

Import Export Manager for nopCommerce

Plugin Documentation

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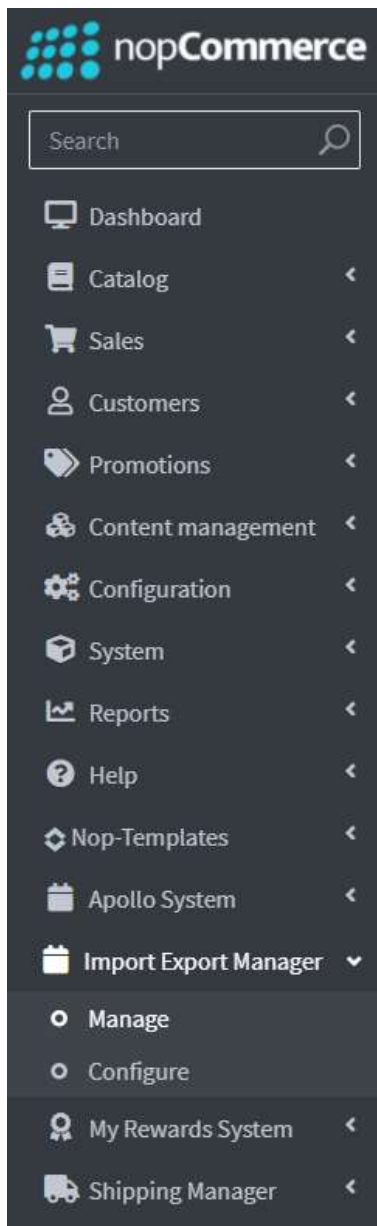
This plugin allows you to:

- Export and Import Products - Including Product Attribute Combinations in Multiline Product Format
- Export and Import Customers - In Flat File Customer Format
- Export and Import Orders - In both Flat File Order Format and Multiline Order Format
- Export and Import Categories - In Flat File Order Format

Administration

Admin View

The backend Administration has several new pages for managing the Setup of Accommodation Availabilities as well as Managing and Reporting on Accommodation Booking Orders or Reservations.



Menu Options

A new Plugin menu is added as part of the Installation.

