowing the operator to enter in a number for that particular parameter.
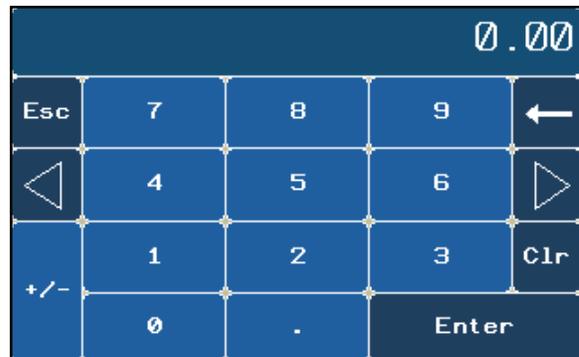
Utilities Screen Button Descriptions

1. MAXIMUM SCALE WEIGHT: Pressing this button allows the operator to adjust the maximum amount of seed that the scale can hold.

2. BIN FILL CONVEYOR SHUTDOWN TIME: Pressing this button allows the operator to adjust the shutdown time of the bin fill conveyor. This timer will begin once the leg has shutdown and will allow the bin fill conveyor to clean itself out.

3. LEG SHUTDOWN TIME: Pressing this button allows the operator to adjust the shutdown time of the leg. This timer will begin once the leg feed conveyor has shutdown and will allow the leg to clean itself out.

4. LEG FEED CONVEYOR SHUTDOWN TIME: Pressing this button allows the operator to adjust the shutdown time of the leg feed conveyor. This timer will begin once the underbin conveyor has shutdown and will allow the leg feed conveyor to clean itself out.

5. UNDERBIN CONVEYOR SHUTDOWN TIME: Pressing this button allows the operator to adjust the shutdown time of the underbin conveyor. This timer will begin once the bin slide gate has closed and will allow the underbin conveyor to clean itself out.

6. Screen EXIT Button: This button is used to exit back to the previous screen. Its functionality is the same throughout the HMI display.

7. ENABLE WEIGH HOPPER SCU's: Checking the box changes the weigh hopper units of measurement to Seed Count Units.

8. BIN SITE REPORTS Button: This button advances the operator to the Bin Site Reports screen.

9. SECURITY Button: This button advances the operator to the Security screen.

10. ALARMS Button: This button advances the operator to the Alarms screen.

11. CUSTOMER INFO Button: This button advances the operator to the customer information screen.

12. HELP SCREEN Button: This button advances the operator to the help screen where they can choose from a variety of help topics. Alarms, Troubleshooting etc.

SECURITY SCREEN
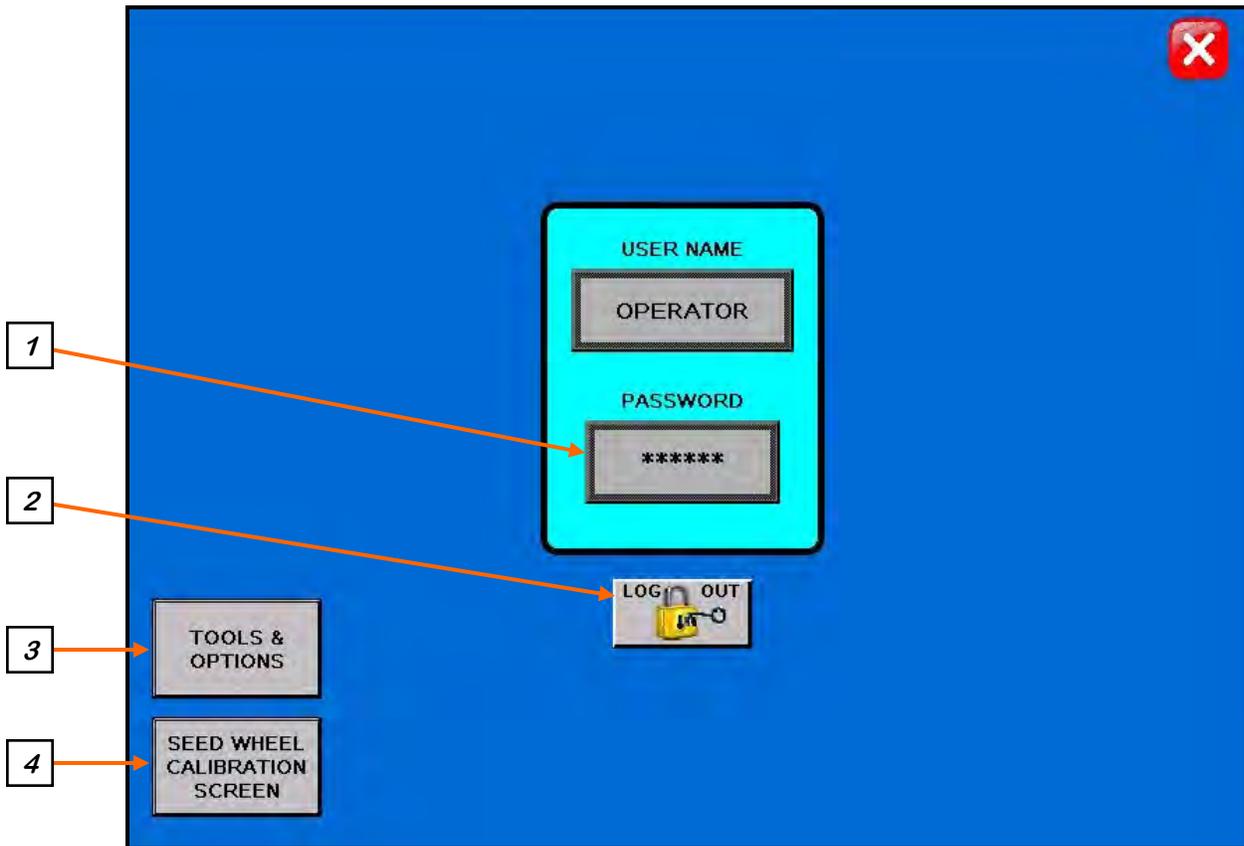
Security Screen Button Descriptions

1. PASSWORD Entry: The operator uses this input to obtain access to ALL options on this screen. When this button is pressed a keypad (right) will appear on the screen The pass-code is ***USC*** and should only be made accessible to personnel qualified to operate the bin site system. The User Name will stay OPERATOR.

Security Screen Button Descriptions

2. LOGOUT Button: Pressing this button will log the operator out of the Security screen. However, the operator will be automatically logged out after 1 minute of no activity on the touch screen.

3. TOOLS & OPTIONS: Pressing this button will advance the operator to the Tools & Options screen if the password has been entered.

4. SEED WHEEL CALIBRATION SCREEN (OPTIONAL): Pressing this button will advance the operator to the Seed Wheel Calibration screen (below) if the password has been entered. This option only appears if the bin site system is working in conjunction with a USC PLC based seed treater.
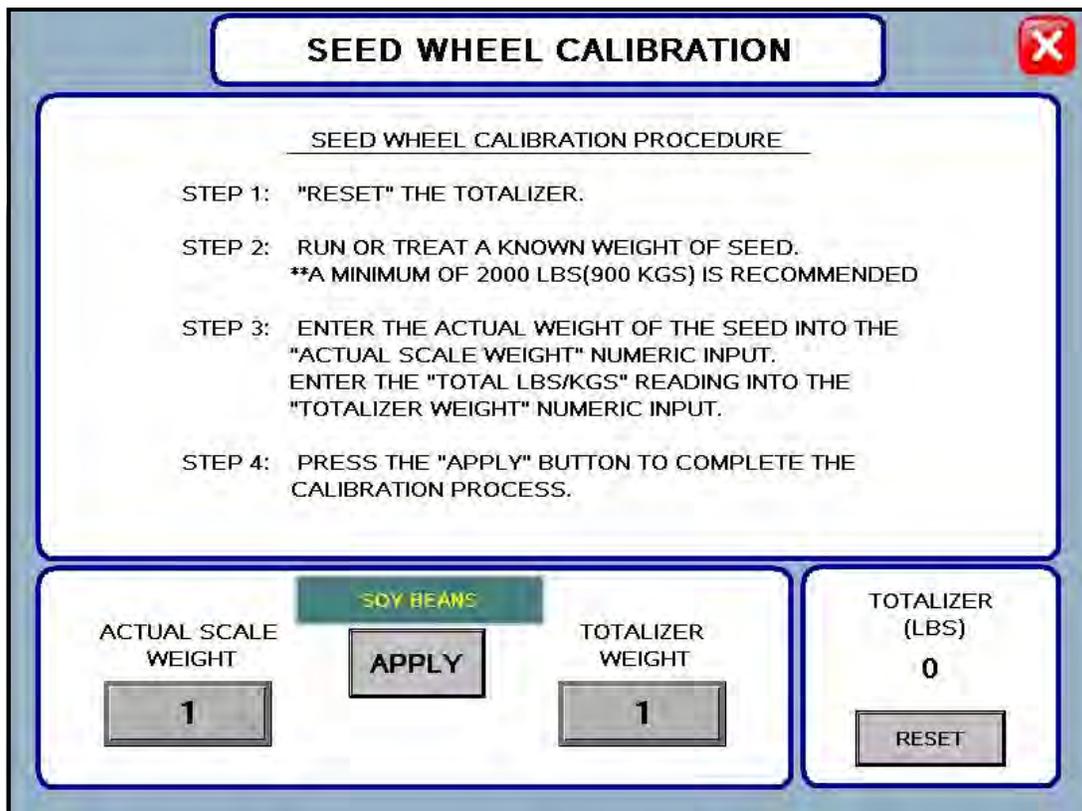
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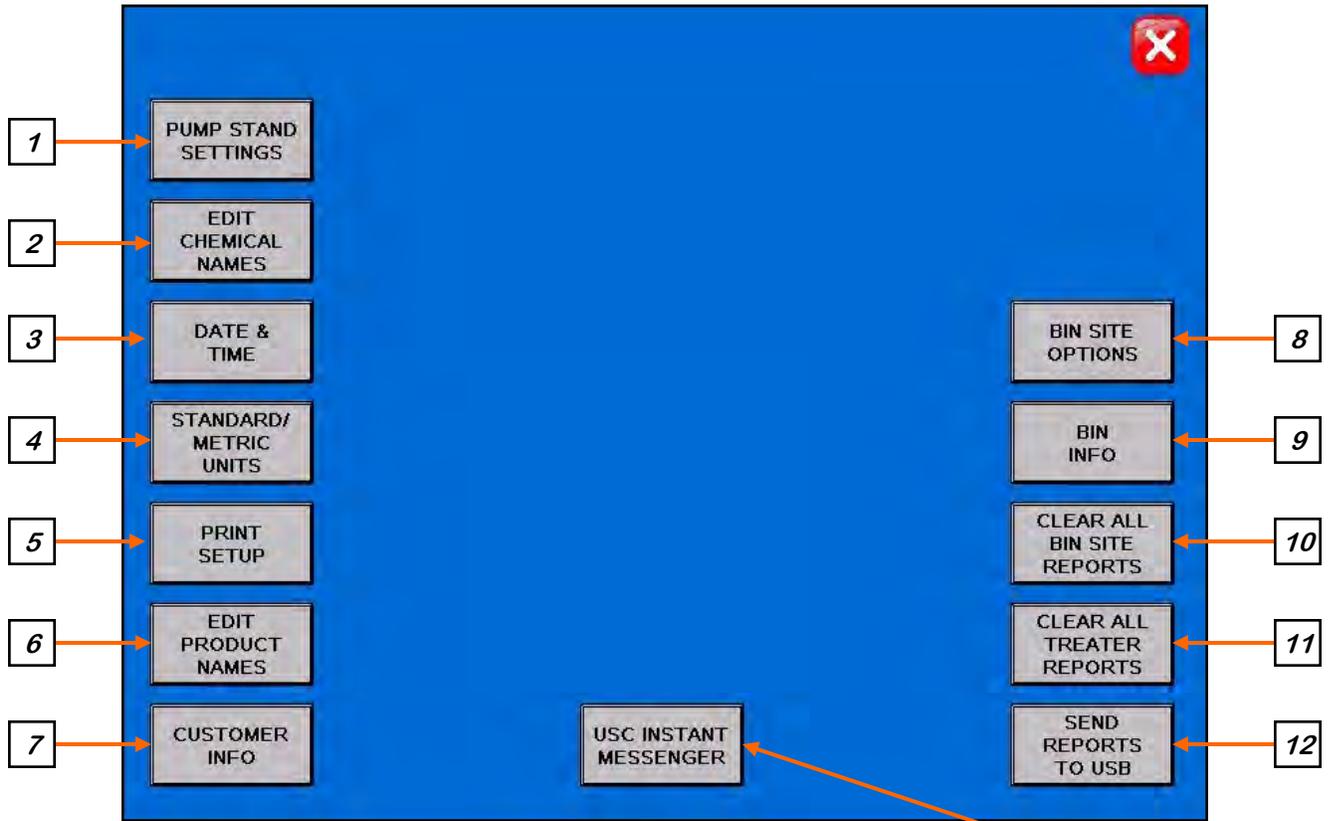
Tools & Options Button Descriptions

1. PUMP STAND SETTINGS: This button advances the operator to the Pump Stand Settings screen where the Flow Rate Entry Type can be set for cut weight or seed count units and the Flow Rate Display can be set for ounces per minute or ounces per cut weight for each individual Pump Stand.
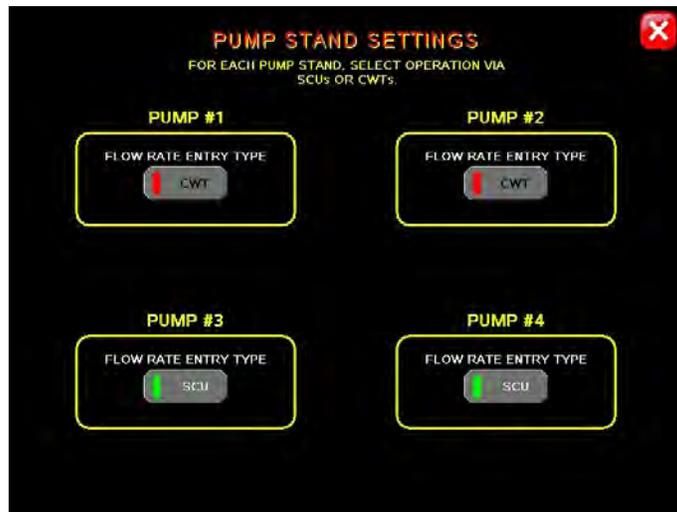
Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

2. _EDIT CHEMICAL NAMES_: Allows the operator to change the chemical names to better fit their needs. Pressing this button will advance the operator to the Edit Chemical Name screen (top) . Selecting one of the Chemical buttons brings up an alpha numeric screen to enter the desired name. Pressing the CALC button for that chemical name brings up the Chemical Factor Calculator window (bottom left). From this screen the operator can determine the chemical multiplier by entering the Calibration Tube amount and the Totalizer amount. Press save and the multiplier is automatically calculated and entered. Another window will prompt the operator to verify this information on the main screen Pump Stand module (bottom right).

