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## Venditan Commerce

Venditan Commerce is an end to end PaaS (Platform as a Service) that helps retailers unify their offerings by connecting eCommerce with their offline stores and other marketplaces to better manage inventory, orders, customer service, merchandising, marketing and financials.

## Inventory & Stock Management

The Venditan Commerce platform offers inventory visibility across multiple stores and warehouses making sure you know where each piece of inventory is located. This can help improve customer experience across your business from helping you to accurately predict when a customer's order will be delivered to understanding when you may need to replenish stock overall, or for a particular location.

### Inventory Specific Features

- **Standalone or Bundled and Grouped Products**

Setup stand-alone products and product groups containing parent and child inventory items or create dynamic BoMs (Bill of Materials) from multiple stand-alone products.

- **Pricing**

Venditan Commerce has an advanced pricing system that includes many features including:

- Tiered pricing
- Set different prices for different customer groups
- Set discounted and sale prices
- Have different prices for a product based on what storefront the product is getting displayed on
- Set pricing restrictions based on brand, department, season, product and number of uses
- Timed pricing for advance pricing planning
- Set different pricing across different marketplaces, different currencies and different countries

- **Taxation**

Venditan Commerce has an advanced taxation system that includes many features such as:

- Tiered taxation
- Set different taxation rules per category, department and product tags

- Set different taxes across different marketplaces, customer types and countries

- **Downloaded/Digital Products**

Setup downloadable products and generate samples. For example, create an eBook that can be sold and downloaded from your website and allow users to preview the eBook before purchase.

- **Product Attributes**

Create as many product attributes as you like and assign them to product attribute sets (eg. per category) to speed up the product creation process.

- **Stock Settings**

Set minimum, maximum and ideal stock levels for inventory items by store or location. Use 'effective' stock levels calculated to use buffers and take into account future orders.

- **Cost Pricing**

Flexible cost price management allowing you have estimated cost prices, cost prices per supplier and Venditan Commerce will also record the actual cost price of each inventory item booked in.

- **Powerful Product Tagging System**

Tag products and create tag groups, to display products on particular pages on your website or display offer banners.

- **Product Content**

Edit product content per storefront or marketplace allowing you to generate the right content for the right marketplace and avoid duplicate content issues across your different marketplaces, including external marketplaces such as Amazon and Ebay.

- **Pre-order Products**

Set products to be pre-order, allowing users to either browse the product online before it can be sold or pre-order the item online.

- **Ordered on Demand**

Sell products online that are not in stock at your warehouse or stores, but are in stock at your suppliers.

- **Bulk Create/Edit Products**

Upload a CSV containing new products or updates to products already existing in the system. Allowing you to easily edit your product content in a spreadsheet and then upload it to Venditan Commerce. In addition, you can bulk update



product data in an inline spreadsheet-style interface with a flexible range of filters.

- **Product Media**

Upload unlimited product images. Venditan Commerce will resize them and optimise them specifically for your website as well as store the original media you uploaded. All media is served via a CDN (Content Delivery Network) which is secure and cloud-based meaning less stress on your web server during busy periods. Venditan Commerce also supports product videos.

- **Product Reviews**

Allow for product reviews on your website as well as moderate them, only showing the reviews you wish to show. Integration with third parties such as Bazaar Voice, Trustpilot and Reviews.co.uk.

- **Back In Stock Notifications**

Let a user know via email or SMS when an inventory item is back in stock, this can be set up to be sent as an automatic message as soon as stock is booked in or triggered at a later date.

- **Regional Availability**

Set products to only be available in specific regions and locations. For example, if there are restrictions in place that prevent you from selling an item in a specific country or region.

- **WEEE Categorisation**

Support for WEEE categorisation when selling electrical goods to the UK and Europe.

- **Product & Shipping Weights**

Set actual product weights and shipping weights across categories and departments.

- **Open Orders**

View open customer orders for a particular product, bundled product or grouped product.

- **Inventory Analysis Tool**

Use the Venditan Commerce inventory analysis tool to understand your stock holding across the business, so you can better manage your marketing resources. For example to better understand your slow and fast movers and what stock you have where.

## Stock Management Specific Features

Venditan Commerce has an advanced stock management and warehousing module that allows you to keep track of stock levels and move stock around your business. This will help you to replenish stock at your stores and warehouses efficiently whilst also shipping orders to customers quickly whilst being able to accurately predict dispatch dates.

