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Getting started with SMS marketing







At this point, I can't imagine a world without SMS marketing. It's really taken off. Our SMS subscribers are growing much faster than email subscribers. Over the first year, **SMS** campaigns drove \$123,000 in sales.

– Rob Lin, Owner and Founder of Divatress

Learn more

Making SMS your best-selling channel

1 Timing is everything

- Send order & shipping alerts, abandoned cart reminders, and birthday wishes.
- Reach your audience on multiple channels throughout their customer journey.

Perfect channel for perfect outreach

- Parallel test email vs SMS to find the most impactful approach.
- Use reports to engage your customers on their preferred channel.

Crafting the right message

- Segment to make your messages relevant to every customer.
- Use 130+ seamless integrations to get more sales, in more ways, and build better customer loyalty.



+47.7%

Campaigns with SMS are 47.7% more likely to convert



01. Engage your customers with time-sensitive messages

Text your very special offers

Have a limited-time promotion and want to make sure your customers **act fast?** FOMO is a natural fit for SMS.

54% of subscribers would **love to get promotions** sent via SMS.



Make them feel really welcome

Everyone expects a welcome email **as soon as they sign up**. Add an SMS with a discount code into the mix to make it more personal and exciting.

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Get started with SMS automations in Omnisend.





02. Keep your customers in the loop

Order and shipping confirmation messages

What to include in your transactional text:

- Their first name
- Links to customer support (if available)
- Shipping address
- Expected delivery date
- Tracking link or number
- Opt-out keyword





Build post-purchase relationships

Use the immediacy of SMS to bring **important and useful** messages directly to your customers' fingertips. Bypass email and get straight to the point.

- Share handy tips & tricks
- Share engaging tutorial videos-they're just a tap away
- Showcase real customers who love your product
- Ask them to review your products



Discover Omnisend-connected **shipping & logistics apps** to help keep your customers up to date about their order status and shipping.





03. Connect with customers when it really matters

Celebrate with the Special Occasions series

Use SMS to send warmth, celebrate milestones, or give a gentle nudge on:

- Their birthday
- Important holidays
- Valentine's Day
- Special Dates: Their partner's, kid's, or pet's birthday

Birthday automations get **13.6% conversion** rates and generate **21 orders per automation**.



Happy birthday Josh! Today we celebrate you with a special 10% discount on a product of your choice. Pick your perfect gift from our wide range of products here: <u>bit.lt/birthday-offer</u>

Win back more sales

Shoppers abandon around **3 in 4 shopping carts**, while only 25% will finish a transaction. Add an SMS to your abandoned cart emails with a reminder to complete their order–and watch your sales soar.

Here's how:

- Tempt them with an exclusive incentive
- Reach out to those once-in-a-blue-moon shoppers
- Roll out the red carpet for your high-value VIPs
- Offer a hand to help them find just what they're looking for



Start a two-way conversation

Engage customers and foster meaningful connections by enabling two-way conversations for your SMS marketing campaigns, available via our integration with Gorgias.

- 1 Invite customers to respond to and participate in special giveaway contests
- 2 Ask customers to leave a satisfaction score after a completed purchase
- **3** Gather more data from your new subscribers and send them segmented messages based on that data

SMS Giveaway time! Reply WANT100 to enter the contest for winning a \$100 check to shop at Lunar. We'll text the winner this Friday. Good luck! Jane from Lunar. Reply STOP to unsubscribe SMS Hello, Sarah, how happy are you with vour purchase at Lunar? Please rate vour shopping experience from 5 [excellent] to 1 [very poor] responding to this SMS. SMS. Welcome to the club! To help us get you only the best offers, let us know what you're mostly into. Text back KIDS, HOME or BEAUTY and we'll send you a discount code for your preferred category. Jane from Lunar. Reply STOP to unsubscribe

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Make the world your oyster

Got an international audience? Send SMS to **reach them in any country** with Omnisend and drive sales from anywhere in the world.



Explore the potential of SMS

Your customers are just a text away. Add SMS next to your emails and see your sales skyrocket.



Omnichannel vs single-channel campaigns

+90% retention rate

+494% order rate

+13% spend rate