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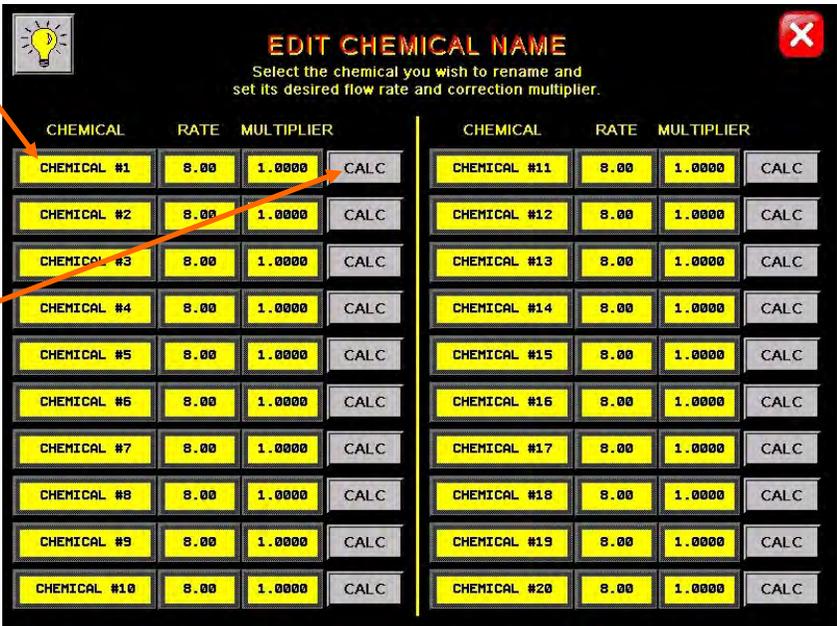
Press this button to bring up the Chemical Factor Calculator
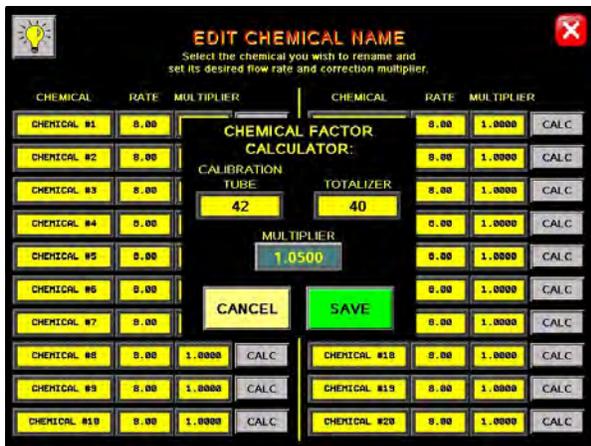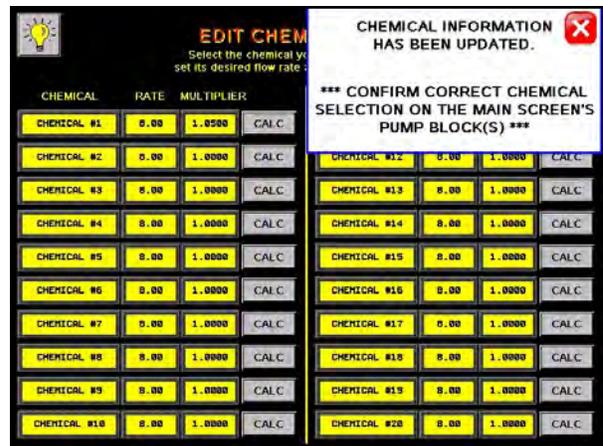
Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

3. DATE & TIME: Allows the operator to set the date and time.
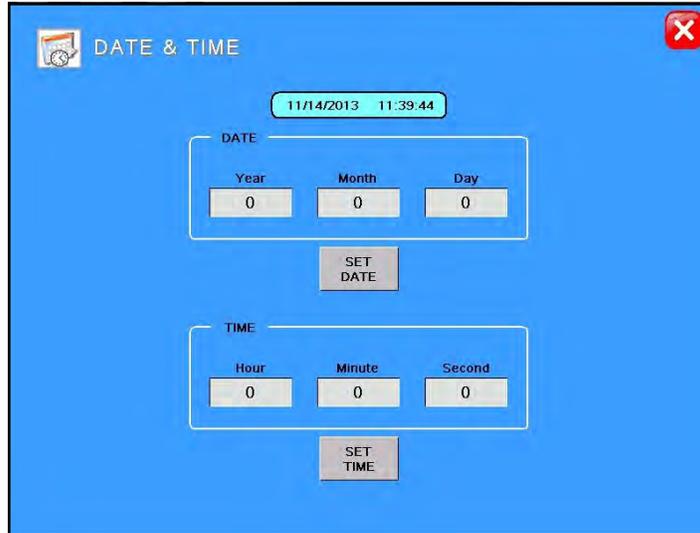
4. STANDARD/METRIC UNITS: Allows the operator to switch between Standard or Metric units of measurement. When this button is pressed a window will appear (below) which will allow the operator to the select the desired units of measurement.
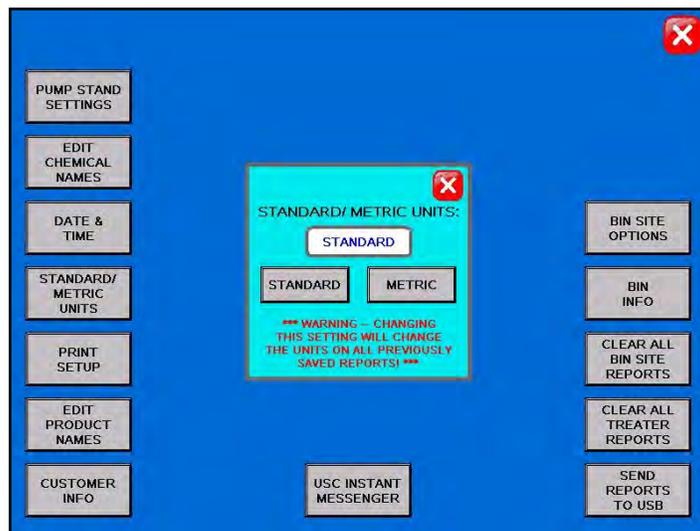
Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

5. PRINT SETUP: Allows the operator to set up their personal company information which will be printed at the top of each report. Pressing the button will advance the operator to the screen below. The company information can be entered by selecting the blank space under each heading. The operator may also check the Auto Print box to print a report for a customer every time a report is generated as well as how many copies the customer requires.

6. EDIT PRODUCT NAMES: Pressing the button will advance the operator to the Edit Product screen (top). Select one of the product name buttons and an alpha numeric popup will appear allowing the operator to change the name. Also, you may enter a value if you are using the Seed Count Unit of measurement.

Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

7. CUSTOMER INFO: Pressing the button will advance the operator to the Customer Info screen (bottom left). If you are looking for a specific customer you may press the < ENTER SEARCH NAME> button and key in the name or use the arrows to scroll through the listing. Selecting the CREATE NEW ENTRY button allows the operator to create a new customer listing. (top, right)
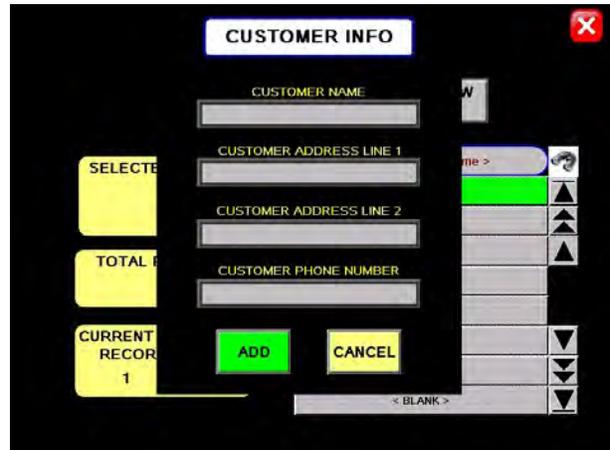
8. BIN SITE OPTIONS SCREEN: Allows the operator to disable or enable the underbin conveyor counter and set the expected counts per second for this counter. This allows the system to know when the underbin conveyor belt is slipping. When the button light is green the component is disabled.

Press this button to disable or enable the underbin counter.

Press this button to set the nominal counts per second of the underbin counter.

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Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

9. BIN INFO: Pressing this button will advance the operator to the Bin Info screen.
This screen allows the operator to select the bin that the information is to be entered
into. Once the bin is selected, several more buttons will appear on the screen (below).
The operator will then be able to enter in the seed type, seed variety, lot number,
seeds per pound, flow rate and cup weight of the seed in the selected bin. A keypad
will appear when the button next to any of these options is pressed.   After entering this
information the SAVE button must be pressed for the bin site system to retain the
information. The inventory of the bin may also be entered on this screen. Enter the
amount of inventory that is to be added/subtracted into the AMOUNT TO ADJUST
INVENTORY BOX and then press and hold the INCREASE INVENTORY or the
DECREASE INVENTORY box for 3 seconds. The total amount of inventory in the
bin will be displayed in the box below the words BIN #1 INVENTORY.

Press this Button to select Bin #1

Displays the total inventory in the selected bin.

Enter the amount of seed that is to be added here.

Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

10. CLEAR ALL BIN SITE REPORTS: Pressing this button will open a window which will ask the operator if he or she wants to clear all the saved bin site reports. If YES is pressed then the reports will be permanently erased. The operator MUST NOT leave the screen until all files have been cleared out.
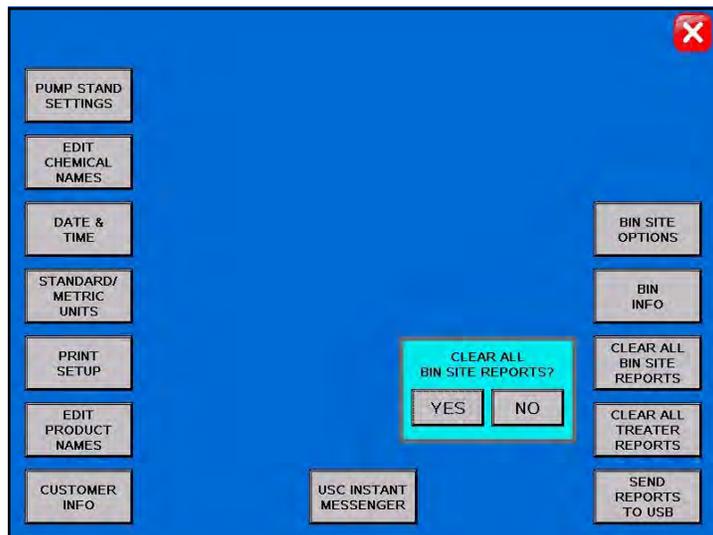
11. CLEAR ALL TREATER REPORTS (optional): Pressing this button will open a window which will ask the operator if he or she wants to clear all saved treater reports. If "YES" is pressed then the reports will be permanently erased. This option only appears if the bin site system is working in conjunction with a USC PLC based seed treater. The operator MUST NOT leave the screen until all files have been cleared out.
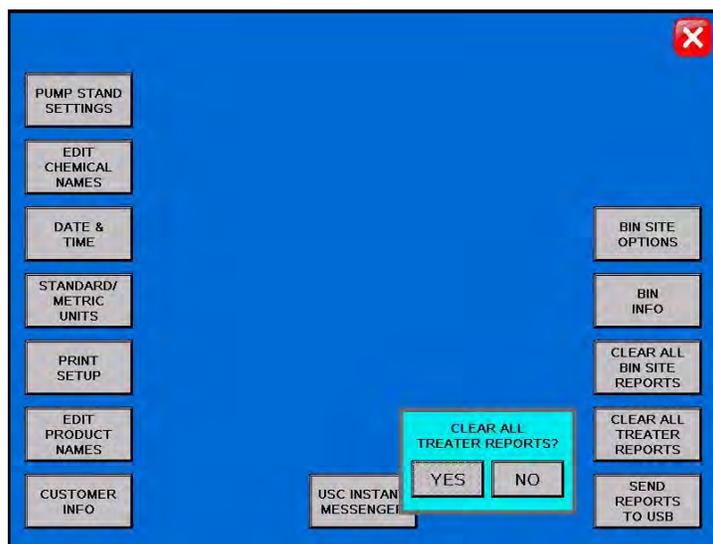
Tools & Options Screen Button Descriptions

