



Amazon Business

Online Seminar
Part 2/2



İki seminerde işlemeyi düşündüğüm konu başlıkları bunlar:

- 1. Amazon'da Başarısız Olmanın Nedenleri Neler?
- 2. Satacağımız Ürünün Özellikleri nasıl olmalı?
- 3. Yeni Ürün Fikirleri Bulma Yöntemi
- 4. Amazon Hesabı Açılışında Nelere Dikkat Edilmeli
- 5. Amazon için İdeal Şirket Formu
- 6. Avrupa Amazon ile alakalı vergi meseleleri
- 7. Amazon Satıcıları için Gerekli Sigortalar
- 8. Amazon'da Herkesin Durumuna Göre Farklı Satış Yöntemleri
- 9. Print-on-Demand Sistemi
- 10. En faydalı Tool'ler
- 11. Amazon Satışlarında Nelere Dikkat Edilmeli
- 12. FBA Deposundan Farklı Platformlardaki Müşterilere Sevkiyat
- 13. Eğer Listing'inize Başka Satıcılar Yapışırlarsa
- 14. Amazon'a Başlamaya Hazır Olanlara Tavsiyeler

Seminar Topics:

- 1. What are the Reasons for Failure on Amazon?
- 2. How should the features of the product we will sell be?
- 3. How to find new product ideas
- 4. What to Consider When Opening an Amazon Account
- 5. Ideal Company Form for Amazon
- 6. Tax issues related to the European Amazon
- 7. Required Insurances for Amazon Sellers
- 8. Different Sales Methods According to Everyone's Situation on Amazon
- 9. Print-on-Demand System
- 10. The most useful tools
- 11. What to Consider in Amazon Sales
- 12. Shipment from FBA Warehouse to Customers on Different Platforms
- 13. If Other Sellers Stick to Your Listing
- 14. Advice for Those Ready to Start Amazon

Create Amazon account

Start now without problems



Outline

- Amazon Account what to consider
- What are the requirements
- Required documents
- Tips for registration
- Common mistakes when creating an account
- Fear of account blocking
- Prohibited actions
- Product guidelines
- Registering a business
- Taxes (Sales tax / Value added tax)



The Amazon Seller Account

You may only have one seller account!

(Exception: multiple companies in different product groups or FSK18 products)

You may have multiple Amazon buyer accounts (private, business, etc)



What are the requirements are there?

- You are allowed to operate a business in Germany
- You have not become conspicuous with your private Amazon account. (Blocked Amazon account or open invoices)
- You have not already tried to register as a seller, but have not completed it.
- No one in your household has become conspicuous with his Amazon account
- (Your Schufa is not "red") -> currently not known if this will be queried today.



Documents required

- Business registration not older than 90 days (get new copy in case of emergency)
- UST ID
- Bank account
- Credit card (no prepaid)
- Photo of ID
- Copy of "proof of life": phone/electricity/water bill



Registration tips

- Make sure that you register at "sell.amazon.de"!
- Take an extra e-mail address. It is best to create a new one for amzlogin@meindomain.de.
- Register as "sole proprietor" (Einzelunternehmer) or "privately held company" (Gesellschaft in Privatbesitz). The latter only if you are a registered company (eingetragene Firma) or GBR.
- Company name for sole trader (Einzelanbieter) is "First name last name".
 This must be the same name as on the submitted documents and your bank details.



Registration Tips - Part 2

- The store name should not be a name protected by someone else. It can also be changed later.
- Please scan all documents straight. If you don't have a scanner, use a scanner app. (https://apps.apple.com/de/app/docutain-pdf-scanner-ocr-scan/id1416707024)
- Please make sure that double-sided documents are scanned on both sides.
- If your name contains special characters, get a bank confirmation with the correct names.
- Enter yourself as the primary contact. This will make the activation easier.



Common account login errors

- You are using an email that is already registered with Amazon
- You are not using sell.amazon.com for registration
- You select the wrong company type.
- You have not prepared all documents
- You enter an imaginary name as company name at Amazon
- You do not have a valid credit card
- You have / are not allowed to register a business in Germany
- You come from a country not recognized by the USA







Fear of account suspension

Amazon blocks your account if you violate the TOS.

TOS: Terms of Service. Program guidelines

https://sellercentral.amazon.de/gp/help/external/help.html?itemID=521

Stick to the rules! An account suspension can be permanent!



