

Sustenance Tracker

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Introduction

Sustenance Tracker is an extension for the Fantasy grounds VTT.

This extension is available on the Fantasy Grounds Forge at <https://forge.fantasygrounds.com/shop/items/428/view>

This extension adds a section to the character sheet actions tab which allows tracking consumption of food/drink. Sustenance Tracker is designed and only works with the D&D 5E ruleset.

D&D 5E SRD rules for Food and Water: https://www.dandwiki.com/wiki/5e_SRD:Food_and_Water

The screenshot shows the Sustenance Tracker interface within the Fantasy Grounds VTT character sheet. The interface is divided into several sections:

- NAME:** A text field containing "Tester234".
- INSP:** A button labeled "INSP" with a speech bubble icon.
- WEAPONS:** A section with a sword icon and a hand icon. It displays a "+2" bonus and a star icon.
- Sustenance:** A section with a green plant icon. It contains four input fields and two sets of increment/decrement buttons:
 - Lbs Food Carried:** Input field "0".
 - Lbs Food Eaten:** Input field "0" with "+" and "-" buttons.
 - Gallons Carried:** Input field "0".
 - Gallons Drank:** Input field "1" with "+" and "-" buttons.

At the bottom, there are buttons for "Mode" (Standard), "Display" (Group), and three icons (a blue circle with a white star, a blue circle with a white star, and a brown circle with a white star). A vertical sidebar on the right contains tabs for "Main", "Skills", "Abilities", "Inventory", "Notes", "Log", and "Actions".

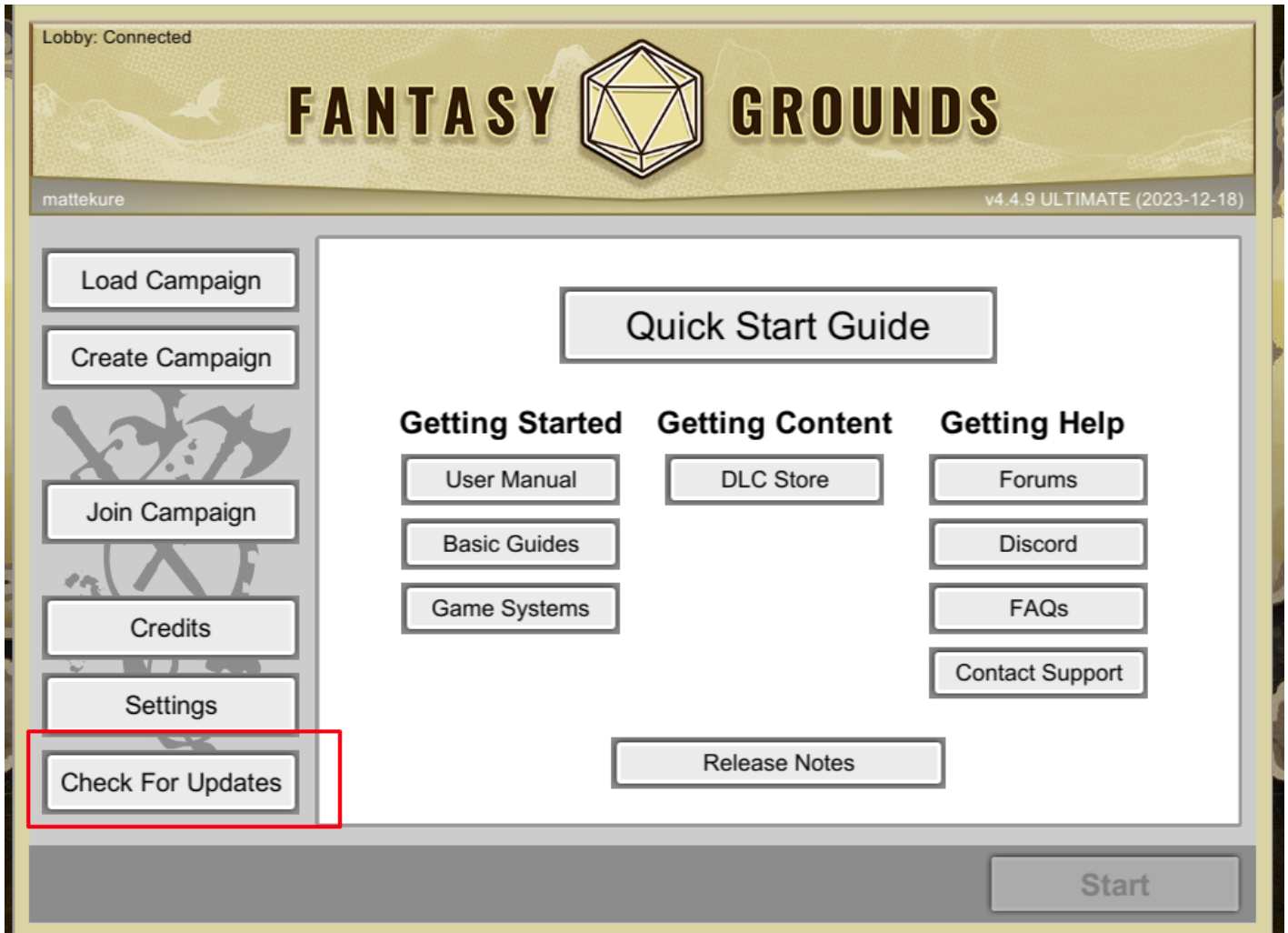
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Installation

