

Safety Quantity

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Overview

The Safety Quantity serves as a buffer between the amount of inventory you have and the amount Sellercloud sends to the channel. This helps prevent the overselling of items in high demand. Safety Quantity is used to subtract a specified amount from the available quantity. For example, if there are 5 units available and the Safety Quantity is 1, only 4 will be sent to the channel. Each channel has a default company level Safety Quantity which can be used to apply a default value across all products for that channel, and a product level Safety Quantity where you can configure unique values per product.

Another option is to configure warehouse-based preferences. This is typically used to determine how much inventory from a *specific* warehouse is sent to the channel. You can learn more about the alternative ways to control how inventory is sent to different channels here: [Channel Warehouse](#), [Channel Warehouse Mapping](#), [Replenishable](#).

Safety Quantity Defaults on a Company level

The company level Safety Quantity can be used to apply a default value across all products for that channel. To do that:

1. Go to **Settings > Company > Manage Companies** > Open a company.
2. Navigate to **Toolbox > Defaults**.
3. Enable the **Safety Qty Use Default** checkboxes for your desired channel/s and enable the **Channel Enabled** box. This will enforce the default values on your products.

PER-CHANNEL DEFAULTS			
CHANNEL	CHANNEL ENABLED	PRICE USE DEFAULT	SAFETY QTY USE DEFAULT
Amazon	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rakuten	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
NewEgg	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Walmart Marketplace	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Website	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Wish	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Google Shopping	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
eBay	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Local Store	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Any products created prior to enabling the above settings will have to be updated manually using the steps provided [below](#). Products created after the settings were enabled will have their default values applied automatically.

4. From the **Toolbox**, navigate to either:
 - a. **Defaults** and set a **Safety Quantity** for the available channels

DEFAULTS	
Amazon Safety Qty	0
Sears Safety Qty	2
Buy.Com Safety Qty	0
NewEgg Safety Qty	5
Product Inventory Status	Available ▼

or to

- b. **Channels** > Select a channel > **General Settings**.

INVENTORY	
Product Business Discount	2%
Safety Qty	0
Safety Qty (Replenishable)	0

5. Set your desired Safety Quantity > **Save**.

Safety Quantity per Product

You can set safety quantities on products **individually** or **in bulk**. To override the default Safety Quantity on a product level, follow the steps below.

Individually

1. Go to **Catalog** > **Manage Catalog** > Open a product.
2. From the **Toolbox**, go to **Channels** > Select the desired **Channel Properties** page.

Channels

- ★ [Amazon Properties](#)
- ☆ [Cdiscount Properties](#)
- ☆ [eBay Properties](#)
- ☆ [Houzz Properties](#)
- ☆ [NewEgg.com Properties](#)
- ☆ [TopHatter Properties](#)
- ☆ [Vendor Central Properties](#)
- ☆ [Website Properties](#)

3. Click on **Edit**.
4. Populate the **Safety Qty** field with your desired value. Ensure that the **Use default** checkbox is **disabled**.

INVENTORY

Channel Qty	15
Avail. Qty	3041
<input type="checkbox"/> Replenishable	
<input type="text" value="5"/> Safety Qty	<input type="checkbox"/> Default
<input type="checkbox"/> Max Qty Enabled	
ReStock Date	03/14/2022 <input type="checkbox"/> Enable

5. Save.

In Bulk

1. Go to **Catalog > Manage Catalog > Tools > Import Product Info > Bulk Product Update**.
2. Generate a template with the **Safety Quantity** and the **Safety Quantity Use Default** columns.

Bulk Update Template

ADD COLUMNS TO TEMPLATE *

safetyquantity

- BedBathAndBeyondSafetyQuantity
- BedBathAndBeyondSafetyQuantityUseDefault
- BuyDotComSafetyQuantity
- BuyDotComSafetyQuantityUseDefault
- MagentoSafetyQuantity
- MagentoSafetyQuantityUseDefault
- NewEggDotComSafetyQuantity
- NewEggDotComSafetyQuantityUseDefault
- NewEggSafetyQuantity

3. Populate the fields and import the file back to Sellercloud.
Note: All Safety Quantity Use Default columns accept values of **True** and **False**. To use the default **Company level Safety Quantity** the value of this column must be **True**. This also negates the need to populate specific Safety Quantity values as the default will be used instead. To use a different Safety Quantity than the default one, the value of this column must be **False** and a **Safety Quantity** must be specified.

Replenishable Products and Safety Quantity

On the channel's page, there are two safety quantity settings – one for regular products and one for replenishable products. Typically, Safety Quantity can be set to 0 for [replenishable](#) products because there are no specific inventory restrictions.

INVENTORY			
Channel Qty	127		
Avail. Qty	177		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Replenishable			
Fixed Qty	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Default	
Safety Qty	50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Default	
<input type="checkbox"/> Max Qty Enabled			