SHIPFAST Proposal



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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

CURRENT SYSTEM

The current system involves having customers email a spreadsheet to Ship Fast LLC, from those spreadsheets a packing slip is created using a merge program in Microsoft Word. The order is then picked up by a picker, a printing label is printed. The order is then boxed and the shipping label is attached. The spreadsheet is updated with the tracking number and emailed back to the customer.

PLANNED CHANGES

The new system would completely remove the spreadsheet system and make everything completely automated. A customer will have their very own dashboard where they can access their orders and see its status. This is done by connecting their Shopify API. When an order is received on our end a shipping label and packing slip is automatically created with the data stored in the database and printed. From here a picker will get the order and pack it. The order will then be shipped off to its destination.

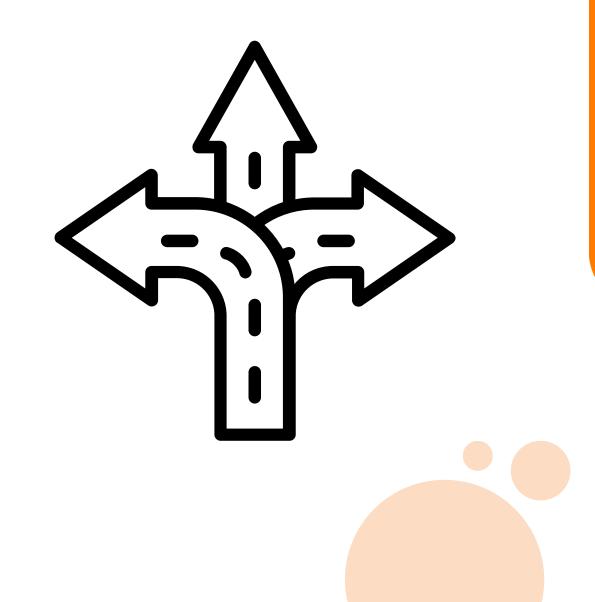
VALUE IN CHANGE

We believe that switching to this system will save you both time and money. Here are some of the expected changes in quantitative form:

- Increase in sales +\$100,000 a year
- Save average of 30 minutes of processing time per order
- Turnaround for customers will be 3x faster

With each of changes comes the proposed price range: \$30,000 - \$40,000 These prices will reflect there complexity of the system that is decided. With a system like this, the value far outweighs the price.







Automate Spreadsheets and Packing

Unlike the fully automated system as previously described, this system will only feature automated spreadsheets and packing slips.

Spreadsheets will be automatically created and updated in response to client orders.

Packing slips will be printed using an automated printer and placed with the order by a picker.

The implementation of this system will be a cheaper alternative to a fully automated system. This system will cost \$15,000 to implement





Automate Spreadsheets

This system features only automated spreadsheets, the change that will make the biggest impact to the entire process

Spreadsheets will be automatically created and updated in response to client orders.

By simply automating spreadsheets the efficiency of shipfast will increase 150%

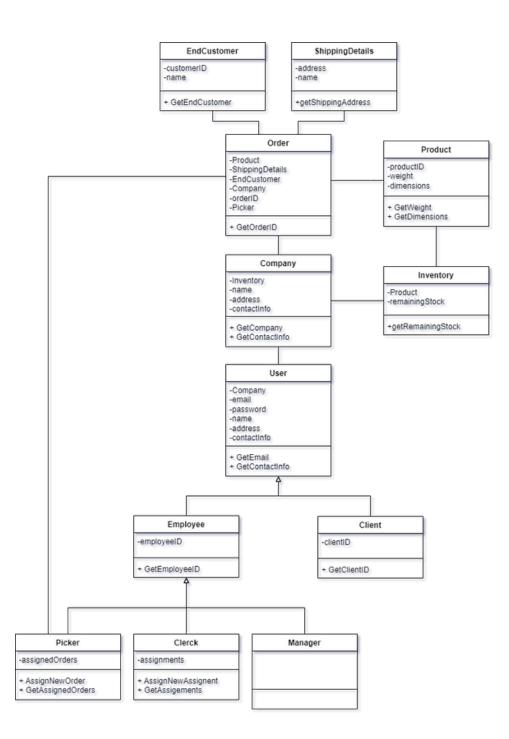
This system will cost \$5,000 to implement