Prohibited actions

- Everything that influences the product rank, including fake reviews.
- Contact with the customer via e-mail and telephone if it does not relate to a current order. This includes asking for a review.
- Repeatedly violating the TOS or style guides.
- Threatening/insulting Amazon employees and unlawful use of the support function.

https://sellercentral.amazon.de/gp/help/external/G200386250



Product guidelines -Style guides

There are specific style guides for each category

- What the title should look like
- How the images are to be designed
- What other attributes must be specified
- What is forbidden

Here you can find an overview:

https://sellercentral.amazon.de/gp/help/help.html?iteml D=G200270100



Register business

- Please **do not** enter a fantasy name if you are a sole proprietorship (Einzelunternehmen).
- The business purpose must be precise. Not "I sell all sorts of things and more".
- But: "Online trade with products without permission from the category: Household, hardware store, pet supplies".
- If you want to do other activities, they can also be mentioned. "IT consulting over the Internet" or "Import / export of goods from the category: Household".
- But: Every federal state sees this a little differently: In case of emergency just ask at the trade office!
- For example, mine says:
 Import von Waren aus der EU und Drittländern und der Verkauf über das Internet, insbesondere
 Lebensmittel, Geschenkartikel, Kosmetikartikel, Haushaltswaren, Saisonartikel, Online-Service und
 Beratung, insbesondere bei Verkauf und Brand Building über Amazon, eBay, Facebook, Instagram, Youtube und Onlineshop, Online-Marketing Bereitstellung von Internetseiten, Affiliate-Marketing Herstellung und Vertrieb von digitalin Produkten, Export von Waren in EU und Drittländer, Logistikservice bei nationalen und internationalen Ein- und Verkäufen



Taxes

As a self-employed person you have to pay the following taxes:

- Trade tax Gewerbesteuer (from 24.500 Euro Profit)
- Income tax Einkommenssteuer (from 9.744 Euro Profit)
- Sales tax Umsatzsteuer (is not yours, you must pass it on)

As a company (UG / GmbH), the corporate income tax (Körperschaftssteuer) is also added

(15% from profit)



Sales tax / value added tax (Umsatzsteuer/Mehrwertsteuer)

Sales tax or value added tax must be paid to the tax office.

Example:

Turnover in the month 11.900 Euro -> of it 19% = 1.900 Euro are to be paid to the tax office! But: expense will be deducted from it.

Example:

New computer bought for 1.190 Euro -> of it 19% = 190 Euro you get back from the tax office!

Important: The state doesn't take a joke when it comes to sales tax!



Required Insurances for Amazon Sellers

- Product liability insurance (Produkthaftpflichtversicherung)
 - Normal may be enough if you are just starting out (ohne Rückrufaktion)
- Company liability insurance (Betriebshaftpflichtversicherung)
 - Related to person and property
 - Warehouse
- Legal expenses insurance (Rechtsschutzversicherung)





What to Consider in Amazon Sales

Choose a sales model that fits your situation



<u>Different Sales Methods According to Everyone's Situation on Amazon</u>

➤ If you have no capital:

Amazon Agency Model

Amazon Dropship (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ck2Z9Mbljn4)

Amazon KPD (https://kdp.amazon.com/en_US/)

➤ If you have very little capital:

Print on Demand – (Merch by Amazon)

➤ If you have little capital:

Online / Offline Arbitrage

→ 4.000 - 5.000 € If you have capital:

Private Label (FBA / FBM)



Print-on-Demand

- ✓ printful.com
- ✓ printify.com
- ✓ redbubble.com
- √ teespring.com



The most useful tools

- ✓ Helium10
- √ junglescout.com/de/estimator/
- ✓ Keepa
- √ (Amalyze)

