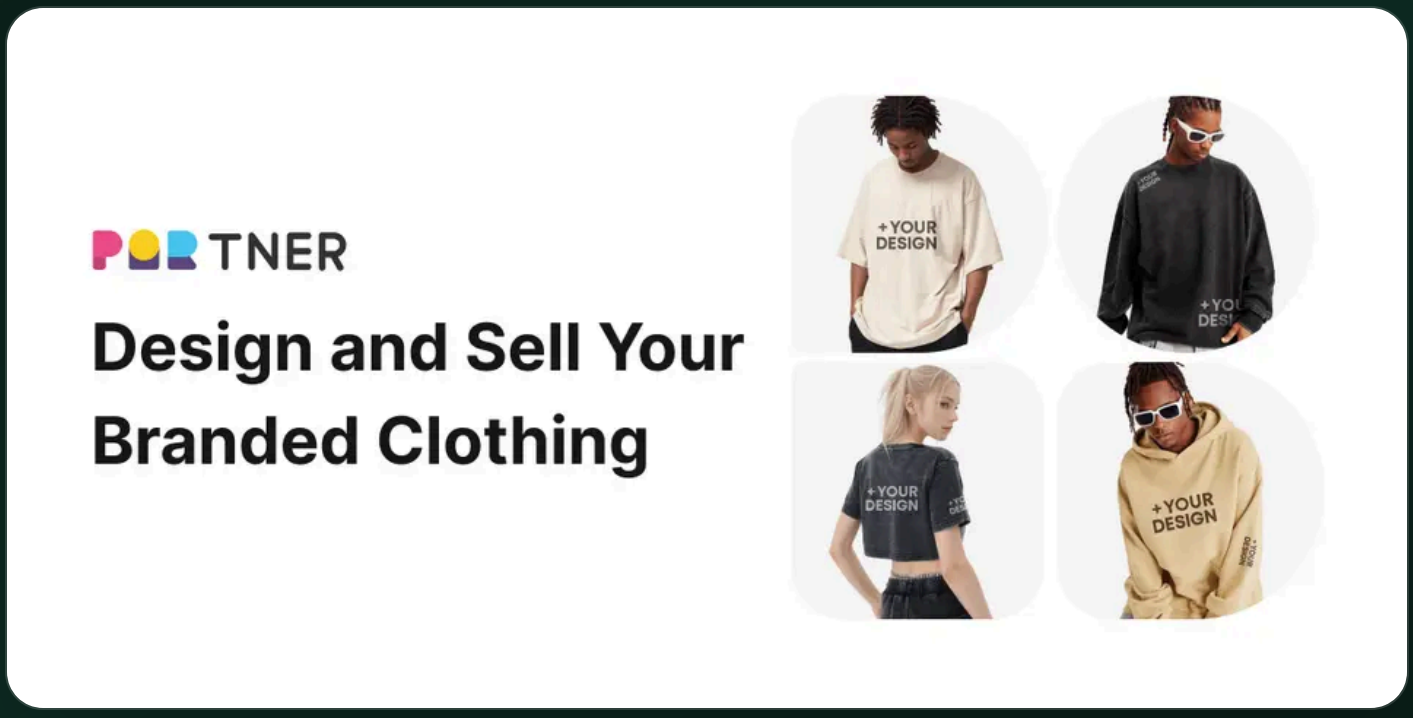
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PODpartner

The Insider's Guide

Print-on-demand clothing supplier with no membership fee



Every plan, grade, refund rule and rival among print-on-demand and dropshipping services, read from PODpartner's own pages.

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Design and Sell Your Branded Clothing



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ToolGPA put this guide together from PODpartner's own pages, its app-store listings and our grades. Every fact in it is on PODpartner's page too, where it is kept up to date. Checked Nov 13, 2026.

Welcome

What it is, who it suits, its grades and the ten things to know first

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GPA, above 33 of the 70 other print-on-demand and dropshipping services we grade

PODpartner is a print-on-demand and dropshipping supplier focused on clothing. Sellers design garments in a browser design tool, connect a store, and PODpartner prints, packs and ships each order. Its site says there are no membership fees or order minimums, and you pay only the product and shipping cost of what sells.