*12. **SEND REPORTS TO USB**:* If a memory stick is present in the USB port, this button can be pressed and all the saved reports will be downloaded to the memory stick.
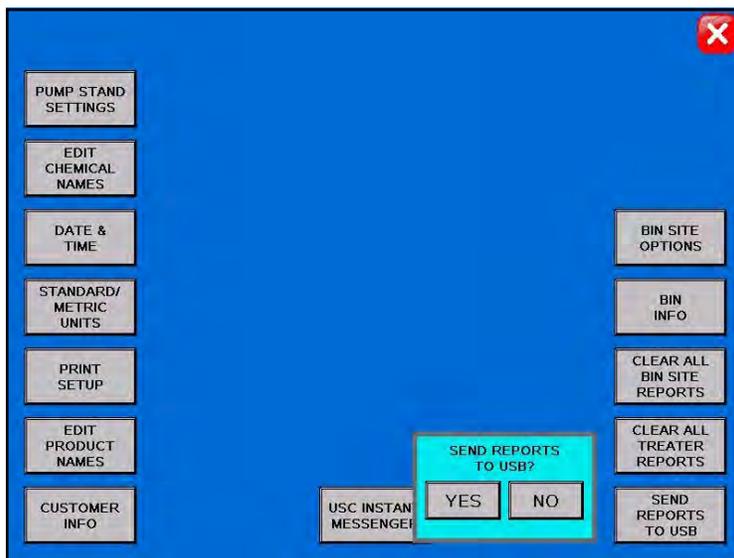
*13. **USC INSTANT MESSENGER**:* Pressing the button will advance the operator to the Instant Messenger screen. This feature uses U-Connect to allow the customer to communicate with the USC Technical Support staff.
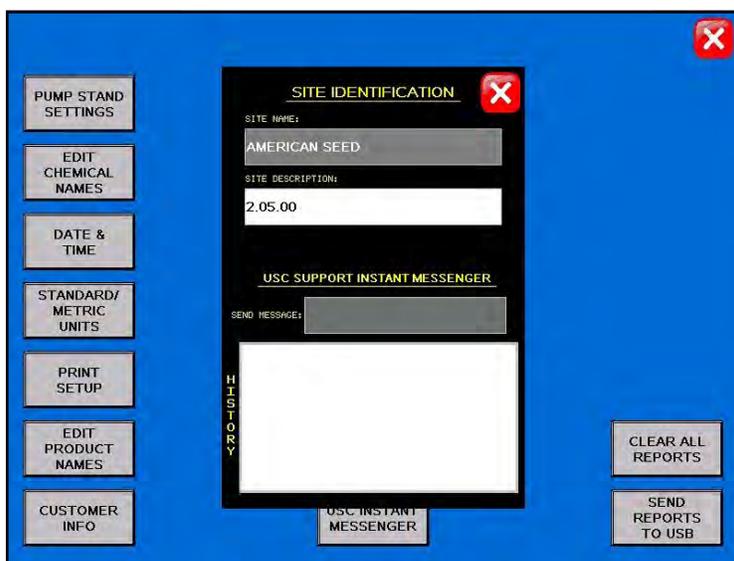
SECTION B OPERATION & CALIBRATION

LOADING SEED INTO BINS

Before seed is pulled out of the bins and run through the walking leg system, information on each of the bins must first be entered into the walking leg system. The following is a list of steps to perform when loading a bin with seed and then entering the bin information for that bin once seed has been loaded.

1. While loading seed into the bin be sure to take a seed sample for the cup weight of the seed in that bin at that time. Also, note the seed type, seed variety, lot number, seeds/lb, and total inventory in pounds of the seed that is loaded into the bin.

2. Open the lid for the desired bin.

3. Under the H-O-A screen, place the leg trolley to the HAND position and using the H-O-A screen controls or the remote control, move the walking leg so that the bin fill conveyor is positioned to discharge directly into the desired bin. Once the leg is in position, place the leg trolley back to the OFF position.

4. Position the truck unload conveyor so that it will catch seed from the truck and discharge the seed into the leg fill conveyor. Plug the truck unload conveyor into the junction box located on the leg.

5. Press the H-O-A button on the Main screen of the walking leg system and place the truck unload conveyor, leg feed conveyor, leg and bin fill conveyor to the AUTO positions. (right, top)

6. Press the blue button that is located on the leg junction box and that is labeled BIN FILL START/ STOP. At this time the bin fill conveyor will turn on. After a short pause, the leg will turn on. Then the leg feed conveyor will begin to run and finally the truck unload conveyor will start up as well. (right, bottom,)

7. Begin seed flow to the truck unload conveyor and fill the seed bin.

8. Once the bin is full, press the BIN FILL START/ STOP button again. The conveyors will now shutdown in reverse order of how they were started up. This will allow the conveyors to clean themselves out. (right, bottom)
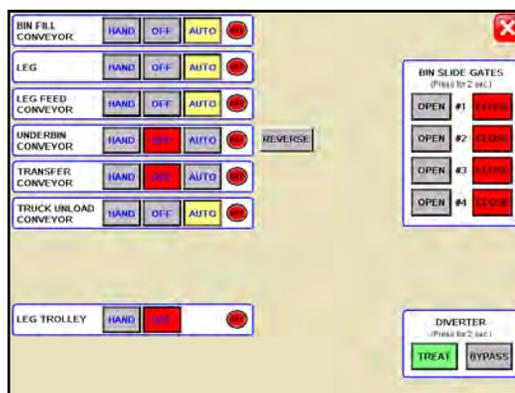
LOADING SEED INTO BINS

Before seed is pulled out of the bins and run through the bin site system, information on each of the bins must first be entered into the bin site system. The following is a list of steps to perform to enter the bin information for each bin once seed has been loaded into that bin.

1. Load the seed into the bin. Take a seed sample for the cup weight of each bin at this time. Note the seed type, seed variety, lot number, seeds/lb, total inventory in pounds and cup weight of the seed that is loaded into the bin.

2. Press the UTILITIES button on the main screen of the bin site system.

3. Press the SECURITY button on the Utilities screen.

4. Enter the letters **USC** into the PASSWORD box then press the enter button.

5. Press the TOOLS & OPTIONS button on the Security screen.

6. Press the BIN INFO button.

7. Select the desired bin to enter the information into. (page 23)

8. Enter the recorded seed type, seed variety, lot number, seeds/lb, and cup weight of the seed in the bin into their respective box. Press the save button when all the information has been entered. (page 23)

9. Enter in the total weight of seed that was added to the bin into the bin inventory section on the lower portion of the screen. (page 23) The system will automatically subtract inventory after each run.

10. When finished, exit back to the Main screen.

Enter the word USC

Then, press this button to advance to the next screen.
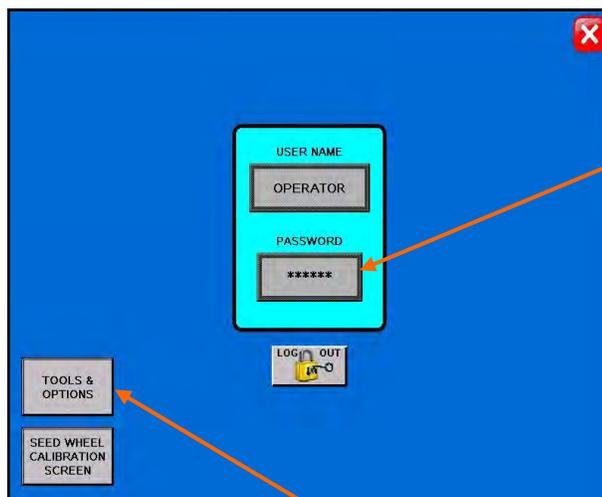
Press this button to enter the Bin Info screen.
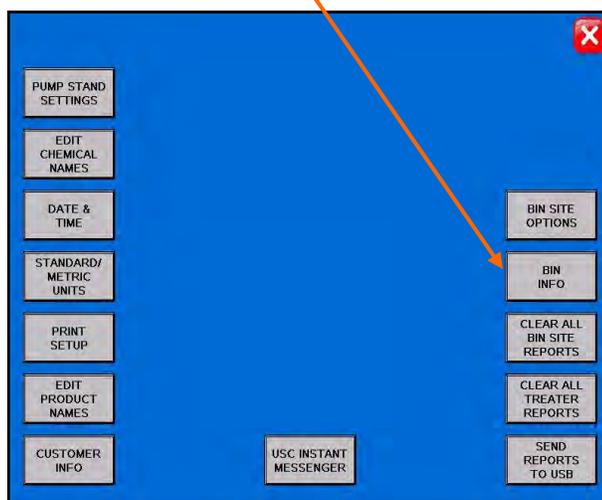
SETTING THE SEED FLOW RATE

The following is a list of steps for setting the seed flow rate. This must be completed before running the bin site system. Repeat steps 1 & 2 for each bin.

1. Set the manual gate on the bin to at least the half open position. Once opened, this gate should be set in place and not moved through out the entire season. If this gate is adjusted during a run or between runs then it will effect the calibration of the system and the system will need to be re-calibrated. (page 37)

2. Then, set the stop for the air actuated slide gate on the bin. This stop controls how far the slide gate will open and the speed at which seed can exit the bin. To set the stop, adjust the position of the collar on the rod that exits the slide gate opposite of the air valve (below). Placing the collar closer to the slide gate will restrict flow and farther away from the slide gate will increase seed flow for the system. Once a collar location has been selected, use the hitch pin to lock the collar in place. If the stop is adjusted between runs then it will effect the calibration of the system and the system will need to be re-calibrated. (page 37)

NOTICE It is recommended to initially place the collar closer to the slide gate and then move it farther away from the slide gate one hole at a time to increase the speed of the system. This will protect against overloading the underbin conveyor with seed.

3. Finally, set the position of the manual slide gate that is located under the weigh hopper. This gate will control the flow of seed out of the weigh hopper by restricting the size of the opening from the weigh hopper. The more open the gate is, the faster seed will exit the weigh hopper. To set this gate, simply loosen the three nuts on the gate. Then adjust the gate to the desired position, and retighten the nuts.

Move the position of the collar along this rod to adjust the flow of seed through the bin slide gate.

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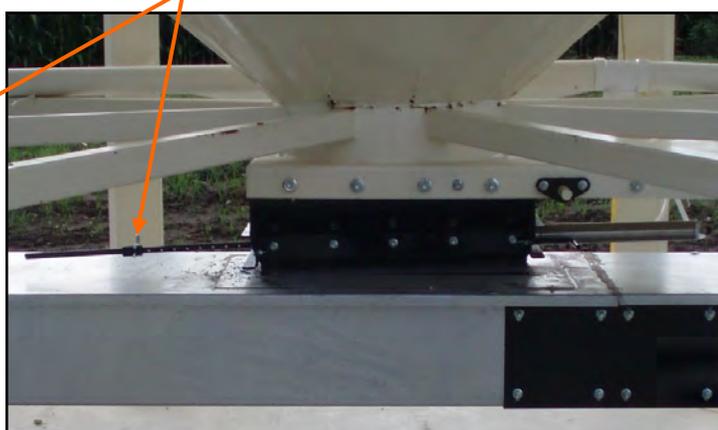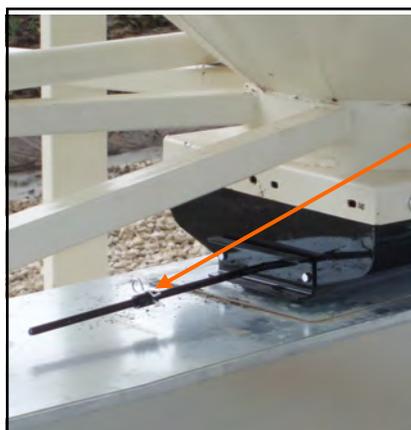
SCALE FILL ONLY

The following is a list of steps to use when running the bin site system in the SCALE FILL ONLY mode of operation.   This mode of operation will automatically fill the scale.