Under this menu option there are 2 new functions

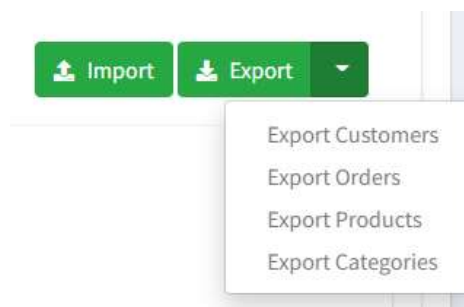
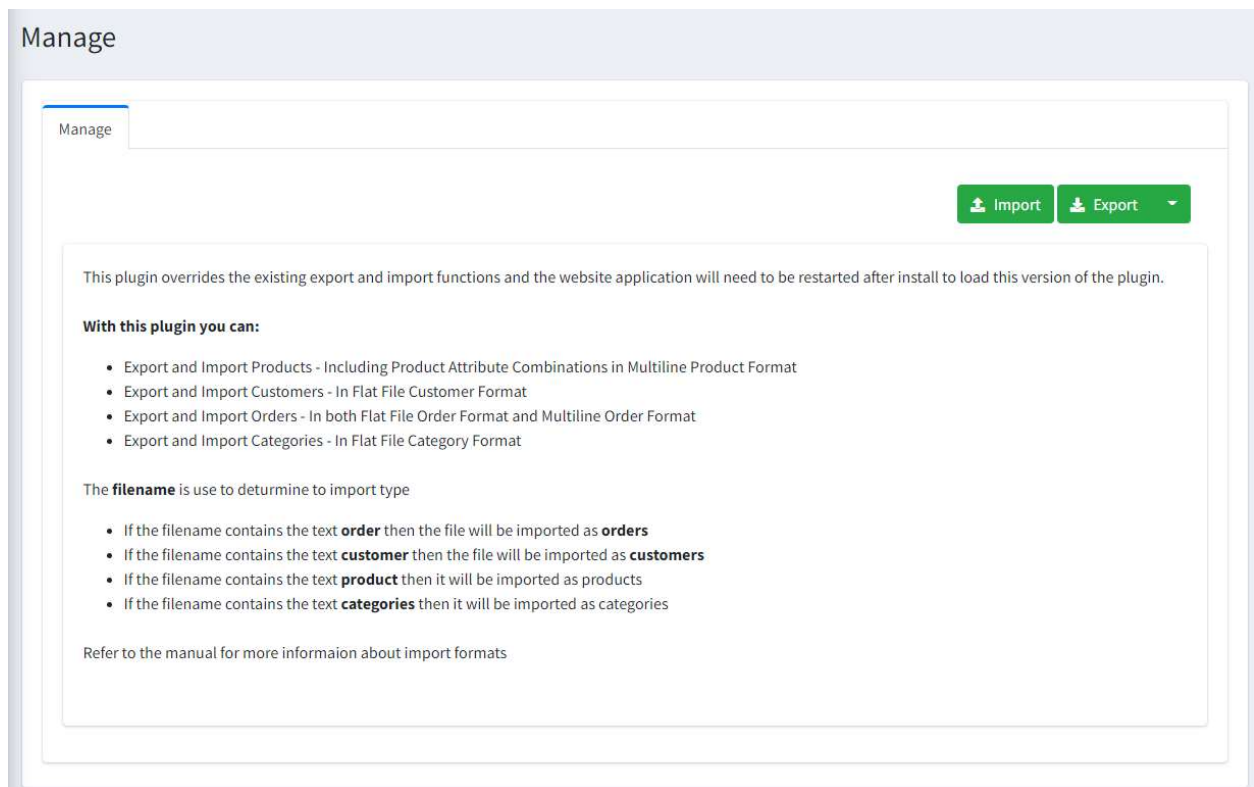
Manage – Accommodation Management Calendar

Displays the Calendar which allows the creation and management of accommodation availabilities displayed in the Store View Calendar

Configure – Allows you to manage the settings for the plugin

Note: Depending on which modules have been purchased and which Options have been configured then only the menu items configured in the associated setup in configuration will be displayed

Manage

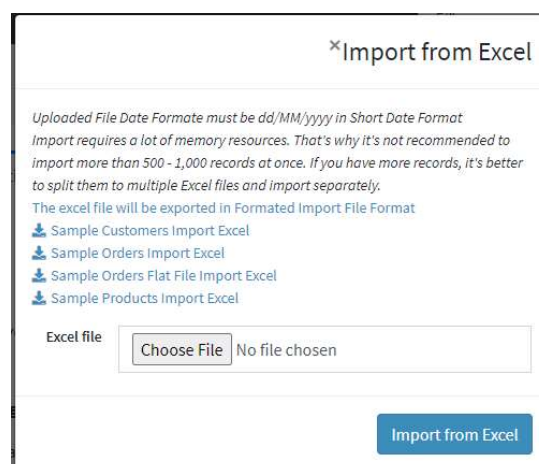


Importing Entities

The import type will be based on the filename

- If the filename contains "customer" then the file will be imported as Customers
- If the filename contains "order" then the file will be imported as Orders
- If the filename contains "product" then the file will be imported as Products

See the template files located in the \SampleFiles directory



There are 5 sample Import Files

[Sample Customers Import Excel](#)

[Sample Orders Import Excel](#)

[Sample Orders Flat File Import Excel](#)

[Sample Products Import Excel](#)

[Sample Category Import Excel](#)

Exporting Entities

Clicking Export then select the Entity Type

- Export product – All products will be exported
- Export orders – All orders will be exported
- Export customers – All customers will be exported
- Export categories – All categories will be exported

