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POD Order Processing Tool

A web-based application that processes Excel files containing order information and converts them into a standardized CSV format for POD processing. Uploading the PBS file to the Hachette SFTP will force the download of the invoice and packing documents.

Features

- Excel file upload and processing
- Interactive data preview table
- Row deletion (single or multiple)
- Standardized CSV output format
- Automatic courier service name standardization
- Line number generation
- Tracking reference generation

Input Format

The tool expects an Excel file (.xlsx or .xls) with the following columns:

- Reference
- ISBN
- Quantity
- Courier The Excel is downloaded from the following report in PACE Search for the order/reference number http://192.168.10.251/epace/company:c001/inquiry/UserDefinedInquiry/view/5284?

Output Format

Generates a CSV file named T1.M{reference}.PBS with the following format:

reference, line_number, isbn, date, courier, quantity, status, tracking_reference

Field Formatting

- Line Numbers: Zero-padded 5-digit numbers (e.g., "00001")
- Date: Fixed format DDMMYYYY
- Courier: Standardized names
 - \circ "DPD DPD" \rightarrow "DPD"
 - "DHL DHL Express" → "DHL Exp"
 - "Royal Mail ROYAL M" → "ROYAL M"
- Status: Always set to "1"
- Tracking Reference: Format %0SL30HE1550 + random numbers
- Quantity: Defaults to "1" if not specified

Usage

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- 1. Open the application in a web browser
- 2. Click "Choose File" to select your Excel file
- 3. Review the processed data in the preview table
- 4. Use the checkboxes and delete buttons to remove any unwanted rows
- 5. Click "Download CSV" to generate and download the formatted CSV file

Setup

The application requires the following dependencies (included via CDN):

- Bootstrap 5.3.2
- XLSX.js 0.18.5
- Font Awesome 6.4.0