

# When Shopify Isn't Enough

## 8 Signs it's Time to Extend Shopify With fabric OMS

Scaling a Shopify store is exciting until order management becomes a full-time headache. If you're constantly chasing inventory issues, juggling fulfillment across multiple locations, or dealing with unhappy customers, it's time for an upgrade. Use this checklist to see if your Shopify order management system is holding you back—and how fabric OMS can help you scale smarter with AI-powered fulfillment, real-time inventory visibility, and seamless Shopify integration.



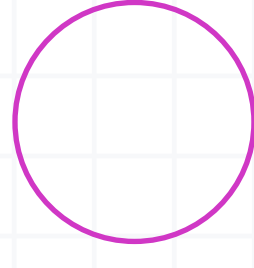
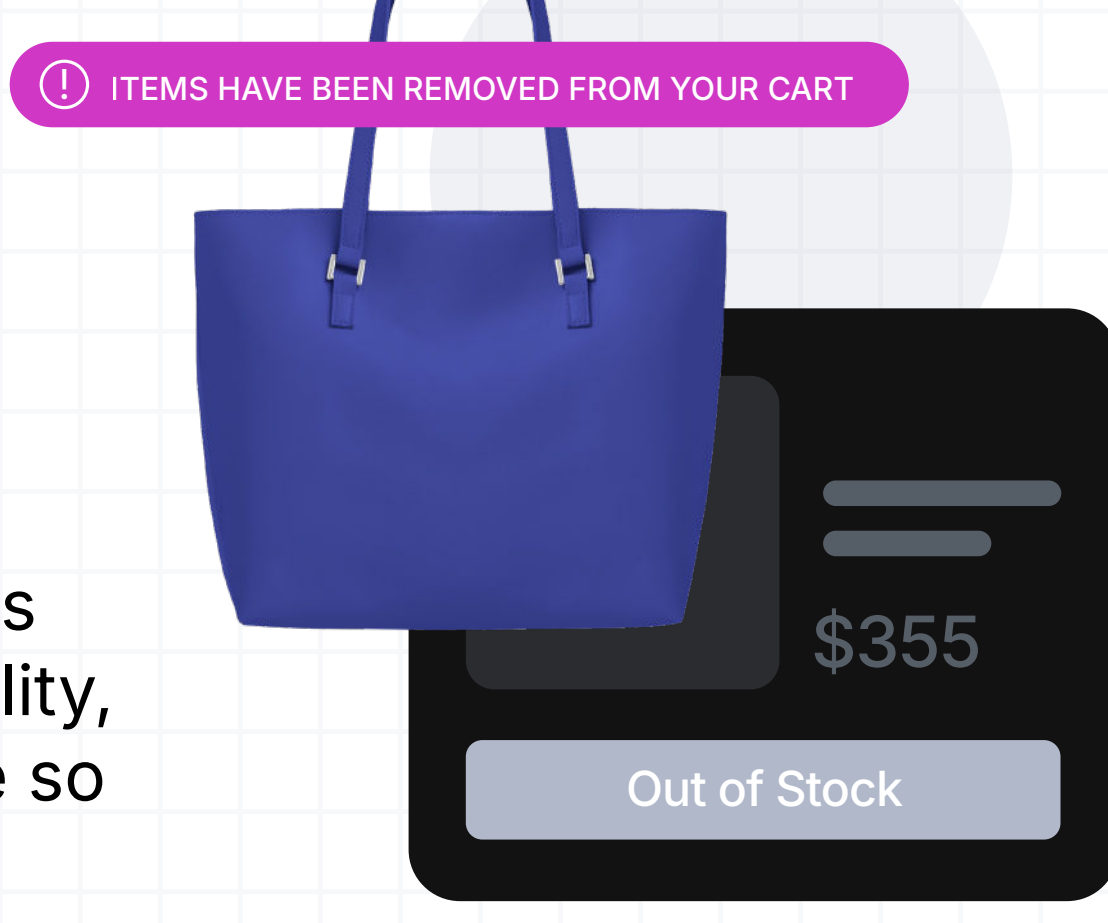
## The Order Management Checklist: 8 Signs You Need to Upgrade



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### You're constantly dealing with overselling and out-of-sync inventory.

