

AI Assistant Coding Assignment-3

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Task 1: AI-Generated Logic for Reading Consumer Details.

Use an AI tool (GitHub Copilot / Gemini) to generate a Python program that:

- **Reads:**
 - Previous Units (PU)
 - Current Units (CU)
 - Type of Customer
- **Calculates units consumed**
- **Implements logic directly in the main program (no functions)**

Prompt-1:

Generate a Python program (without using functions) to read:

- Previous Units (PU)
- Current Units (CU)
- Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial)

Validate inputs and calculate units consumed as:

$$\text{units_consumed} = \text{CU} - \text{PU}$$

Print all inputs and the calculated units consumed with clear labels.

Add comments explaining each step.

Prompt-2:

Improve the Python code by adding validation to ensure:

- Current units are greater than previous units
- Customer type input is case-insensitive

Keep all logic inside the main program and avoid functions.

Code:

```

1  # This script reads Previous Units (PU), Current Units (CU), and customer type,
2  # validates inputs, computes units_consumed = CU - PU, and prints values.
3  # No functions are used – the script is a straight-line program with loops for validation.
4
5  # Read and validate Previous Units (PU)
6  while True:
7      try:
8          pu_input = input("Enter Previous Units (PU): ").strip() # prompt user
9          PU = int(pu_input) # convert to integer
10         if PU < 0: # ensure non-negative
11             print("Previous Units must be zero or positive. Please try again.")
12             continue
13         break
14     except ValueError:
15         print("Invalid input for PU. Please enter a whole number (e.g., 120).")
16
17 # Read and validate Current Units (CU)
18 while True:
19     try:
20         cu_input = input("Enter Current Units (CU): ").strip() # prompt user
21         CU = int(cu_input) # convert to integer
22         if CU < 0: # ensure non-negative
23             print("Current Units must be zero or positive. Please try again.")
24             continue
25         if CU < PU: # ensure CU >= PU
26             print("Current Units cannot be less than Previous Units. Please re-enter.")
27             continue
28         break
29     except ValueError:
30         print("Invalid input for CU. Please enter a whole number (e.g., 250).")
31
32 # Read and validate Type of customer
33 # Accepts full names or single-letter abbreviations, case-insensitive.
34 valid_map = {
35     "domestic": "Domestic",
36     "d": "Domestic",
37     "commercial": "Commercial",
38     "c": "Commercial",
39     "industrial": "Industrial",

```

Output:

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PS C:\Users\Abhi\Documents\AI Assistant Coding> & C:/Users/Abhi/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python314/python.exe "c:/Users/Abhi/PycharmProjects/PythonLab3/Lab3.py"
Enter Previous Units (PU): 120
Enter Current Units (CU): 250
Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): Domestic

--- Meter Reading Summary ---
Previous Units (PU): 120
Current Units (CU): 250
Units Consumed : 130
Customer Type : Domestic
PS C:\Users\Abhi\Documents\AI Assistant Coding>
  
```

Explanation:

This task focuses on building a basic Python program (without functions) to read previous units, current units, and customer type. The AI-generated code correctly validates numeric inputs using loops and exception handling, ensuring current units are greater than previous units. Case-insensitive handling of customer type improves usability and robustness. The output clearly displays all inputs along with the calculated units consumed, demonstrating correct logic implementation.

Task 2: Energy Charges Calculation Based on Units Consumed

Review the AI-generated code from Task 1 and extend it to:

- **Calculate Energy Charges (EC)**
- **Use conditional statements based on:**
 - Domestic
 - Commercial
 - Industrial consumers
- • **Improve readability using AI prompts such as:**
 - “Simplify energy charge calculation logic”
 - “Optimize conditional statements”

Prompt-1:

Extend the existing Python program to calculate Energy Charges (EC) using conditional statements:

Domestic:

- First 100 units: ₹1.5/unit
- Above 100 units: ₹2.5/unit

Commercial:

- Flat rate ₹4.0/unit

Industrial:

- Flat rate ₹6.0/unit

Use if-elif-else statements and print the calculated EC.

Add meaningful comments.

Give few input examples for these

Prompt-2:

Simplify and optimize the energy charge calculation logic to improve readability. Ensure the conditional structure is clean and easy for students to understand.

Code:

```
61  # Task-2
62  # Reads Previous Units (PU), Current Units (CU), and customer type,
63  # validates inputs, computes units_consumed = CU - PU, calculates Energy Charges (EC),
64  # and prints all values. This is a straight-line script without functions.
65  |
66  # Read and validate Previous Units (PU)
67  while True:
68      try:
69          pu_input = input("Enter Previous Units (PU): ").strip()
70          PU = int(pu_input)
71          if PU < 0:
72              print("Previous Units must be zero or positive. Please try again.")
73              continue
74          break
75      except ValueError:
76          print("Invalid input for PU. Please enter a whole number (e.g., 120).")
77
78  # Read and validate Current Units (CU)
79  while True:
80      try:
81          cu_input = input("Enter Current Units (CU): ").strip()
82          CU = int(cu_input)
83          if CU < 0:
84              print("Current Units must be zero or positive. Please try again.")
85              continue
86          if CU < PU:
87              print("Current Units cannot be less than Previous Units. Please re-enter.")
88              continue
89          break
90      except ValueError:
91          print("Invalid input for CU. Please enter a whole number (e.g., 250).")
92
93  # Read and validate Type of customer
94  valid_map = {
95      "domestic": "Domestic",
96      "d": "Domestic",
97      "commercial": "Commercial",
98      "c": "Commercial",
99      "industrial": "Industrial",
100     "i": "Industrial"
```

```

102
103     while True:
104         cust_input = input("Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): ").strip().lower()
105         if cust_input in valid_map:
106             customer_type = valid_map[cust_input]
107             break
108         else:
109             print("Invalid customer type. Enter Domestic, Commercial, Industrial, or D/C/I.")
110
111     # Calculate units consumed
112     units_consumed = CU - PU # units_consumed = CU - PU
113
114     # Calculate Energy Charges (EC) using a clear if/elif/else structure
115     # Domestic: first 100 units @ 1.5/unit, remaining @ 2.5/unit
116     # Commercial: flat 4.0/unit
117     # Industrial: flat 6.0/unit
118
119     if customer_type == "Domestic":
120         # Compute domestic slab in two parts for clarity
121         first_slab_units = min(units_consumed, 100)                      # units up to 100
122         remaining_units = max(0, units_consumed - 100)                   # units above 100
123         EC = first_slab_units * 1.5 + remaining_units * 2.5
124     elif customer_type == "Commercial":
125         EC = units_consumed * 4.0
126     elif customer_type == "Industrial":
127         EC = units_consumed * 6.0
128     else:
129         # Fallback (should not occur because input is validated)
130         EC = 0.0
131
132     # Print all inputs and the calculated values
133     print("\n--- Meter Reading Summary ---")
134     print("Previous Units (PU):", PU)
135     print("Current Units (CU):", CU)
136     print("Units Consumed      :", units_consumed)
137     print("Customer Type       :", customer_type)
138     print("Energy Charges (EC) : ₹{:.2f}".format(EC))

```

Output:

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PS C:\Users\Abhi\Documents\AI Assistant Coding> & C:/Users/Abhi/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python314/python.exe
Lab3.py
 Enter Previous Units (PU): 0
 Enter Current Units (CU): 500
 Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): Commercial

--- Meter Reading Summary ---
 Previous Units (PU): 0
 Current Units (CU): 500
 Units Consumed : 500
 Customer Type : Commercial
 Energy Charges (EC) : ₹2000.00

Select End of Line

Explanation:

In this task, the program is extended to calculate energy charges using conditional statements based on customer type. The tariff rules for Domestic, Commercial, and Industrial consumers are implemented cleanly using **if-elif-else**, improving readability. The optimized logic separates unit slabs for domestic users while applying flat rates for others. Sample outputs confirm accurate charge calculation and proper branching.

Task 3: Modular Design Using AI Assistance (Using Functions)

Use AI assistance to generate a Python program that:

- **Uses user-defined functions to:**
 - Calculate Energy Charges
 - Calculate Fixed Charges
- **Returns calculated values**
- **Includes meaningful comments**

Prompt-1:

Rewrite the program using user-defined functions.

Create a function named `calculate_energy_charges(units, customer_type)` that returns the energy charges based on tariff rules.

Call the function from the main program.

Add proper comments and sample output printing.

Prompt-2:

Add another user-defined function named `calculate_fixed_charges(customer_type)` with the following logic:

Domestic: ₹50

Commercial: ₹100

Industrial: ₹150

Return the fixed charges and display them in the main program.
Include comments explaining function usage.

Code:

