

## **Must Arrive By Date (MABD) Program**

# Special handling services on LTL shipments going to distribution centers for Amazon, Target, or Walmart

UTS can procure a premium level of carrier services on LTL shipments going to a distribution center for Amazon, Target, or Walmart. These services prioritize on-time delivery that meets the stringent requirements of each retailer.

#### **Premium Carrier Services Received:**



Shipment flagged for priority handling and on-time delivery.



Both the carrier and UTS actively monitor the status of the shipment.



Carrier sends the destination DC a daily update with delivery timing.



Carrier prioritizes service alerts if on-time delivery is in jeopardy.

#### **Benefits of MABD Program:**

- Fewer loss and damage claims versus standard LTL service.
- Strong track record of on-time delivery.
- Avoid chargebacks.
- Avoid lost sales.
- Avoid canceled purchase orders.
- Rock-solid vendor scorecard.

### **Requirements for MABD Shipments**

- UTS needs to procure MABD pricing before you can use this program. Please notify UTS if interested and we'll provide a timeline for implementation.
- Once pricing is ready, MABD will appear as an option when selecting a carrier. Alternately, UTS can set your rankings to use MABD on every shipment going to a qualifying distribution center.
- The bill of lading must specify that MABD applies. The proper notation will appear on the BOL from UTS. If you use your own BOL, please be sure to add the notation provided by UTS.



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