Note: The functions will export all entities that are found. In the case when you want to only export a selected product, category, customer or order use the standard export provided on the respective pages in Admin

Export Customers in Flat File Format

The exported format is similar to the current format with a number of additional attribute columns.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
1	Customer	CustomerGuid	Email	Username	Password	Password	Password	IsTaxExen	AffiliateId	Vendor	Active	CustomerRoles
2	5	a461a965-d45f-4456-bad5-aeefd173216b	arthur_holmes@nopCommerce.com	arthur_holmes@nopCommerce.com	123456	Clear		FALSE	0		TRUE	Registered
3	6	83494265-fb3d-4dcc-9b58-5536a9a704c1	james_pan@nopCommerce.com	james_pan@nopCommerce.com	123456	Clear		FALSE	0		TRUE	Registered, Coordinat
4	7	ed59cd36-829a-4273-9297-d099120a5fbc	brenda_lindgren@nopCommerce.com	brenda_lindgren@nopCommerce.com	123456	Clear		FALSE	0		TRUE	Registered
5	8	77e9f301-700c-42ea-bd15-d73cfe30c07a	victoria_victoria@nopCommerce.com	victoria_victoria@nopCommerce.com	123456	Clear		FALSE	0		TRUE	Registered

See the Sample Files Included in the Zip Package for the full details of the export

Export Orders in Multiline Order Format

The exported format is similar to the current format with a number of additional attribute columns.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
1	Orderid	StoreId	OrderGuid	Customer	OrderStat	Payments	Shipping	OrderSub	OrderSub	OrderSub	OrderSub	OrderSub
2	7085	1	2f16725c-f327-4812-80bd-8c8a2287843a	1	30	30	10	30	27.27	0		
3			Name	Sku	PriceExcIT	PriceIncIT	Quantity	DiscountE	DiscountH	TotalExcIT	TotalIncITax	
4			Nike SB Zoom Stefan Janoski "Medium Mint"	NK_ZSJ_M	27.2727	30	1	0	0	27.2727	30	
5	7083	1	fdd86479-0b4f-4471-9545-a36ca827f6ea	18178	10	10	10	30	27.27	0		
6			Name	Sku	PriceExcIT	PriceIncIT	Quantity	DiscountE	DiscountH	TotalExcIT	TotalIncITax	
7			Nike SB Zoom Stefan Janoski "Medium Mint"	NK_ZSJ_M	27.2727	30	1	0	0	27.2727	30	
8	7082	1	bc8fce22-5c60-40f2-8701-148874c2e09a	17	20	30	20	27	24.55	0		
9			Name	Sku	PriceExcIT	PriceIncIT	Quantity	DiscountE	DiscountH	TotalExcIT	TotalIncITax	
10			Fahrenheit 451 by Ray Bradbury	FR_451_RI	24.5455	27	1	0	0	24.5455	27	

See the Sample Files Included in the Zip Package for the full details of the export

Export Products in Multiline Product Format

The exported format is similar to the current format with a number of additional attribute columns. It also incorporates an addition section for Attribute Combinations at the bottom

