

PurrSearch - For Purr-fect Searches

PurrSearch is a powerful application designed to search for specific text within files in a selected folder, including its subfolders. It supports multiple file types such as `.txt`, `.rtf`, `.xls`, `.doc`, `.dot`, `.docx`, `.docm`, `.xlsx`, `.pdf`, and `.vsdx`.

Features

- Search text in a chosen folder and its subfolders.
- Support for various file formats.
- Browse search history or clear it.
- Export search results to an Excel file.
- Options to open files or file paths directly from the search results.

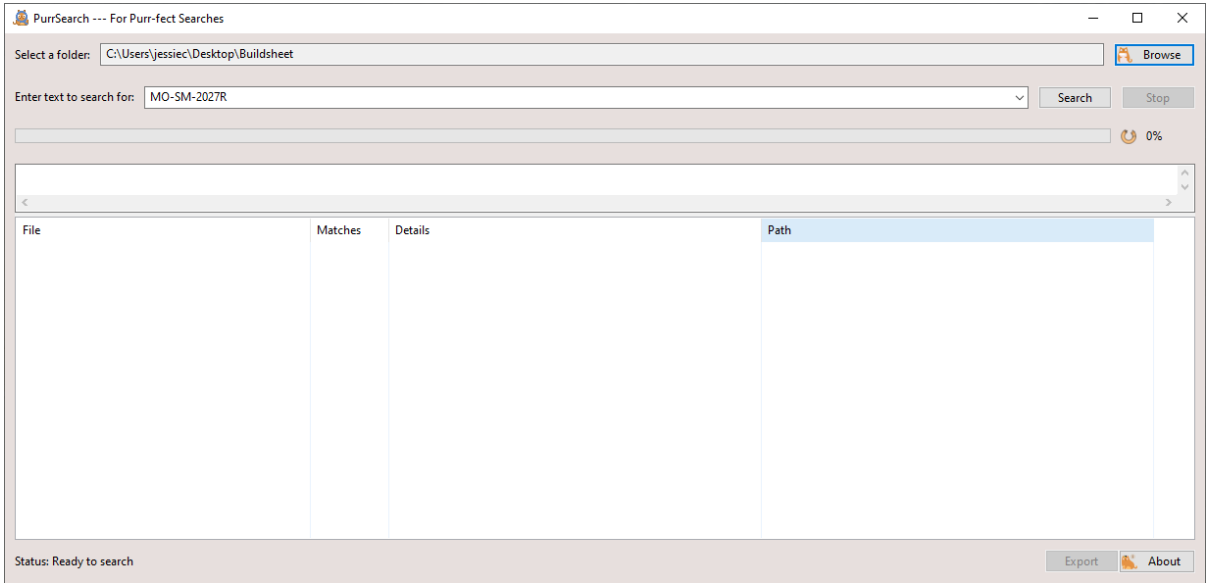
Installation & Usage

Installation

- Download**
Download the latest version of **PurrSearch.exe** from the following link:
[Download PurrSearch v3.9.5](#)
- Start the Application**
Double-click the downloaded file to start the app.

Instructions

- Search Path and Term History**
 - On startup, the app will display the latest search path and term.
 - For first-time users, these fields will be blank.