- **Unlimited Stock Locations**

Create unlimited stock locations including warehouses and stores.

- **Handheld Devices**

Use our handheld devices to scan stock for stock taking, stock movements and stock replenishment, process goods delivery, directed putaway, directed picking etc.

- **Branch Replenishment Between Stock Locations**

Setup automatic branch replenishment between stock locations based on sale volumes where you can replenish a stores stock based on what was sold the previous day. Base replenishment on minimum, maximum or ideal stock levels. Or you can replenish based on product segments. For example, if a store is getting low on t-shirts or jeans. These processes can also be moderated or scheduled to be actioned automatically.

- **Supplier Management**

Create suppliers and supplier financials including credit limits and currencies.

- **Supplier Replenishment**

Allow Venditan Commerce to manage stock replenishment via your chosen suppliers. Identify when inventory needs ordering and create purchase orders to send to your suppliers.

- **Internal Shipping Requests (ISRs)**

Automatically propose ISRs based on stock availability across locations. For example, if an order is placed and there is no stock to fulfil the order at your warehouse but there is stock at one of your stores. Venditan Commerce will automatically propose an ISR of stock from your store to the warehouse. You can also carry out manual ISRs to transfer stock around the business.

- **Purchase Order Management**

Manage all purchase orders with your suppliers through Venditan Commerce. You can have multiple purchase orders lines per purchase order, update your purchase line quantities and delivery dates at line level, and add preferred

inventory bins for an item.

- **Goods Received Notes (GRNs)**

Process GRNs from suppliers in Venditan Commerce and scan your goods barcodes directly into the platform.

- **Request to Purchase**

Sell items that you don't have physical stock of on your website. Venditan Commerce will add these items to a request to purchase screen where you can see what items need to order from your suppliers. You can also automatically add request to purchase items to a purchase order for your supplier, speeding up the order process.

- **Visual Stocktaking**

Support is for visual stocktaking, stock take a particular bin or location and manually update the stock quantities in Venditan Commerce.

- **Stock Snapshots**

Take stock snapshots of bins and locations using the handheld scanner and compare this to stock numbers in Venditan Commerce. Decide whether to write off or book in stock based on your snapshot.

- **Re-order Alerts**

Configure Venditan Commerce to send you re-order alerts when stock for a particular item drops below a certain threshold.

- **Barcodes**

Generate and print GS1UK barcodes for your inventory items.

- **Shelf-edge labels**

Generate and print shelf-edge labels to use in-store or in your warehouse

- **Stock Projection Report**

Run reports on stock items to calculate sales demand and determine if you need to order more or less of the item.

- **Third Party Supplier Integration**

Venditan Commerce can directly integrate with your suppliers to get product data and stock data. Allowing you to get an idea of what is in stock at your supplier's warehouse and how long it will take you to get it in stock. Venditan Commerce can get supplier stock data in a number of different ways including manual upload, via an FTP, API or URL.

- **Third Party Stock Control System Integration**

Use another platform to manage your stock? No problem, we have successfully integrated with many stock control systems over the years including Fashionmaster, RetailIT, Touch Retail, Futura, Shopmaster, RetailJ, Retail3, Cybertill and Figure Gemini.

## Ecommerce

Your website is often the first place customers will go to either shop or find out more about you. We believe it is important to give you as much control over your eCommerce website as possible to give your customers the best and relevant experience across web and mobile channels.

### Ecommerce Features

- **Multiple Storefronts/Websites**

Manage multiple storefronts and websites from one platform, each storefront can have its own domain, products, language, currency and branding. All customer orders from any storefront are managed by a single platform.

- **Internationalisation**

Expand your eCommerce offering across Europe and the world. Venditan Commerce supports a variety of languages and currencies and will manage exchange rates and different tax rates.

