

Magento FedEx National LTL Shipping Extension User Manual



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Extension Description

The FedEx National LTL Shipping Extension allows your Magento storefront to request shipping freight estimates from the FedEx Freight XML services.

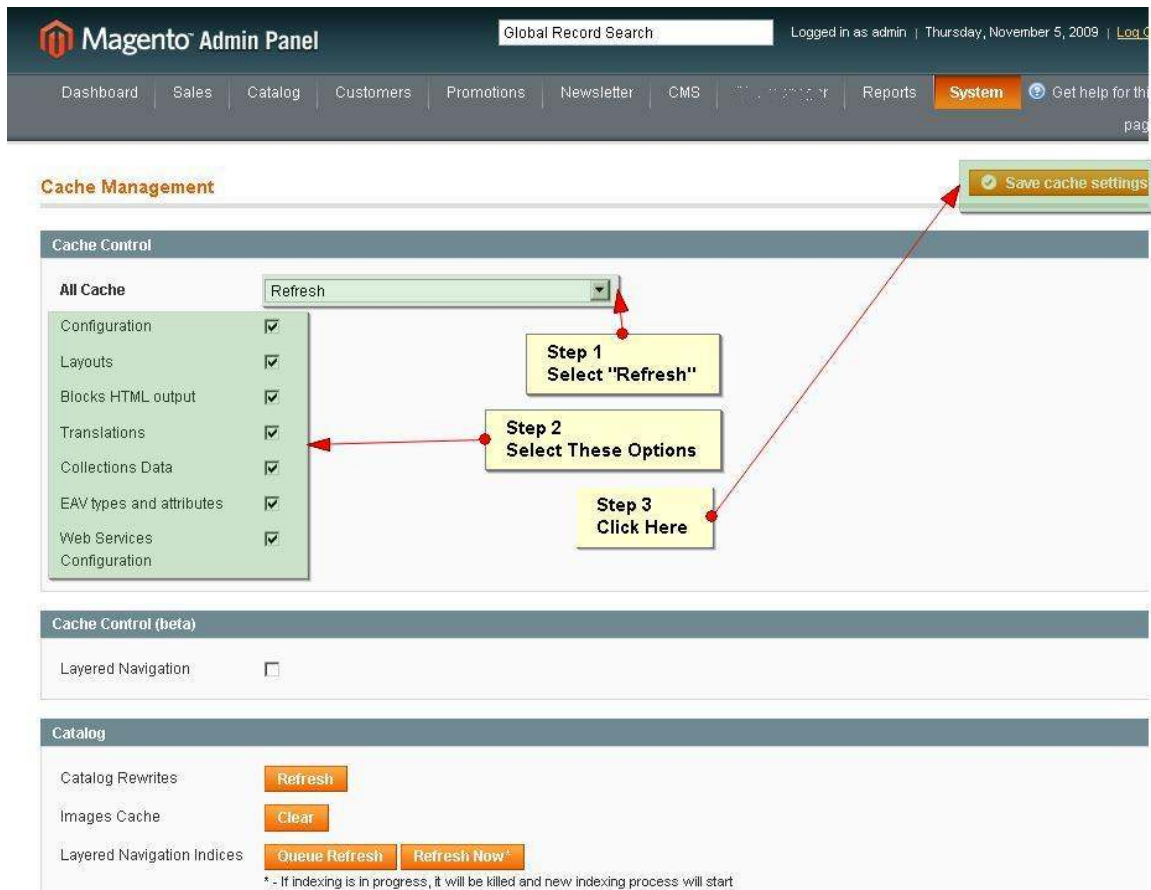
These are the same rates that can manually be loaded via the FedEx Freight estimate page

(<http://www.fedexfreight.fedex.com/ratingNonSecureForm.do>) . You have

the ability to apply two levels of fees (either flat or percent), which will be stacked onto the resulting estimate (see examples under the usage section).

Extension Installation

1. If you are logged into the Magento Admin panel, please log off.
2. The extension package contains the all of the modules files. Uncompress the zip file to your Magento root folder (make sure file permissions are 755).
3. Log into Magento Admin Panel
4. Clear the Magento cache (if it is enabled). Log into the Magento Admin panel and click on the “Cache Management” option under the “system” menu (System→Cache Management). Select “Refresh on the “All Cache” on the dropdown. Then click “Save cache settings”.



