

Shopify Leftover App Code Cleanup Checklist

For store owners who uninstalled apps and saw no speed gain. About 15 minutes.

START HERE

Work on a duplicate theme only. Remove dead scripts first: one leftover Bold currency script costs about **120ms**, 60% of the 200ms budget.

Before you edit (4)

- ☐ Duplicate the live theme and edit only the copy
STOP IF NO
- ☐ Write down every app in Settings, Apps and sales channels
This is your keep list. Anything else the page loads is a leftover.
- ☐ Run PageSpeed 3 times on a product page, note median TBT
- ☐ Cancel off-Shopify app billing with each vendor directly
Uninstalling does not stop charges billed outside Shopify.

Find the leftovers (4)

- ☐ View Source on a product page, list third-party script domains
Any domain with no installed app behind it is dead code.
- ☐ Search layout/theme.liquid for each unmatched domain
Online Store, Themes, Edit code. It loads on every page.
- ☐ Search snippets/ for the uninstalled app's name
- ☐ Turn off unused App embeds and custom pixels

Remove and verify (5)

- ☐ Delete the render tag first, preview, then the snippet file
A Liquid error means another file still renders it.
- ☐ Leave code an installed app still uses
STOP IF NO
Heavy but live code needs deferring, not deleting.
- ☐ Test add to cart, cart, search and a variant change on preview
- ☐ Confirm each removed domain returns zero hits in View Source
Also filter the Network tab by the domain and reload.
- ☐ Rerun PageSpeed 3 times and compare median TBT to baseline

What a dead script still costs

Bold Multi-Currency (delisted)	~120ms
Yotpo SMSBump (shut down)	~100ms
Shopify Geolocation app	~60ms
Beam Impact (delisted)	~60ms
ShareASale pixel (now Awin)	~50ms

Ticked: ____ / 13 Any STOP item unticked: fix it before anything else.

Want a second pair of eyes on what your theme still loads? kaspianfuad.com/contact

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Blinds store sprint: dead app code removed, mobile TBT 2,290ms to 480ms.