- Support for localisation, multiple currencies and tax rates
- Support for multiple languages
- Configurable list of allowed countries for site registration and shipping destinations
- Country specific delivery rates and couriers

- **Venditan Commerce M3 Platform**

Push your inventory to different marketplaces including Google Shopping, eBay and Amazon. Features of M3 include:

- List specific products on marketplaces such as Amazon, eBay and Google Shopping
- Daily product readiness reports detailing issues with products that could not be listed on a specific marketplace
- Details on minimum data requirements per marketplace
- Map your categories and departments to those required by the marketplace
- Orders placed on a marketplace are downstreamed into Venditan Commerce to be processed
- Reporting and statistics based on product data and health

- Have different product descriptions across marketplaces
- List the condition of an item for eBay
- Amazon FBA

## ● Responsive Design

All our websites are built to display beautifully across all devices including desktop computers, laptops, tablets and smartphones without the need for a mobile version of the website.

## ● Content Management System

Manage all the content across your site from page layouts, to banners, to blog articles, even down to your privacy policy. You can choose from different page layouts or start with an entirely blank page, you can work on drafts and publish them when ready or schedule content to go live at a particular time on a particular day. Run a blog and show your authors and author profiles and allow users to comment on your content.

## ● Search Engine Friendly

All our websites are designed and built with search engines in mind. You have full control over your meta content, redirects, content and we make sure there are no duplicate content issues. Some of Venditan Commerce search engine optimisation features are as follows:

- Full control over all meta content and page titles for products, listing pages and content pages
- Optimised Google XML sitemap, updated and submitted on a daily basis
- Search engine friendly URLs
- Robots.txt configuration and management
- 301 redirect management
- Integration with Google and Bing webmaster tools
- Article and blog content management system
- Full support for Google's structured data markup

## ● Speedy Websites

Superfast scalable eCommerce websites hosted on Google's Cloud Platform, images served from Amazon's content delivery network and caching.

## ● Quickly Browse and Find Products

View product and stock information on the product listing pages and easily click through to the product to find out more information and add to your basket. Filter products using our multi-faceted navigation.

- **Product Merchandising**  
Layout your product listing pages how you like them, putting your most popular products at the top of the page.
- **Visual Merchandising**  
Show off a product with multiple images and video, overlay badges on your products to enhance features and offers.
- **Product Ratings and Reviews**  
Use the Venditan Commerce in-built ratings and reviews system. Venditan Commerce also supports integration with third party review platforms like Bazaar Voice, Feefo, Trustpilot or Ekomi.
- **Feed-Based Marketing**  
Integrations with various feed-based marketing platforms such as FeedSpark, Criteo, PriceSpy and Facebook Feeds.
- **Social Sharing**  
Allow customers to easily share your products and content on the most popular social networks.
- **Shopping Cart**  
Users can easily add products to their basket and view the contents of their basket from every page on the website.
- **Recently Viewed Items and Recommended Items**  
Let users see what items they have recently viewed or recommend users other products based on the products they are looking at.
- **Basket Abandonment**  
Identify users who abandoned their basket and automatically send them an email tempting them back to complete their purchase. Use multi-stage emails to send different emails over the configured time period.
- **Back in stock notifications**  
Allow customers to leave their email address to be notified when items are back in stock.
- **Offers & Promotions**  
Set up offers and promotions including percentage off offers, buy one get one free offers, promotion codes, free delivery options and limit them to particular products, periods of time, currency, customers and other criteria.

- **Pricing**

Set pricing up to display differently across different websites, departments, brands, season and customer types and automate price to change at different dates and times

- **Multi-faceted Navigation**

Allow your users to find the products they want quickly and easily using our simple product filters. You can create search filters on all product attributes.

- **Site Search**

Users can quickly find what they are looking for using our advanced site search with Elastic Search returning highly relevant results. Elastic Search also supports auto-complete searching, misspellings and offers suggestions based on what you have searched for if there are no exact results.

- **Search Redirects**

Identify popular product and category searches and automatically redirect them to the relevant page.

- **Simple, Optimised Checkout**

Allow users to quickly checkout, by either creating an account or a guest account. The checkout supports gift message and gift wrapping options.

- **Payment Options**

Secure payment options with Global Payments including paying with a saved card. Configure whether or not you would like to take the money upfront or on the invoice of an order. Payment options include:

- Visa
- Mastercard
- Global Payments
- Solo
- American Express
- Paypal
- Amazon Payments
- Cheque
- Bank transfers
- V12 Finance integration
- Duologi Finance integration
- E-Vouchers

- **Payment Security and Fraud Prevention**

Payment and customer data is encrypted with a 256-bit Thawte SSL certificate. You can also configure address verification for payments and CVS along with 3DSecure to prevent fraudulent transactions. We also integrate with other 3rd party payment processors.