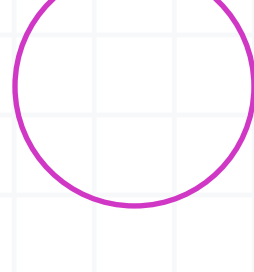
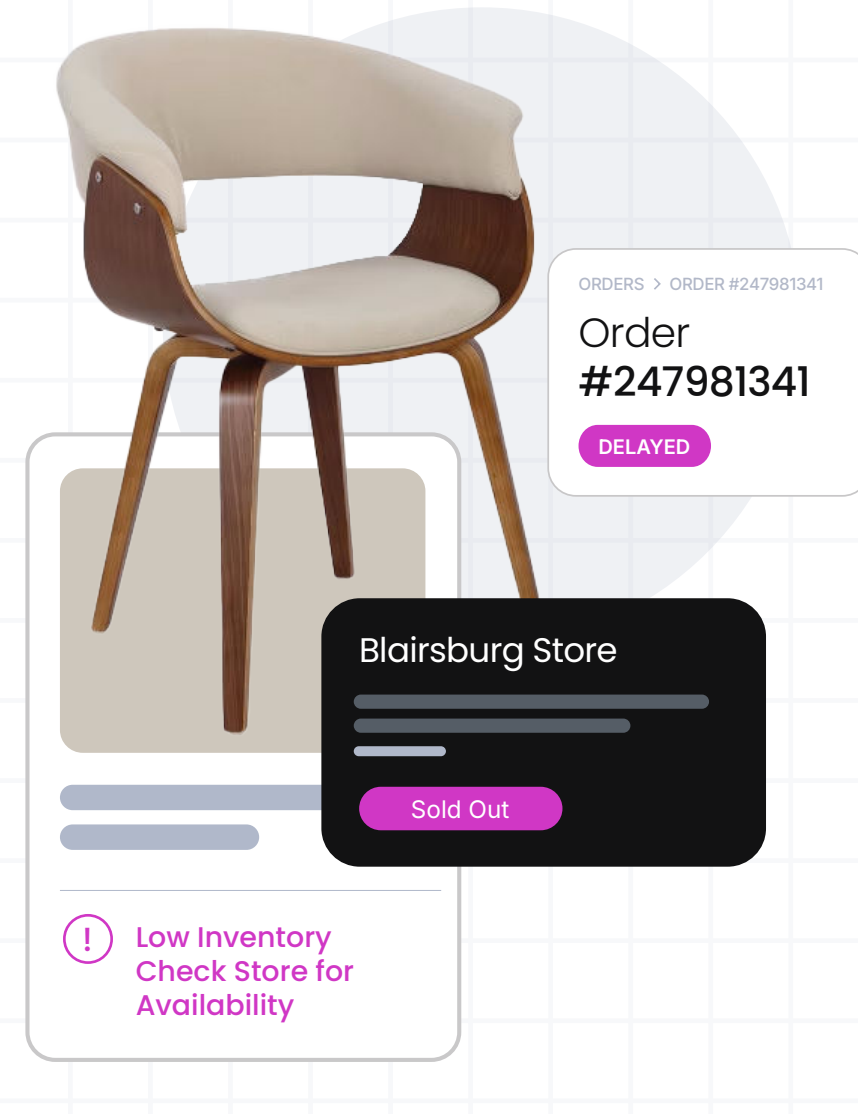
If stockouts and overselling keep happening, it means your inventory isn't syncing in real time across all sales channels. fabric OMS provides unified inventory visibility, ensuring every product update is instant and accurate so customers see and buy what's truly available.



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### Managing multi-location inventory is a logistical nightmare.