Appendicies



CLASS DIAGRAM



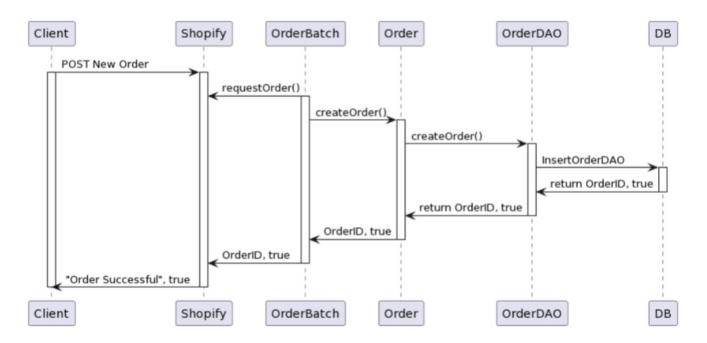


BEHAVIORAL MODELS

State Machine Diagram



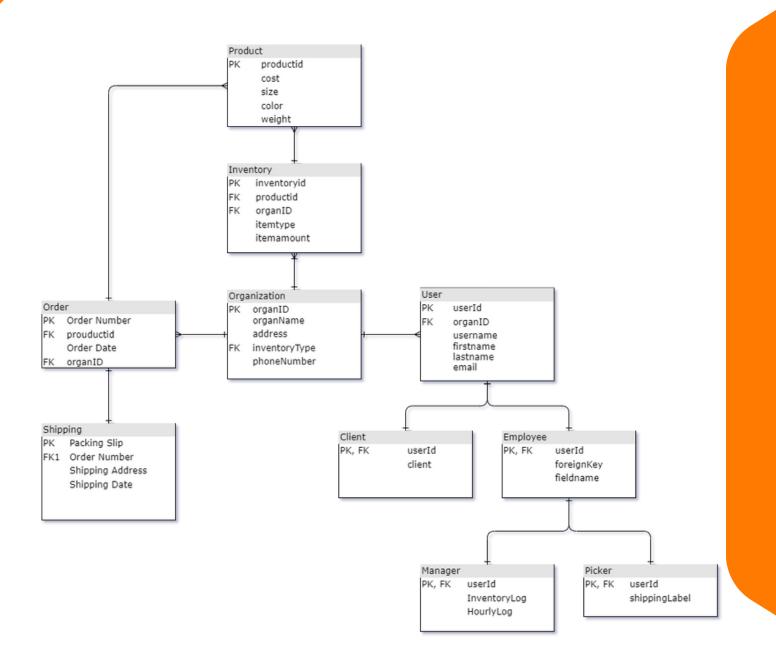
Sequence Diagram





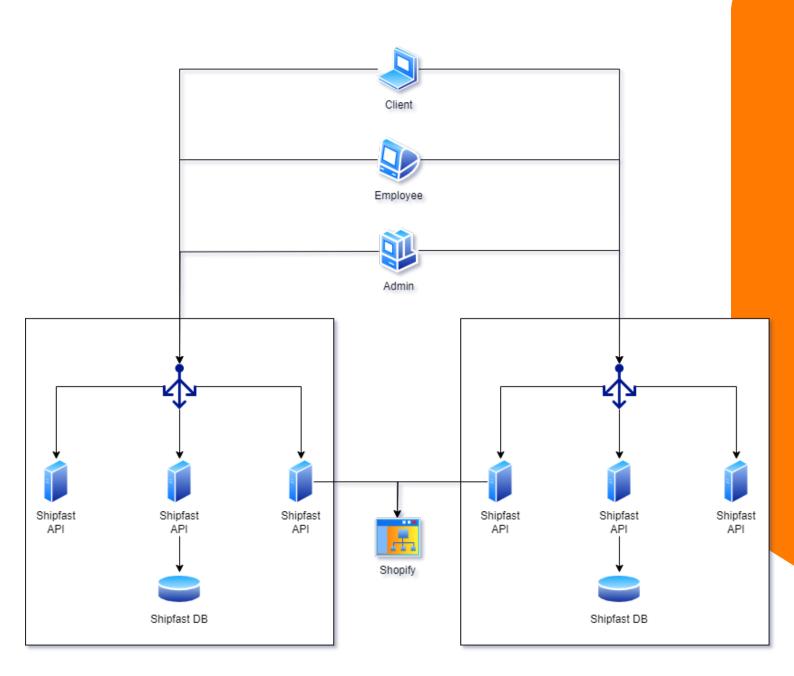


DATABASE TABLE





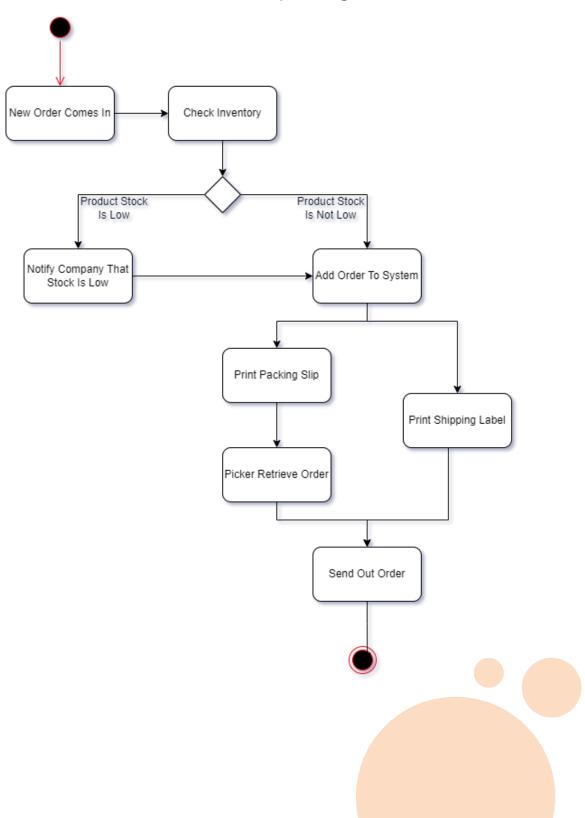
DEPLOYMENT DIAGRAM



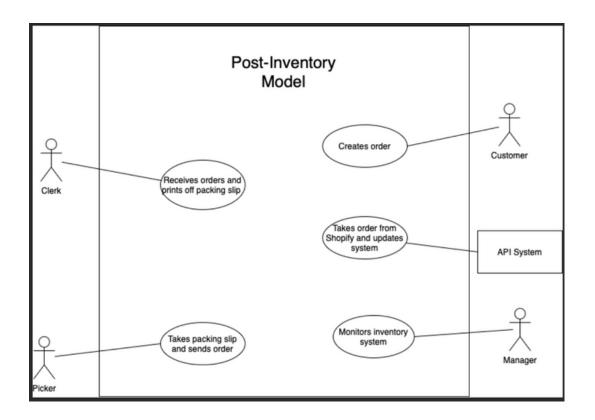


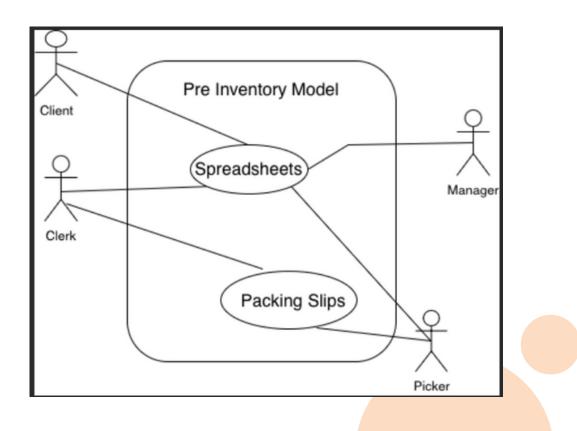


Order Activity Diagram



FUNCTIONAL MODELS







[G2S2O24-1] Login Page Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: High Reporter: Sydney Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a client I want to login to my account to see shipping details.

> Acceptance criteria: username field password homepage login button sign up button forgot password forgot username captcha load in less than one second username as email



[G2S2O24-14] Item Organization Created: 28/Feb/24 Updated: 28/Feb/24

Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Rin Houghton Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As a picker, I need to have the items that I am picking organized in the order that I will compile them. This will optimize my time in the Warehouse. Acceptance Criteria:

The items are organized by a bay area to maximize efficiency
It is clear where each item is located by the item description
The items are listed in the order that will allow them to be collected the most efficiently



[G2S2O24–15] Client Account Information Page Created: 28/Feb/24 Updated: 28/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Sydney Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As a client, I need to be able to see my account information such as: order costs, account balance, current order status, expected arrival date, and order item and quantity. Acceptance Criteria: 1. Order costs 2. Account balance 3. Order status 4. Expected arrival date 5. Order item 6. Order quantity 7. Automatic updates 8. Change password 9. Page loads in less than one second



