

MCP SERVER

NO CODE

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Free Shipping Threshold Filler MCP for AI Agents

Optimize E-commerce Carts and Minimize Shopping Overages

Free Shipping Threshold Filler calculates the exact combination of items you need to add to your cart to hit a free shipping minimum without buying unnecessary stuff. It compares adding one item versus two items, guaranteeing you minimize waste and maximize savings at checkout.

A+ Quality Score 100/100

free-shipping

cart-optimization

ecommerce-tools

cost-savings

shopping-assistant



The connectivity layer between AI and the world's software.



Vinkius sits between AI and every application. All communication passes through Vinkius Cloud via the Model Context Protocol (MCP) — with governance, observability, and security at every layer.

Your AI Connections Run Through Vinkius Cloud

The world's largest
managed MCP catalog

Vinkius is the connectivity layer where AI connects to the software your business already runs. We handle the hosting, the security, the credentials, the uptime — you get agents that actually do things.

We operate the world's largest managed MCP catalog. Major SaaS platforms, CRMs, databases, and cloud providers — running, monitored, production-ready. This MCP server is hosted and maintained by the Vinkius Cloud for AI Agents.

The agent doesn't manage credentials, doesn't manage uptime, doesn't manage security. Vinkius does.

— Architecture principle

Four Pillars of the Vinkius Runtime

01 — Security by design

Credentials stay encrypted at rest via AES-256. The AI agent never touches raw keys — they're injected into a sandboxed V8 isolate at runtime. Actions are logged, and connections have an emergency kill switch.

03 — Deterministic observability

Eight immutable metrics per endpoint: request volume, p95 latency, error rate, active connections, cost attribution. A live payload feed logs every tool call with mutation detection.

02 — Built on MCP Fusion

This MCP server was built with **MCP Fusion**, the open-source framework (Apache 2.0) that powers the entire Vinkius catalog. Schema-as-firewall strips undeclared fields, compiled PII redaction runs at zero overhead, and cryptographic lockfiles produce git-diffable audit trails.

04 — Autonomous operations

Servers are deployed, monitored, and patched autonomously. New capabilities and security patches ship weekly. Zero-downtime deployments ensure continuous availability across all managed MCP servers.

AES-256

Encryption at rest

Ed25519

PKI vault signatures

24h TTL

Ephemeral session keys

V8 Isolate

Sandboxed execution

One Token. Instant Access.

Every MCP server on Vinkius is accessed through a **Connection Token**. Tokens are generated in the cloud dashboard and produce a unique MCP endpoint URL. Paste this URL into any MCP-compatible client — no SDK required.

A single token can serve **multiple AI clients simultaneously**, or you can issue separate tokens per client for granular access control. Each token tracks its own request count, last activity timestamp, and can be individually enabled or revoked.

MCP ENDPOINT

`https://edge.vinkius.com/{token}/mcp`

Claude



Cursor



VS Code



Windsurf



Grok



Gemini

Security Is the Architecture

Security in Vinkius is not a feature — it's the foundation of the runtime. The gateway enforces multiple independent protection layers between AI agents and third-party APIs.

01 — Ed25519 PKI Vault

Every workspace has an Ed25519 Master Key. Session keys are generated ephemerally (24h TTL) and signed by the Master Key. Credentials never leave the vault boundary.

02 — V8 Isolate Sandboxing

Tool code runs inside isolated-vm V8 isolates with 64 MB memory caps and per-request timeouts. No filesystem access, no network access except through the SSRF-guarded fetch bridge.

03 — SSRF Guard

All outbound HTTP requests are DNS-resolved and validated before execution. Private IP ranges (10.x, 172.16-31.x, 192.168.x, AWS metadata 169.254.x) are blocked at the network layer.

05 — Cryptographic Audit Trail

Every request is signed into a SHA-256 hash chain with Ed25519 signatures. Events form a tamper-proof, SIEM-exportable forensic record.

04 — DLP & PII Redaction

A ResponseGuard pipeline intercepts every tool response. Configurable redaction patterns strip sensitive fields (emails, SSNs, card numbers) before data reaches the AI agent.

06 — Honeypot Trap System

Phantom credentials are injected into isolated environments. If a honeypot is used outside Vinkius infrastructure, the server is quarantined instantly.