1. In the upper right corner of the Main screen select the SCALE FILL ONLY option from the SELECT OPERATION menu. (right)

2. Select the bin that you wish to call seed from by pressing the image of the corresponding bin on the Main screen. (right)

3. On the Main screen, in the box labeled TARGET WEIGHT, enter the amount of weight in pounds, SCU's or SWU's that is to be brought into the weigh hopper on this run. (right)

4. Press the box labeled CUSTOMER in the center of the Main screen and enter in the current customer's name. (right)

Select the SCALE FILL ONLY option here.
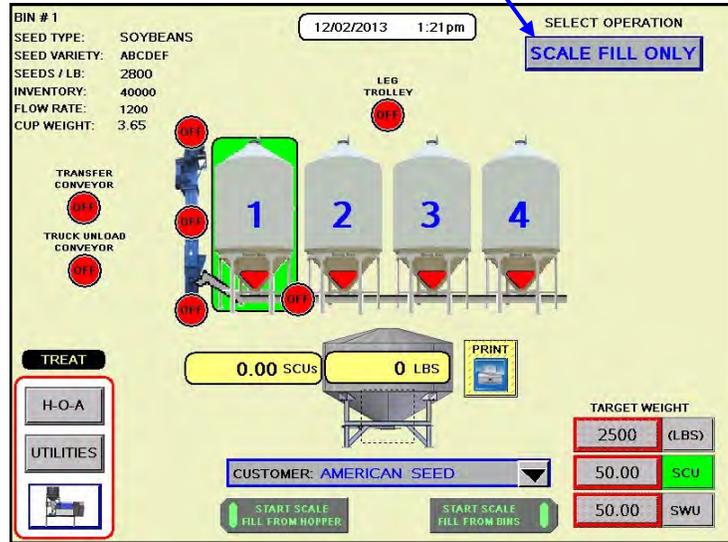
5. Under the H-O-A screen place all necessary conveyors into the AUTO mode of operation. (below, left) Ensure that the diverter is in the appropriate position as well.

6. Under the Utilities screen, ensure that all settings are appropriate. USC recommends that the conveyor shutdown time is not less than 15 seconds for any given conveyor. (below, right) This will ensure that the conveyors have time to clean themselves after the run.
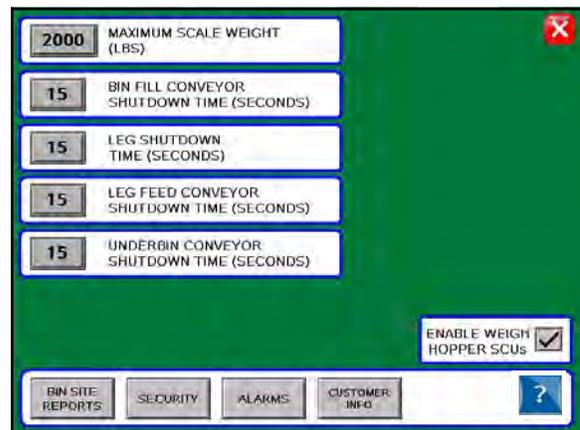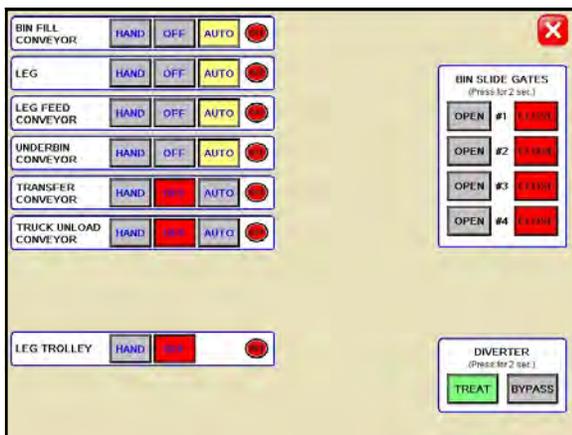
SCALE FILL ONLY

7. Return to the Main screen and press the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button. The system will first turn on the scale fill conveyor and then the underbin conveyor. Once all needed conveyors are running, the slide gate for the selected bin will open and seed will flow through the conveyors to the scale hopper. (top)
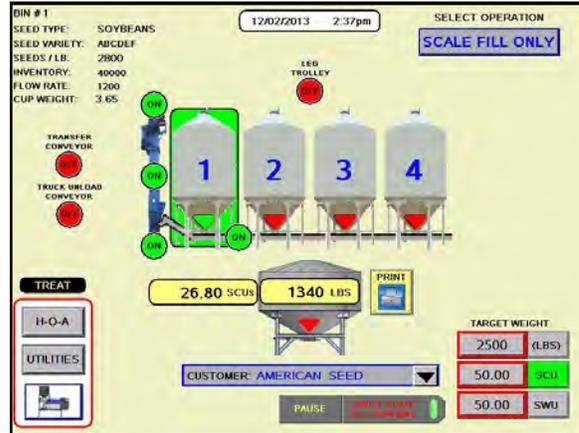
8. As the bin site system is running, the Main screen will display the total pounds or SCU's of seed in the weigh hopper, the current position of the bin slide gates and the status of the conveyor motors. (top)

9. The slide gate on the bin will automatically close once the target weight in seed passes through the slide gate. (middle) Once the gate closes, a window will appear notifying the operator that the system will shut down after a specified amount of time. The system will then shutdown the conveyors in reverse order of startup. This will ensure the conveyors have an opportunity to clean out any product from them. Once the timer reaches zero the system will automatically calibrate itself based upon the weight of seed in the weigh hopper versus the target weight of seed for this run.

10. To remove the seed from the weigh hopper, the operator will need to manually open the weigh hopper slide gate and convey the seed away from the hopper. (bottom)

11. If the operator chose a target weight that is greater than the maximum scale weight setting, then the system will start the entire process back over until the target weight is met. Two conditions must be met before this process will re-start: the scale has to be empty and remain empty for at least five seconds and the weigh hopper slide gate must be in the CLOSED position.

This timer displays the remaining time until shutdown.

Press the OPEN button to empty
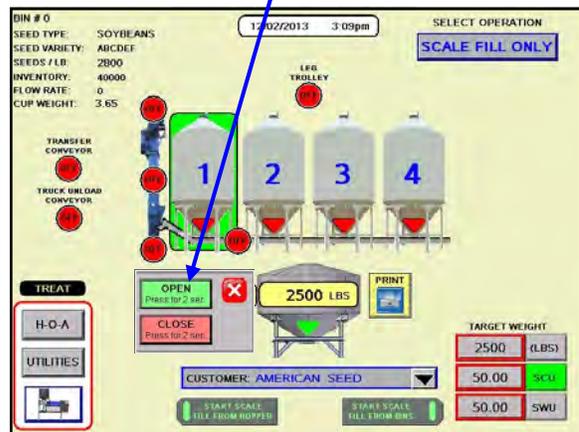
AUTO TREAT

The following is a list of steps to use when running the bin site system in the AUTO TREAT mode of operation. This mode of operation will automatically fill the scale and run the seed through the treater. AUTO TREAT mode is only available if the bin site system is being run in conjunction with a PLC based USC treater.

1. In the upper right corner of the Main screen select the AUTO TREAT option from the SELECT OPERATION menu.

2. Select the bin that you wish to call seed from by pressing the image of the corresponding bin on the Main screen.

3. On the Main screen, in the box labeled TARGET WEIGHT, enter the amount of weight in pounds, SCU's or SWU's that is to be brought into the weigh hopper on this run.

4. Press the box labeled CUSTOMER in the center of the main screen and enter in the current customer's name.

5. Under the H-O-A screen place all necessary conveyors into the AUTO mode of operation. Ensure that the diverter is in the TREAT position as well.

6. Under the UTILITIES screen, ensure that all settings are appropriate. It is recommended that the conveyor shutdown time is not less than 15 seconds for any given conveyor. This will ensure that the conveyors have time to clean themselves after the run.

7. Press the TREATER button on the Main screen. Press the H-O-A button on the Main Treater screen. Then, enter in all needed information and place all needed motors on the treater to the AUTO position. (below, left) The seed type and cup weight information will be automatically inputted based on the bin info for the selected bin. The operator must manually enter the chemical name and rate into the appropriate boxes. (bottom, right) For more information on this step, refer to the treater manual.
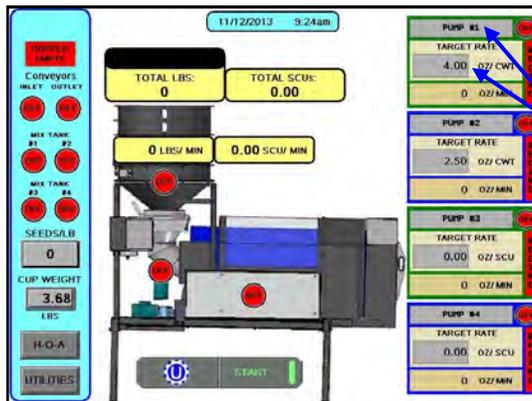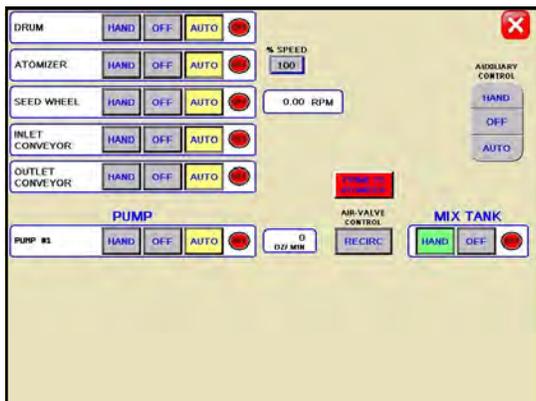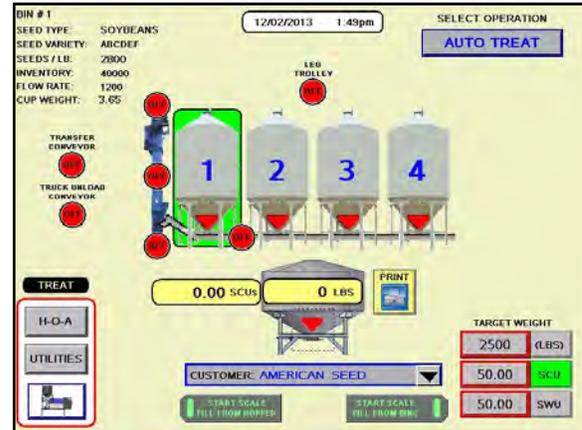
Press to enter the chemical name and rate when running the system in AUTO TREAT mode.

AUTO TREAT

8. Return to the Main screen and press the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button. Then press the START button on the pop-up window, once it is verified that a truck or container is in place to catch the seed. (top) The system will first turn on the scale fill conveyor, then the underbin conveyor. Once all needed conveyors are running the slide gate for the selected bin will open and seed will flow through the conveyors to the scale hopper. (middle)
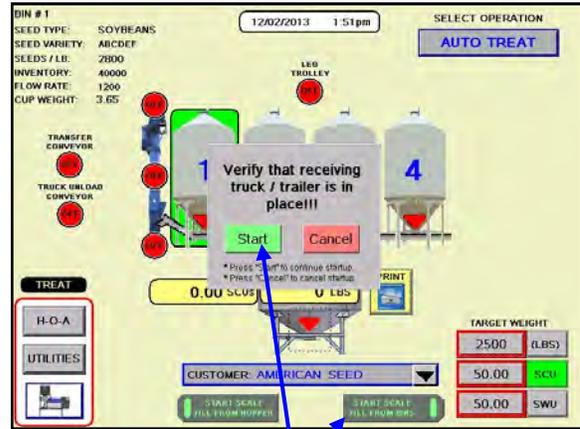
Press the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS and START button to begin the run.

9. As the bin site system is running, the Main screen will display the total pounds, SCU's or SWU's of seed in the weigh hopper, the current position of the bin slide gates and the status of the conveyor motors. (middle)

10. The slide gate on the bin will automatically close once the target amount in seed passes through the slide gate. Once the gate closes, a window will appear notifying the operator that the system will shut down after a specified amount of time. The system will then shutdown the conveyors in reverse order of startup. (bottom) This will ensure the conveyors have an opportunity to clean out any product from within them. Once the timer reaches zero the system will automatically calibrate itself based upon the weight of seed in the weigh hopper versus the target weight of seed for this run.

The system will automatically shutdown the bin slide gate and conveyors.