1	2	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	
1		ProductId	ProductType	ParentGroup	ProductId	VisibleIndividually	Name	ShortDescription	FullDescription	Vendor	ProductTemplate	DisplayOrder	MetaKeywords	MetaDesc
2		24	Simple Product	0	TRUE	Nike Floral	When you ran across	<p>Each Rosh Run is per		Simple product	0			
3		AttributeId	AttributeName	Attribute	AttributesRequire	AttributeControlType	AttributeDisplayOrder	ProductAttributeValueId	ValueName	AttributeValueType	Associate			
4		8	Size		TRUE	Dropdown List	0	13	8	Simple	0			
5		8	Size		TRUE	Dropdown List	0	14	9	Simple	0			
6		8	Size		TRUE	Dropdown List	0	15	10	Simple	0			
7		8	Size		TRUE	Dropdown List	0	16	11	Simple	0			
8		1	Color		TRUE	Dropdown List	0	17	White/Blue	Simple	0			
9		1	Color		TRUE	Dropdown List	0	18	White/Black	Simple	0			
10		2	Print		TRUE	Image Squares	0	19	Natural	Simple	0			
11		2	Print		TRUE	Image Squares	0	20	Fresh	Simple	0			
12		AttributeType	SpecificationAttrib	CustomVa	SpecificationAttrib	AllowFiltering	ShowOnProductPage	DisplayOrder						
13		Option	Color		14	TRUE	FALSE	1						
14		AttributesXml	Id	ProductId	StockQuantity	AllowOutOfStockOrder	Sku	ManufacturerPartNumber	Gtin	OverriddenPrice	NotifyAd			
15		Size: 8 Color: White/Blue Pri	1	24	10	FALSE	20	30	40	0	1			
16		Size: 8 Color: White/Blue Pri	2	24	11	FALSE	21	31	41	0	1			
17		Size: 8 Color: White/Black Pr	3	24	12	FALSE	22	32	42	0	1			
18		Size: 8 Color: White/Black Pr	4	24	13	FALSE	23	33	43	0	1			
19		Size: 9 Color: White/Blue Pri	5	24	14	FALSE	24	34	44	0	1			
20		Size: 9 Color: White/Blue Pri	6	24	15	FALSE	25	35	45	0	1			
21		Size: 9 Color: White/Black Pr	7	24	16	FALSE	26	36	46	0	1			
22		Size: 9 Color: White/Black Pr	8	24	17	FALSE	27	37	47	0	1			
23		Size: 10 Color: White/Blue Pri	9	24	18	FALSE	28	38	48	0	1			
24		Size: 10 Color: White/Blue Pri	10	24	19	FALSE	29	39	49	0	1			
25		Size: 10 Color: White/Black F	11	24	20	FALSE	30	40	50	0	1			
26		Size: 10 Color: White/Black F	12	24	21	FALSE	31	41	51	0	1			
27		Size: 11 Color: White/Blue Pri	13	24	22	FALSE	32	42	52	0	1			
28		Size: 11 Color: White/Blue Pri	14	24	23	FALSE	33	43	53	0	1			
29		Size: 11 Color: White/Black F	15	24	24	FALSE	34	44	54	0	1			
30		Size: 11 Color: White/Black F	16	24	25	FALSE	35	45	55	0	1			

Export Categories in Flat File Format

The exported format is similar to the current format with a number of additional attribute columns.

1	2	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
1		Id	Name	Descriptive Category	MetaKeywords	MetaDesc	MetaTitle	SeName	ParentCat	ParentCategoryN	Picture	PageSize	PriceRang	Price	
2		1	Computer	1 Computers			computer	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
3		2	Desktops	1 Desktops			desktops	1 Computers			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
4		3	Notebook	1 Notebooks			notebook	1 Computers			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
5		4	Software	1 Software			software	1 Computers			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
6		5	Electronic	1 Electronics			electronic	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
7		6	Camera &	1 Camera & photo			camera-pl	5 Electronics			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
8		7	Cell phone	1 Cell phones			cell-phon	5 Electronics			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
9		8	Others	1 Others			others	5 Electronics			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
10		9	Apparel	1 Apparel			apparel	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
11		10	Shoes	1 Shoes			shoes	9 Apparel			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
12		11	Clothing	1 Clothing			clothing	9 Apparel			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
13		12	Accessori	1 Accessories			accessorie	9 Apparel			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
14		13	Digital do	1 Digital downloads			digital-do	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		
15		14	Books	1 Books, Dictionary, Textbo	Books cat		books	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
16		15	Jewelry	1 Jewelry			jewelry	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	TRUE		
17		16	Gift Cards	1 Gift Cards			gift-cards	0			M:\Production\nopCommerce	6	FALSE		

See the Sample Files Included in the Zip Package for the full details of the export

Import Customers, Order, Products and Categories

The above formats are also used for the import of customers, orders, products and category data.