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> **You design, connect a store and order samples, so there is setup first.**
>
> From our grade for ease of use

To get you started, here are **8 things to know about PODpartner**, taken from its own pages and our grades.

1 **Best for print-on-demand clothing with no membership fee**

PODpartner is a print-on-demand clothing supplier with no membership fee and no order minimum, printing by DTG and embroidery.

2 **It is free**

PODpartner has no paid plan at all. The whole service: no membership fees or order minimums; you pay product and shipping cost for each order that sells.

3 **It runs on Web**

Web.

4 **Design Creator**

A browser design tool for placing artwork on garments. A single print area can be up to 24 by 24 inches, with up to 21 print areas per garment.

5 **DTG printing and embroidery**

Direct-to-garment printing on a Brother GTX Pro-B printer and machine embroidery, plus HTV and a jumbo DTG option.

6 **Store integrations**

The homepage lists Shopify, Etsy, Wix and WooCommerce, and its FAQ also names Squarespace.

7 **A 2.4 GPA, above 33 of 70**

That is against the other print-on-demand and dropshipping services we grade, on value, the free plan, features, ease of use and platforms.

8 **Keep it**

PODpartner is free, so making your own would save you nothing.

PODpartner at a glance

PRICING Free	FREE PLAN Yes
FREE TRIAL None stated	RUNS ON Web
MADE BY PODpartner, Inc., since 2019	CATEGORY Print on Demand & Dropshipping
OUR GRADE 2.4 GPA, fair	

The report card

Best for print-on-demand clothing with no membership fee

PODpartner is a print-on-demand clothing supplier with no membership fee and no order minimum, printing by DTG and embroidery. It is clothing only, a

190GSM unisex T-shirt starts at USD 10.31 and a fleece-lined hoodie at USD 24.96, and shipping is charged per order.

TOOLGPA REPORT CARD	PODpartner	Graded Nov 13, 2026
SUBJECT	GRADE	COMMENT
Value for money	C	No membership fee, but a basic T-shirt starts at USD 10.31 and a hoodie at USD 24.96 before shipping, so cost sits in the middle.
Free plan and trial	B	The whole service has no membership fee and no order minimum. You pay product and shipping on orders that sell.
Features	C	Design Creator, DTG printing, embroidery, store integrations, custom branding and fulfillment. Clothing only, which is a narrower catalog.
Ease of use	C	No store rating is on record. You design, connect a store and order samples, so there is setup first.
Platforms and integrations	B	Web only, with Shopify, Etsy, Wix and WooCommerce.
Grade point average		Fair, out of 4.0 **2.4**

An A is worth 4 points, a B 3, a C 2, a D 1 and an F nothing. The GPA is the average of the five.

Who PODpartner is for

- ✓ Fits if you sell printed or embroidered clothing on Shopify or Etsy
- ✓ Works for sellers who want no monthly fee

Who it is not for

- ✕ Skip it if you sell mugs or posters, as it is clothing only
- ✕ Pricey if you sell cheap tees: the base cost starts at USD 10.31
- ✕ Watch out: shipping is charged per order and the rates are on a separate page
- ✕ Watch out: base costs vary by item, so check each product

Good to know

Good for

- ✓ Clothing brands that want embroidery and large print areas as well as standard prints
- ✓ Sellers on Shopify, Etsy, Wix or WooCommerce who want no monthly fee

Worth knowing

- ⓘ Clothing only; it is not a general product catalog.
- ⓘ Base costs vary by item: the homepage shows a 190GSM unisex T-shirt from USD 10.31 and a fleece-lined hoodie from USD 24.96.
- ⓘ Shipping is charged per order; the homepage does not give rates, which are on a separate shipping page.

What it costs

Every plan, the free plan, ways to pay less and how prices have moved

Free

No paid plan at all

PODpartner is free to use.

> **The whole service has no membership fee and no order minimum.**

From our grade for free plan and trial

FREE

$0

Design tool, store integration and fulfillment with no subscription; each order is charged at the product's base cost plus shipping.

The free plan

The whole service: no membership fees or order minimums; you pay product and shipping cost for each order that sells.