[G2S2O24–13] System Information(Manager) Created: 28/Feb/24 Updated: 28/Feb/24

Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2024

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Drake Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As a manager I need a page where I can look at the information of our system for keeping track of current orders and employees so I can be on a real time knowing basis. Acceptance Criteria 1– Employee data 2– Customers and their data 3– Current active orders 4– Manager is the only one who has access





[G2S2O24-2] Integration Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 28/Feb/24

Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2024

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Ford Draper Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As a user I need to be able to connect my site to the customers ecommerce API on their site so that their order details go directly from them to me so that same day shipping can be achieved.

Acceptance Requirements 1) The Order Information is transferred from the API to the database 2) The Order Information is transferred without error

3) The Order Information is transferred at least every hour.





[G2S2O24-6] Shipping Analytics Page Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 28/Feb/24

Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Drake Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As the owner, I need to be able to see what is shipped most commonly by the retailers and the average shipping time. This will help us to work more efficiently in the warehouse.

> Acceptance Requirements: -Section with most ordered item per Retailer -Average shipping length sorted by item -Average shipping length sorted by destination state



[G2S2O24-4] Order Database Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Pierce Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a shipping company, I need to have all pending orders in a database. I need all the order details and date. I need it to be able to sort and ship out the orders we receive. Acceptance Criteria: • Information necessary for each order • Needs to be secure • Needs to be accessible through our API and take in the data from our Batch Process (linked to our customer's Shopify) • Needs to be fast enough when accessing



[G2S2O24-3] Inventory Page Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Sydney Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a manager, I need a page in the website that will display inventory for both individual clients and overall.

> Acceptance criteria: Displays inventory for each client Displays inventory overall Automatically tracks inventory with each purchase Backs up inventory data to database See individual orders from clients





[G2S2O24–12] Package Slip Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Sydney Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a picker, I need a package slip to be created that will allow me to know what items I need to pickup.

Acceptance Requirements: Print a package slip Package slip has each item and item area Automatically printed when order info is gained



[G2S2O24–11] Database Backup Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Pierce Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As a shipping company we need a backup of my database. I need to be able to restore data in case of outages. This is required so that order data is not lost. Acceptance Criteria: • Data must be backed up for at least three days (assuming orders are shipped same-day) • Database retore tested semi-annually



[G2S2O24-10] Inventory Security Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Ford Draper Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As the company owner I would like to have better security for my inventory. I would not like clerks to be able to edit details for the inventory and like it to be done automatically.

Acceptance Criteria: Owner Admin Priviledges. Boolean value for an order. [EmployeeID] picked up this order and shipped it. Change [OrderID] to shipped when shipped and update status in database.



[G2S2O24-9] Employee Tracking Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2024

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Drake Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a manager I need to develop a system that keeps track of the work that my employees complete so I can better monitor my company. Acceptance Criteria 1. Store this information in a database 2. Associate each employees processes with an employee id 3. A measuring system for employee work completed





[G2S2O24–8] Automatic Inventory Updating Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Sydney Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a manager, I need the inventory to be automatically updated whenever I get an order so I can track my inventory.

Acceptance Criteria Updates inventory when an item is marked by picker Alert Manager when inventory is low Track price of inventory Translate this information to the inventory page.





[G2S2O24–7] Shipping Integration Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Ford Draper Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description

As the user I want to be able to ship through other means besides just UPS and be able to print the labels for it in house. This would be done by getting the details for shipping from the API and feeding that into an API from shipstation and printing the shipping label based on that. Acceptance Criteria:

Automatic feeding of shipping data to our API Feeding of data from the API to Shipstation Feed the data from Shipstation to our special printer that can print shipping labels.



[G2S2O24-5] Order Tracking Page Created: 05/Feb/24 Updated: 05/Feb/24

> Status: To Do Project: GROUP-2-S2O24

Component/s: None Affects Version/s: None Fix Version/s: None

Type: Story Priority: Medium Reporter: Sydney Assignee: Unassigned Resolution: Unresolved Votes: O Labels: None Remaining Estimate: Not Specified Time Spent: Not Specified Original Estimate: Not Specified

Description As a client, I need a page that will show me the order information for my orders so that I can relay that information to my clients without waiting for a spreadsheet.

> Acceptance requirements: Automated Instant relay between shipping info and page Order stage available

WIREFRAMES







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