It is possible to export and change a few values then re-import the files.

Alternatively there are a number of methods for importing some entities.

Import Orders

There are two methods for importing orders:

- Import Orders in Multiline File Format
- Import Orders in Flat File Format

Import Orders in Multiline File Format

Multiline format is the format created when exporting orders. This format can be used to:

1. Edit orders that already exist and you want to update or change the details.
 - Using this process you can export existing orders make some changes and then directly import again.
 - The OrderId cannot be changed when using this function.
2. Create new orders
 - This format can be used to import and create new orders.
 - In this case you need to leave the OrderId blank.
 - There is also another field called CustomOrderNumber – this field can be used to set the order number with a custom order number.

Each order requires to be linked to a customer. If the customer Id is known it can be entered. Otherwise the field can be left blank and the Billing Email address will be used to find the customer.

If a customer cannot be found the respective order will not be imported.

Import Orders in Flat File Format

This is an additional format option for importing orders from external systems where the file format is flat.

- See the Sample Files Included in the Zip Package for the full details of the import file
- Each line represents one order or a series of order, order item – product

In this mode it is possible to import orders with a custom order number and set the customer order number.

- In this mode the OrderId number entered is stored as the Customer Order Number
- See the Sample Order Flat File Template which is setup to import order 1000 and 1001

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X
1	OrderId	StoreId	OrderGuid	CustomerId	OrderStatusId	PaymentStatusId	ShippingStatusId	Or	Oi	Or	O	O	O	P	P	TaxRates	OrderTax	OrderTotal	Refunded	OrderDiscount	CurrencyRate	CustomerCurrencyCode	AffiliateId	PaymentMethodSystemName
2	1000	1			10	10	10											63			1 AUD			Payments.CheckMoneyOrder
3	1000	1			10	10	10											63			1 AUD			Payments.CheckMoneyOrder
4	1000	1			10	10	10											63			1 AUD			Payments.CheckMoneyOrder
5	1001	1			10	10	10											40			1 AUD			Payments.CheckMoneyOrder
6	1001	1			10	10	10											40			1 AUD			Payments.CheckMoneyOrder

In addition each line can contain product information which is used to create the order line items linked to an order

BG	BH	BI
ProductSKU	ProductQuantity	ProductPrice
PRIDE_PRJ	1	24
FR_451_RB	1	27
Courier	1	12
NK_ZSJ_MM	1	30
Australia post	1	10

In the Sample Order Flat File Template it is setup to import:

- Order 1000 will be imported with 2 product order line items for SKU PRIDE_PRJ and FR_451_RB
It will also use the Courier Product to adjust the shipping cost to \$12
- Order 1001 will be imported with 1 product order line items for SKU NK_ZSJ_MM
It will also use the Australia Post Product to adjust the shipping cost to \$10

The values for the order line-item prices are calculated by reading the values from an existing product.

Thus all products to be imported must exist in the system.

From the example shown there must be a product with and SKU: PRIDE_PRJ and FR_451_RB and NK_ZSJ_MM

Order Shipping

Products can also include types of shipping which are used to adjust the Order Shipping costs.

