

Assignment

Overview

Build a web scraper to automatically search the lowest price of books on snapdeal.com by using node.js and puppeteer.

Flow:

1. Load the list of ISBN code(Book Id) and book title from excel file.
2. Enter the ISBN code on the text search field of snapdeal.
3. After enter, you will get one of the following scenario:
 - a. No Result: Book is not available on snapdeal
 - b. Single Result: Only one book result.
 - c. Multiple search results: Multiple options to choose the book.
4. For scenario (a) update the Found column status to "No" in excel and move on to search for the next book.
5. For Scenario (b) and (c), Compare the search results book title with the excel book title. Book titles should match by at least 90%.
6. Then select the lowest price book from the matched book titles.
7. Open the book(click) and scrap the book data such as price,Author,Publisher, in stock,page url.
8. Update the scrap data in excel respectively.
9. Repeat the step till you search all the books.

#2Input Excel Example :

| No | Book Title | ISBN |
|----|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 1 | The Subtle Art of Not Giving a F | 9780062641540 |
| 2 | Rich Dad Poor Dad | 9781612680019 |
| 3 | IKIGAI | 9781786330895 |
| 4 | Atomic Habits | 9781847941831 |
| 5 | Zero to One | 9780753555194 |
| 6 | Rey blanco | 9788466668545 |

Output Example

| No | Book Title | ISBN | Found | URL | Price | Author | Publisher | In Stock |
|----|----------------------------------|---------------|-------|---|-------|-------------|----------------|----------|
| 1 | The Subtle Art of Not Giving a F | 9780062641540 | Yes | https://www.snapdeal.com/product/the-subtle-art-of-not/686281189461#breadcrumbSearch:9780062641540 | 177 | Mark Manson | Harper Collins | Yes |
| 2 | Rich Dad Poor Dad | 9781612680019 | Yes | someurl | 122 | someauthor | somepublisher | Yes |
| 3 | IKIGAI | 9781786330895 | Yes | someurl | 122 | someauthor | somepublisher | No |
| 4 | Atomic Habits | 9781847941831 | Yes | someurl | 122 | someauthor | somepublisher | Yes |
| 5 | Zero to One | 9780753555194 | Yes | someurl | 122 | someauthor | somepublisher | Yes |
| 6 | Rey blanco | 9788466668545 | No | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |

* This is just an example of output excel to give you an idea about its structure, the actual value within the field will not be the same.

Please Note:

- When comparing the excel book title with search results book titles for 90% matched,
 - Convert the text into lower case.
 - Remove the highlighted text which is inside the (), after : or -

Example

IKIGAI (English, Hardcover, Garcia Hector)

IKIGAI - The Japanese Secret to a Long and Happy Life

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