Read from podpartner.com on Nov 13, 2026.

What it does

Its main features, where it runs, what it works with and who makes it

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Place it runs: Web

Print-on-demand clothing supplier with no membership fee. Here is what it does, as its own site describes it, and what it covers: online store, print on demand, dropshipping.

> **Design Creator, DTG printing, embroidery, store integrations, custom branding and fulfillment.**
>
> From our grade for features

Design Creator

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DTG printing and embroidery

Direct-to-garment printing on a Brother GTX Pro-B printer and machine embroidery, plus HTV and a jumbo DTG option.

Store integrations

The homepage lists Shopify, Etsy, Wix and WooCommerce, and its FAQ also names Squarespace.

Custom branding

Branding materials produced with each order to shape the unboxing experience.

Fulfillment

The site says 98% of orders are fulfilled within 48 hours, with three shipping methods worldwide.

Apparel catalog

Men's and women's T-shirts, long sleeves, hoodies, sweatshirts, tank tops, jackets, shorts, pants and hats.

Where it runs

Web

What it works with

Shopify
Etsy
Wix
WooCommerce

PODpartner is made by PODpartner, Inc., and has been around since 2019.

PART 04 · STANDING

Where it stands

Its grades against its category, and whether to keep it or make your own

33/70

Other print-on-demand and dropshipping services it is graded above

PODpartner's GPA of 2.4 is higher than 33 of the 70 other print-on-demand and dropshipping services we grade, and level with 11.

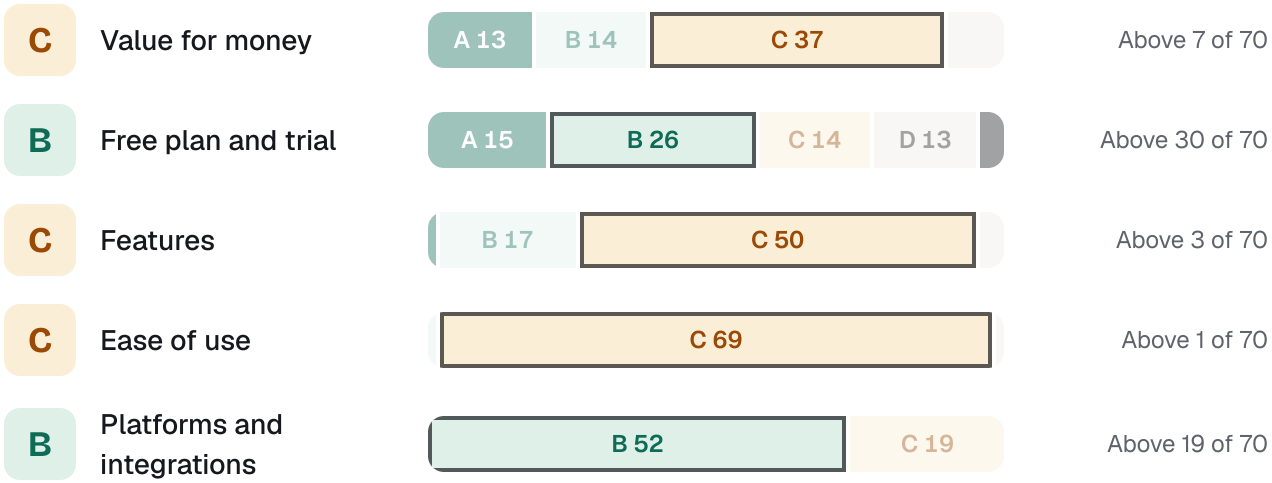
It stands best on free plan and trial (B, above 30 of 70) and worst on ease of use (C, above 1).

PODpartner has no paid plan.

On features, ease of use and platforms it scores 2.3 out of 4. Nothing scores higher for less, though at least one tool matches that score at a lower price.