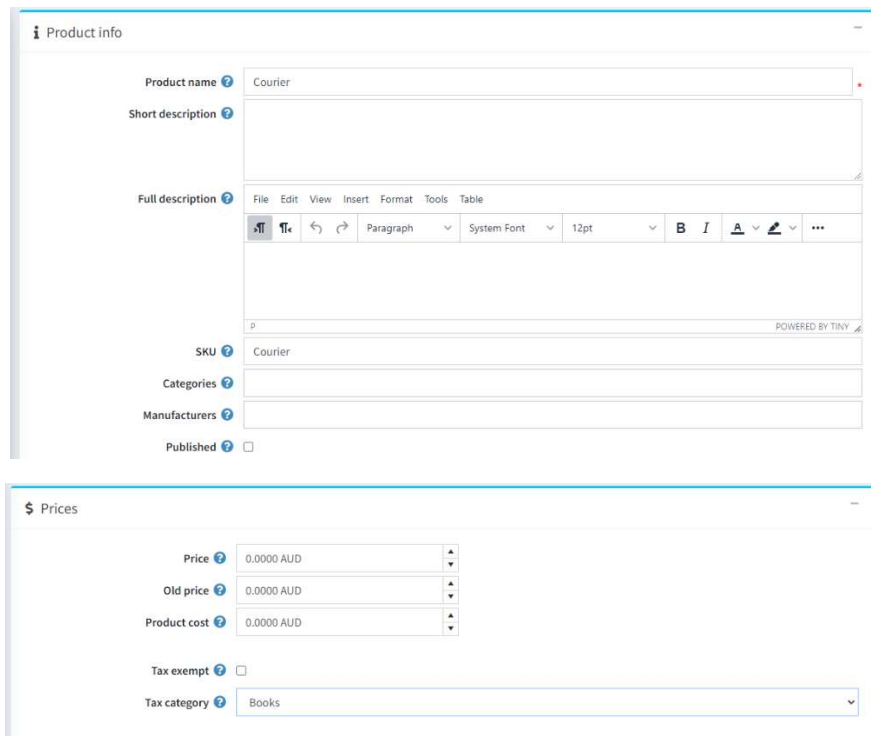
In this case there must also be a product setup with the default values set including the Tax type if product, shipping and total prices include Tax.

For example:

- Courier
- Australia Post
- Express Post

See the following product setup as an example of a shipping product setup with the Tax type

Note: Shipping Products must be defined in the Shipping Products List in Configuration. See Configuration below



Product info

Product name

Short description

Full description

SKU

Categories

Manufacturers

Published ☐

\$ Prices

Price

Old price

Product cost

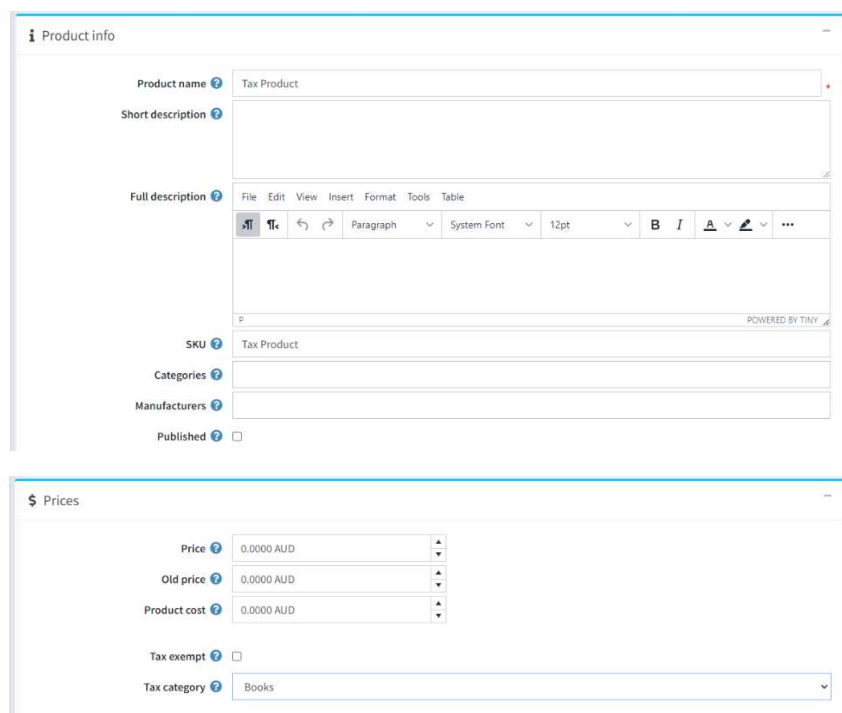
Tax exempt ☐

Tax category

In this case the Tax amount normally applied to Products with Tax Category “Books” will be applied to the order shipping amount to be imported for the order to be created