```
149 def calculate_energy_charges(units, customer_type):
150     """
151     Calculate and return energy charges (EC) based on tariff rules.
152     - Domestic: first 100 units @ ₹1.5/unit, remaining @ ₹2.5/unit
153     - Commercial: flat ₹4.0/unit
154     - Industrial: flat ₹6.0/unit
155
156     Parameters:
157     | units (int) : number of units consumed (>= 0)
158     | customer_type (str) : 'Domestic', 'Commercial', or 'Industrial' (case-insensitive)
159
160     Returns:
161     | float : calculated energy charges
162     """
163     ct = customer_type.strip().lower()
164     if ct == "domestic":
165         first_slab = min(units, 100)
166         remaining = max(0, units - 100)
167         return first_slab * 1.5 + remaining * 2.5
168     elif ct == "commercial":
169         return units * 4.0
170     elif ct == "industrial":
171         return units * 6.0
172     else:
173         return 0.0 # fallback (shouldn't occur with validated input)
174
175
176 # --- Main program starts here ---
177 if __name__ == "__main__":
178     # Read and validate Previous Units (PU)
179     while True:
180         try:
181             PU = int(input("Enter Previous Units (PU): ").strip())
182             if PU < 0:
183                 print("Previous Units must be zero or positive. Try again.")
184                 continue
185             break
186         except ValueError:
187             print("Invalid input for PU. Enter a whole number (e.g., 120).")
```

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205     |         print("Previous Units must be zero or positive. Try again.")
206     |         continue
207     |     break
208 except ValueError:
209     |     print("Invalid input for PU. Enter a whole number (e.g., 120).")
210
211 # Read and validate Current Units (CU)
212 while True:
213     try:
214         CU = int(input("Enter Current Units (CU): ").strip())
215         if CU < 0:
216             print("Current Units must be zero or positive. Try again.")
217             continue
218         if CU < PU:
219             print("Current Units cannot be less than Previous Units. Re-enter.")
220             continue
221         break
222     except ValueError:
223         print("Invalid input for CU. Enter a whole number (e.g., 250).")
224
225 # Read and validate Type of customer
226 valid_map = {
227     "domestic": "Domestic", "d": "Domestic",
228     "commercial": "Commercial", "c": "Commercial",
229     "industrial": "Industrial", "i": "Industrial"
230 }
231 while True:
232     raw = input("Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): ").strip().lower()
233     if raw in valid_map:
234         customer_type = valid_map[raw]
235         break
236     else:
237         print("Invalid customer type. Enter Domestic, Commercial, Industrial, or D/C/I.")
238
239 # Compute units consumed and charges using the functions
240 units_consumed = CU - PU
241 EC = calculate_energy_charges(units_consumed, customer_type)
242 FC = calculate_fixed_charges(customer_type)
243
244 # Print summary including Fixed Charges
245 print("\n--- Meter Reading Summary ---")
246 print("Previous Units (PU):", PU)
247 print("Current Units (CU):", CU)
248 print("Units Consumed      :", units_consumed)
249 print("Customer Type       :", customer_type)
250 print("Energy Charges (EC) : ₹{:.2f}".format(EC))
251 print("Fixed Charges (FC)  : ₹{:.2f}".format(float(FC)))
252 print("Total Payable       : ₹{:.2f}".format(EC + FC))
253

```

Output:

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PS C:\Users\Abhi\Documents\AI Assistant Coding> & C:/Users/Abhi/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python314/python.exe
/Users/Abhi/Documents/AI Assistant Coding/Lab3.py"
Enter Previous Units (PU): 100
Enter Current Units (CU): 180
Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): Domestic

--- Meter Reading Summary ---
Previous Units (PU): 100
Current Units (CU): 180
Units Consumed      : 80
Customer Type       : Domestic
Energy Charges (EC) : ₹120.00

```

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```
/Users/Abhi/Documents/AI Assistant Coding/Lab3.py"
Enter Previous Units (PU): 0
Enter Current Units (CU): 500
Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): Commercial

--- Meter Reading Summary ---
Previous Units (PU): 0
Current Units (CU): 500
Units Consumed      : 500
Customer Type       : Commercial
Energy Charges (EC) : ₹2000.00
Fixed Charges (FC)  : ₹100.00
Total Payable       : ₹2100.00
```

Explanation:

This task introduces modular programming by refactoring the earlier logic into user-defined functions. The `calculate_energy_charges()` and `calculate_fixed_charges()` functions encapsulate tariff logic, improving reusability and maintainability. Input validation remains in the main program, keeping responsibilities well separated. The output verifies that functions return correct values and integrate smoothly into the billing flow.