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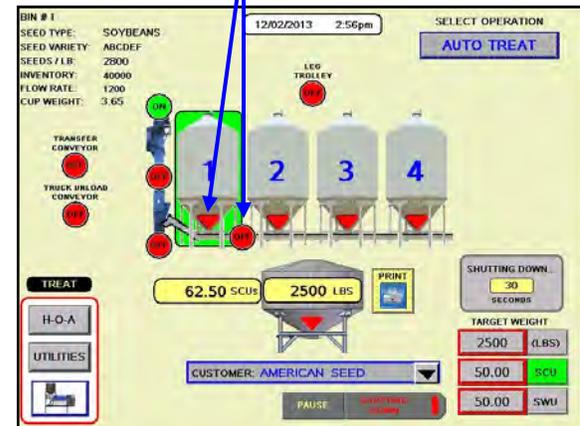
AUTO TREAT

11. The system will then automatically open the weigh hopper slide gate and start the treater.

12. As seed is running through the treater, the operator can view the treater Main screen by pressing the TREATER button on the bin site Main screen.
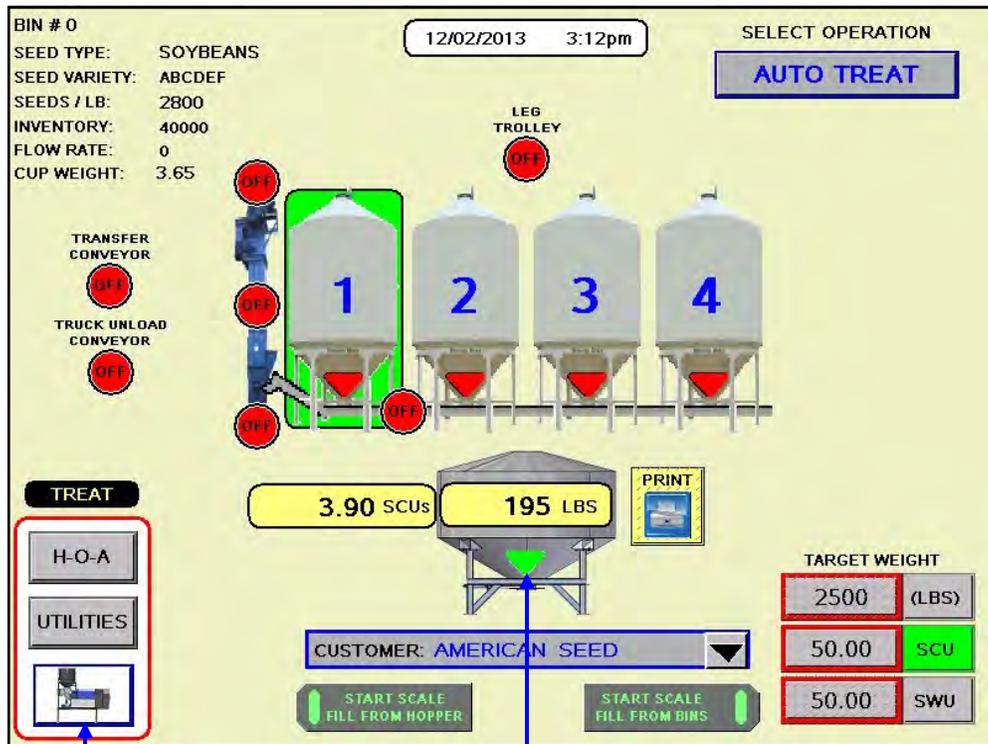
Press this button to advance to the treater Main screen.

The system will automatically open the slide gate and startup the treater.

13. Once the scale has emptied and remains empty for five seconds and the seed wheel proximity sensors are no longer sensing seed, the bin site system will automatically close the weigh hopper slide gate and enter the treater into Shutdown mode.

14. If the operator chose a target weight that is greater than the maximum scale weight setting, then the system will start the entire process back over until the target weight is met.

AUTO BYPASS

The following is a list of steps to use when running the bin site system in the AUTO BYPASS mode of operation.   This mode of operation will automatically fill the scale and bypass seed through the diverter. AUTO BYPASS mode is only available if the bin site system has a diverter. Always ensure that the leg is positioned to discharge into the weigh hopper down spout and that the lid for the down spout is open.

1. In the upper right corner of the Main screen select the AUTO BYPASS option from the SELECT OPTION menu. (top)

2. Select the bin that you wish to call seed from by pressing the image of the corresponding bin on the Main screen. (top)
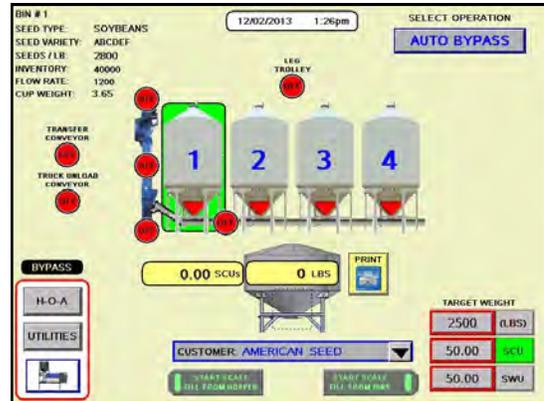
3. On the Main screen, in the box labeled TARGET WEIGHT, enter the amount of weight in pounds, SCU's or SWU's that is to be brought into the weigh hopper on this run. (top)

4. Press the box labeled CUSTOMER in the center of the main screen and enter in the current customer's name. (top)

5. Under the Treater H-O-A screen place all necessary conveyors into the AUTO mode of operation. Ensure that the diverter is in the BYPASS position as well.

6. Under the Utilities screen, ensure that all settings are appropriate. It is recommended that the conveyor shutdown time is not less than 15 seconds for any given conveyor. This will ensure that the conveyors have time to clean themselves after the run.

7. Select the TREATER button on the Main screen and place the inlet conveyor motor to the AUTO position mode. If the outlet conveyor is to be used to move seed after the seed travels through the diverter then place the outlet conveyor motor to the AUTO position as well. (bottom, left)

8. Under the treater Utilities screen, set the BYPASS CONVEYOR SHUT-OFF TIME (SECONDS) timer to an appropriate setting. (bottom, right) It is recommended that the shutdown time is not less than 15 seconds. This will ensure the conveyor has time to clean itself after the run.
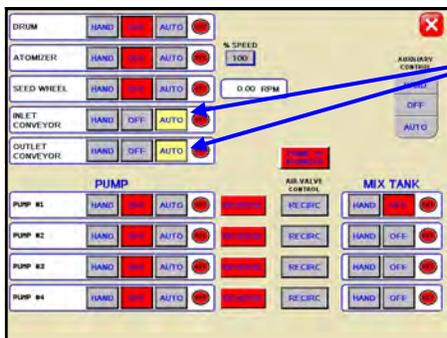
Place the conveyor motors in the AUTO mode.

Set the conveyor auto shutdown time here.
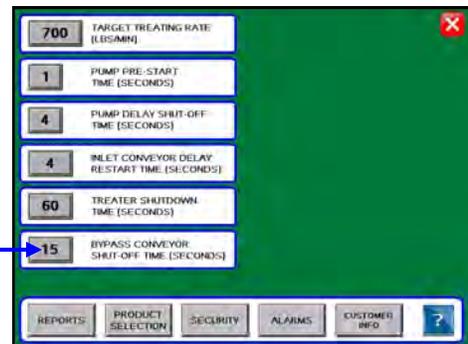
AUTO BYPASS

9. Return to the bin site Main screen and press the START SCALE FILL FROM BINS button. Then press the START button on the pop-up window once it is verified that a truck or container is in place to catch the seed. (right, top) The system will first turn on the scale fill conveyor, then the underbin conveyor. Once all needed conveyors are running the slide gate for the selected bin will open and seed will flow through the conveyors to the scale hopper.

10. As the bin site system is running, the Main screen will display the total weight of seed in the weigh hopper in pounds, SCU's or SWU's. Also the current position of the bin slide gates and the status of the conveyor motors. (right)

11. The slide gate on the bin will automatically close once the target weight in seed passes through the slide gate. Once the gate closes, a window will appear notifying the operator that the system will shut down after a specified amount of time. The system will then shutdown the conveyors in reverse order of startup. (right) This will ensure the conveyors have an opportunity to clean out any product from within them. Once the timer reaches zero the system will automatically calibrate itself based upon the weight of seed in the weigh hopper versus the target weight of seed for this run.

12. The system will then automatically open the scale hopper slide gate and start any conveyors that are in the AUTO mode. (right, bottom)

13. Once the scale has emptied and remains empty for five seconds the system will automatically close the weigh hopper slide gate and enter the conveyor(s) into the SHUTDOWN mode.

14. If the operator chose a target weight that is greater than the maximum scale weight setting, then the system will start the entire process back over till the target weight is met.
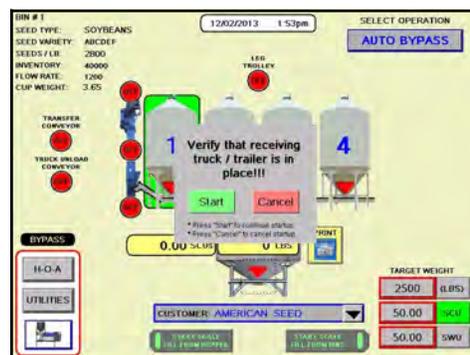
The system displays the current weight of seed in the weigh hopper.
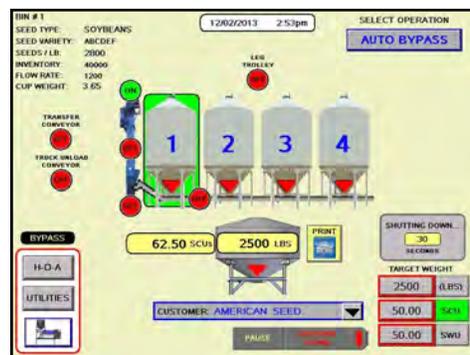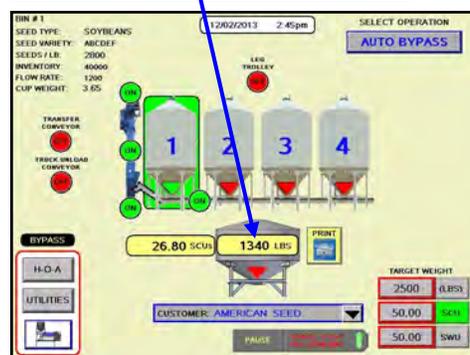
The system will automatically open the weigh hopper slide
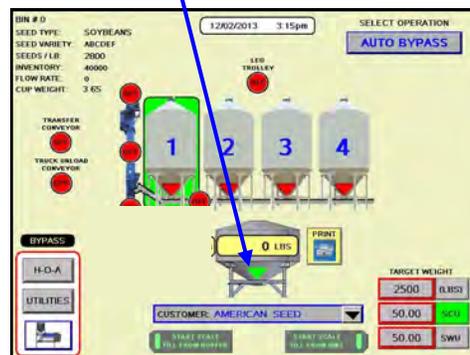
TREATING SEED FROM PRO BOXES

The following is a list of steps to use when running the bin site system using the START SCALE FILL FROM HOPPER button.   This button will automatically move seed from the pro box hopper, via the transfer conveyor to the scale. The START SCALE FILL FROM HOPPER button is only available if the bin site system has a pro box hopper and transfer conveyor.

1. Under the H-O-A screen place all necessary conveyors into the AUTO mode of operation. Depending upon the setup of the equipment, some bin sites will require only the transfer conveyor or the scale fill conveyor to be in AUTO mode and some sites will require the transfer, underbin and scale fill conveyors to all be in the AUTO mode. Ensure that the diverter is in the appropriate position as well.

2. Under the Utilities screen, ensure that all settings are appropriate. It is recommended that the conveyor shutdown time is not less than 15 seconds for any given conveyor. This will ensure the conveyors have time to clean themselves after the run.

3. Return to the Main screen and press the START SCALE FILL FROM HOPPER button. (below) The system will first turn on the scale fill conveyor, then the underbin conveyor and then the transfer conveyor.

4. As the bin site system is running, the Main screen will display the total pounds of seed in the weigh hopper in pounds, SCU's or SWU. If the system needs to be stopped for a moment because of a problem. The PAUSE button may be pressed to halt the process. When ready to begin again, the CONTINUE button is pressed.

5. Once all of the seed has passed from the pro box hopper, through the conveyors and into the weigh hopper, press the STOP SCALE FILL FROM HOPPER button. At this point, the conveyors will shutdown in reverse order of startup.

6. After all of the conveyors have shutdown, press the PRINT button that is located next to the weigh hopper icon on the Main screen. (right) This will print the current weight of the seed in the weigh hopper.
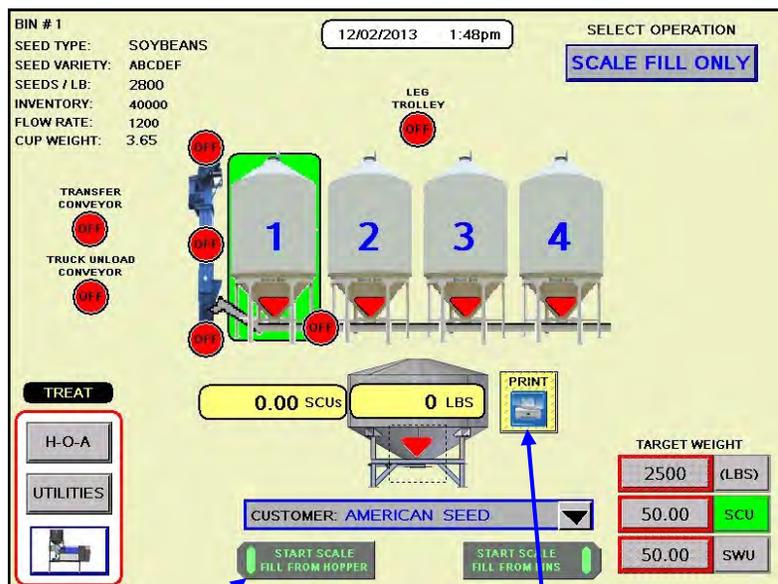
Press the START SCALE FILL FROM HOPPER button to pull seed from the pro box hopper to the weigh hopper.