- **Shipping**

Venditan Commerce has a powerful shipping module with support for unlimited delivery options. Delivery options can be determined by simple or advanced rule sets based on shipping location, weight, order value and quantities. You can set simple prices for delivery options and even choose the currency, or configure complex delivery pricing based on volumetric bands and zonal postcodes. We integrate (this includes the printing of labels, generating pre-advice files, manifests and commercial invoices for goods export) with a number of couriers including:

- Royal Mail
- DHL
- Fedex UK
- DPD
- UPS
- GLS

Venditan Commerce also has integrations with various courier aggregator platforms including:

- 13 Ten
- Net Despatch

- **Click and Collect/Reserve and Collect**

Venditan Commerce supports click and collect orders and will inform users once an order is ready for collection at their nearest store or warehouse.

- **Customer Communication with Rapport**

Keep customers up to date with every step of their order with Rapport, the customer communication system that incorporates both email and SMS. Features include:

- Send emails, SMS or both at each stage of the order (placed, picking, shipped)
- Update the customer if there is going to be a delay to their order
- Send the customer personalised updates on their order, including photos of their products
- Mobile-friendly web interface that shows a timeline to the customer of all messages and order updates related to their specific order
- Use Rapport to upsell products and services to the customer



- Manage message types and update the content of all your message templates
- Integrated with Mandrill to ensure high deliverability rates of your transactional emails

## ● Customer Accounts

Customers can securely create an account with an email address. From here they can manage invoice and shipping addresses as well as view order statuses, manage their product wishlist, manage any marketing subscription data and view loyalty scheme points, vouchers and information. Users can also create an account/login using their Facebook or Google details.

## ● Email Marketing

Allow users to sign up to your mailing list either by signing up as a user on the site or a simple sign up.

## ● Affiliates

Integration with major affiliate networks including Webgains, Linkshare and AWIN.

## ● Affiliate Programme

Run your own Affiliate programme with powerful affiliate management and reporting tools built into Venditan Commerce.

## ● Amazon-like Marketplace

Get merchants to sell their items on your website with the Venditan Commerce marketplace solution. Merchants have multiple ways of integrating with your marketplace

- Scheduled inventory and stock updates using a CSV file uploaded to an FTP server
- Uploading the inventory and stock CSV files via the Merchant Portal
- Direct integration with our Marketplace API, to allow for instantaneous stock updates

Processing orders (order fulfilment) is possible using the Merchant Portal or using the Marketplace API integration.

We can provide courier integration at this point, which means that as soon as you invoice the order a courier will be booked to pick your order up. The courier charges will be sorted out by the end of the month when calculating the NPS.

The RMA process is complete - end to end.

- Customer can use a courier integration to return the item
- The Merchant can accept or reject the return depending on the state of the item
- Automatic NPS adjustments are made based on the returns state

The Net Proceeds of Sales (NPS) calculates monthly commissions.

The supported CSV format is very similar to the Google Shopping feed format, which makes integrating easy.

Products added by Merchants are manually linked to VC's Inventory, to make sure they fit with the quality requirements of your website. If multiple Merchants sell the same item, you can provide an option to the customer to select which Merchant they would like to buy it from.

- **Third Party Integrations**

We integrate with a number of third parties including More2, Adestra, MailChimp, Pure360 and Ometria.

- **Syndication Widget**

Run your own affiliate program using the Venditan Commerce syndication widget. Allowing other website administrators to display your products in banners on their websites.

## Order Management

Venditan Commerce provides an order management system that helps you to provide your customers with an excellent service. With customers' omnichannel fulfilment expectations rising all the time the Venditan Commerce order management system allows you to fulfil orders quickly and efficiently, whilst keeping your customers up to date every step of the way, meeting their online shopping expectations.

### Order Management Features

- **Create, Edit and View Orders**

Use the Venditan Commerce simple user interface to quickly create, edit and view orders.

- **Quotations**

Create order quotations to inform customers of the price of an order, go back to the quotation at a later date to place the order.

- **Storefront Order Number Prefixes**

Set different prefixes to your order numbers determined by storefront or marketplace.

