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Bulk Inventory Settings

User Manual — set serial number tracking, fractional quantities, Pre-Cut setup and reorder planning on hundreds of SKUs at once.

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Where to find it

Shop → Bulk Products Update in the admin menu, then the **Sub-Product Inventory** tab.

The tab is there whenever the Inventory module is switched on for your store. It sits with the other sub-product tabs, between **Sub-Product Attributes** and **Pricing**, and works the same way they do: switch on what you want to change, choose the value, pick the SKUs, confirm.

What you can change

SETTING	WHAT IT DOES	SHOWN WHEN
Enable Serial Number Tracking	Tracks every unit of the SKU by serial number	Always
Enable Fractional / Decimal Quantities	Lets the SKU sell in parts of a unit, e.g. 1.5 yards	Fractional quantities are on in Inventory Settings
Pre-Cut Settings	Makes the SKU a Pre-Cut source, a Pre-Cut target size, or neither	Pre-Cuts is on in Inventory Settings
Planning By Location	Reorder Point, Min Qty, Max Qty, Lead Time Days and Safety Stock for the locations you pick	Always

Every setting has its own **Change** switch. Only settings with **Change** set to **YES** are written; everything else on the SKU is left exactly as it is.

Changing a setting

1. Open **Shop → Bulk Products Update** and choose the **Sub-Product Inventory** tab.
2. Set **Change** to **YES** beside each setting you want to change. Its value appears next to it.
3. Choose the new value. Planning values also need one or more **Locations**.
4. Optionally switch on **Schedule Future Updates** and pick a date and time.
5. Click **Select Products**. The button stays disabled until every change you switched on has a valid value.
6. Tick the SKUs to update, or filter the grid and apply to everything it shows.
7. Read the confirmation, **Update inventory settings of 12 sub-products?**, and click **Apply**.

The values you enter are the values the SKUs end up with. A Reorder Point of 10 sets every selected SKU to 10 at the chosen locations; it does not add 10 to what is there.

Serial Number Tracking

Change To: YES turns serial number tracking on; **NO** turns it off. Turning it off is always allowed. Turning it on follows the rule your store chose in **Inventory Management → Settings → Serialization Enable Rule**, and the tab shows that rule under the switch:

The serialization rule

RULE	A SKU CAN BE SWITCHED ON WHEN
Require Zero Stock	It has no stock on hand and none reserved
Allow With Serial Import	Every unit on hand already has a serial record
Always Allow	Always

SKUs that do not meet the rule are left as they are and listed in the result with the reason.

Fractional / Decimal Quantities

Change To: YES lets the SKU be sold in parts of a unit (1.5 yards, 0.25 lb). **NO** returns it to whole units. This setting appears only when **Enable Fractional / Decimal Quantities** is switched on in **Inventory Management → Settings**.

Pre-Cut Settings

Shown when **Enable Pre-Cuts** is on in **Inventory Management → Settings**. Switching **Change** on gives three fields, and all three are written together:

FIELD	USE IT FOR
Enable As Pre-Cut Source SKU	YES for the bulk SKU that gets cut, such as a roll of fabric
Pre-Cut Unit Of Measure	The unit the source and its targets share, e.g. <i>Yard</i>
Pre-Cut Fractional Size	The finished size a target SKU represents, e.g. <i>1/2 Yard</i> . Not A Pre-Cut Target for a source

A source needs a unit of measure. A target needs a unit of measure and a fractional size. To take SKUs out of Pre-Cuts entirely, set the source switch to **NO**, clear the unit and choose **Not A Pre-Cut Target**.

Planning by location

Planning values drive purchase order recommendations. Pick the **Locations** first: they are grouped by store, can be filtered by name, and **Select All / Clear** work on what the filter shows. A bin that several stores share is listed once, under the store that owns it, marked *Also used by* the others.

Planning fields

FIELD	WHAT IT MEANS	VALUES
Reorder Point	The stock level that triggers a purchase order recommendation	Whole numbers, 0 or more
Min Qty	The least the location should hold	0 or more
Max Qty	The level a recommended purchase order fills up to; 0 leaves it to the other fields	0 or more, not below Min Qty
Lead Time Days	Days a delivery takes to arrive	Whole numbers, 0 or more
Safety Stock	A buffer that covers demand while a delivery is on its way	Whole numbers, 0 or more

Switch on only the fields you want to change; the others keep their current values. If a SKU has no planning yet at a location you picked, one is created for it, with the fields you did not set at 0.

Min Qty and **Max Qty** can carry decimals when your store sells fractional quantities. A decimal is applied only to SKUs that are sold in fractional quantities; other SKUs are skipped and listed.

Choosing the SKUs

Select Products opens the same product grid as the other sub-product tabs. Tick SKUs one by one, or filter the grid and apply the change to every SKU it shows. The title of the grid repeats the change you are about to make, for example *Reorder Point 10, Min Qty 2 @ Main Warehouse / A1 - Front Shelf*.

A SKU has to track inventory for these settings to apply. SKUs that do not are skipped, never changed.

Scheduling a change

Switch on **Schedule Future Updates** and pick a date and time, in 15-minute steps. Each SKU gets its own scheduled change, which you can review and manage on the SKU's **Scheduled Changes** tab and under **Shop → Scheduled Product Changes**. The change is applied the next time the store's scheduled product changes job runs after that time.

When the change is applied, any setting that has been changed on the SKU in the meantime keeps its newer value unless the scheduled change sets that same field.

Reading the result

When the update finishes you see how many SKUs were updated, how many already had these settings, and a table of any that were skipped, with the product name, variant, SKU and reason. Each SKU links to its edit page.

Why a SKU is skipped

REASON SHOWN	WHAT TO DO
Inventory tracking is off for this SKU.	Turn on Enable Inventory Tracking for it first, on the Sub-Product Settings tab or the SKU itself
Inventory does not manage this product type.	Add the product type in Inventory Management → Settings if it should be tracked
Min Qty must be a whole number – this SKU is not sold in fractional quantities.	Use a whole number, or turn on fractional quantities for the SKU
Serialization can only be enabled when on-hand and reserved quantities are zero.	Move or sell the remaining stock first, or change the serialization rule
Existing stock must be fully represented by serial records before serialization can be enabled.	Import the serial numbers for the units on hand first

Undoing a change

Every immediate update is recorded under **Shop Admin → Bulk Update Batches** with the function **Sub-Product Inventory**. Open the batch to see, SKU by SKU, each setting before and after. **Rollback Row** puts one SKU back; **Rollback Batch** puts them all back. A planning row the update created is removed again.

Each SKU's **History** also records the change. The **Inventory** section of the change lists Serial Number Tracking, Fractional Quantities, Pre-Cut Source and every planning field by location, and **Restore** puts back a single field.

What this tab does not change

NOT HERE	WHERE INSTEAD
Stock on hand and reserved quantities	Inventory receipts, adjustments and transfers
Alternate barcodes and item numbers	Each SKU's Inventory Settings tab, because every one must be unique
Whether a SKU tracks inventory at all	Enable Inventory Tracking on the Sub-Product Settings tab
Whether stock can go below zero	Inventory Management → Settings , for the whole store