5. Your module should now be installed.

Extension Usage

To use this extension, you must first complete the extension's configuration.

Navigate to the extension: Click on System → Configuration → Shipping Methods. Expand the "FedEx National LTL" section.

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The screenshot displays the Magento Admin Panel interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Dashboard', 'Sales', 'Catalog', 'Customers', 'Promotions', 'Newsletter', 'CMS', 'Reports', and 'System'. A 'Global Record Search' field is present. The user is logged in as 'admin123' on Friday, November 13, 2009. A 'Latest Message' banner indicates that Magento Preview Version 1.4.0-beta2 is now available. The left sidebar contains a 'Configuration' menu with categories: GENERAL, CATALOG, CUSTOMERS, SALES, SERVICES, and ADVANCED. The main content area is titled 'Shipping Methods' and shows the configuration for 'FedEx National LTL'. The configuration includes fields for 'Enabled' (Yes), 'Title' (FedEx National LTL), 'Gateway URL', 'Tracking URL', 'Fedex Registration Key', 'Account Number', 'Requestor Type' (Bill To), 'Bill To Address', 'Bill To City', 'Bill To State', 'Bill To Zip', 'Bill To Country', 'Activation Weight', 'Maximum Package Weight', 'Allowed methods' (Standard Service), 'Show Expected Delivery Date', 'Days to add to delivery estimate', 'Rate Text', 'Freight Class', 'Package Type', 'Show Residential Rate', 'Residential Rate to add', 'Residential Rate Text', 'Calculate Additional Handling Fee', and 'Displayed Error Message'. A 'Table rates' section at the bottom lists various shipping methods like Flat Rate, Free Shipping, UPS, USPS, FedEx, and DHL.

Enabled – Yes if the extension is enabled
Title – Title to be displayed in checkout

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Gateway URL – URL to FedEx National LTL XML server
(<http://fedexfreight.fedex.com/XMLLTLRatingNoCity.jsp>)

Tracking URL – URL to FedEx tracking number service
(http://www.fedex.com/Tracking?action=track&language=english&cntry_code=us&initial=x&tracknumbers=)

Fedex Registration Key – FedEx Freight XML service registration key. You can obtain this key with one phone call to FedEx Freight Services @ 800-435-7949.

Account Number (leave blank if no discount applies) – Your FedEx account number (if you have one).

Requestor Type - The role of the requestor. If requestor type is “Bill To” then the following Bill To attributes are required.

Bill To Address

Bill To City

Bill To State

Bill To Zip

Bill To Country

Activation Weight – If the weight of the order exceeds this value, this extension will be displayed as a shipping option upon checkout.

Maximum Package Weight - The maximum package weight allowed.

Show Expected Delivery Date – If ‘Yes’, the expected delivery date will be displayed along with the rate quote.

Days to Add to Delivery Estimate – To account for pre-shipment time, you may want to tack on additional days to the returned FedEx delivery estimate.

Rate Text – This will be the text that is displayed along with the rate quote. This field accepts HTML and JavaScript, which gives you the ability to further customize the rate quote. As an example, perhaps you would like to the rate quote to appear as a link, which shows a popup with freight shipping instructions (how it works).

Freight Class – Freight bill class (standard FB classification codes)

Package Type - the package type of shipments

***The following attributes allow you to tack on additional fees to the estimate. As an example: You have the ability to add 18% plus \$20 to the result of the shipping estimate. To do this, you would use the following fields:

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Calculate Additional Handling Fee (applied to shipping rate) – The type of additional fee to apply on the shipping estimate. Values are either fixed or percent.

Show Residential Rate – If ‘Yes’, along with the standard rate, you will also get a second rate quote which includes a fee for residential delivery.

Residential Rate to Add – The dollar amount that will be added to the standard rate.

Residential Rate Text – see ‘Rate Text’

Handling Fee - Either a flat dollar amount or a percent

Calculate Additional Handling Fee (applied to result of first handling fee) - The type of additional fee to apply on the result of the first handling fee. Values are either fixed or percent.

Handling Fee - Either a flat dollar amount or a percent

Displayed Error Message - The message to display in the case where a FedEx National LTL is unable to return a valid shipping rate.

Thank you for purchasing this extension. Should you have any questions, please contact me at sales@zmodulez.com.

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