- **Invoices and Picking Slips**

Print invoices and picking slips from Venditan Commerce in a format that is suitable for you.

- **Order Notes**

Add notes to orders and complimentary notes to order documentation.

- **Order Fulfillment System**

Venditan Commerce has advanced pick, pack and ship functionality and fully integrates with a number of top couriers to get your items shipped across the world.

- **Delivery Date Change Notification/Detection System (DDCN/D)**  
An intelligent and configurable notification system which keeps customers up to date about their order if there is a change to their predicted delivery date. This can either be sent via email or SMS.
- **Split Orders**  
Automatically split orders if there is a different lead time on the products or if the items are coming from different locations.
- **Email Notifications**  
Emails sent at various stages of the fulfilment lifecycle including order placed and order dispatched emails.
- **Picking Groups**  
Configurable picking groups allowing you to prioritise orders and assign pick groups to specific people.
- **Batch Processing of Orders**  
Process orders in batches and print off picking slips, invoices and shipping labels in batches as well.
- **Customisable Picking Slips**  
Set the layout of your picking slips to show the information you need to efficiently pick orders.
- **Picking Strategies**  
Support for different picking strategies to drive efficiencies in your warehouse, such as automatic picking with customisable rules, pigeon-hole picking, intelligent picking snake etc.
- **Advanced Document Printing**  
Direct and automatic browser-to-printer printing for shipping labels and documentation and remote document printing.
- **Guided Packing**  
Use Venditan Commerce's Pack Check guided-packing system to verify that you are sending the right items and quantities to a customer for their order.
- **Missing Items Process**  
Easily remove items from orders that are missing and also from your stock. Inform the customer about the

missing item from their order via email.

- **Single Click Order Fulfilment**  
Pick, invoice and dispatch an order with the single click of a button.
- **Multi-stock Location Order Fulfillment**  
Fulfil orders with stock from multiple locations and warehouses.
- **Support for High Throughput Fulfillment Centres**  
Whatever throughput you throw at Venditan Commerce we'll be able to deal with it.
- **Notifications and flags to highlight urgent orders, orders containing in-demand items or customer's first order.**

- **Use a third party logistics partner for order fulfilment? No problem, we have successfully integrated with many third party logistics systems such as Seko Logistics, JDA and Global E.**

- **Returns Management**

Process and authorise all returns, exchanges and refund through Venditan Commerce, and either mark returned stock as damaged or put it back up for sale. The customer will also be kept up to date with the progress of their return.

Optionally use Venditan Commerce's powerful RMA system which contains rich features including:

- Returns initiation from a customer's account on the website
- Courier integration for returns collection
- Multi-status validation and curation process for returns requests
- Generate refunds and / or exchanges directly from an RMA
- Status-based customer notifications

- **Order Placed Email Notifications**

Venditan Commerce will send you and your team an email or SMS every time an order has been placed on your website.

- **Support for Workshop Assembly**

Schedule, assemble and mend products using your own stock and place customer orders for the parts required.

## Customer Relationship Management (CRM)

Understanding your customer's needs and helping them when they get in touch is all part of providing good customer service. Venditan Commerce stores all your customer data and presents it in a clear simple view, so you can quickly see past orders, any past communication and the balance on their account. You can also use Venditan Commerce to help understand your customer database using the built-in segmentation tool. Having all your customer data stored in one place allows you to get a better understanding of your customers' preferences.

### CRM Features

- **Feature-rich Customer Account**  
See all of a customer's information on one screen.
- **Customer Account History**  
See a list of all orders, payments, refunds and order statuses.
- **Customer Notes**  
Keep notes on customer accounts detailing times they have contacted you and what about.
- **Customer Task System**  
Assign tasks to be carried out for specific customers and set your self reminder alerts and notifications.
- **Create and Edit Orders**  
Easily create new orders for customers, or edit orders they have already placed.
- **Virtual Basket**  
Create curated customer baskets that can be shared with a customer to checkout and complete on your website. Provide customers with that extra level of service with custom pricing, offers and special products not listed on your website.
- **Password Reset**  
Reset customers passwords with the click of a button.
- **Communication History**  
See every email that has been sent to a customer from the system and easily resend the email if needed.