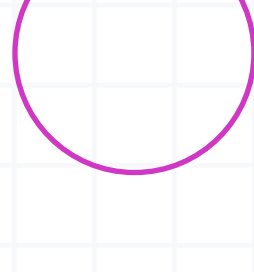
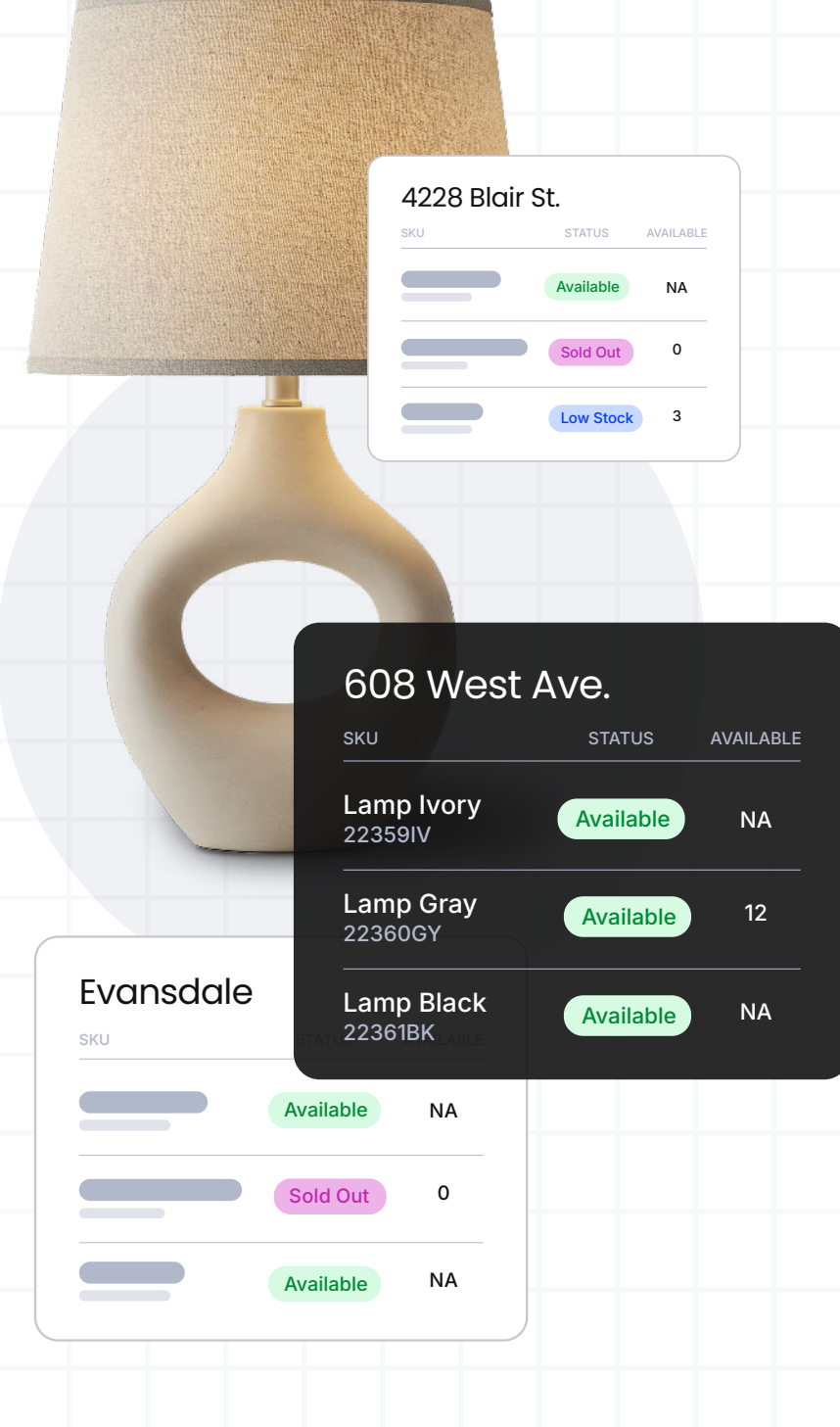
You've got products in warehouses, retail stores, or dropshippers, but without centralized tracking, fulfillment slows down. fabric OMS unifies all your inventory locations in one system, enabling efficient fulfillment across warehouses, stores, and third-party logistics (3PLs) without delays.



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### Store-level inventory management is too manual or limited.

