



USER GUIDE

# Ajax CSV Product Import



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## 1. Introduction to Ajax CSV Product Import

**Prestashop Ajax CSV Product Import** is an Ajax-based plugin which enhances the performance of the default Prestashop CSV import. Now with the help of the Ajax technology you will be able to import big lists of products without having server timeout issues.

### Key features:

- Import unlimited number of products at once without having the max\_execution\_time errors;
- Improved import for features;
- Enhanced error processing system: all products which failed to be imported are saved into a separate CSV file. Later you can use this file to fix the errors and import only failed products;
- Global variables feature will let you easily assign a specific value for the whole column at once;
- Import direct discount price;
- Import stickers' IDs for the Prestashop Stickers Pro module;
- Support for regional symbols and characters.

### Overall Information:

**Ajax CSV Product Import** is an improved and enhanced version of the default Prestashop CSV Import functionality, which combines the simplicity of use of the standard version with the advantages of the Ajax technology.

The module solves the major problem of importing big product lists, so now you can import as many products you want and do not have any server timeout errors.

In case any error occurs during the import process, the module will skip the failed products and will continue importing other items. All failed products will be saved into a separate CSV file, so you can later fix the errors and import again only those products, which failed during the previous import.

Use Global Variables feature to assign a specific value for the whole column at once.

The new Feature Import will let you easily assign and import product features right from a single CSV file. The images names now also support regional characters and symbols, so you will no longer have any problems with importing products which contain specific symbols in their images names.

## 2. How to Install and Deactivate

### How to Install

1. Set 777 or 0777 on the folders: '/modules/'

**Important! Change all permissions back after installation.**

2. Go to **Modules** -> **Add a module from my computer** -> choose the file (.zip) -> upload this module. Choose module in section **Front Office Features** and install it.

3. Go to **Advanced Parameters** -> **Performance** -> click the **Clear Smarty Cache** button

### How to Deactivate

Click the button **Disable** in **Modules** -> **Front Office Features**.

To remove the extension form the server, press **Delete** in **Modules** -> **Front Office Features**.