Press the PRINT button at any time to print the current weight in the scale.

SCALE FILL CALIBRATION

Every time the bin site system runs a batch of seed in AUTO mode, the system will perform a calibration. The calibration of the system is based upon a timing mechanism. The system compares the amount of time that the bin slide gate was in the OPEN position to the weight of seed that arrived in the weigh hopper for this batch. The system will automatically subtract any weight that was previously in the weigh hopper before the batch was run. This allows the system to know how many pounds of seed per second is traveling out through the conveyors. Once this number is known, the system can then figure out how long the bin slide gate should stay in the OPEN position in order to match the TARGET WEIGHT of seed that the operator has selected. Each bin has its own specific calibration that is performed and saved after every alarm free run that is run in the SCALE FILL ONLY, AUTO TREAT or AUTO BYPASS modes.

There are two ways to re-calibrate the system for a specific bin:

1. Run a small batch of seed. This will allow the system to automatically calibrate itself. The system will calibrate after every run of at least 201 pounds or kilograms for the TARGET WEIGHT and will only remember the most recent calibration. (below, left)

2. Increase the bin inventory by 1 or more units of weight (lbs/kgs). This will reset the system back to the factory setting for this particular bin's calibration. Then perform step #1 to achieve the correct calibration. This step should be used when the operator feels that the current calibration is incorrect by a large amount. (below right)

Additionally, you now have the ability to view and modify the seed flow rate directly from the Bin Info page for each individual bin by pressing the flow rate button at the center of the screen and changing the value.
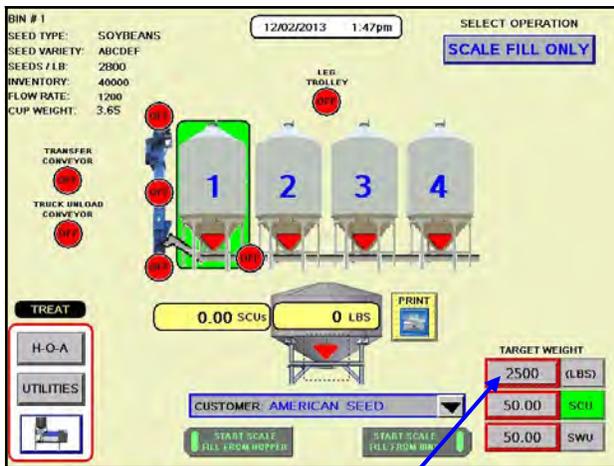
The operator must enter a TARGET WEIGHT of at least 201 pounds or kilograms for the system to perform an auto calibration.
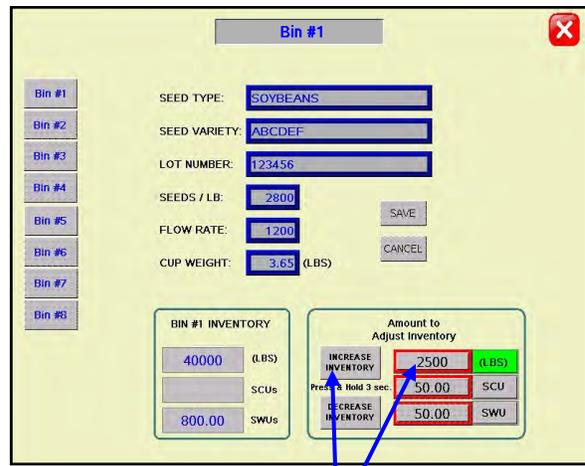
Increasing the inventory by at least 1 pound or kilogram for any given bin will reset the current calibration for that bin to the factory calibration setting.

UNDERBIN OPERATION IN REVERSE MODE

The following is a list of steps to use when running the bin site system using the REVERSE mode.   This mode of operation will allow the operator to clean out the underbin conveyor and to remove any excess seed from the bins at the end of the treating season. **ALWAYS ENSURE THE BELT IS IMMEDIATELY AND PROPERLY ALIGNED WHEN RUNNING IN REVERSE! BELTS WILL OFTEN SHIFT ALIGNMENT WHEN THEIR DIRECTION OF TRAVEL IS REVERSED.** The REVERSE button for the underbin conveyor will only be present if the bin site system has the reversing option for the underbin conveyor.

1. Place a conveyor and seed storage container under the reversing end of the underbin conveyor to catch seed as it exits the underbin conveyor. Turn that conveyor motor on.

2. Under the H-O-A screen place the underbin conveyor into the REVERSE mode of operation and press the HAND button. (top) Ensure that the belt on the underbin conveyor is correctly aligned.

3. Then, manually place the desired bin slide gate to the OPEN position. (top)

4. The Main screen will show the underbin conveyor running in reverse and the selected bin slide gate in the open position. (bottom)

5. Once all seed has passed through the underbin conveyor and into the seed container, place the open bin slide gate back to the CLOSED position.

6. Allow the underbin conveyor to run for at least 15 seconds. This will allow the underbin conveyor to clean itself out. Then place the underbin conveyor motor back to the OFF position.

Place the underbin conveyor in REVERSE, press the HAND button and place the bin slide gate to the OPEN position.
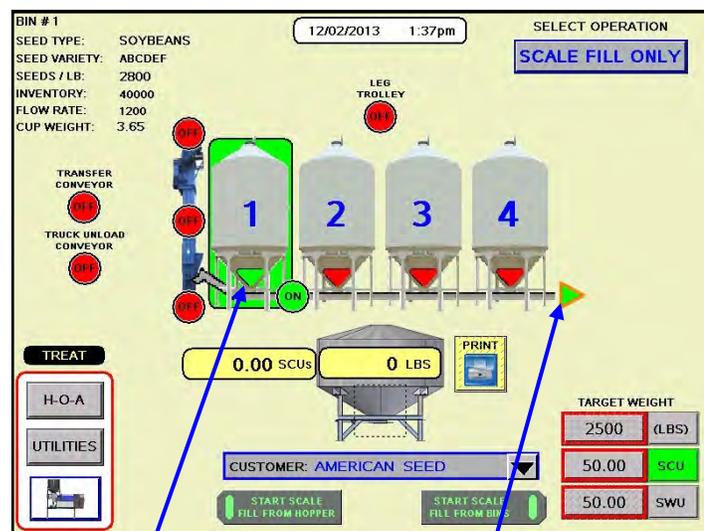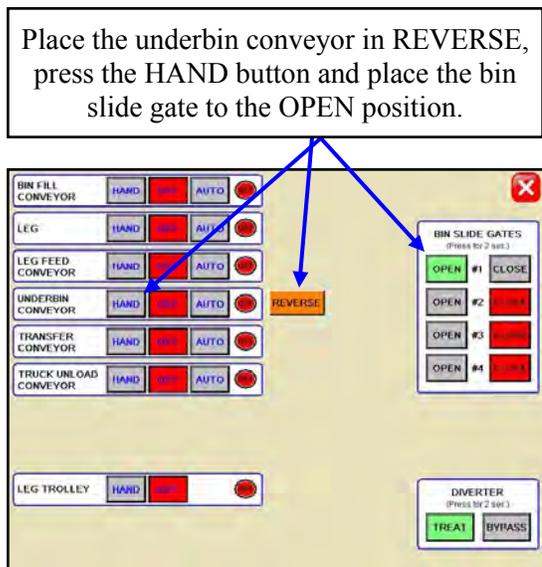
Slide Gate Indicator.

Reverse Indicator.

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EDITING & PRINTING REPORTS

The following steps explain how reports are entered after a run has been completed.

1. After the SHUTDOWN button has been pressed a dialog box will appear (right), notifying the operator that the data from the run is being saved.

PLEASE WAIT...SAVING DATA

2. Once the data has been saved, the operator will be brought to a TREATER REPORTS screen (top). Under the reports screen, the customers information and seed information can be recorded and saved for later use. Press the EDIT button and go to the EDIT TREATER REPORTS screen (bottom left). From this screen you can change the customer name, seed variety, and lot number. Pressing the cells next to each piece of information will bring up a keypad which will allow the operator to enter in the information. Pressing the down arrow in the Customer cell brings up a rolodex to scroll through existing customer names. The operator can press the OK button to save the data.
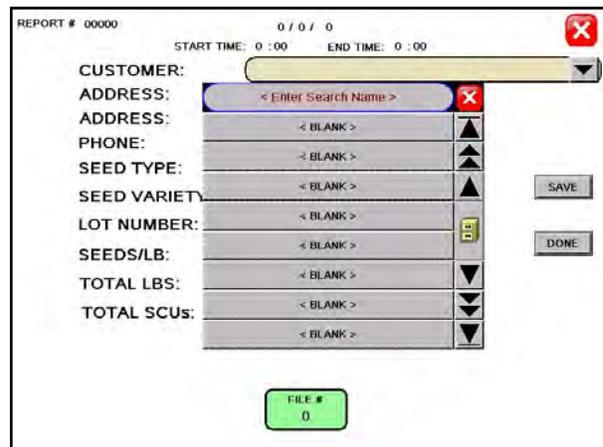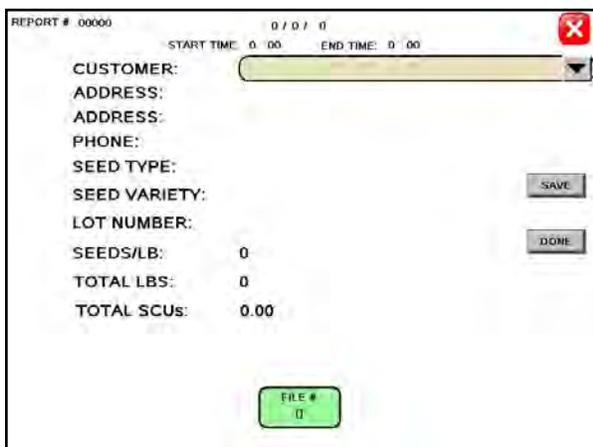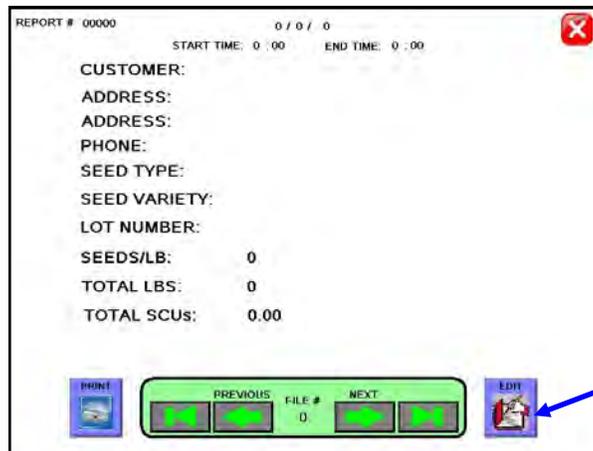
Edit Button

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3. Press the PRINT button and a popup window appears. From this screen you can enter the number of reports to print for the customers records. Then press the X in the top right corner of the screen to exit back to the main screen.

Print Button
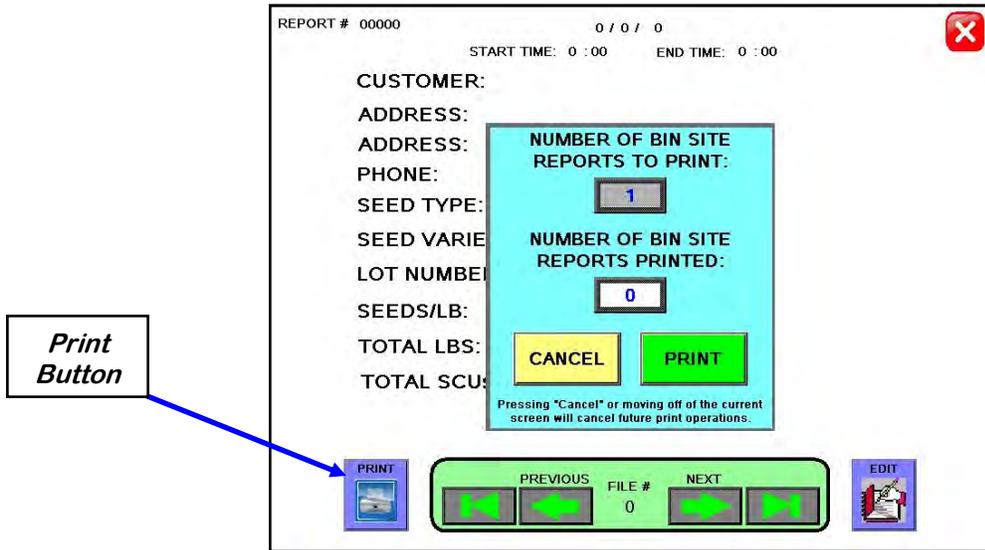
4. Once the data has been saved, the reports can be accessed later by pressing the REPORTS button on the UTILITIES screen. If you would like to erase the reports, press the SECURITY button under the UTILITIES screen to advance to the security screen. Enter the password **USC** and then press the TOOLS & OPTIONS button. From this screen press the CLEAR ALL REPORTS button. A confirmation window will appear allowing the operator to erase all saved reports.
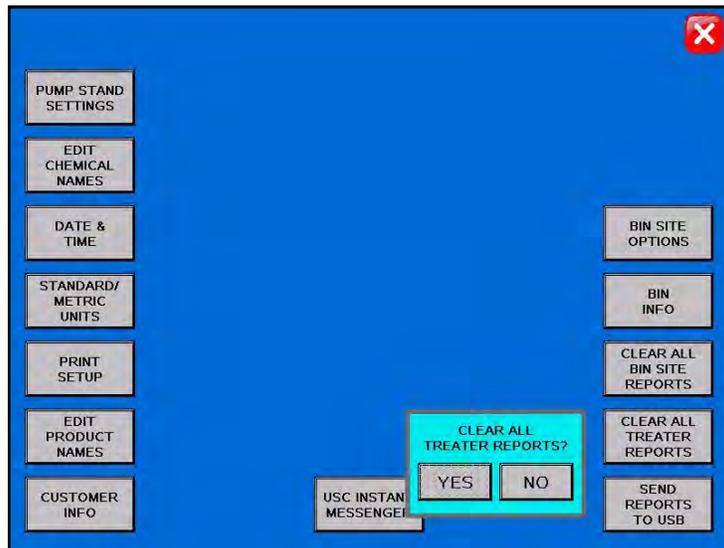
DOWNLOADING REPORTS

USB Port

The USB port located on the side of the operator control panel allows the operator to download reports to a compact flash device.