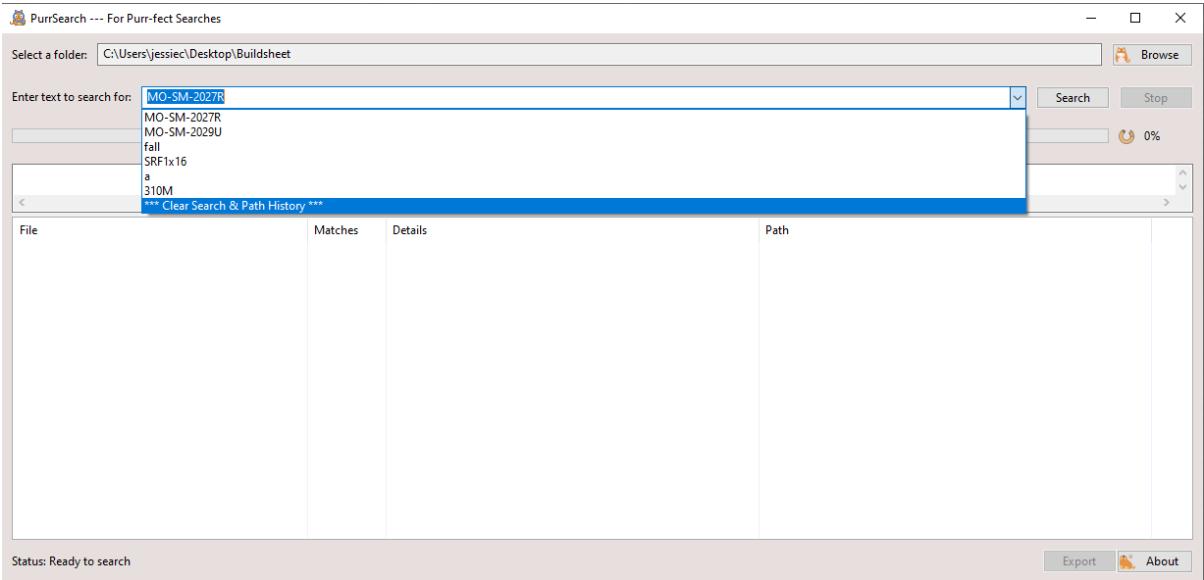


2. Choosing a Folder

- Click the **Browse** button to select a folder for the search.
- Subfolders within the selected folder will be included automatically.

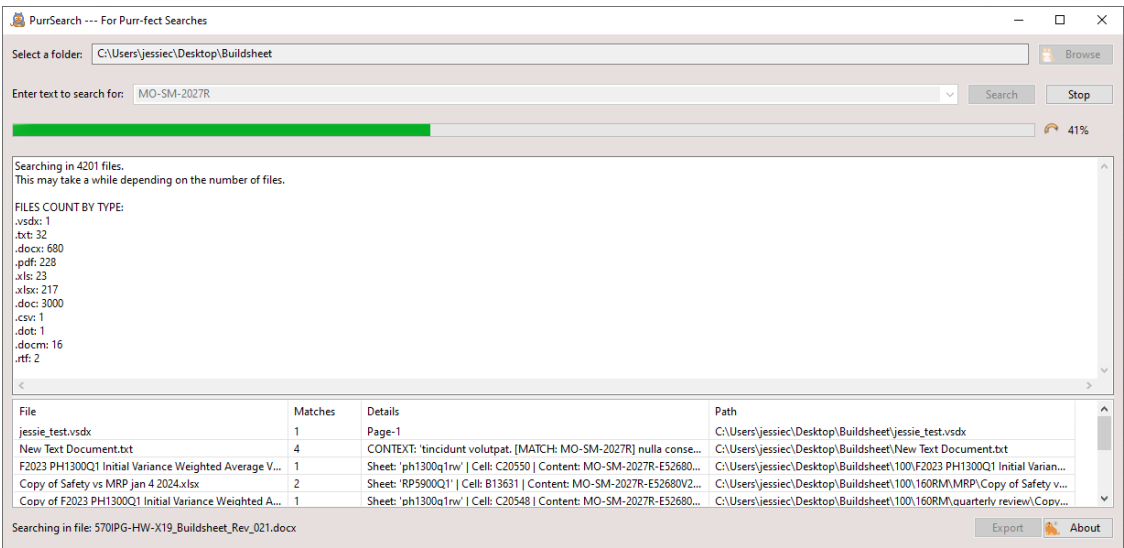
3. Search Term

- Enter the text you want to search for.
- Use the dropdown menu to access past search terms or clear the search history.