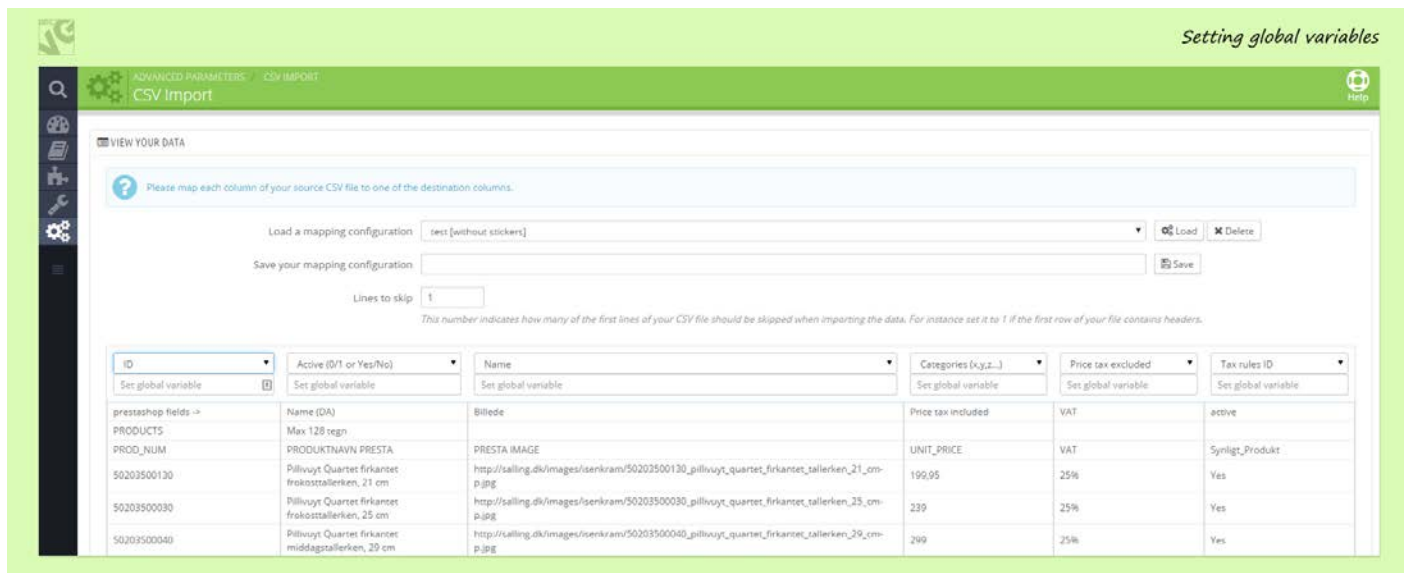
### 3. How to Configure and Use

The module does not require any additional configuration after the installation. As soon as the extension is installed and enabled you can use all the new features and enjoy the enhanced performance of the Prestashop CSV Import. Let's see what new features are available.

#### Setting global variables

Log into the admin panel and go to **Advanced Parameters – CSV Import** – select the necessary CSV product file and click Next.

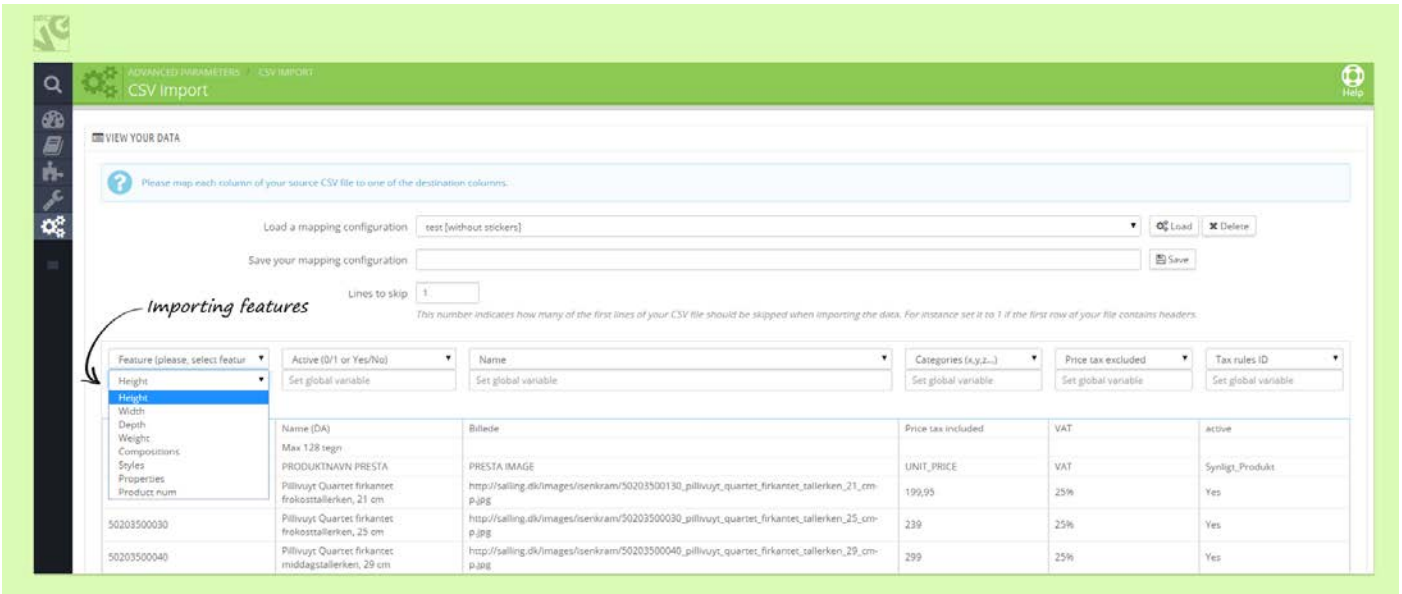
You will see that a new *Global Variable* field has been added to the default import view.