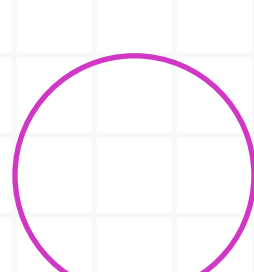
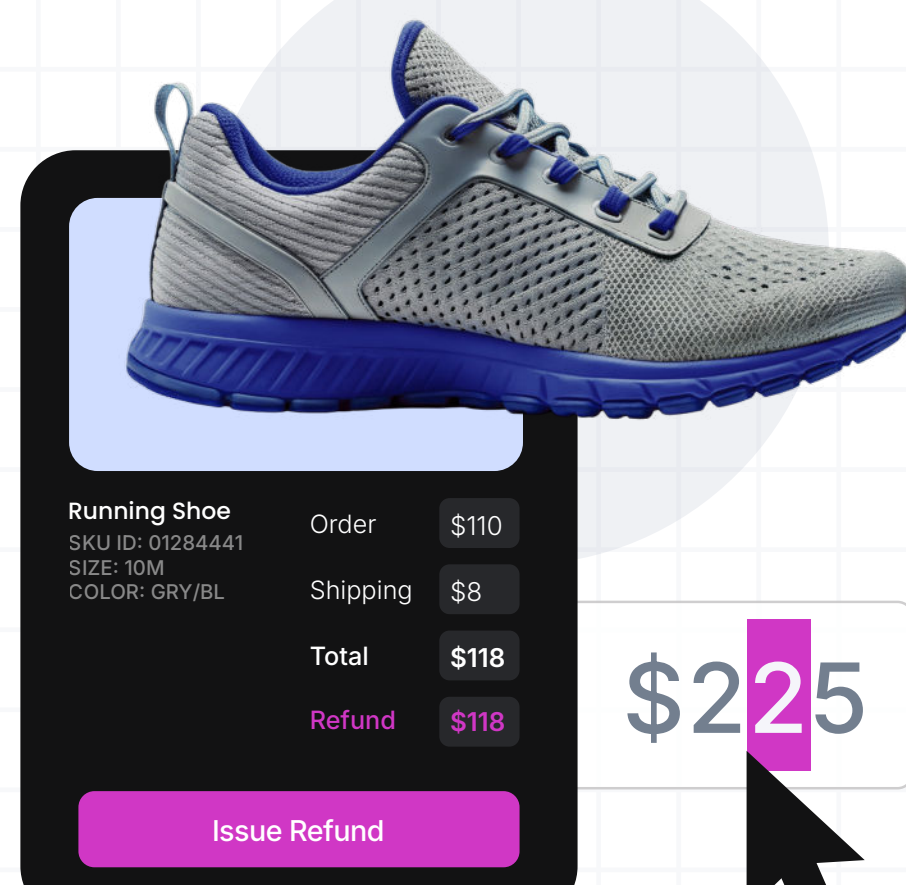
Managing inventory across multiple stores, DCs, or 3PLs can get messy fast, especially when Shopify doesn't give you fine-grained control. With fabric OMS, you can assign stock limits for online orders, BOPIS, and Ship from Store at the individual store level, helping you maintain stock minimums and avoid fulfillment mishaps. You can also set safety stock buffers for each location to prevent overselling. Best of all, you can manage it all with clicks—not code—giving you total control over store-level fulfillment across any demand channel.



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### Your team spends too much time manually adjusting orders.

