Was there a power outage at a terminal? Did a terminal operator manually enter a bill of lading (BOL)? Has a consignee been updated? Was it configured correctly? Are telecommunications unreliable at your terminal? Were all of your BOLs transmitted successfully?

When it comes to reconciling and invoicing, capturing all BOLs is absolutely critical. The scenarios mentioned above can prevent a BOL from automatically making it into your back office. That can be costly.

Depending on rack price, the average value of a single BOL can be $15,000 or more. That figure doesn’t account for the tax implications and penalties that companies often face when a BOL isn’t recovered.

Many suppliers have teams focused on finding and fixing these BOLs. It’s no small undertaking, requiring logging into multiple partner portals, manually comparing reports, and making phone calls to request that a load be invoiced. Despite these efforts — which can cost companies up to $10,000 a month in man-hours — some BOLs are never found. That has a significant financial impact on a supplier.

That’s why we created DTN BOL Recon.

**Easily find and fix missing BOLs**

DTN BOL Recon is a companion to our industry-leading terminal inventory data management solution, DTN TIMS®. It allows you to quickly identify and address missing or overlooked BOLs. It also simplifies reconciliation, ensures faster billing, prevents financial loss and allows your staff to focus on other high-value tasks. Transparency and collaboration with partners are also improved.
DTN BOL RECON

With it, you can:

- Be alerted to missing BOLs — the system automatically finds them for you once a day, even on weekends and holidays.
- Automatically notify terminals of missing BOLs — DTN BOL Recon handles this for you.
- Know when a missing BOL has been received by DTN TABS® — add it to a customizable watchlist to receive notification.
- Easily search BOL data — if desired, you can manually search for missing BOLs or an individual BOL from the last 90 days.

Enrich your inventory management

The solution works with DTN TIMS, the industry’s first completely-automated inventory data management system. Specifically designed to increase visibility into your distribution network, it gathers inventory, supply, and demand information directly from its source, validating it, and passing it along to you. This saves you time and money while reducing errors, minimizing risk, and increasing revenue opportunities.

Integrate terminal data with control

DTN BOL Recon also works in conjunction with our industry-leading DTN TABS® solution. Centralized and automated, DTN TABS provides flexible, real-time control over product allocations and credit across proprietary and third-party terminals. It also delivers BOLs in real-time.

Please ask a DTN representative for more information about these solutions.