Use the following steps to upload reports to a computer.

1. Insert a Compact Flash device into the USB port. The Flash device must be in Fat 32 format.

2. Advance to the Tools & Options screen

3. Press the SEND REPORTS TO USB button. A confirmation window will appear. Press the YES button and all the reports will automatically copy to the compact flash device.

4. Remove the compact flash device from the control panel and insert into your computer.
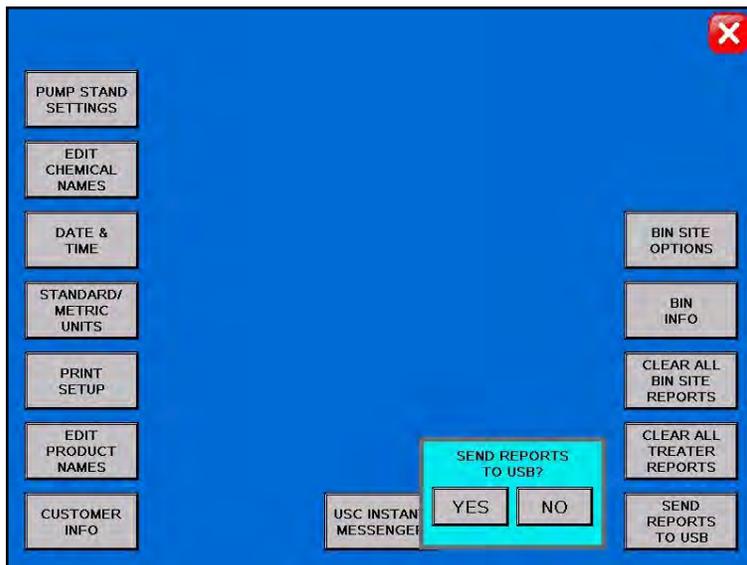
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5.   Start Microsoft Office Excel. From the top menu select DATA then FROM TEXT.

6.   From the Input Text File screen select the appropriate external drive. Then select the folders USR / LOG. Change the file type to ALL FILES. Select the file you want to work with and the Text Import Wizard window will open.

FROM TEXT   DATA

EXTERNAL DRIVE   FILE TYPE
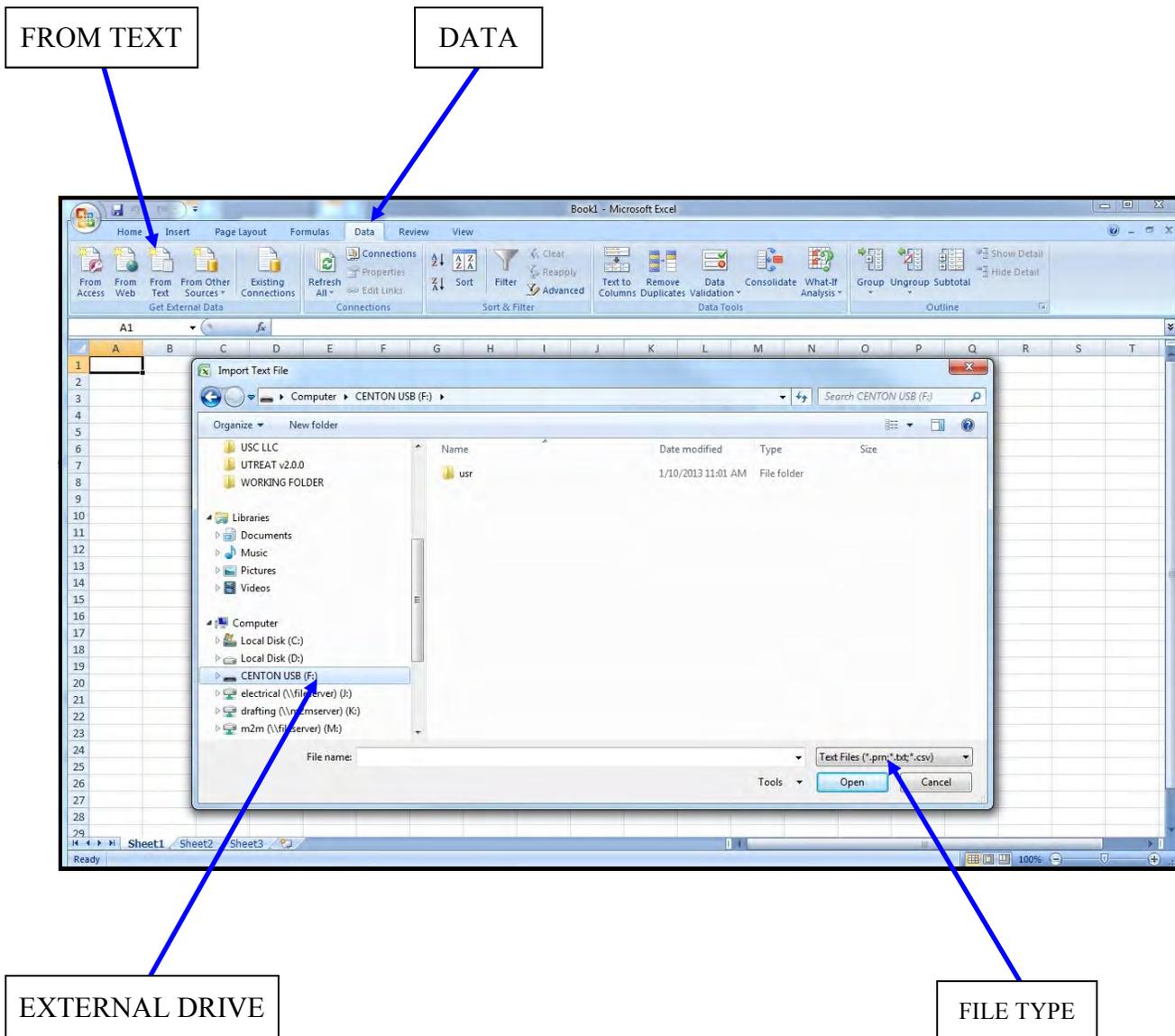
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7.   Under Original data type select Delimited. Change Start import row to 3, then click Next.
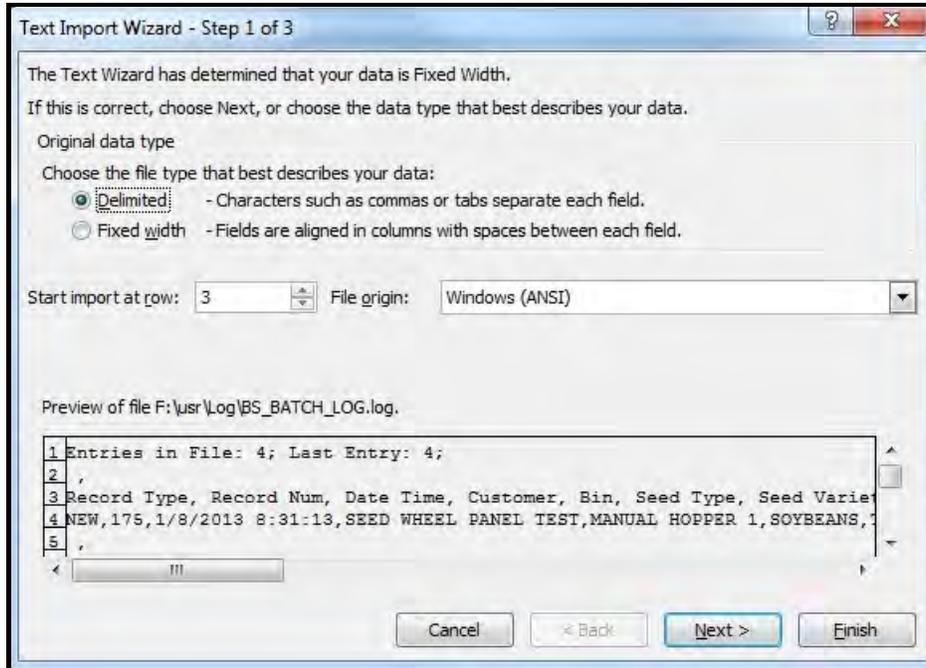
8.   Under Delimiters deselect Tab and select Semicolon. Then click Next.
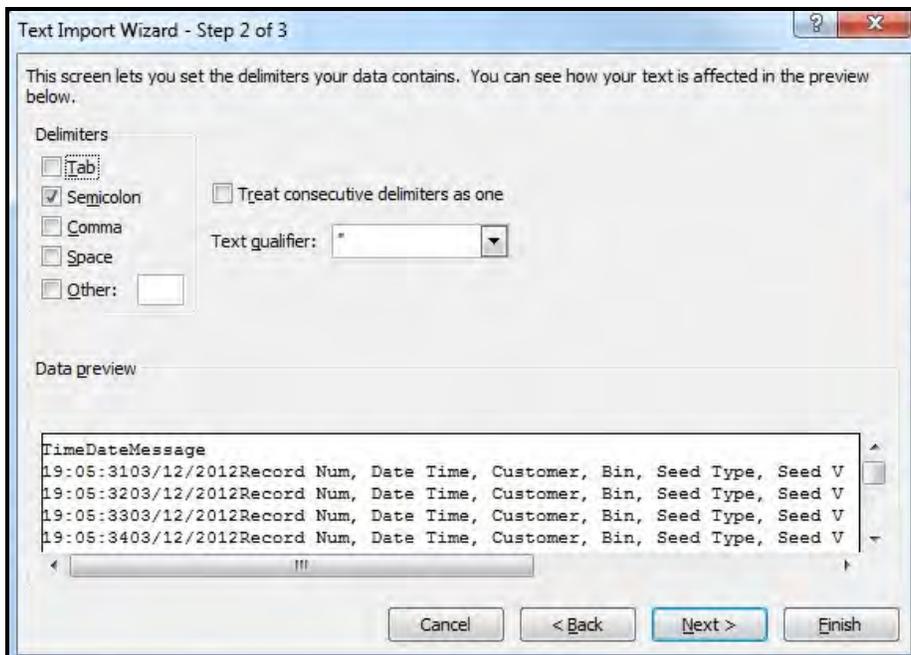
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9. Click Finish and the Import Data window appears. Click OK.
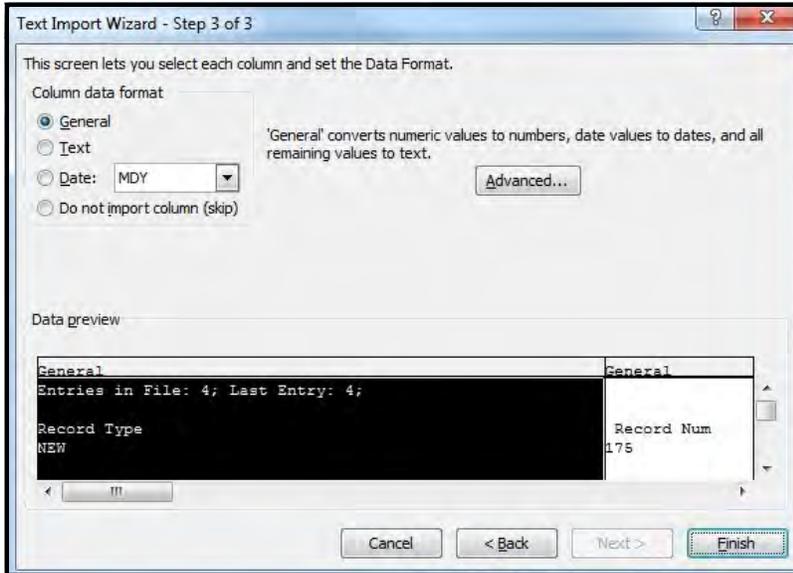
10. The Report conversion process is complete. In the File menu, click Save As and file the report.

