Learn how to use Reserve Allocate to add reservations to copies where other items sharing that same Catalogue record have reservations in Amlib.

**Adding reservations to extra copies of an item already reserved**

Reserve Allocate is used to add reservations to copies where other items sharing that same Catalogue record have reservations – for example: new items added to the database sharing a catalogue record with other items already reserved.

1. Launch the *Amlib* client
2. Go to **Main** > **StockItems** > **Stockitem** – the Stockitem screen will display
3. Locate the item to be added using an **F5 Query** (or by typing in the Item No)

![Stockitem - STAFF at Chelsea Library](image)

4. Once the item is displayed, select **Item** > **ReserveAllocate** from the menu – the ReAllocate Stockitem Reservations table will display with a list of items attached to the same catalogue record that are already reserved:

   ![Reservations table](image)
5. Highlight the reservations you wish to add to the new item (this is often the whole list). 
   Note: Take note of the Reserve Status. You do not want to add the reserve onto one that has already been 
   returned or printed as this will then add another Reserve to one that has already been allocated. (If the Reserve is 
   accidentally added to a RETURN or PRINTED the reserve will not clear when the already reserved item is loaned 
   out).
6. Click the **F2 AddTo** button – the new item will be added to the top of the list:

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6030
Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets by J.K. Rowling; Illustrations by Martin
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7. Click the **F3 Save** button

8. To trigger the reservation, the new item can be placed through Returns