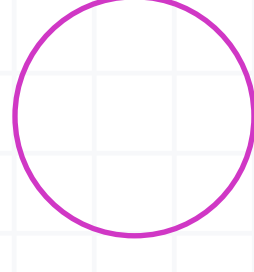
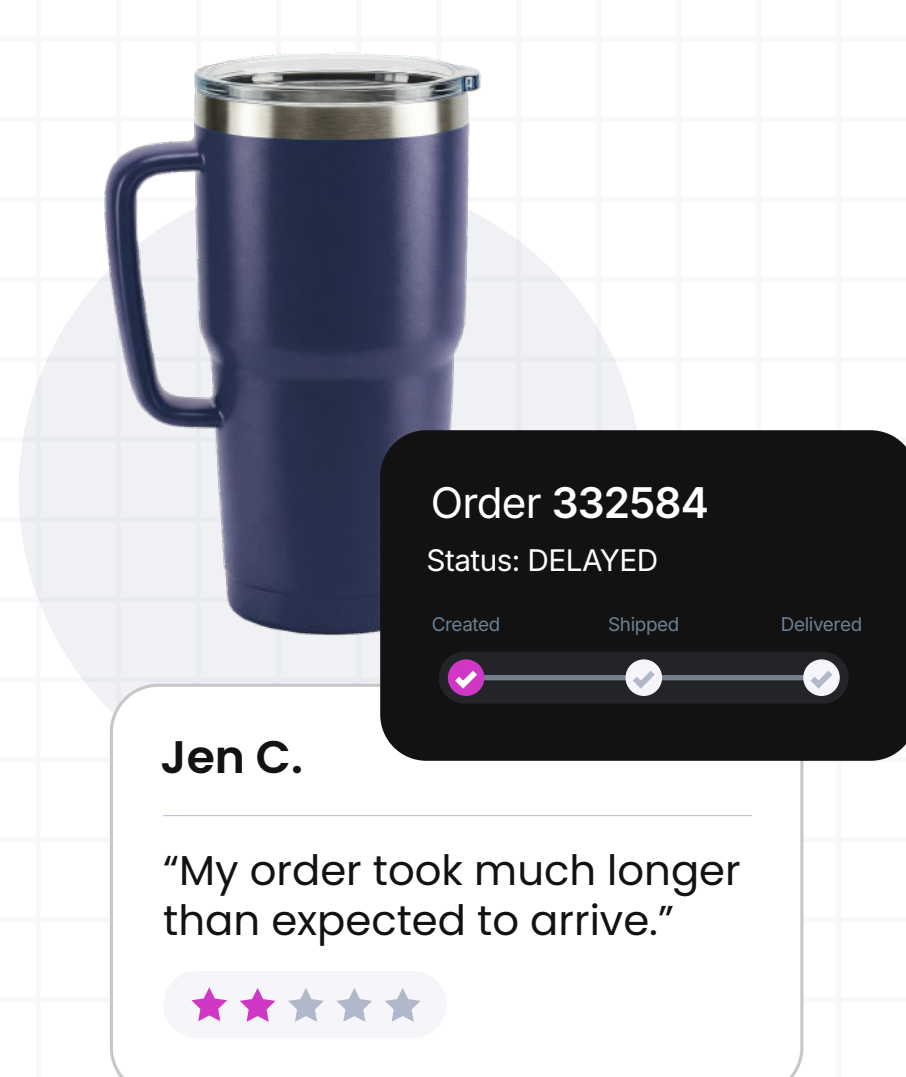
If your staff is constantly fixing stock levels, rerouting shipments, or manually processing refunds, that's time (and money) wasted. Automating Shopify order management with fabric OMS reduces human error, speeds up fulfillment, and frees up your team to focus on growth.



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### Customers are complaining about late shipments, backorders, or incomplete orders.