- **Telephone Orders (MOTO)**  
Place telephone orders for a customer and process the payment over the telephone.
- **Customer Reports**  
View spending reports and outstanding invoices reports for specific customers.
- **Customer Types**  
Create customer types and assign customers to them.
- **Merge Customer Accounts**  
If a customer has two accounts, you can merge the accounts and choose which one should be the master account.
- **Loyalty Scheme**  
Allow your customers to join your loyalty scheme which can be managed within Venditan Commerce, or we can integrate with other existing loyalty programmes you may have.
- **Customer Tags**  
Tag customers and assign them to certain tag groups, allowing you to easily identify a particular set of customers.
- **Customer Attributes**  
Assign an unlimited number of attributes to customers for segmentation, reporting, personalisation and many other possible applications in Venditan Commerce.
- **Customer Segmentation**  
Venditan Commerce has a built in segmentation tool that allows you to export customer data or tag customers based on a specific set of rules, like when they last purchased, if they have purchased a particular brand between dates etc.
- **Disable Customer Accounts**  
Disable accounts if they are no longer required, or if they are fraudulent.
- **Batch Export of Customer Data**  
Venditan Commerce gives you the ability to export all of your customers or a segment of your customers to a CSV file.

- **GDPR Compliance**
  - Record customer consent to comply with GDPR regulations
  - Anonymise and disable customer details on request

## **Analytics & Reporting**

Without information and data it is difficult to make decisions that help move your business forward. Venditan Commerce has a large selection of default reports that can contribute to the decision making process, we also integrate with Google Analytics so you can monitor how your website is performing.

### **Analytics & Reporting Features**

- **Sales Reporting**  
Simple and advanced configurable sales reports.
- **Payment and Transaction Reports**  
View orders by payment type and what the stage the transaction is at.
- **Tax Reports**  
View tax reports broken down by country.
- **Offer Reports**  
View how often an offer or a promotion code was used and how much revenue a particular offer made.
- **E-Voucher Reports**  
View all purchased and redeemed e-vouchers.
- **Stock Management Reports**  
Various stock management reports, reporting on top sellers and stock levels.
- **Customer Reports**  
Various customer reports available to track high value customers and customers with outstanding balances.

- **Cash Flow Report**  
View your cash flow and report on a period of time..
- **Scheduled Reports**  
Set a time and date you would like a recurring report to run.
- **Audit Trail**  
Report on what users have carried out what actions within the system.
- **Google Analytics**  
Full Google Analytics integration including ecommerce tracking.
- **Cross Device Tracking**  
Use Google Analytics to track users across devices.
- **Admin Dashboard**  
Save your top reports to the Dashboard within Venditan Commerce.
- **Customised reports**  
Allow Venditan Commerce to develop bespoke reports tailored to your needs.
- **Export to third-party accounts packages**  
Configure CSV exports and schedule to export to your existing accounts software

## Application Interface (API)

Venditan Commerce is an extremely flexible retail system, data in the system can be extracted or added using our API which means that you can easily integrate Venditan Commerce with your existing website or any other third parties that you may use.

We have extremely detailed API documentation which we can provide to third parties.

## Users and Permissions



Set up unlimited users, user groups and user profiles. Give users access to the parts of the system they need and audit what actions users have taken in the system. You can also limit a user's access to a particular location. For example if a user works at a particular store or warehouse they will only be able to see orders or stock at that location.

## Electronic Point of Sale (EPOS)

The Venditan Commerce EPOS system is built directly into the platform. This means that stock sold in-store will instantly be updated in the platform and if required can automatically change the availability of products on your website.

### EPOS Features

- **User Access**

Each till user has their own access credentials - allowing you to monitor sales.

- Support for unlimited users
- Sign in with a user pin and password
- Sign in with the scan of a barcode
- Configurable auto-logout options
- Single-click access to the Venditan Commerce admin panel
- User-access control making selected functions available to selected staff members
- Set actions to require manager approval

- **Purchases, Refunds and Exchanges**

- Process sales and returns. Refund onto a credit or debit card or exchange the item for an alternative product.
- Refund to an existing voucher or create a new one.
- Support for manual price overrides and miscellaneous items
- Sell items by weight.
- Automatic price prompts on-screen for manually priced items e.g. services.

- **Suspend/Resume Transactions**

Pause a transaction and resume it later.