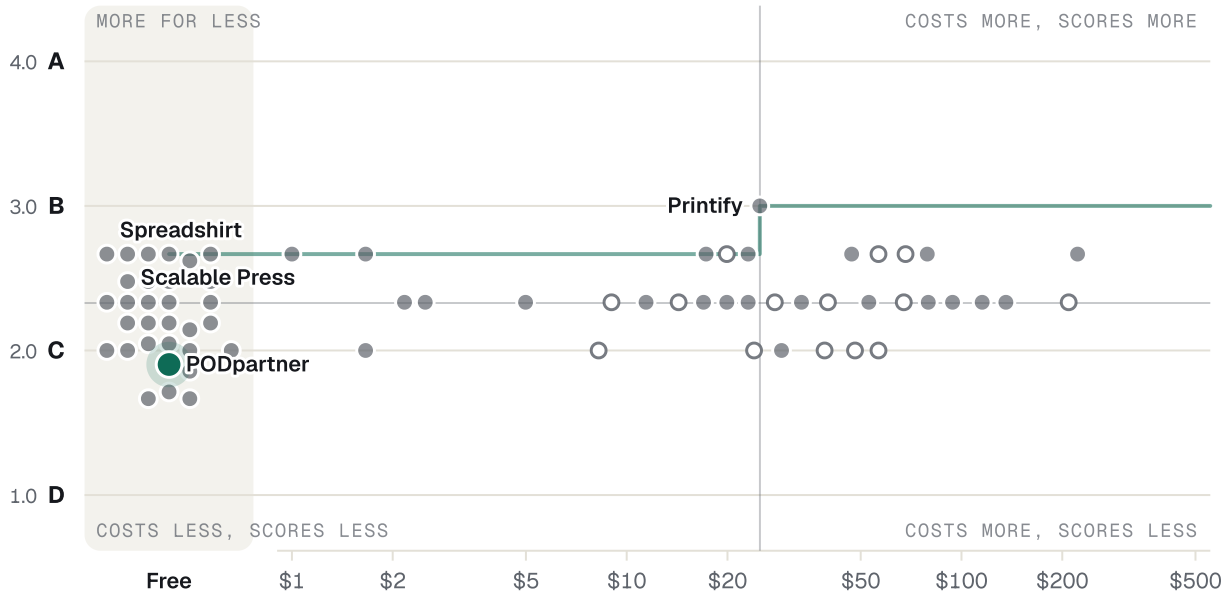
Each grade against the category

Every bar is all 71 print-on-demand and dropshipping services we grade, cut by the letter each got. PODpartner's own letter is outlined.



Price against what you get

Each dot is one of 68 print-on-demand and dropshipping services. Further left costs less; higher up scores better on features, ease of use and platforms. PODpartner is the marked dot.



What paid plans start at, a month (each step along is roughly double)

Keep it, or make your own?

Whether this is something you could build for yourself with an AI app builder, and what you would give up.

Keep it

PODpartner is free, so making your own would save you nothing.

And it is not the kind of software a weekend replaces.

What you could not

- ✕ Printers that make and ship each order.
- ✕ Suppliers who ship each order for you.
- ✕ Checkout, card payments and sales tax handled for you.

What this rests on. PODpartner's listing: what it does, where it runs, what it plugs into and what it costs. It is a judgement about the kind of software this is. We have not built a replacement for it, and making your own means looking after it too. How we decide, and every tool's verdict.

The alternatives

The tools it is most often weighed against, side by side



Printify, Printful, Gooten, Gelato and CustomCat

The 5 tools PODpartner is most often weighed against, with where each one differs from it.

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Printify

Free plan · from $24.99/mo

Print-on-demand marketplace with 2,000+ products and 70+ printers.

- Only Printify lists iOS and Android apps.
- PODpartner also covers dropshipping.

PODpartner and Printify compared in full

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Printful

Free plan · from $24.99/mo

Print-on-demand company that makes and ships orders in-house.

- PODpartner also covers dropshipping.

PODpartner and Printful compared in full

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Gooten

Free

Print-on-demand network that routes orders to vetted printers.

- PODpartner also covers online store and dropshipping.

PODpartner and Gooten compared in full

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Gelato

Free plan · from $19.99/mo

Print-on-demand service that prints orders near the buyer.

- PODpartner also covers online store and dropshipping.

PODpartner and Gelato compared in full

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CustomCat

Free plan · from $25/mo

US print-on-demand printer with wholesale prices and a PRO plan.

