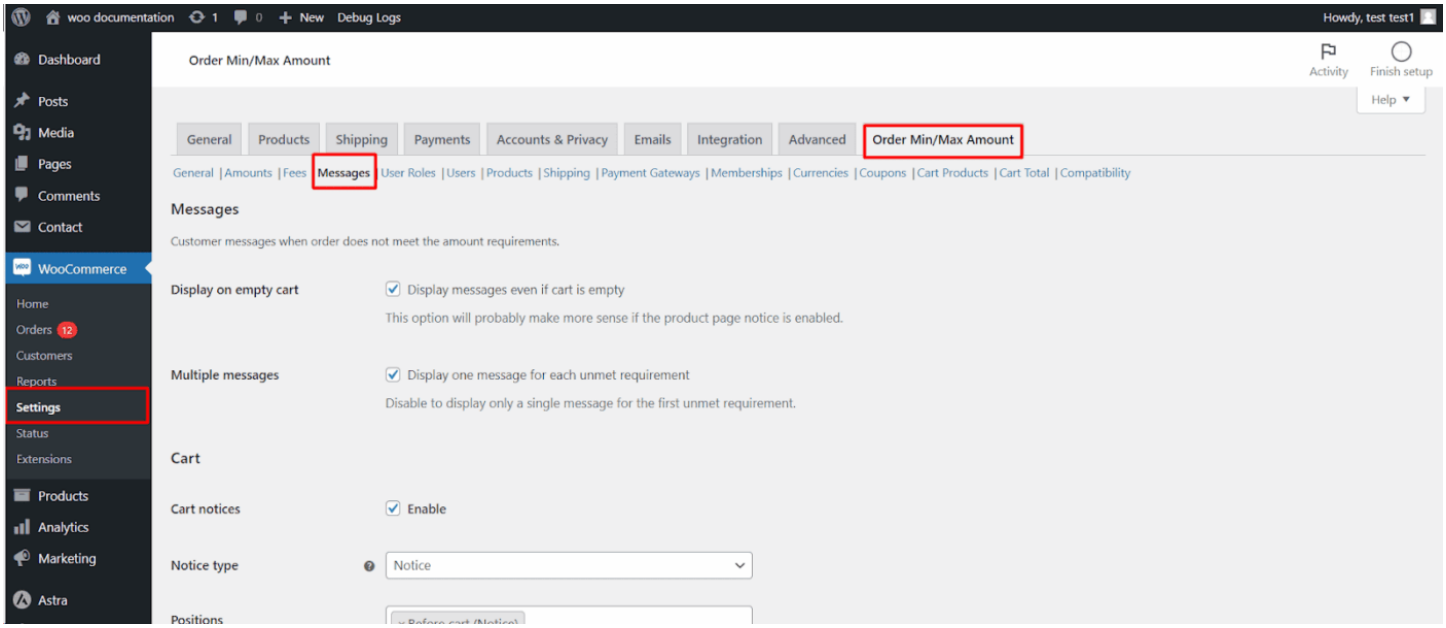
Setting Up Min/Max Order Messages and Their Placement

Getting Started · https://wpfactory.com/docs/order-messages-placement/

To show a min/max order message in WooCommerce, open **WPFactory > Order Min/Max > Messages** in Order Minimum/Maximum Amount Limits for WooCommerce, enable the cart, mini-cart, checkout or product page notices, choose where each appears, edit the text and save. Messages are free and off by default for every area.



Step-by-step

1. Go to **WPFactory > Order Min/Max** (also reachable at **WooCommerce > Settings > Order Min/Max Amount**) and open the **Messages** sub-tab.
2. For each area (Cart, Mini-cart, Checkout, Product page), tick **Enable** next to **Cart notices**, **Mini-cart notices**, **Checkout notices** or **Product page notices**. All four are off by default. Then choose a **Notice type** (Error or Notice, which sets the styling) and pick one or more **Positions**.
3. Edit the message text for each limit and amount type. You can use HTML and placeholders such as `%amount%` and `%total%`.

4. Click **Save changes**.

Header and advanced options

Label	Option ID	Default
Display on empty cart	`alg_wc_oma_display_messages_on_empty_cart`	No
Multiple messages	`alg_wc_oma_display_multiple_msg`	Yes
Force display	`alg_wc_oma_msg_force_display`	No
Format amounts	`alg_wc_oma_message_format_types_enabled`	Yes
Remove old notices (AJAX)	`alg_wc_oma_remove_notices_on_added_to_cart`	No

Good to know

- **Multiple messages** on shows one message for every unmet requirement; off shows only the first.
- Turn on **Format amounts** to add units and currency to placeholder values (for example "5 pcs" or a formatted price).
- For the full list of placeholders and shortcodes, see the shortcodes and placeholders reference.

Areas, defaults and positions

Area	Default notice type	Default positions	Extra options
Cart	Notice	Before cart (Notice), Blocks cart enqueue data (Notice)	None
Mini-cart	No type setting	After mini cart	None
Checkout	Error	Before checkout form (Notice), Blocks checkout enqueue data (Notice)	**Force refresh** (free)

Area	Default notice type	Default positions	Extra options
Product page	Notice	Before single product summary (Notice)	**Smart product scope** (Pro)

Positions marked "(Notice)" print through the WooCommerce notices area; the others print inline at that spot in the template, such as **Cart totals: Before order total** or **Order review: Payment: Before submit button**. The two "Blocks ... enqueue data" positions are for the block-based Cart and Checkout.

What the customer sees

The default text is: *You must have an order with a minimum of %amount% to place your order, your current order total is %total%.* (or "maximum"). Useful placeholders:

- `%amount%`: the limit; `%total%`: the current cart value; `%diff%`: how much is missing or over.
- `%amount_raw%`, `%total_raw%`, `%diff_raw%`: the same values without formatting.
- `%product_title%`, `%term_title%`, `%term_title_with_link%`: for per-product, category and tag limits (Pro).

For example: `Add %diff% more to reach our %amount% minimum.`

Even with all notice areas off, a customer whose order breaks a limit still gets an error when placing the order, as long as **Block checkout process** (General section) is on, which is its default.

If messages do not show

- The area's **notices** checkbox is off. Each area defaults to off.
- The cart is empty. Messages are hidden on an empty cart unless **Display on empty cart** is on.
- Your theme or page builder does not run the chosen hook. Pick a "(Notice)" position, or one of the Blocks positions if you use the block Cart or Checkout.
- The checkout message does not update after changing shipping or payment. Tick **Force refresh** in the Checkout area.
- Only one message appears. Turn on **Multiple messages** to list every unmet limit.

FAQ

Can I show the message only as a warning, without blocking checkout?

Yes. Set the **Notice type** to Notice and turn off **Block checkout process** in the General section. See blocking checkout when order limits are not met.

Can I translate the messages?

Yes. Messages accept shortcodes, so you can use `[alg_wc_oma_translate]` for different languages. See the shortcodes reference linked above.

Why do I see the message while testing even when my cart is fine?

Force display is probably on. It shows messages regardless of the requirements and is meant for styling tests.



ORDER MIN/MAX AMOUNT

Messages are free. Order Minimum/Maximum Amount Limits for WooCommerce Pro adds separate messages for shipping methods and payment gateways, plus per-product, category, and tag messages.

See what Pro unlocks →

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Related articles

- Order Min/Max Amount: Reset a Settings Section to Defaults
- Order Min/Max Amount: Developer Hooks, Filters and Shortcodes Reference

- Min/Max Rules Not Applied for Specific Shipping Methods, Local Pickup, or Special Order Types
- Set the Product Quantity Field From Your Min/Max Limits
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