Extensions purchased from the Fantasy Grounds Forge are automatically downloaded whenever the "Check For Updates" button is clicked.

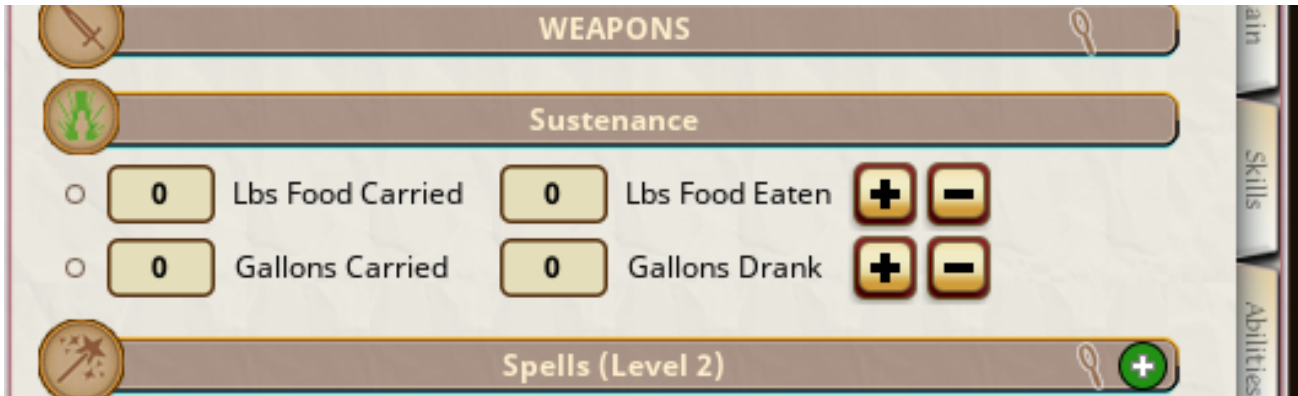


The extension is downloaded into the vault folder in your Fantasy Grounds data folder and will appear as "2a0d71b6-68e0-11ec-8c52-0050562be458.dat". This file is protected, and its contents cannot be viewed.

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Usage

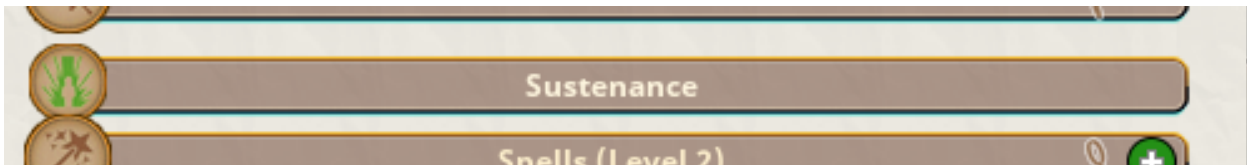
Sustenance tracker adds a new Sustenance section to all player character sheets, located on the Actions tab.



The image shows a section of a character sheet titled "Sustenance" with a green icon of a person carrying a pack. Below the title, there are four rows of input fields and buttons. The first row is for "Lbs Food Carried" and "Lbs Food Eaten", both with a value of "0". The second row is for "Gallons Carried" and "Gallons Drank", both with a value of "0". To the right of each row are two buttons: a "+" button and a "-" button. Above the "Sustenance" section is a "WEAPONS" section with a sword icon, and below it is a "Spells (Level 2)" section with a wand icon and a green "+" button. On the right side of the sheet, there are tabs labeled "Main", "Skills", and "Abilities".

Sustenance Header

The Sustenance header can be clicked to collapse the section.

