# Create your first split

Order Split Documentation

Guide for Magento administrators, technical project owners, and implementation teams.

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Start without MSI so the first result depends only on vendor grouping. Add source routing after the basic flow works.

## Prepare the vendor attribute

The *vendor attribute* is the product attribute that identifies the supplier or fulfilment owner of each item. The extension ships with `manufacturer` as the default — reuse it or create your own attribute (for example `supplier`) and select it in the configuration.

1. Open **Stores > Attributes > Product**.
2. Create or choose a Select attribute such as `Supplier`.
3. Add two realistic options, for example `Northstar Components` and `Alpine Workplace`.
4. Add the attribute to the product attribute sets you use.
5. Assign one option to each of two simple products.

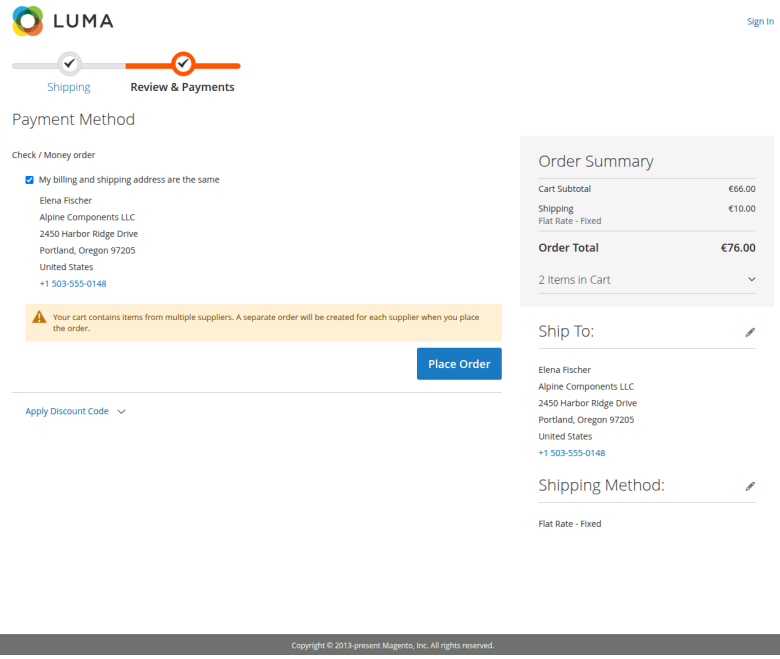
A Multiselect attribute is also supported, but its complete stored value set is treated as one group. It does not copy an item into several orders.

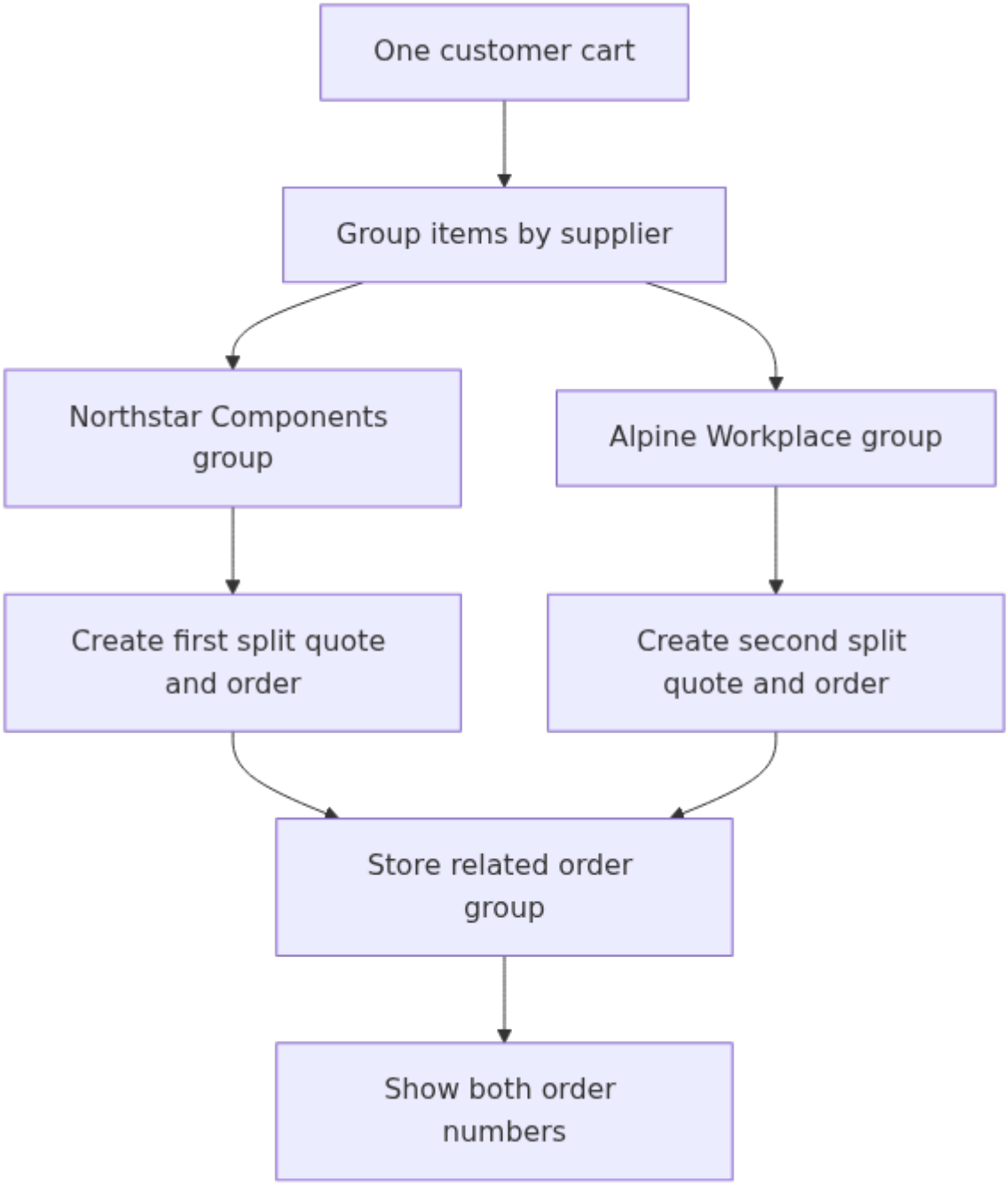
## Use a conservative first configuration

