

# API Automation Script

This project automates the process of fetching country data using a GraphQL API, posting selected country details to a REST API, and saving the data to a CSV file. It includes robust error handling and uses JavaScript for implementation.

## Features

- Fetches data from a GraphQL API.
- Posts data to a REST API.
- Handles HTTP errors like 403 Forbidden and 500 Internal Server Error with logging and retry mechanisms.
- Saves country details into a CSV file.
- Fully automated workflow.

## Approach

1. **Fetching Data:**
  - The script queries the Countries GraphQL API to retrieve country data, including names, capitals, and currencies.
2. **Posting Data:**
  - The first country's details are posted to the REST API at <https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts> with the required payload format.
3. **Error Handling:**
  - Handles 403 Forbidden by skipping the request.
  - Handles 500 Internal Server Error by implementing an exponential backoff retry mechanism.
  - Log all errors to the console.
4. **Data Saving:**
  - All fetched country data is saved to a CSV file named countries.csv.
5. **Automation:**
  - The script automates the entire workflow, chaining data fetching, processing, posting, and saving.

## Prerequisites

- **Node.js:** Ensure you have Node.js (v14 or above) installed on your system.
- **Dependencies:** The script uses node-fetch for API requests and fs for file handling.

## **Installation and Usage**

### **1. Clone or Copy the Script**

Save the script as **script.js**.

### **2. Install Dependencies**

Run the following command to install the required package:

```
npm install node-fetch@2
```

### **3. Run the Script**

Execute the script using Node.js:

```
node script.js
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