

Product Add-ons Quick Guide

5-Minute Setup Guide
SafeGear E-commerce Platform

What it does: Lets customers add accessories, services, and warranties to their purchase.
Two types: Quantity (for physical items) and Yes/No (for services).

⌚ Two Metafields, That's It

1. `addon_products` (Main Product)

Where: Main product metafields
Type: List of products
What: Which products show as add-ons

2. `addon_type` (Each Add-on Product)

Where: Each add-on product metafields
Values: `"quantity"` = Shows +/- buttons
`"yes_no"` = Shows checkbox only
Default: `"quantity"`

⚡ Quick Setup

For Accessories (Shelves, Locks, etc.)

1. Open add-on product → Metafields → Set `addon_type` = `"quantity"`
2. Open main product → Metafields → Add to `addon_products` list
3. Save. Done.

Result: Checkbox + quantity controls (- 1 +)

For Services (Warranty, Installation, etc.)

1. Open add-on product → Metafields → Set `addon_type` = `"yes_no"`
2. Open main product → Metafields → Add to `addon_products` list
3. Save. Done.

Result: Checkbox only

📊 Visual Guide

`"quantity"`

Use for: Physical items

Shows:

- Checkbox
- [-] [+] Controls

Example: Extra shelves

`"yes_no"`

Use for: Services

Shows:

- Checkbox only
- No quantity selector

Example: Installation

🔧 Common Issues

Problem	Fix
Nothing shows up	Check <code>addon_products</code> on main product has items
No +/- buttons	Set <code>addon_type</code> = <code>"quantity"</code> on add-on product
Can't change quantity	Change <code>addon_type</code> from <code>"yes_no"</code> to <code>"quantity"</code>
Too many add-ons	Theme Customizer → Limit to 3-6 products

✓ Best Practices

Keep it simple:

- 3-6 add-ons max per product
- Order by importance (first = shows first)
- Use clear product names
- Mix quantity and yes/no types
- Test before launching

🎓 Decision Guide

Physical item that customers might buy multiple of? ↗ YES ↗ NO Use
`"quantity"` Use `"yes_no"` Examples: ✓ Quantity: Shelves, locks, batteries ✓
Yes/No: Warranty, installation, delivery

📝 Checklist

1. Set `addon_type` on each add-on product
2. Add add-ons to main product's `addon_products` list
3. Order by priority
4. Test on desktop
5. Test on mobile
6. Go live

🚀 That's It!

Two metafields. Two values. Unlimited possibilities.

`addon_products` on main product = what shows
`addon_type` on add-on products = how it shows