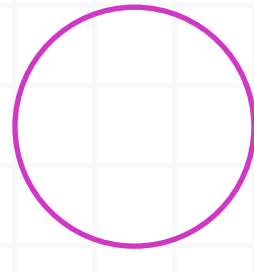
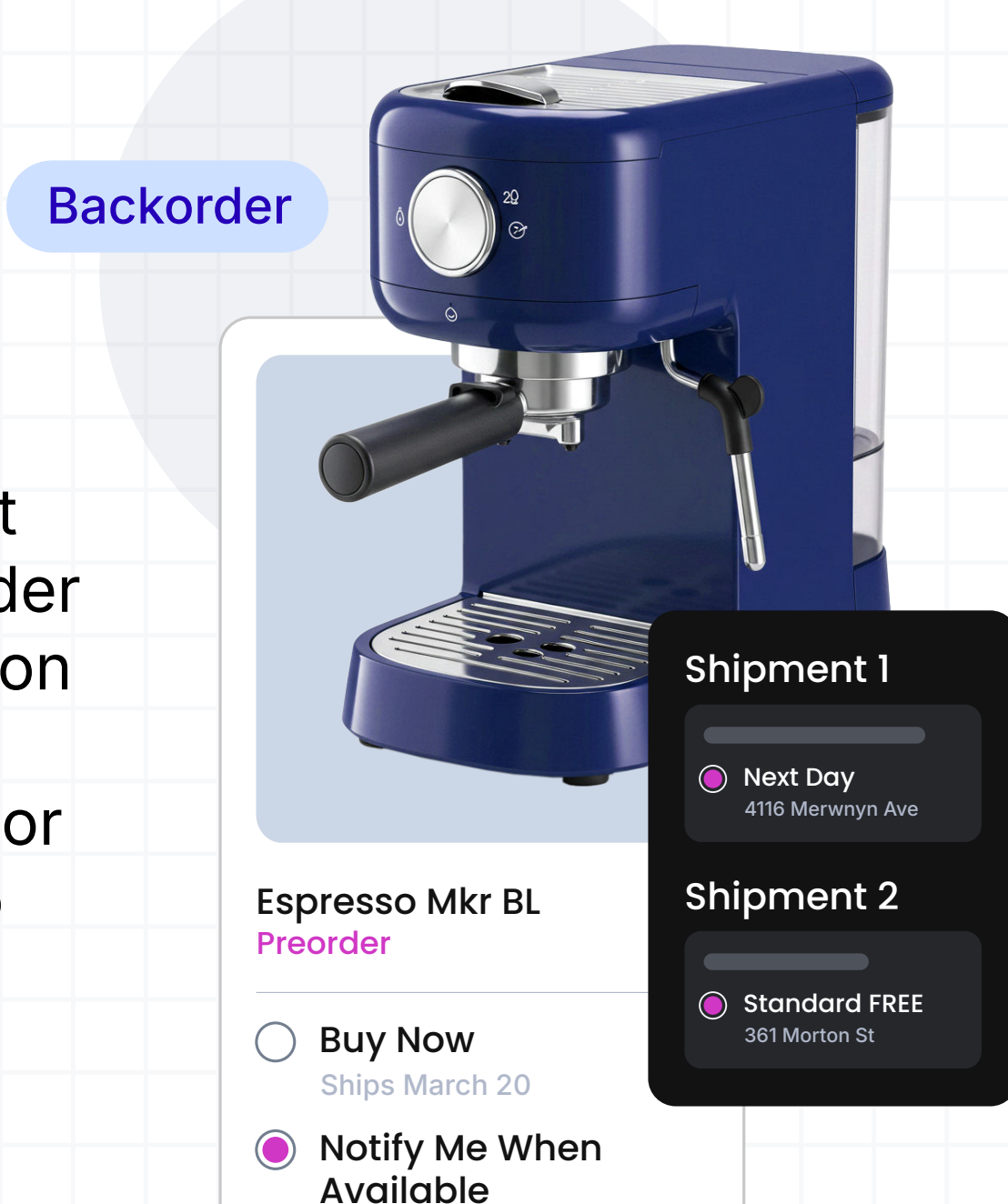
Shipping delays and unexpected backorders aren't just frustrating. They drive customers straight to your competitors. fabric OMS uses AI-powered order routing to select the fastest, most cost-effective fulfillment location, ensuring on-time delivery while reducing shipping costs.



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### Pre-orders, split shipments, or backorders create chaos in your system.