Emergency Kill Switch

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Compliant

The kill switch is an **emergency halt** mechanism — not a simple toggle. When triggered, it executes three actions atomically:

01 — Server deactivated

The MCP server is immediately taken offline across the entire cluster.

02 — All tokens revoked

Every connection token is invalidated. Total lockout — reconnection blocked until new tokens are issued.

03 — WebSocket connections killed

Active connections terminated via Redis pubsub broadcast. Propagates to every runtime node in the cluster.

Full Visibility. Zero Guesswork.

The Vinkius cloud dashboard includes a full MCP Governance suite — real-time analytics and security controls for production AI operations.

Control Plane

KPI dashboard with request volume, latency, success rate, token consumption, and AI-generated operational briefings.

FinOps

Cost tracking per tool, payload compression savings, budget optimization signals, and consumption trends.

Firewall & DLP

PII redaction activity, sensitive data protection counters, and security event timeline.

Agent Activity

Which AI clients are connecting, how often, and what they're doing — real-time session tracking.

Tool Health

Slowest and most error-prone tools, with actionable root-cause insights and performance baselines.

Incident Log

Error trends, failure rates, status-code breakdowns, and forensic audit trail access.

Get started at cloud.vinkius.com — connect your AI agent in under 60 seconds.

Free Shipping Threshold Filler MCP

4 tools available
Cloud-hosted on Vinkius

Getting to that free shipping threshold is always tricky. You don't want to overspend just because the math works out. This MCP solves that problem by giving your AI client a clear strategy for cart completion. It first figures out the exact amount of money you need to add to qualify. Then, it doesn't just pick one item; it compares whether adding one single product or finding two complementary products results in the lowest possible overage. The overall system determines the most cost-effective path, letting you hit your target spend with minimal waste. Because this MCP is hosted on Vinkius, you connect once and get access to all these powerful cart optimization tools right inside your preferred AI client.

Core Capabilities

01 — Determine required spending gap

Calculates the precise dollar amount needed in the cart to reach free shipping.

03 — Identify two-item pairing strategy

Compares various pairs of items to find the combination that most efficiently reaches free shipping status.

02 — Find best single item filler

Identifies the optimal single product that brings the total closest to the threshold while minimizing waste.

04 — Determine minimal overage strategy

Analyzes single and pair options to recommend the overall best path, minimizing how much extra money you spend.

One Click on Vinkius — From Prompt to Execution

Available at vinkius.com/mcp/free-shipping-threshold-filler — connect your AI agent in three steps.

- 01** First, your agent uses the ``calculate_shipping_gap`` tool. You tell it your current cart total and the required free shipping minimum, and it reports the precise deficit amount.
- 02** Next, the system runs two parallel checks: one using ``identify_best_single_filler`` to find the best single item, and another using ``identify_best_item_pair`` to find the best pair of items. This generates multiple potential overage scenarios.
- 03** Finally, the agent executes ``determine_optimal_strategy``. It compares all the options found in step two against the gap calculated in step one, providing a single recommendation that minimizes wasted spending.

The bottom line is this MCP tells your AI client exactly what combination of items to add to guarantee free shipping with minimal extra cost.

Built For

Any online shopper who hates paying for shipping, or any e-commerce operations team running checkout flow testing. If you're tired of guessing which products will get you through the threshold, this MCP is for you.

E-commerce Shopper

Uses the tool during checkout to figure out if adding a single accessory or two small items is the most cost-effective way to hit free shipping.

Merchandising Manager

Tests different product pairings and filler strategies to understand how customers are attempting to reach minimum spend thresholds in live checkout flows.

UX/UI Developer

Integrates this logic into a simulated cart experience, allowing users to test the 'best path' recommendation before deployment.

What Changes When You Connect

- 01 Stop overspending. Instead of buying random items, the `determine_optimal_strategy` tool compares single vs. pair options to find the absolute minimum waste.
- 02 Know your deficit instantly. The `calculate_shipping_gap` tool tells you exactly how much more money is needed for free shipping, so there are no surprises at checkout.
- 03 Efficiently select one item. If only one thing will do it, `identify_best_single_filler` pinpoints the single best accessory or product to add right now.
- 04 Better bundling suggestions. The `identify_best_item_pair` tool helps you find two items that work together to hit the free shipping minimum in the most economical way.
- 05 Saves time and frustration. Your agent handles all the complex math, so you don't have to manually test dozens of combinations before buying.