Task 4: Calculation of Additional Charges Scenario

Extend the program to calculate:

- FC – Fixed Charges
- CC – Customer Charges
- ED – Electricity Duty (percentage of EC)

Use AI prompts like:

- “Add electricity duty calculation”
- “Improve billing accuracy”

Prompt:

Extend the function-based electricity billing program to calculate:

- Customer Charges (CC) = ₹30 for all consumers
- Electricity Duty (ED) = 5% of Energy Charges (EC)

Print EC, FC, CC, and ED separately with proper formatting.

Add comments for billing accuracy.

Improve billing accuracy by formatting all monetary values to two decimal places. Ensure calculations are clear and correct.

Code:

```
# --- Main program starts here ---
if __name__ == "__main__":
    # Read and validate Previous Units (PU)
    while True:
        try:
            PU = int(input("Enter Previous Units (PU): ").strip())
            if PU < 0:
                print("Previous Units must be zero or positive. Try again.")
                continue
            break
        except ValueError:
            print("Invalid input for PU. Enter a whole number (e.g., 120).")

    # Read and validate Current Units (CU)
    while True:
        try:
            CU = int(input("Enter Current Units (CU): ").strip())
            if CU < 0:
                print("Current Units must be zero or positive. Try again.")
                continue
            if CU < PU:
                print("Current Units cannot be less than Previous Units. Re-enter.")
                continue
            break
        except ValueError:
            print("Invalid input for CU. Enter a whole number (e.g., 250).")

    # Read and validate Type of customer
    valid_map = {
        "domestic": "Domestic", "d": "Domestic",
        "commercial": "Commercial", "c": "Commercial",
        "industrial": "Industrial", "i": "Industrial"
    }
    while True:
        raw = input("Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): ").strip()
        if raw in valid_map:
            customer_type = valid_map[raw]
            break
        else:
```

Output:

```
PS C:\Users\Abhi\Documents\AI Assistant Coding & C:/Users/Abhi/AppData/Local/Programs  
/Users/Abhi/Documents/AI Assistant Coding/Assign 3.py"  
Enter Previous Units (PU): 400  
Enter Current Units (CU): 300  
Current Units cannot be less than Previous Units. Re-enter.  
Enter Current Units (CU): 500  
Enter Type of customer (Domestic / Commercial / Industrial): Commercial  
  
=====  
ELECTRICITY BILL - DETAILED BREAKDOWN  
=====  
Previous Units (PU)      : 400  
Current Units (CU)       : 500  
Units Consumed           : 100  
Customer Type            : Commercial  
  
-----  
Energy Charges (EC)     : ₹400.00  
Fixed Charges (FC)       : ₹100.00  
Customer Charges (CC)   : ₹30.00  
Electricity Duty (ED @ 5%): ₹20.00  
  
-----  
TOTAL PAYABLE AMOUNT    : ₹550.00  
=====
```

Explanation:

Here, the billing system is enhanced to include fixed charges, customer charges, and electricity duty. Electricity duty is correctly calculated as a percentage of energy charges, ensuring realistic billing accuracy. All monetary values are formatted to two decimal places, improving professional presentation. The output clearly lists each charge component, making the bill transparent and easy to verify.

Task 5: Final Bill Generation and Output Analysis

- Develop the final Python application to:
- Calculate total bill:
- $\text{Total Bill} = \text{EC} + \text{FC} + \text{CC} + \text{ED}$
- Display:
 - Energy Charges (EC)
 - Fixed Charges (FC)
 - Customer Charges (CC)
 - Electricity Duty (ED)
 - Total Bill Amount
- Analyze the program based on:
 - Accuracy
 - Readability
 - Real-world applicability

Prompt:

Now write python code for the following

Develop the final Python application to:

Calculate total bill:

Total Bill = EC + FC + CC + ED

- Display:
 - Energy Charges (EC)
 - Fixed Charges (FC)
 - Customer Charges (CC)
 - Electricity Duty (ED)
 - Total Bill Amount
- Analyze the program based on:
 - Accuracy
 - Readability
 - Real-world applicability

Code:

⊕ Assign 3.py > ...

```
416 def calculate_energy_charges(units, customer_type):
421     - Domestic      : ₹1.5/unit for first 100 units, ₹2.5/unit for remaining
422     - Commercial   : ₹4.0/unit (flat rate)
423     - Industrial   : ₹6.0/unit (flat rate)
424
425     Parameters:
426         units (int): Number of units consumed (non-negative)
427         customer_type (str): 'Domestic', 'Commercial', or 'Industrial'
428
429     Returns:
430         float: Energy charges in rupees (₹)
431
432     Accuracy Note: Uses slab calculation for domestic to ensure correct billing
433     """
434     ct = customer_type.strip().lower()
435
436     if ct == "domestic":
437         # Slab-based calculation for accuracy
438         first_slab = min(units, 100)          # First 100 units
439         remaining = max(0, units - 100)       # Units above 100
440         return first_slab * 1.5 + remaining * 2.5
441     elif ct == "commercial":
442         return units * 4.0
443     elif ct == "industrial":
444         return units * 6.0
445     else:
446         return 0.0 # Fallback (should not occur due to validation)
447
448
449 def calculate_fixed_charges(customer_type):
450     """
451     Calculate fixed charges (FC) based on customer type.
452     These are monthly service charges independent of consumption.
453
454     Fixed Charge Structure:
455     - Domestic      : ₹50
456     - Commercial   : ₹100
457     - Industrial   : ₹150
```

```
Assign 3.py > ...
527 def get_customer_type():
528     valid_map = {
529         "domestic": "Domestic", "d": "Domestic",
530         "commercial": "Commercial", "c": "Commercial",
531         "industrial": "Industrial", "i": "Industrial"
532     }
533
534
535
536
537     while True:
538         user_input = input("Enter Customer Type (Domestic/Commercial/Industrial or D/C/I): ")
539         if user_input in valid_map:
540             return valid_map[user_input]
541         else:
542             print("Invalid type. Enter Domestic, Commercial, Industrial, or D/C/I.")
543
544
545 # Main Program
546 if __name__ == "__main__":
547     print("*" * 60)
548     print("WELCOME TO ELECTRICITY BILLING SYSTEM")
549     print("*" * 60)
550
551 # Input validation
552 PU = get_validated_integer("Enter Previous Units (PU): ", min_value=0)
553 CU = get_validated_integer("Enter Current Units (CU): ", min_value=PU,
554                             compare_value=PU, compare_type='gte')
555 customer_type = get_customer_type()
556
557 # Calculate all billing components
558 units_consumed = CU - PU
559 EC = calculate_energy_charges(units_consumed, customer_type)
560 FC = calculate_fixed_charges(customer_type)
561 CC = calculate_customer_charges()
562 ED = calculate_electricity_duty(EC) # 5% of EC only
563
564 # Calculate total: EC + FC + CC + ED
565 total_bill = EC + FC + CC + ED
566
567 # Display detailed bill
568 display_bill(PU, CU, units_consumed, customer_type, EC, FC, CC, ED, total_bill)
```

Output:

```
PS C:\Users\Abhi\Documents\AI Assistant Coding & C:/Users/Abhi/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python39/Scripts/ /Users/Abhi/Documents/AI Assistant Coding/Assign 3.py
=====
          WELCOME TO ELECTRICITY BILLING SYSTEM
=====
Enter Previous Units (PU): 200
Enter Current Units (CU): 350
Enter Customer Type (Domestic/Commercial/Industrial or D/C/I): Domestic

=====
          ELECTRICITY BILL - DETAILED BREAKDOWN
=====

METER READING INFORMATION:
-----
Previous Units (PU)      :      200 units
Current Units (CU)       :      350 units
Units Consumed           :      150 units
Customer Type            :      Domestic

=====
BILLING DETAILS:
-----
Energy Charges (EC)      : ₹      275.00
Fixed Charges (FC)        : ₹      50.00
Customer Charges (CC)    : ₹      30.00
Electricity Duty (ED @ 5%): ₹      13.75

-----
TOTAL PAYABLE AMOUNT     : ₹      368.75
=====

Thank you for using our service!
```

Explanation:

The final task integrates all components to compute the total payable bill using the formula $EC + FC + CC + ED$. The program produces a detailed bill breakdown similar to real-world electricity invoices. Accuracy is ensured through validated inputs, structured functions, and precise formatting. Overall, the solution demonstrates strong readability, correctness, and practical applicability.