Any variable you enter into that field will be automatically assigned for all records in that column. This way you can easily set, for example, a certain manufacturer for the whole list of products.

#### Advanced import for features

Once you select *Feature* in the dropdown list you will see a new menu appear below with a list of all available features. This way you can easily assign the whole column as a specific product feature.



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Please map each column of your source CSV file to one of the destination columns.

Load a mapping configuration: test [without stickers] [Load] [Delete]

Save your mapping configuration: [Save]

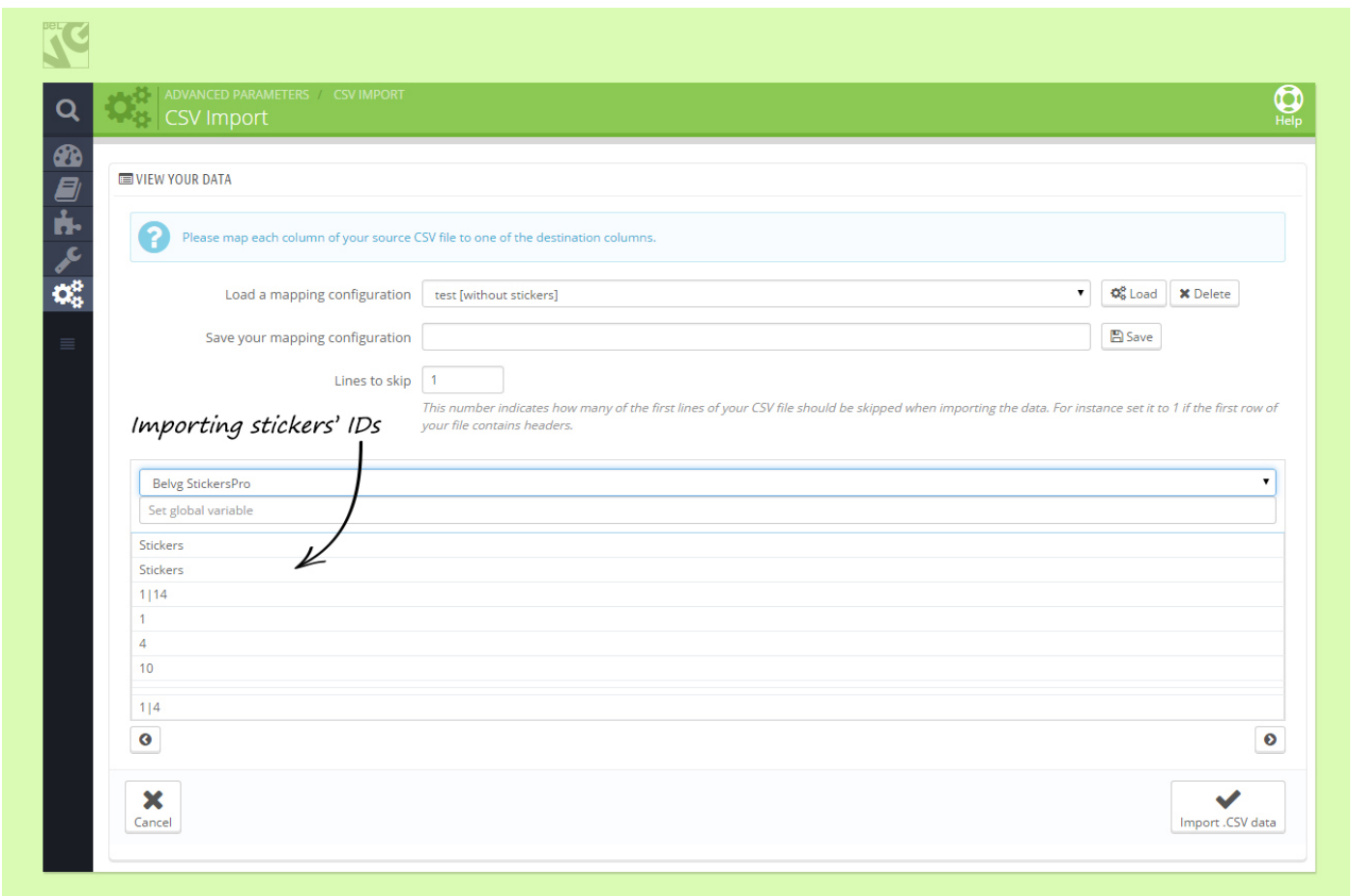
Lines to skip: 1  
This number indicates how many of the first lines of your CSV file should be skipped when importing the data. For instance set it to 1 if the first row of your file contains headers.

