No P.O Box Checkout

Introduction:

PO Boxes are considered as one of the least secure methods that are giving a lot of options for fraud and use of illegal goods and services. For this reason, a lot of web-stores may need to exclude this method from the list of available shipping options.

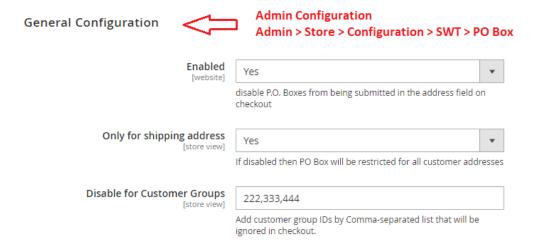
The extension updates the Magento checkout fields to prevent shipping to a PO Box. It also provides error messaging to inform customers that they must enter a valid shipping address before proceeding through checkout.

This is great for sites that want to truly restrict customers from entering or processing orders that contain a P.O. Box address.

Configuration:

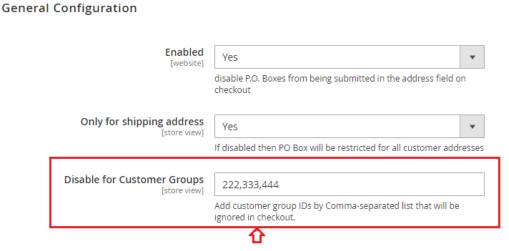
Login to Admin: Admin → Stores → Configuration

In the panel on the left, click Sales → SWT → PO Box



Module general settings include the following options:

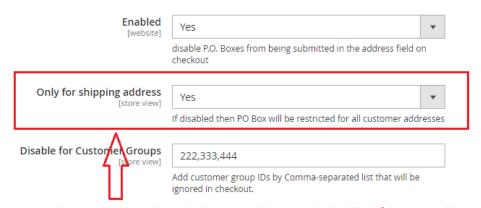
- Module Enable switch the module on/off;
- Disable for Customer Groups: enter the list of IDs of customer groups that should be ignored by the module. Customers that belong to the specified groups will be able to use PO boxes as their shipping and billing addresses.



Disable PO Box for specific customer group in shipping and billing address on checkout

Only for Shipping Address: if shipping and billing addresses are
two separate addresses, this option allows you restrict access only
for shipping address, thus, allowing PO box to be used as the
billing address. If you select "No" — No PO Box at Checkout
Extension will be disabled for both addresses.

General Configuration



PO box implements for only shipping address or both billing/shipping address

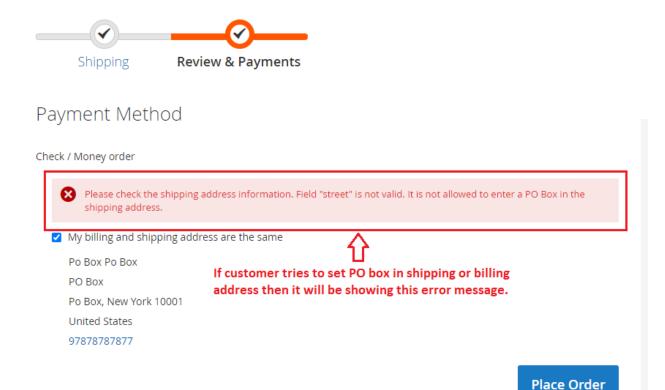
Once you are ready with the configurations, click the Save Config button.

After the changes, clear the cache.

Navigate to System → Tools → Cache Management. Mark the Page Cache: Full Page Caching option, then at the top dropdown menu select Refresh and click Submit.

Once the extension is enabled, customer will no longer be able to enter any PO Box Address on the checkout.

The module will automatically validate the billing and shipping details and will show a warning message if any PO Box related address has been entered by the customer.



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