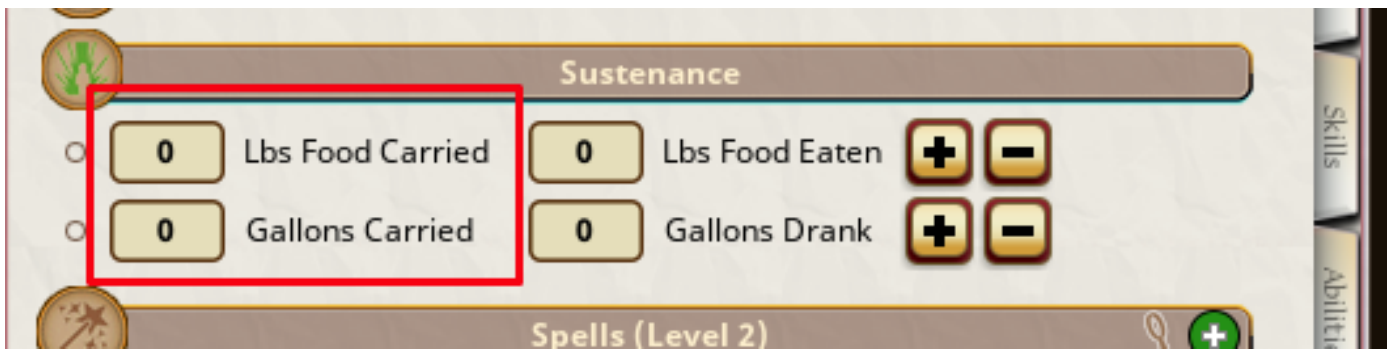


The image shows the "Sustenance" section of a character sheet. The "Sustenance" header is highlighted with a green border, indicating it is the active section. Below it, the "Spells (Level 2)" section is visible. The "WEAPONS" section is also visible above the "Sustenance" section.

Amount Carried

The top line left number is used to track the pounds of food carried (n lbs). Fantasy Grounds doesn't currently have a way to designate inventory items as specifically food items, so this must be done manually by the player/GM.

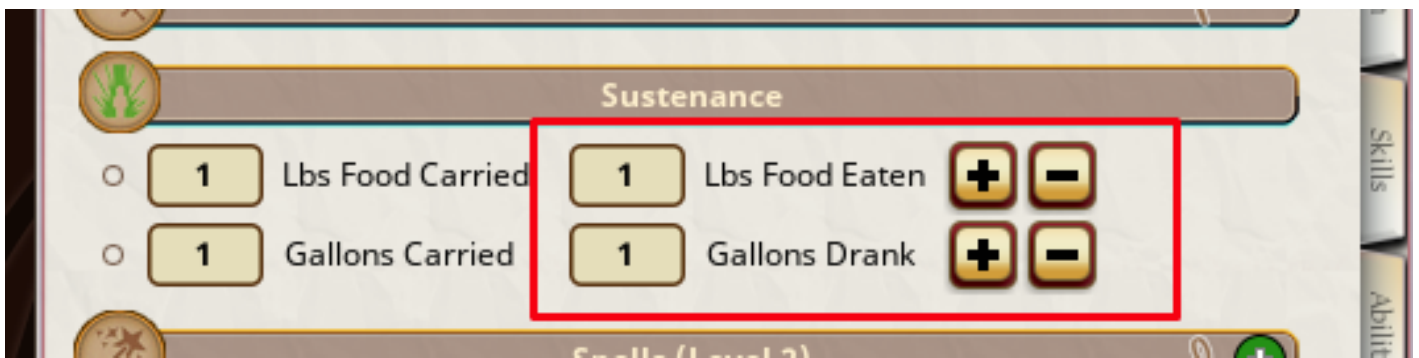
The second line left number is used to track the gallons of drinkable liquid (water, ale, wine, whatever) the character is carrying. As with the food line, these values must be entered manually.



Amount Consumed

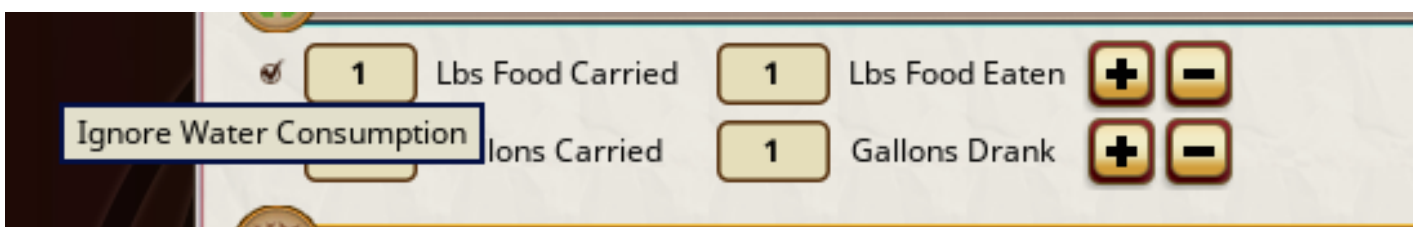
The second number represents the amount of food/drink that will be consumed during the next long rest. The +/- buttons to the right allow incrementing/decrementing the amount to be consumed by 0.5 lbs/gallons.