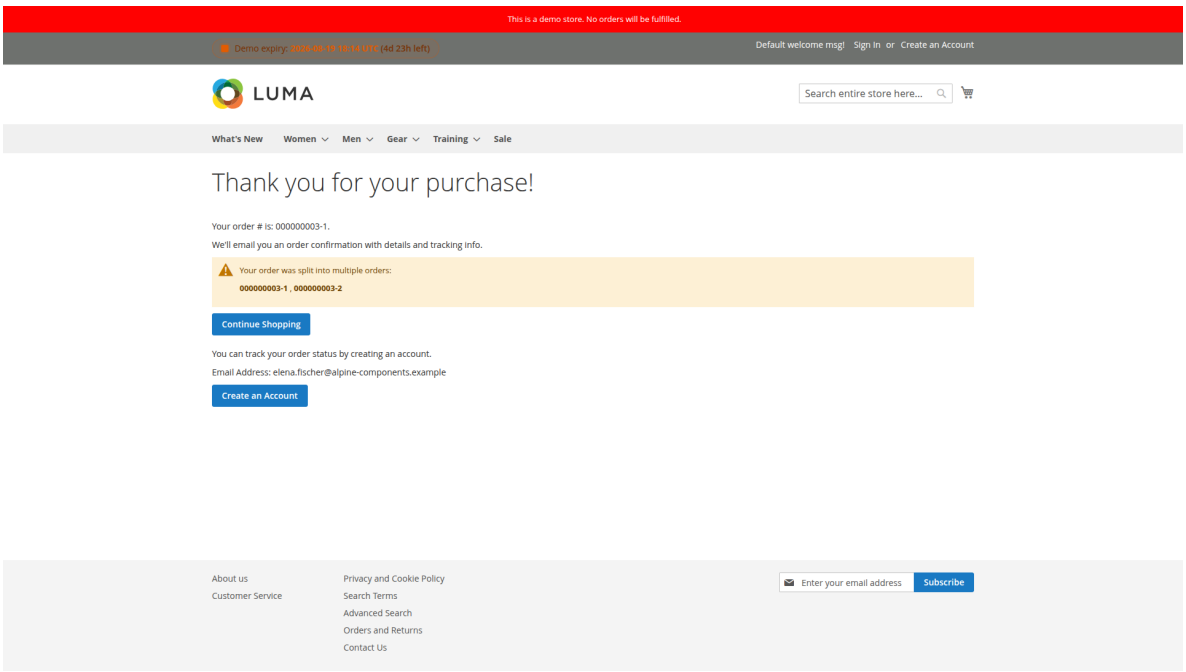
1. Enable Order Split.
2. Select the supplier attribute.
3. Set missing vendor, disallowed payment and missing shipping behavior to **Block Checkout** while validating data.
4. Set **Use MSI Source Selection** to *No* — the shipped default enables it, which would split by warehouse source in addition to the vendor attribute.
5. Allow one payment method that is safe in your local demo.
6. Set discount, shipping and tax to **Recalculate Per Split Quote**.
7. Enable the checkout notice.

## Submit the cart

Add both products to one cart and complete checkout with the allowed payment method. The success page should show both order numbers.


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Sign In
Shipping
Review & Payments
Payment Method
Check / Money order
My billing and shipping address are the same
Elena Fischer
Alpine Components LLC
2450 Harbor Ridge Drive
Portland, Oregon 97205
United States
+1 503-555-0148
Your cart contains items from multiple suppliers. A separate order will be created for each supplier when you place the order.
Place Order
Apply Discount Code
Order Summary
Cart Subtotal €66.00
Shipping €10.00
Flat Rate - Fixed
Order Total €76.00
2 Items in Cart
Ship To:
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2450 Harbor Ridge Drive
Portland, Oregon 97205
United States
+1 503-555-0148
Shipping Method:
Flat Rate - Fixed
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One customer cart
Group items by supplier
Northstar Components group
Alpine Workplace group
Create first split quote and order
Create second split quote and order
Store related order group
Show both order numbers




## Verify the result

Check all of the following:

- **Sales > Orders** contains two orders.
- Each order contains only the product assigned to its supplier group.
- The totals and shipping method are valid on both orders.
- Each order history contains a non-customer-notified split comment.
- **Sales > Orders > Order Splits** contains one group with links to both orders.
- The customer order view links the related split orders.

If Magento creates one order, use Common issues before adding MSI or proportional totals.