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CHAPTER 1: SYNOPSIS

Flexi File Converter is a web-based project designed to help users convert files between multiple formats with ease. Unlike conventional converters, it integrates authentication, secure file handling, history tracking, and administrative controls.

The project is developed using PHP (backend), MySQL (database), Tailwind CSS & JavaScript (frontend), and LibreOffice (conversion engine). It provides conversion for documents, spreadsheets, presentations, text files, and images. The application emphasizes usability, security, and performance, targeting both casual users and organizations needing reliable file management.

CHAPTER 2: PREAMBLE

2.1 General Introduction

File conversion has become an essential requirement in education, business, and research. Users often face compatibility issues when sharing documents in different formats. Flexi File Converter bridges this gap by providing a centralized and secure system to handle diverse formats.

The system offers:

- Support for multiple file types (Word, PDF, Excel, PowerPoint, Images, Text).
- A user-friendly drag-and-drop upload interface.
- Secure login and role-based access.
- History tracking for registered users.
- Administrative tools for monitoring and control.

2.2 Module Description

- File Upload & Conversion → Uploads files, validates type and size, and processes conversion via LibreOffice.
 - User Authentication → Registration, login, and secure session management.
 - Conversion History → Tracks converted files for each registered user.
 - Admin Dashboard → Displays statistics, manages users, and monitors system usage.
 - Security Module → Implements input validation, SQL injection prevention, and secure storage.
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CHAPTER 3: REVIEW OF LITERATURE

Existing solutions like Zamzar, Online2PDF, and CloudConvert provide online file conversion but often lack:

- Free unlimited usage without restrictions.
- Strong authentication and security.
- A self-hosted model where organizations can control their data.

Flexi File Converter addresses these gaps by offering an open-source-like approach where institutes or individuals can deploy their own conversion system. By integrating LibreOffice in headless mode, it ensures reliability and better compatibility for documents.

CHAPTER 4: TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION

4.1 Hardware Requirement

- Minimum: Intel i3 processor, 4 GB RAM, 20 GB disk space.
- Recommended: Intel i5 or higher, 8 GB RAM, SSD storage.
- Supported Platforms: Windows, Linux, macOS.

4.2 Software Requirement

- Web Server: Apache or Nginx.
 - Backend: PHP 7.4 or higher.
 - Database: MySQL 5.7 or higher.
 - Conversion Tool: LibreOffice (headless mode).
 - Browser: Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Edge.
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CHAPTER 5: SYSTEM DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT

5.1 Architectural Design

The application follows an MVC (Model-View-Controller) architecture:

- Model: MySQL database with tables for users, conversion logs, and admin data.
- View: User interface built with Tailwind CSS, HTML, and JavaScript.
- Controller: PHP scripts managing conversion, authentication, and data exchange.

5.2 Class Diagram

(Placeholder: Represents classes like User, FileHandler, Converter, Admin, and Database.)

5.3 Dynamic Modeling

- Use Case Diagram: Shows interactions between users, admins, and the system.
- Sequence Diagram: Displays step-by-step process of file upload → conversion → download.
- Activity Diagram: Demonstrates flow of login, file processing, and history management.

5.4 Database Design

- ER Diagram: Includes entities like User, ConversionHistory, and Admin.
- Menu Design: Navigation bar with “Home, Upload, History, Login, Admin.”
- Screen Design: Glassmorphism-based responsive UI with drag-and-drop upload area.

CHAPTER 6: CONCLUSION

Flexi File Converter successfully demonstrates how an academic project can solve a real-world problem. It integrates security, usability, and technical efficiency to provide a reliable solution for everyday users.

While the system currently supports only local file storage and limited formats, it lays a strong foundation for future development with cloud integration, API-based conversion, and advanced security features.

CHAPTER 7: LEARNING DURING PROJECT WORK

During the project, we gained practical skills in:

1. Web Development → PHP & MySQL integration, Tailwind CSS, and responsive design.
2. File Handling → Secure upload mechanisms, file validation, and temporary storage.
3. System Design → Understanding MVC architecture, ER modeling, and diagram creation.
4. Security Implementation → Preventing SQL injection, managing sessions, and secure hashing.
5. Testing & Debugging → Performing functional, security, and performance testing.

CHAPTER 8: BIBLIOGRAPHY

8.1 Online References

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- MySQL Documentation – <https://dev.mysql.com>
- LibreOffice Docs – <https://www.libreoffice.org>
- W3Schools – <https://www.w3schools.com>

8.2 Offline References

- Classroom lecture notes.
- Standard BCA textbooks on Web Technologies and Software Engineering.