

Building Material Scoring System

Portfolio Project # 1





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This Python script provides a system for calculating scores based on different types of building materials used in a construction project. The script utilizes the Tkinter library for creating a simple graphical user interface (GUI) to upload a file containing building material data. After uploading the file, the script calculates scores for glass, recycled, stone, and wood materials, and then writes the results to a text file.

Prerequisites

- Python 3.x
- Tkinter library (usually included in Python standard library)

Usage

- 1. **Upload File**: Click the "Upload File" button to select a file containing building material data. The file should have a specific format where building materials are represented as codes (e.g., G10 for glass with a score of 10).
- View Results: Once the file is uploaded, the script calculates scores for each type of building
 material and the total score. The results are written to a text file named scoring-results.txt,
 which is saved in the datafiles directory.
- 3. **Result File**: The **scoring-results.txt** file contains a breakdown of scores for each material type as well as the total score.

File Format

- The input file should be a text file where each line represents a row in the building.
- Building materials are represented by codes:
 - **G**: Glass
 - R: Recycled
 - **S**: Stone
 - W: Wood
- The code is followed by a numerical value representing the score for that material.
- Materials in each row are separated by the pipe character (|).

Example of valid input:

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G10|R5|S8|W3 R12|G6|S4|W9 S7|W5|G3|R10

Note

 This script assumes that the input file follows the specified format. Any deviation from the format may result in incorrect results or errors.

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Code:
def read building(file path):
    with open(file path, 'r') as file:
        for line in file:
            row = line.strip().split('|')
            building.append(row)
            if die[0] == 'G':
                glass score += int(die[1:])
    recycled score = 0
    wood score = 0
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for die in row:
               wood score += int(die[1:])
def calculate total score(building):
   glass score = calculate glass score(building)
   wood score = calculate wood score(building)
   total score = glass score + recycled score + stone score + wood score
def write results(building, total score, file path):
       for row in building:
       file.write('\n')
       file.write('+----+\n')
\n'.format(calculate glass score(building)))
\n'.format(calculate_recycled_score(building)))
\n'.format(calculate stone score(building)))
       file.write('| wood | {:2d}
       file.write('+----+\n')
def upload file():
       file path = filedialog.askopenfilename()
       if file path:
           building = read building(file path)
               os.makedirs('datafiles')
           results file path = os.path.join('datafiles', 'scoring-
           write results(building, total score, results file path)
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print("An error occurred:", e)
finally:
    root.destroy() # Close the Tkinter application window after
uploading the file

root = tk.Tk()
root.title("File Upload")

upload_button = tk.Button(root, text="Upload File", command=upload_file)
upload_button.pack()
root.mainloop()
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File uploading Button:



Result:

