

-- ShipStation import and postback mapping supports the ability to import data from a single table or file by constructing queries that will retrieve data from your database or file. However, in certain cases the standard query generated may not be sufficient. This may happen if your data is in multiple tables or you need to specify WHERE or GROUP BY clauses to improve performance or reduce the data retrieved. In such cases the better solution is to create a "View" in your database. That View will query your data to your specifications from one or more tables but make the queried data appear like a single table to any software connecting to your database. If for some reason this is not possible, you can use the Custom Query feature described here to retrieve data. This feature allows you to replace the queries constructed by ShipStation ODBC using Field Mapping.

-- QUERY TYPES

-- The following Query Types are supported:

-- BatchOrder

-- This query is used to import orders. It is required if you plan to import orders.

-- CountOrders

-- This query is used during import to determine how many orders will be loaded. This query is required.

-- PostBack

-- This query is used to post back information for imported orders.

-- This query is Optional if you do not wish to postback Tracking Number, Status, etc.

-- UPDATING QUERIES

-- To use this feature, you must save your queries to the folder where this readme was originally found. For more details please go to <https://help.shipstation.com/hc/en-us/articles/226123307>

-- Please note that the following query names must be used:

-- BatchOrder.sql

-- CountOrders.sql

-- PostBack.sql