- **Transaction Notes**

Add notes against transaction lines to record key information for the fulfilment process.

- **Sale Cancellation**  
Cancel transactions and refund money if necessary.
- **Discount Sales**  
Apply price overrides, discount products at the point of sale or offer a discount across the whole transaction.
- **Special Customer Pricing**  
Configure special customer pricing in Venditan Commerce for use at your tills.
- **Payment Types**  
Take payments by credit/debit cards, cash, vouchers and evouchers (use evouchers generated by Venditan Commerce).
- **Offers and Promotion Codes**  
Allow in-store customers to use promo codes and offer coupons at your tills.  
Set up offers that are automatically applied at checkout.
- **Evouchers**  
Sell evouchers through your till that can be used in-store or online. Schedule delivery of vouchers to arrive on birthdays, etc.
- **Receipts**
  - Print receipts with every transaction, generate gift receipts and reprint receipts if necessary. You can also easily configure the footer of your receipts to include customer messaging.  
Option to completely customise receipts to suit your brand.
  - Configurable refund receipts - store and customer copies.
  - Electronic receipts - send directly to customer's email address.
- **Petty Cash**  
Petty cash module included with support for withdrawal reasons and automatically calculated cash difference.
- **No Sale Till Draw Access**  
Access the till draw without a sale going through the till.
- **Product Browsing**  
Search for products if you are signed in to the till or not.

- **Return Web Orders In-Store**

Refund a balance from a web order in Venditan Commerce through the till or use the balance for a new transaction.

- **Multi-channel Order Processing**

Create orders for external fulfilment or home delivery, pay for and dispatch web orders directly from the till. Supports click and collect.

- **Hotshots**

Support for hotshots (single click add-to-transaction for special products).

- **Product Stock Levels**

Access product stock levels and stock matrix directly from the till, and view stock levels across your entire business. In addition, create internal shipping requests (ISRs) from your till to move stock around the business to meet demands. Option to include open purchase orders in stock calculations.

- **Low Stock Level Notifications**

Configure low stock level notifications to appear on the till when certain products get below a stock threshold.

- **Customer Browsing**

Create, edit and view customer data on the till from Venditan Commerce. Search for customers using name, address or email address.

- **Reporting**

Reports run directly from the EPOS:

- Product replenishment report
- Cashier analysis report
- Sales by hour report
- X-Read report
- Z-Read process / report
- Near real-time updates to/from the Venditan Commerce platform

- **Customer Display**

Customer LED display supported with customizable messages.

Supports LCD screens to display customer messaging and POS marketing.

- **Software Updates**
  - Prompt in the application to download and install updates
  - Updates can be downloaded in the background while till is in use
  - Simple install process to make it easy for staff to update the till themselves
  - Ability to update can be restricted to certain users
  - Managed software updates allowing control of EPOS version used at a till, store and company level

## Business to Business Features (B2B)

- **Intrastat Reporting**

Easy population and management of Intrastat codes in order to provide HMRC with accurate information and statistics on the movement of goods between member states of the EU.
- **Enhanced Purchase Orders**
  - Attach supplier documentation to purchase orders
  - Show estimated costs, royalties, freight cost and purchase currencies
  - Show expected delivery times - automated notifications when deliveries are overdue
- **Payment Terms**

Set default payment terms or set them on a per-customer basis, to be used on all invoices and customer documentation
- **Salespeople**

Assign individual salespeople to customer accounts
- **Incoterms**

Assign and manage Incoterms (International Commercial Terms) per customer
- **Commercial Invoices**
  - Produce commercial invoice documentation for compliance with HMRC export document legal requirements.
  - Deliver invoices by email or automatically print for posting
  - Automate export to finance packages
- **Manual goods allocation**

Manage the allocation of stock to orders manually across multiple orders and multiple customers
- **Manage Business Customers**
  - Apply credit limits and place accounts on stop

- Manage multiple invoice and delivery addresses
  - Manage multiple contacts
  - Assign VAT rates
  - Store bank account information
  - Assign country and buying currency
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- **Seasonal Pricing**  
Manage specific prices for inventory based on season
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- **Block and call-off orders**
    - Advanced management of block orders, reserving stock and calling-off at different delivery dates
    - Split call-offs into new orders referencing the parents orders using intuitive interface