Real-World Applications

Running a simulated checkout flow

A merchandising manager wants to know if adding Product A and Product B is better than just Product C. They ask their agent, which uses `identify_best_item_pair` and compares it against single fillers using `determine_optimal_strategy`, getting an immediate recommendation for the least expensive path.

Fixing a cart with too much gap

A shopper has \$30 in their cart but needs \$75 for free shipping. They ask their agent to run `calculate_shipping_gap` first, and then use `identify_best_single_filler` to find the most cost-effective item that covers the remaining \$45 gap.

Comparing filler options

A user has a small gap of \$12. They ask their agent which items are best: should they grab one item, or two? The system uses `identify_best_item_pair` and compares it to the single best option using `determine_optimal_strategy`, showing them the lowest total cost.

Patterns to Avoid

Adding items randomly

✗ AVOID

A shopper sees a sale on three random products and just throws them in, even if they don't need them. They pay extra for shipping when they could have avoided it.

✓ INSTEAD

Instead of guessing, use the `determine_optimal_strategy` tool. It forces your agent to look at all options—single fillers and item pairs—to ensure you only spend what's absolutely necessary.

Ignoring the gap size

✗ AVOID

A user has \$50 in their cart, but needs \$100. They just add a random \$30 item because it looks good, leaving them still short and facing high shipping costs.

✓ INSTEAD

Always start by calling `calculate_shipping_gap`. This establishes the concrete target amount you need to hit before considering any filler products.

Forgetting paired options

✗ AVOID

A shopper thinks they only have room for one accessory, but actually adding two small items would be much cheaper and better than buying a single expensive item.

✓ INSTEAD

Use `identify_best_item_pair` first. This ensures your agent considers the powerful option of combining two smaller products to achieve the target spend.

The Right Fit

Use this MCP if you need precise, mathematical guidance on how to hit a spending threshold with minimal overage. If your goal is purely browsing or comparing product aesthetics without regard for cost efficiency, don't use it. Also, if you only care about finding the single most expensive item that gets you close, but don't want the absolute best value, then this tool might be overkill. This MCP excels because

its core function, `determine_optimal_strategy`, forces a comparison between all possible minimum-waste scenarios (single vs. pair) against a calculated gap from `calculate_shipping_gap`. If your checkout process requires proving the most cost-efficient path to free shipping, this is what you need.

Free Shipping Threshold Filler MCP for AI Agents in E-commerce Cart Optimization

Right now, hitting that sweet spot for free shipping means tedious manual math. You have to jump between the cart total, the threshold, and then manually test various product combinations just to see if adding two small items is cheaper than buying one medium-priced item. It's a constant cycle of guessing and hoping.

With this MCP, that process becomes instantaneous. Your agent first determines the exact spending gap you face. Then, it simultaneously compares all options—best single fillers versus best two-item pairs—and tells you the mathematically optimal path to qualify for free shipping.

Free Shipping Threshold Filler MCP for AI Agents in Checkout Flow Cost Savings

The manual steps that disappear are: 1) Calculating the deficit amount, 2) Testing single-item feasibility, and 3) Manually checking if a two-item combination beats those results. You lose hours of checkout friction.

Now you get one clear answer from your agent: 'Buy these three things.' It's not just suggesting products; it's telling you the cheapest way to complete the purchase.

Free Shipping Threshold Filler: 4 Tools for E-commerce Cart Optimization

Use these tools to determine the precise spending gap, identify the best single item, find optimal pairs, and select the overall most cost-effective way to reach free shipping.

#	TOOL	DESCRIPTION
01	<code>determine_optimal_strategy</code>	Compares single-item and two-item strategies to recommend the overall best way to reach free shipping.
02	<code>identify_best_item_pair</code>	Finds the ideal set of two complementary items that help you meet your free shipping minimum.
03	<code>calculate_shipping_gap</code>	Calculates how much more money is needed in the cart to qualify for free shipping.
04	<code>identify_best_single_filler</code>	Pinpoints the best single item you can add to cover the remaining cost to reach free shipping.