TROUBLESHOOTING & ALARMS SECTION C

TROUBLESHOOTING

Below is a table describing the most frequent problems and solutions with the USC Bin Site System. For further assistance, contact USC at (785) 431-7900.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
System is not consistently calibrating correctly.	1. Bin slides gates or manual gates have been moved. 2. Underbin conveyor belt is slipping. 3. Bin slide gate is not consistently opening to the same point. 4. The Ethernet cable is damaged or picking up electrical interference. 5. The operator is pressing the "Cancel Scale Fill" button before the run ends.	1. Ensure that the slide gate collar and manual gate is locked into place. Then recalibrate. 2. Tighten the underbin conveyor belt . 3. Check for any obstruction that may be restricting the movement of the slide gate. 4. Ensure that Ethernet cable is no located directly next to any electrical lines. 5. Allow the system to shutdown on its own.
System calibration for currently selected bin is incorrect.	1. System needs recalibrated. 2. System is too far out of calibration to recalibrate automatically.	1. Run a small batch of seed to automatically recalibrate the currently selected bin. 2. Add at least 1 pound of inventory to the bin that is miscalibrated. This will reset the calibration back to the factory setting.
Solenoids are making a buzzing sound when air gates are actuated.	1. Moisture in the air system. 2. Electric actuator on solenoid bank may be faulty.	1. Remove moisture from the air lines. 2. Replace the electronic actuator on the solenoid.
Conveyor will not start in "HAND" or "AUTO" mode.	1. Conveyor motor starter is tripped. 2. Conveyor is clogged.	1. Reset motor starter. 2. Remove obstruction or debris.
No scale reading on the weigh hopper indicator on the touch screen.	1. Ethernet cable is disconnected. 2. Scale head is unplugged.	1. Check all Ethernet cables for connectivity and damage. 2. Ensure that the scale head has power and is turned on.
Air gate will not close fully.	1. Something is obstructing the air gate from closing. 2. Air pressure to the gate is not strong enough.	1. Remove obstruction. 2. Ensure that the air gate has at least 100 psi of air being supplied to it.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No air gates will open or close when their corresponding button is pressed on the touch screen.	1. No air or not enough air is being supplied to the solenoid bank on the side of the control panel. 2. The bin site PLC may be off.	1. Ensure that at least 100 psi of air is being supplied to the solenoid bank. 2. Ensure that the bin site control panel has power to it, is "on" and that all of the breakers inside the panel are "on" as well.
Diverter is leaking seed through bypass side while in "treat" mode of operation.	1. Too low of air pressure to actuate the diverter. 2. An obstruction in the diverter is stopping correct placement of the diverter plate.	1. Ensure that at least 100 psi of air pressure is present at the diverter. 2. Remove obstruction.
Scale is reading incorrect weight.	1. Scale is binding. 2. Something is touching the scale. 3. Scale needs recalibrated. 4. Ethernet cable may be damaged or receiving electrical interference.	1. Check scale arms for any binding. 2. Ensure that the area around the scale is clean and that nothing is leaning on or resting on the scale and hopper. 3. Zero scale. If still incorrect, then have a professional scale technician recalibrate the scale. 4. Ensure that Ethernet cable is not located directly next to any electrical lines.
Inlet conveyor to treater is overfilling with seed.	1. The proximity sensor at the top of the inlet hopper is not properly located so that seed is contacting it when the inlet hopper is full. 2. There is obstruction to the seed flow at the discharge end of the inlet conveyor.	1. Move the proximity sensor so that it is in a location for seed to come in contact with it once the inlet hopper is full. 2. Remove the obstruction.
Air gate is opening when it should be closing and vice versa.	1. Air lines to the air gate are reversed.	1. Exchange air line for the proper solenoid on the back of the solenoid bank.
The touch screen has warning triangles on each button.	1. The bin site PLC may be off. 2. The Ethernet cable between the treater control panel and the bin site control panel may be unhooked or damaged.	1. Ensure that the bin site control panel has power to it, is "on" and that all of the breakers inside the panel are "on" as well. 2. Check the Ethernet cable for damage and ensure that it is plugged in correctly.

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SYSTEM ALARMS - FAULTS

The table below and on the following pages provides a general description of all the system alarms (faults & warnings) of the Bin Site System. When a fault or warning condition is detected by the system, the Alarms screen will pop-up describing the cause of the Alarm or Fault. Any motor fault will activate the alarm screen on the operator control panel. If running, the system will then progress to the controlled shutdown state. A warning will alert the operator of a system condition which needs attention or correction. The alarms are reset when the fault condition is cleared. The horn is silenced by pressing the Silence Alarm button on the Alarms screen. For further assistance, contact USC at (785) 431-7900.

Silence Horn Button

Alarm - Fault	Possible Cause	Solution
Underbin Conveyor Motor Fault	1. Underbin Conveyor motor auxiliary contact was not sensed after being energized to run. 2. Underbin Conveyor motor has been shutdown while in Auto mode of operation.	1. Verify that the motor starter has power, is turned on and that the overload is not tripped. 2. Verify that the Underbin Conveyor was not turned "Off" while the system was in Auto mode of operation.
Weigh Hopper Reached Max Capacity	The current weight in the Weigh Hopper is above the number entered into the maximum scale weight in the "Utilities" screen.	Verify the number entered into the maximum scale weight box is correct. If yes, then recalibrate and rerun system.

Alarm - Fault	Possible Cause	Solution
Scale Fill Conveyor Motor Fault	1. Scale Fill Conveyor motor auxiliary contact was not sensed after being energized to run. 2. Scale Fill Conveyor motor has been shutdown while in Auto mode of operation.	1. Verify that the motor starter has power, is turned on and that the overload is not tripped. 2. Verify that the Scale Fill Conveyor was not turned "Off" while the system was in Auto mode of operation.
Transition Conveyor Motor Fault	1. Transition Conveyor motor auxiliary contact was not sensed after being energized to run. 2. Transition Conveyor motor has been shutdown while in Auto mode of operation.	1. Verify that the motor starter has power, is turned on and that the overload is not tripped. 2. Verify that the Transition Conveyor was not turned "Off" while the system was in Auto mode of operation.
Transfer Conveyor Motor Fault	Transfer Conveyor motor auxiliary contact was not sensed after being energized to run.	Verify that the motor starter has power and is turned on.
Bin Site SURGE SUPRESSOR-FAILED!!!	L1 of the Surge protector will no longer protect the electrical panel against voltage surges.	Replace the Surge Protector.
Underbin Conveyor - check for belt slippage/check speed sensor	1. Underbin Conveyor belt is slipping. 2. Underbin Conveyor Speed is sensor is not working correctly.	1. Tighten and adjust the Underbin Conveyor belt as necessary. 2. Verify that sensor is tight to shaft and wiring is correct. If yes to both, then replace sensor.
Weigh Hopper Gate - Not Open	1. "Open" slide gate sensor is not positioned properly. 2. "Open" slide gate solenoid failed to actuate.	1. Verify that the "open" slide gate sensor is properly positioned. 2. Check air supply and signal to solenoid.
Weigh Hopper Gate - Not Closed	1. "Closed" slide gate sensor is not positioned properly. 2. "Closed" slide gate solenoid failed to actuate.	1. Verify that the "Closed" slide gate sensor is properly positioned. 2. Check air supply and signal to solenoid.

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Alarm - Fault	Possible Cause	Solution
Truck Unload Conveyor Motor Fault	1. Truck Unload Conveyor motor auxiliary contact was not sensed after being energized to run. 2. Truck Unload Conveyor motor has been shutdown while in Auto mode of operation.	1. Verify that the motor starter has power, is turned on and that the overload is not tripped. 2. Verify that the Truck Unload Conveyor was not turned "Off" while the system was in Auto mode of operation.
Leg Motor Fault	1. Leg motor auxiliary contact was not sensed after being energized to run. 2. Leg motor has been shutdown while in Auto mode of operation.	1. Verify that the motor starter has power, is turned on and that the overload is not tripped. 2. Verify that the Leg was not turned "Off" while the system was in Auto mode of operation.
Leg Trolley Motor Fault	No signal from Leg Trolley motor drive (VFD) indicating that the Leg Trolley is running.	Verify that the Leg Trolley VFD is powered up, or check if it is faulted out. Check the Infromation screen.

PAUSED CONTROLLED WARNING

The table below provides a general description of all the system warnings that could occur which would cause the system to pause. When a warning condition is detected, a window will pop-up notifying the operator that the system is PAUSED because of a certain condition (below). When the condition has been corrected, the CONTINUE button can be pressed to restart the system. If the problem cannot be corrected, the SHUTDOWN button can be pressed. These messages will only appear if the Bin Site System is connected to a PLC controlled seed treater.
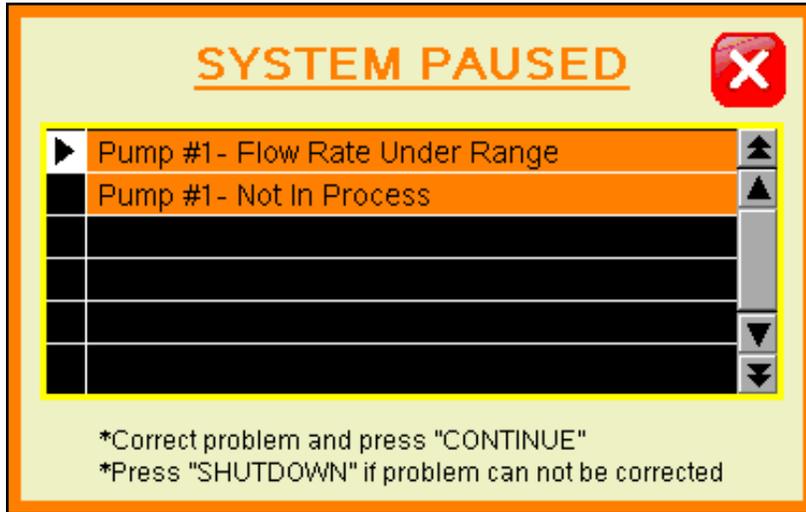
Warning	Possible Cause	Solution
Pump Flow Rate Under Range.	Actual flow rate is under 80% of target flow rate.	Check for empty supply tanks, worn or obstructed hoses, etc. that would cause a loss of liquid flow.
Pump Not In Process	Valve of the liquid displayed failed to divert to process when requested	Verify valve has diverted, if so troubleshoot sensor, if not, check air supply and signal to valve.

SYSTEM MESSAGES

The table below provides a general description of all the system messages that could occur. When a warning condition is detected, a window will appear (below) notifying the operator that the system will not start because of a certain condition. When the condition has been corrected, the START SCALE FILL button can be pressed to start the system.

▶	3:58:53pm	Bin Site Reports - FULL. Transfer reports to USB to keep from losing data.
	3:58:34pm	Enter Target Weight !
	3:58:22pm	Weigh Hopper Gate Open at Startup
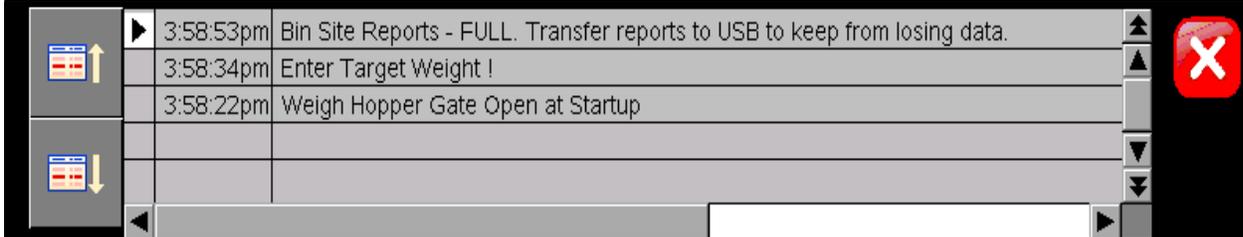
Message
Bin Fill Conveyor NOT In Auto for Startup
Leg Feed Conveyor NOT In Auto for Startup
Leg NOT in Auto for Startup
Truck Unload Conveyor NOT in Auto for Startup
Underbin Conveyor Not In Auto For Startup
Diverter in Treat position at Startup
Weigh Hopper Gate Open at Startup
Enter Target Weight!
Scale Unstable - Stabilize scale to continue operation.
Diverter in Bypass Position at Startup
Treater Reports – almost FULL. Transfer reports to USB
Bin Site Reports - FULL. Transfer Reports to USB to keep from losing data.
Treater Auto Start Failed - Correct problem and press the Treater Startup button.
BIN SITE SYSTEM CONFIGURATION ERROR. Please contact USC tech support.
Transfer Conveyor Not in Auto For Startup.
Please select desired Bin for Startup.
Bin Fill in Operation.
Scale Fill Auto in Operation.
Scale Fill Manual in Operation.
Leg Trolley in Operation.

NOTES:

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6. **Entire Obligation:** This Limited Warranty states the entire obligation of Manufacturer with respect to the Products. If any part of this Limited Warranty is determined to be void or illegal, the remainder shall remain in full force and effect.

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