**Importing features**

Feature (please, select featur	Active (0/1 or Yes/No)	Name	Categories (x,y,z...)	Price tax excluded	Tax rules ID	
Height	Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable	
Width						
Depth						
Weight						
Compositions						
Styles						
Properties						
Product num						
50203500030		Pillivuyt Quarter firkanzet frokostallerken, 21 cm	http://salling.dk/images/seo/ram/50203500130_pillivuyt_quarter_firkanzet_sallerken_21_cm-P.jpg	199,95	25%	Yes
50203500040		Pillivuyt Quarter firkanzet frokostallerken, 25 cm	http://salling.dk/images/seo/ram/50203500030_pillivuyt_quarter_firkanzet_sallerken_25_cm-P.jpg	239	25%	Yes
		Pillivuyt Quarter firkanzet middagstallerken, 29 cm	http://salling.dk/images/seo/ram/50203500040_pillivuyt_quarter_firkanzet_sallerken_29_cm-P.jpg	299	25%	Yes

## Importing stickers' IDs

The module lets you import a list of ID's for the BelVG Stickers Pro module.



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**Importing stickers' IDs**

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Set global variable

Stickers

Stickers

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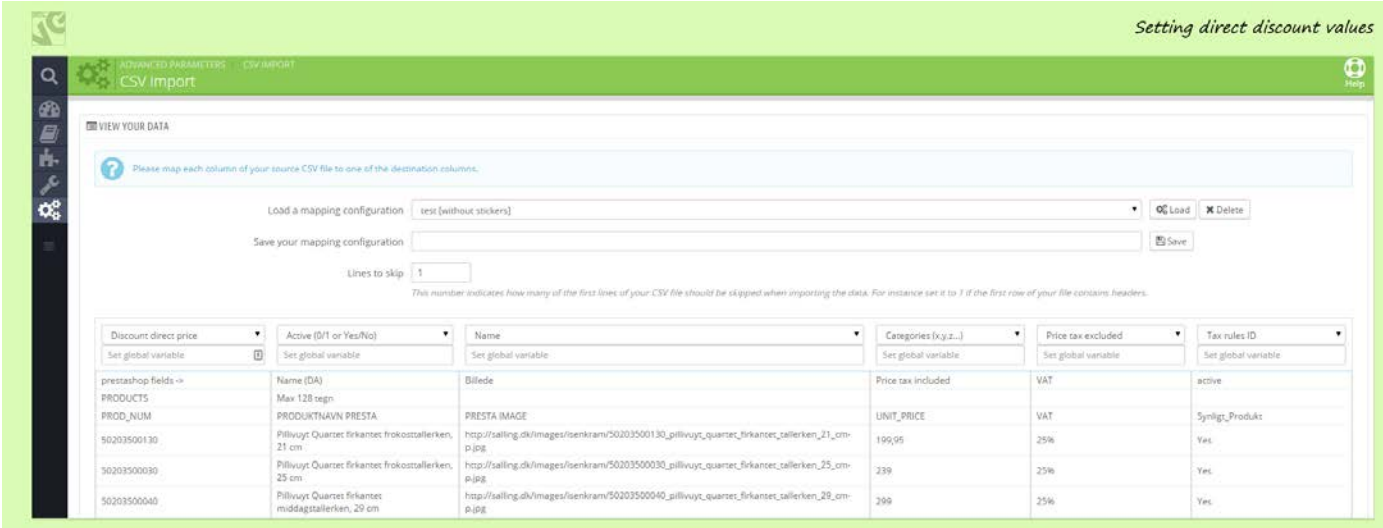
1|4

[Cancel] [Import .CSV data]

Then you will be able to use these IDs for any product, so the stickers associated with those IDs will be automatically displayed for that product.