Order Tax

If you wish to calculate tax correctly for an order setup a Product with name “Tax Product” which is configured with the correct tax setting as follows:



Product info

Product name

Short description

Full description

SKU

Categories

Manufacturers

Published ☐

\$ Prices

Price

Old price

Product cost

Tax exempt ☐

Tax category

In this case the Tax amount normally applied to Products with Tax Category “Books” will be applied to products to be imported for the order to be created

Note:

1. These Setup products are only required if using the Order Flat File Import method
2. If the “Tax Product” product does not exist then it will be created with default values which means tax may not be calculated correctly.

Entity Customer Import Types

Country

The Customer, Shipping and Billing Country can be either:

- The Id of a current Country entity
- The Letter Abbreviation
- The Full Entity Name

State Province

The Customer, Shipping and Billing State can be either:

- The Id of a current StateProvince Entity
- The Letter Abbreviation
- The Full Entity Name

Customer, Shipping and Billing attributes

Can be entered in the form

Attribute:Value;Attribute:Value;Attribute:Value;

Where:

- Attribute is the Attribute Name defined in nopCommerce
- Value is the value to be imported and associated with the attribute value

For example:

You can create a Custom Customer Attribute called Customer Number and a Custom Customer Attribute called Mobile Number and then enter the values in the excel file as follows

Customer Number:1017;Mobile Number:0449 847 866

Installing the Plugin

The zip package supplied can be uploaded and installed using the “Upload plugin or theme” button on the Configuration > plugins page.

Refer to Then the installation of the plugin follows the standard nopCommerce procedure.

See <https://docs.nopcommerce.com/user-guide/configuring/system/plugins.html>

Alternatively, you can manually install the plugin:

1. Copy the Plugin to the correct directory
2. Restart the Application – Click the Icon in the top

Once installed the you can configure the plugin.

Configure Settings

The settings for the plugin can be set using the configure page.

Configure - Import Export Manager [back to plugin list](#)

Plugin Configuration

This plugin overrides the existing export and import functions and the website application will need to be restarted after install to load this version of the plugin.

Plugin Enabled ☒

Test Mode Enabled ☒

Shipping Products List

Public Key

Private Key

[Save](#)

To setup the plugin or define the options open the config page in the Menu then click the required function checkbox. After entering the settings click **Save**.

Enable

Click to enable the Plugin

Test Mode

If any problems are encountered using the plugin you can turn on Test Mode and message will be placed in the Log file to enable the functions to be tracked.

Shipping Products List

The shipping products list is used when importing order using the Order Flat File Format. A list of Products can be entered which relates to the various shipping methods setup in the Import file.

Note: This is only used for **Flat File Order Imports** and not used for **Multiline Order Import**.

Purchased Licence Keys

When you first install the plugin Demonstration keys will be automatically generated. The plugin can be operated in demo mode for 14 days.

The purchase licence keys will be provided via email normally within 1 day after purchase. The purchase licence keys can then be entered as follows:

Public Key

This is the plugin licence public key provided. When you first install the plugin a Demonstration key will be saved. Change this value to the Public key supplied in the email when received.

Private Key

This is the plugin licence public key provided. When you first install the plugin a Demonstration key will be saved. Change this value to the Private key supplied in the email when received.

Demo Websites

To view the plugin operation or refer to the respective demo websites

<http://v45demo.selectsystems.com.au/>

<http://v44demo.selectsystems.com.au/>

Contact Us

If you have any more questions or would like to make suggestions on how to make the plugin operations more functional, please email: sales@selectsystems.com.au