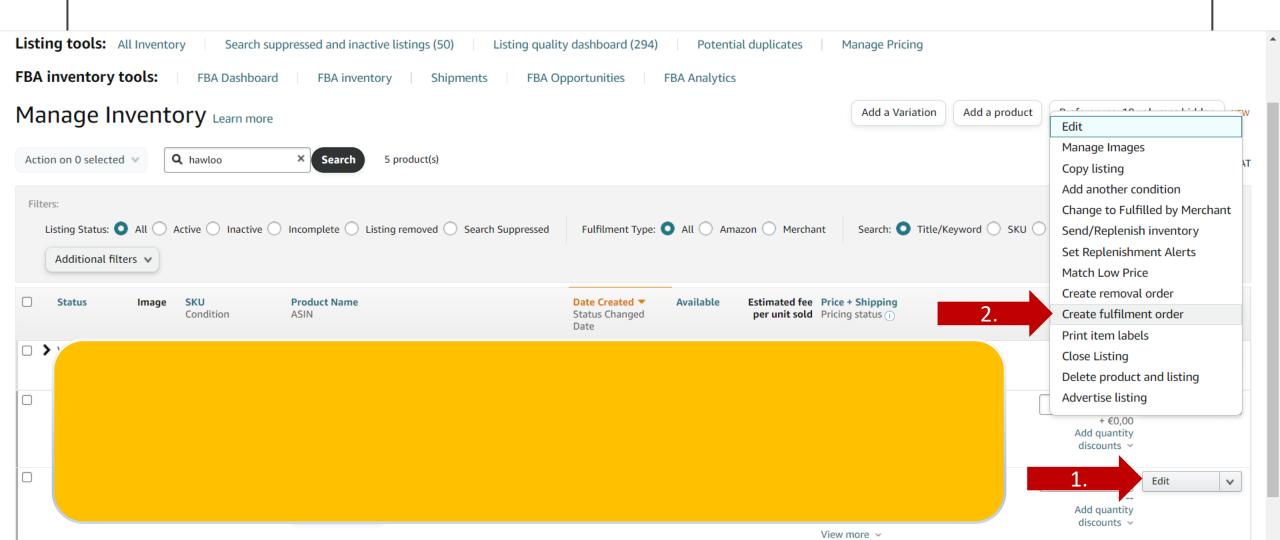


Shipment from FBA Warehouse to Customers on Different Platforms

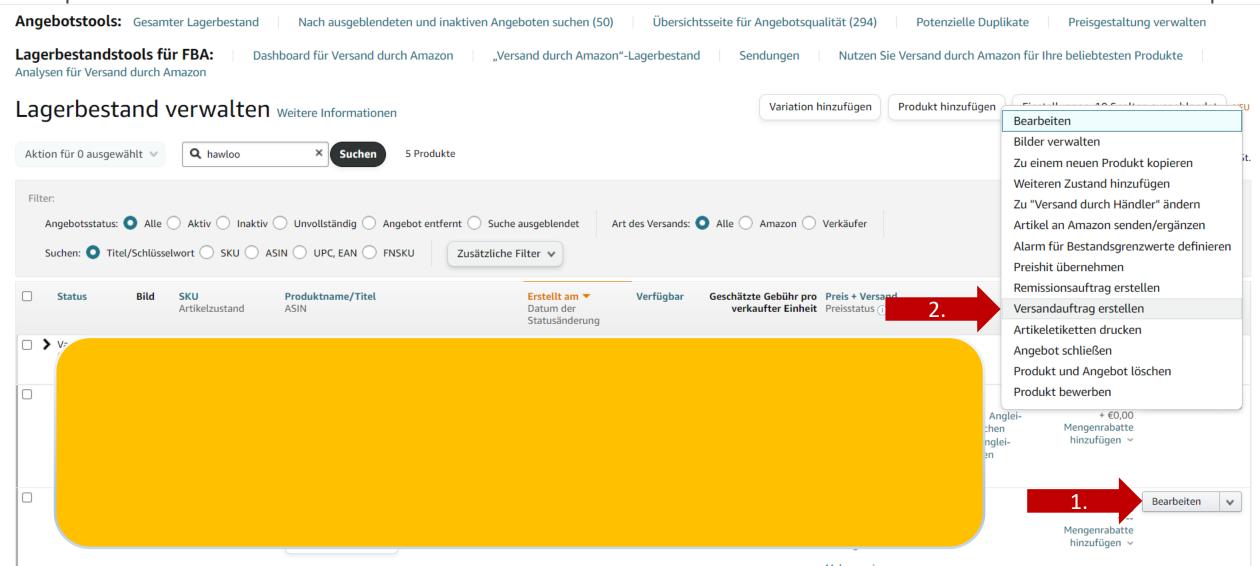




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If Other Sellers Stick to Your Listing

- ✓ Create an eBook
- ✓ Register your brand



<u>Advice for Those Ready to Start Amazon</u>

1) Get an education

2) Start without delay with small quantities







Where Can I Find Products in Europe?

- Google
- >www.lieferanten.de
- ><u>www.zentrada.de</u>
- >www.industrystock.de
- >www.address-base.de
- >www.merkandi.de



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