See It in Action

Real prompts you can use once this MCP is connected to your AI agent through Vinkius Cloud.

U I have \$45 in my cart, and I need \$70 for free shipping. My options are a \$12 book, a \$30 jacket, or two socks priced at \$5 each. What's the best combination?



Analysis Complete: Optimal Filler Strategy

- 💰 **Gap to Fill:** \$25.
- 📖 **Single Item Check (Book):** Total = \$77. Overage: \$7.
- 🧥 **Single Item Check (Jacket):** Total = \$105. Overage: \$35.
- 🧦 **Pair Item Check (2 Socks):** Total = \$65. Overage: \$5.

✅ **Recommendation:** Add the two pairs of socks. This gets you closest to the goal with the least extra spending.

U If my cart is at \$30 and free shipping requires \$120, which items should I look at? Options: \$40 item, or a pair of items priced at \$55 total.



Free Shipping Gap Analysis

- Current Total: \$30.
- Required Threshold: \$120.
- **Deficit: \$90.**

Strategy Comparison (Minimizing Waste):

OPTION	COST ADDED	NEW TOTAL	OVERAGE	STRATEGY USED
Single Item (\$40)	\$40	\$70	\$50	Best Single Filler
Pair Items (\$55)	\$55	\$85	\$35	Best Pair Strategy

The pair items are the clear winner, leaving you with a much smaller overage.

U I need to hit a \$100 mark. My cart is at \$92. Available fillers: \$8 item (A), or two items totaling \$15 (B). What's the least expensive choice?



The gap you need to fill is exactly **\$8**.

Based on your options, here's the breakdown:

- **Option A (\$8):** Adds \$8. New Total: \$100. Overage: \$0.
- **Option B (\$15):** Adds \$15. New Total: \$107. Overage: \$7.

The best choice is Option A. It hits the threshold perfectly with zero waste.

Frequently Asked Questions

01 How does Free Shipping Threshold Filler calculate the perfect amount to spend?

It calculates the exact dollar gap you need for free shipping. Then, it compares every possible combination—single items versus pairs of items—to find which one gets your cart closest to the goal with minimal overspending.

02 Can Free Shipping Threshold Filler help me save money at checkout?

Absolutely. It prevents you from buying random products just because they are on sale. By finding the most cost-effective way to hit the minimum, it keeps your spending waste low.

03 Is Free Shipping Threshold Filler useful if I only want to add one product?

Yes. The system runs a dedicated check for single fillers using `identify_best_single_filler`. This ensures that even if you're limited to just one item, it will be the most valuable option.

04 Does Free Shipping Threshold Filler only look at individual products?

No. It's designed to compare multiple scenarios. It specifically checks whether pairing two items is a better financial choice than buying just one item.

05 What inputs do I need for the Free Shipping Threshold Filler MCP?







You simply tell your agent three things: your current cart total, the required free shipping threshold amount, and a list of potential products you can add.

Go Live in 60 Seconds

Get your connection token from cloud.vinkius.com, then paste the endpoint URL into any MCP-compatible client.











YOUR MCP ENDPOINT

```
https://edge.vinkius.com/[TOKEN]/mcp
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CLIENT	WHERE TO CONFIGURE
 Claude AI	Profile → Customize → Connectors → "+" → Add custom connector → Paste endpoint
 Cursor	Settings → Features → MCP Servers → "+ Add New MCP Server" → Type: SSE → Paste endpoint
 VS Code	Ctrl/Cmd+Shift+P → "MCP: Add Server" → add <code>"free-shipping-threshold-filler": { "url": "..."} </code>
 Windsurf	MCP Settings → <code>mcp_settings.json</code> → Add endpoint URL
 ChatGPT	Settings → Tools & plugins → Add MCP server → Paste endpoint
 Gemini	Extensions → Add MCP Server → Paste endpoint URL

ASK AN AI ABOUT THIS

Let your preferred AI explain this MCP server

-  **Ask ChatGPT** 
-  **Ask Claude** 
-  **Ask Perplexity** 
-  **Ask Gemini** 
-  **Ask Grok** 

READY TO CONNECT

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Get your connection token, paste it into your AI agent, and
start building. No SDK. No deployment. Just results.

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