The buttons will not let you set a consumed amount higher than the carried amount.



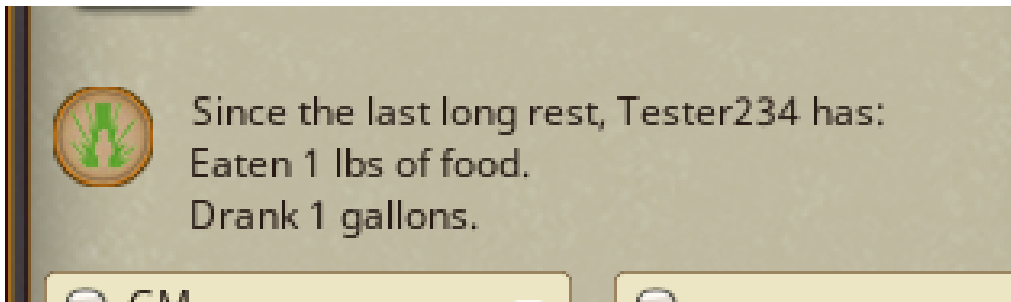
Ignoring Consumption

The checkboxes to the left of each line allow you to ignore consumption of either food/drink during a long rest. This is useful in situations where food/drink is plentiful, such as when characters are at their home base with sufficient resources or have a magical source of food/drink such as a decanter of endless water.

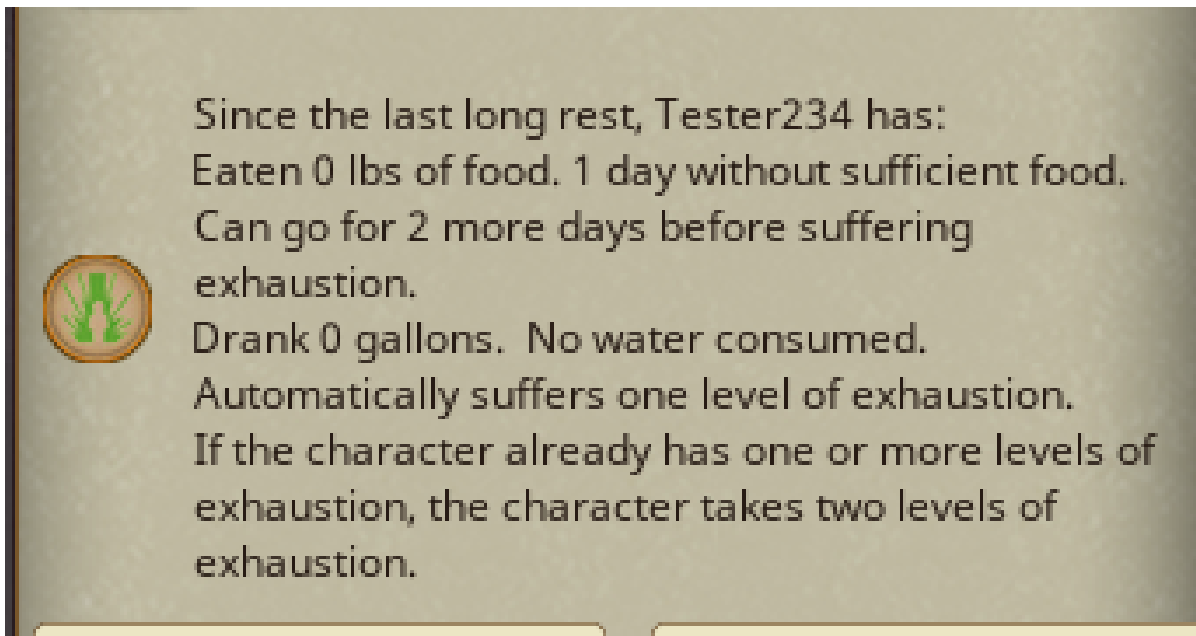


Long Rest

When a long rest is initiated by the GM, each PC in the Combat Tracker will be checked for Food/Water consumption. The amount of food/water carried will be reduced by the amount in the "Lbs Food Eaten"/"Gallons Drank" fields. A message will be added to the chat showing what was consumed.



If a PC has not consumed enough food/water according to the standard rules, a message will display showing the potential effects this can have. These will be displayed in chat only and will not be added as Effects in the Combat Tracker. This extension does not take into account the consumption rules for hot weather which require twice as much water be consumed.





Since the last long rest, Tester234 has:

Eaten 0 lbs of food. 4 days without sufficient food.

Automatically suffers one level of exhaustion.

Drank 0 gallons. No water consumed.

Automatically suffers one level of exhaustion.

If the character already has one or more levels of exhaustion, the character takes two levels of exhaustion.