## Setting direct discount values

This feature allows you set a specific price for a list of products. The difference between the new price and the original price will be displayed as the discount amount on the product page.



*Setting direct discount values*

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Save your mapping configuration [Save]

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Discount direct price	Active (Y/N or Yes/No)	Name	Categories (x,y,z...)	Price tax excluded	Tax rules ID
Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable	Set global variable
prestashop-fields ->	Name (DA)	Billed	Price tax included	VAT	active
PRODUCT5	Max 118 tegn	PRESTA IMAGE			
PROD_NUM	PRODUKTNAVN PRESTA	PRESTA IMAGE	UNIT_PRICE	VAT	Synligt_Produkt
50203500130	Pillivuyt Quartet firkanter frokosttallerken, 21 cm	http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50203500130_pillivuyt_quartet_firkantet_tallerken_21_cm-p.jpg	199,95	25%	Yes
50203500030	Pillivuyt Quartet firkanter frokosttallerken, 25 cm	http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50203500030_pillivuyt_quartet_firkantet_tallerken_25_cm-p.jpg	239	25%	Yes
50203500040	Pillivuyt Quartet firkanter middagstallerken, 29 cm	http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50203500040_pillivuyt_quartet_firkantet_tallerken_29_cm-p.jpg	299	25%	Yes

## Enhanced error processing system

The main advantage of the module is that it does not stop the importing process in case any errors occur. All failed products will be saved into a separate file, so you can easily fix the errors and import those products again.



Start...

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-----csv-line #0-----
0) reference: ; name:
1) reference: FIELD_4; name: PRESTA IMAGE
~~~ERROR~~~ (20140821023452-20140819150958-Jannie2-error_lines.csv): "Property Product->id_tax_rules_group is not valid"
-----csv-line #2-----
2) reference: 50203500130; name: http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50203500130_pillivuyt_quartet_firkantet_tallerken_21_cm-p.jpg
Please check line with this item, seems like there is some issue with category
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~~~ERROR~~~ (20140821023452-20140819150958-Jannie2-error_lines.csv): "Property Product->weight is not valid"
-----csv-line #4-----
4) reference: 50203500040; name: http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50203500040_pillivuyt_quartet_firkantet_tallerken_29_cm-p.jpg
Please check line with this item, seems like there is some issue with category
~~~ERROR~~~ (20140821023452-20140819150958-Jannie2-error_lines.csv): "Property Product->weight is not valid"
-----csv-line #6-----
6) reference: 50001201950; name: http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50001201950_pillivuyt_rektangulaert_fad_26x14_cm-p.jpg
Please check line with this item, seems like there is some issue with category
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~~~ERROR~~~ (20140821023452-20140819150958-Jannie2-error_lines.csv): "Property Product->weight is not valid"
-----csv-line #8-----
8) reference: 50203500075; name: http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50203500075_pillivuyt_quartet_smagstallerken_25_cm-p.jpg
Please check line with this item, seems like there is some issue with category
~~~ERROR~~~ (20140821023452-20140819150958-Jannie2-error_lines.csv): "Property Product->weight is not valid"
-----csv-line #10-----
10) reference: 50001201960; name: http://salling.dk/images/isenkram/50001201960_pillivuyt_ramekin_hoej_nr_1_2_3-p.jpg
Please check line with this item, seems like there is some issue with category
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~~~ERROR~~~ (20140821023452-20140819150958-Jannie2-error_lines.csv): "Property Product->depth is not valid"
-----csv-line #12-----

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*Errors are indicated below the table and failed products are saved into a separate file*

Do you have questions about extension configurations? [Contact us](#) and we will help you in a moment.



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