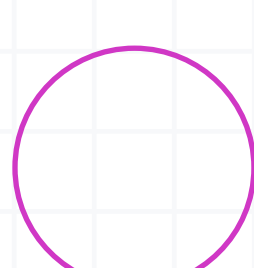
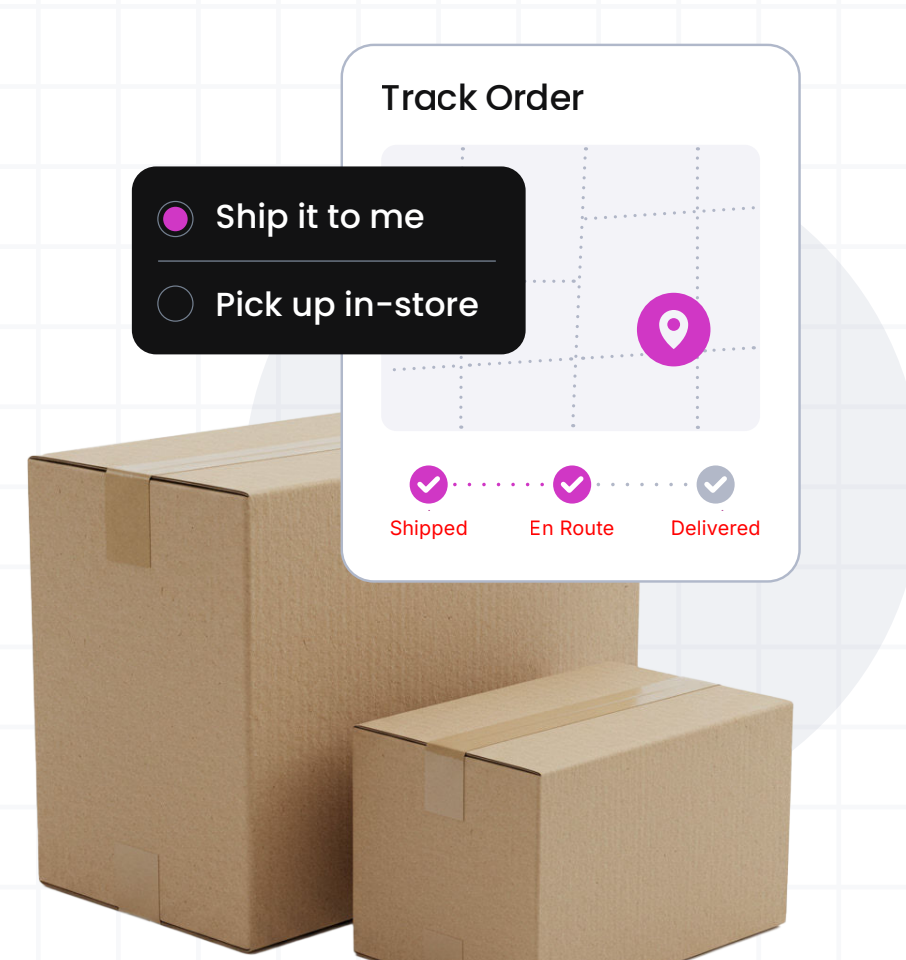
Shopify's native tools struggle with complex fulfillment needs. fabric OMS extends Shopify to support pre-order and backorder transactions, so you never miss a sale on evergreen items and can fulfill backorders as soon as stock is replenished. Easily set up pre-orders for new or on-demand products and provide clearer "available to promise" dates to customers. You'll also get built-in support for split shipments, BOPIS, and Ship from Store, giving you more flexibility across the entire product lifecycle.



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### Your fulfillment costs are higher than they should be.

Without optimized shipping logic, you might be sending orders from warehouses that are too far away, driving up costs and slowing down delivery. fabric OMS automates fulfillment decisions to ship from the best location. This cuts costs and improves delivery speed.



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### Shopify is struggling to keep up with your growth.

Scaling Shopify Plus for high-volume sales is tough when native tools hit their limits. fabric OMS extends Shopify's functionality by providing real-time inventory tracking, intelligent order orchestration, and seamless integration, all with fast implementation so you can start scaling right away.



## If you checked 3 or more boxes, it's time to extend Shopify with fabric OMS

Growing brands need choice and control over their fulfillment operations. If you're wondering how to [extend Shopify functionality](#), it's time to explore fabric OMS. With fabric OMS, you'll get:

- ✓ **Real-time, unified inventory tracking** across all locations
- ✓ **AI-powered order routing** for faster, cheaper fulfillment
- ✓ **Flexible fulfillment options**, including BOPIS and Ship from Store
- ✓ **Seamless Shopify integration** with fast implementation

Don't let order management chaos slow down your growth. [fabric OMS](#) fills the gaps in Shopify's native tools so you can scale without limits!