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Bulk Inventory Settings

Setup Guide — what to switch on so the Sub-Product Inventory tab appears, offers every setting and applies to your SKUs.

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What you need

Bulk Inventory Settings is part of Bulk Products Update. There is nothing to install and no separate switch: the **Sub-Product Inventory** tab appears as soon as the Inventory module is installed and switched on. This guide walks through the settings that decide what the tab offers and which SKUs it can change.

Checklist

STEP	WHERE	NEEDED FOR
Switch Inventory on	Inventory Management → Settings	The tab to appear
Track inventory on your SKUs	Shop → Bulk Products Update → Sub-Product Settings , or each SKU	Any setting to apply to a SKU
Choose the product types Inventory manages	Inventory Management → Settings	SKUs of those types to be changed
Set up locations	Inventory Management → Warehouses, Locations and Settings → Store Setup	Planning By Location
Fractional quantities (optional)	Inventory Management → Settings	The fractional setting, and decimal Min / Max
Pre-Cuts (optional)	Inventory Management → Settings	Pre-Cut Settings
Serialization rule	Inventory Management → Settings	Deciding which SKUs can switch serial numbers on
Scheduled changes job	System → Scheduled Jobs	Scheduled updates

1. Switch Inventory on

Open **Inventory Management → Settings** and set **Inventory Module Enabled** to **YES**, then save. Reload **Shop → Bulk Products Update**: the **Sub-Product Inventory** tab now sits between **Sub-Product Attributes** and **Pricing**.

While Inventory is switched off the tab is not shown, and any inventory change waiting in a schedule or a rollback stops with *Inventory is switched off, so the sub-product inventory settings cannot be changed.* rather than reporting success.

2. Track inventory on your SKUs

These settings belong to SKUs whose inventory is tracked. A SKU with **Enable Inventory Tracking** set to **NO** is skipped and listed when you apply a change.

To switch tracking on for many SKUs at once, use the **Sub-Product Settings** tab of Bulk Products Update: set **Enable Inventory Tracking** to **Change: YES, Change To: YES**, select the SKUs and apply. Their stock records are set up the same way as when tracking is switched on from the SKU's own page.

3. Choose the product types Inventory manages

Inventory manages stock for the product types chosen per store in **Inventory Management → Settings**. SKUs of other types are skipped with *Inventory does not manage this product type*. Standard products are always managed.

4. Set up locations

Planning By Location offers the locations your Inventory-enabled stores can use, grouped by store. If the list is empty, add them under **Inventory Management → Warehouses and Locations**, then assign them to your stores in the **Store Setup** section of **Inventory Management → Settings**. A store with a single location shows it as fixed instead of a picker.

5. Optional settings

Fractional / Decimal Quantities

Turn on **Enable Fractional / Decimal Quantities** in **Inventory Management → Settings** to offer the fractional setting on the tab and allow decimals in **Min Qty** and **Max Qty**. Decimals are applied only to SKUs sold in fractional quantities.

Pre-Cuts

Turn on **Enable Pre-Cuts** and add your **Pre-Cut Fractional Sizes** (for example $1/2 = 0.5$) in **Inventory Management → Settings**. The tab then offers **Pre-Cut Settings**, listing the active sizes.

Serialization Enable Rule

Inventory Management → Settings → Serialization Enable Rule decides which SKUs can have serial number tracking switched on: **Require Zero Stock**, **Allow With Serial Import** or **Always Allow**. The tab shows the rule in force under the switch, and applies it SKU by SKU.

6. Scheduled updates

Scheduled changes are applied by the **Product & SubProduct Schedule Changes** job in the **Shop** group under **System → Scheduled Jobs**. By default it runs every hour at a quarter past. Make sure it is enabled if you plan to schedule inventory changes.

7. Who can use it

Anyone who can open **Shop → Bulk Products Update** can use the tab; it needs no permission of its own. Undoing a change needs access to **Shop Admin → Bulk Update Batches**.

Checking it works

1. Open **Shop → Bulk Products Update → Sub-Product Inventory**.
2. Set **Reorder Point** to **Change: YES** and enter 5.
3. Pick one location and click **Select Products**.
4. Select one SKU that tracks inventory and one that does not, and apply.
5. The result reads *Inventory settings updated for 1 SKU.* and lists the other as skipped, with its reason.
6. Open **Shop Admin → Bulk Update Batches**, open the **Sub-Product Inventory** batch, and click **Rollback Batch** to put the SKU back.