- PODpartner also covers online store and dropshipping.

PODpartner and CustomCat compared in full

PART 06 · QUESTIONS

Quick answers

The questions people ask about it, each answered in a line or two

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Questions, each answered in a line or two

The short version of everything above, for when you only need the answer. Each one is told in full in its part of the guide.

Is PODpartner free?

Yes. PODpartner is free to use.

How much does PODpartner cost?

PODpartner lists one plan. Free: $0.

What platforms does PODpartner work on?

PODpartner is available on Web.

Does PODpartner have an Android app?

No Android app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. PODpartner is listed for Web.

Does PODpartner have an iPhone app?

No iPhone app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. PODpartner is listed for Web.

Is PODpartner open source?

PODpartner is not described as open source on its own site, as read on Nov 13, 2026.

What does PODpartner integrate with?

PODpartner's listing names Shopify, Etsy, Wix and WooCommerce. A listing names up to eight integrations, so it may connect to more.

Who makes PODpartner?

PODpartner is made by PODpartner, Inc. It dates from 2019.

What are the alternatives to PODpartner?

The closest alternatives to PODpartner in our directory are Printify, Printful, Gooten, Gelato and CustomCat.

How does PODpartner compare with other print-on-demand and dropshipping services?

PODpartner's GPA of 2.4 is higher than 33 of the 70 other print-on-demand and dropshipping services we grade, and level with 11.

Is PODpartner good value for money?

ToolGPA grades PODpartner C for value for money. PODpartner has no paid plan.

Could I make my own version of PODpartner?

PODpartner is free, so making your own would save you nothing. And it is not the kind of software a weekend replaces.

Where this guide comes from

The prices, plans, platforms and features were read from PODpartner's own pages on Nov 13, 2026, and the grades were given on Nov 13, 2026. Graded from this listing, whose facts were read from PODpartner's own pages on 13 November 2026. Not based on using the product, and shorter than our full reviews.

Every tool we list gets five grades, A to F, each with its reason, and a GPA that averages them. How each is decided is at toolgpa.com/grades. This guide is ToolGPA's own work; it is not made, paid for or approved by PODpartner, Inc. Prices change, so check podpartner.com before you buy.

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PART 07 · ABOUT

About ToolGPA

Who made this guide, what else is on the site, and how to cite it

7,721

Tools graded, in 95 categories

ToolGPA grades software the way a school report grades a pupil: five subjects, a letter for each with the reason written beside it, and a GPA that averages them. Prices, plans and platforms are read from each maker's own pages and dated, so you always know how fresh a figure is.

Every grade, review and ranking on ToolGPA is our own judgement. No company can pay for a grade or change one. Every tool on the site has a guide like this one, free to download and pass on. It all lives at **toolgpa.com**.

7,721	95	739	579
tools graded	categories	price changes on record	apps priced in 12 countries

What else is on toolgpa.com

PODpartner, kept up to date

Everything in this guide, with prices and grades as they are today

toolgpa.com/tools/podpartner

How grades are given

The rules behind every letter and every GPA

toolgpa.com/grades

Value charts

What each tool costs against what it scores, for every category

toolgpa.com/charts

Compare

Any two tools side by side, plan by plan

toolgpa.com/compare

Price changes

Every price rise and cut on record, each with its source

toolgpa.com/price-changes

Prices by country

What apps cost on the App Store in 12 countries

toolgpa.com/prices-by-country

Pay less

Every public discount: yearly billing, students, nonprofits

toolgpa.com/save

Keep or make

Which tools are worth paying for, and which you could build yourself

toolgpa.com/keep-or-make

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The best-graded print-on-demand and dropshipping services after PODpartner, each with an Insider's Guide of its own.

Print on Demand & Dropshipping Insider's Guide

Every one of the 71 print-on-demand and dropshipping services we grade, compared

Printify Insider's Guide

Print-on-demand marketplace with 2,000+ products and 70+ printers

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CJdropshipping Insider's Guide

Dropshipping supplier and sourcing agent with factory-price products

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Printful Insider's Guide

Print-on-demand company that makes and ships orders in-house

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