4. Start Search

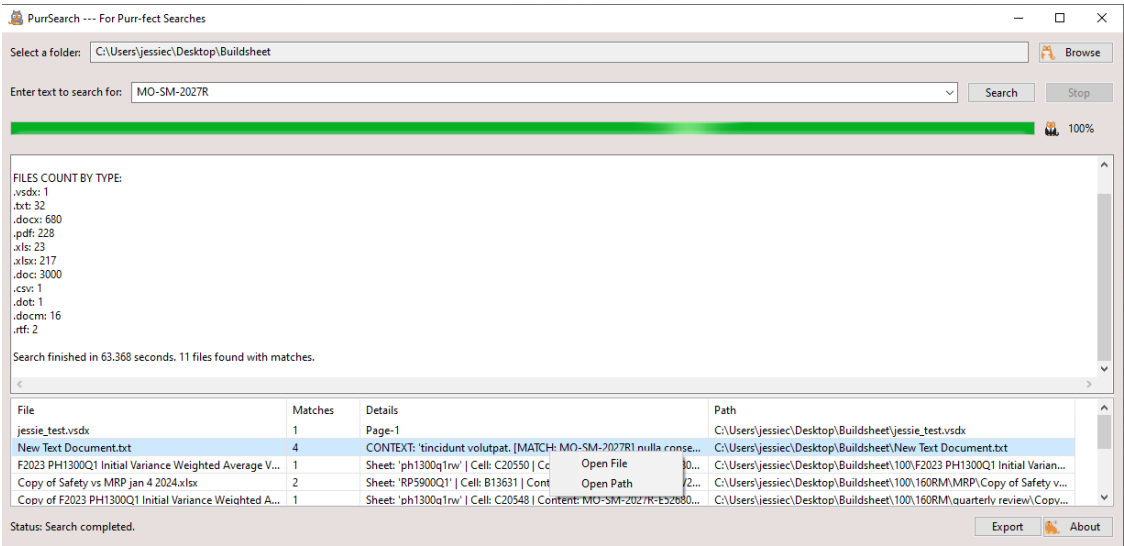
- Click the **Search** button to initiate the search.
- Panels will display:
 - Total number of files being searched.
 - Breakdown of file types being searched.
 - Search results.



5. View Results

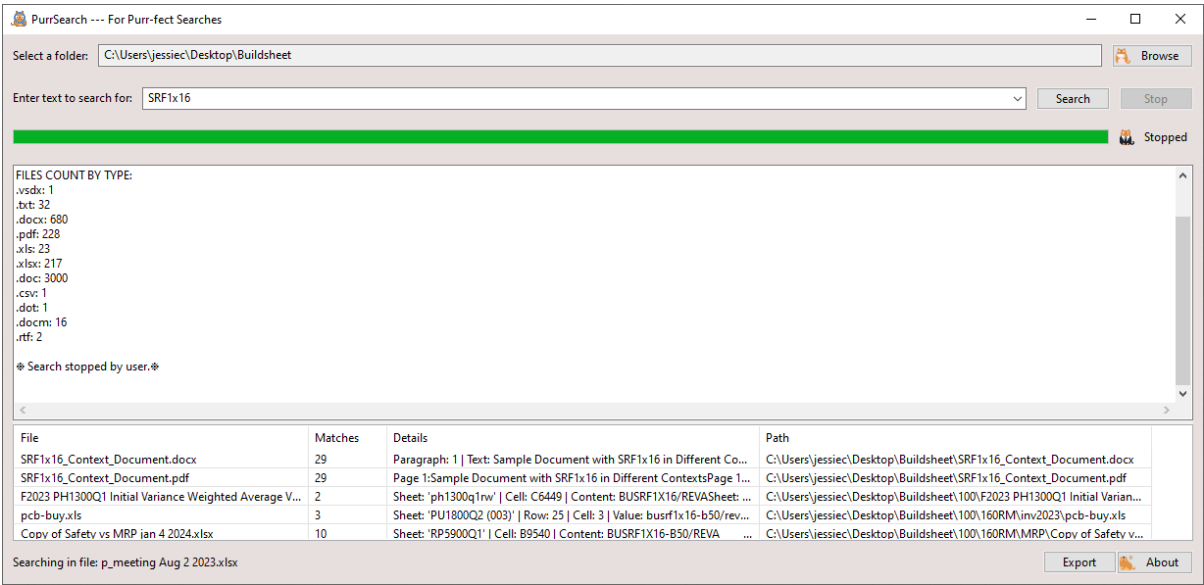
- Files containing the search term will be displayed in the results window.
- **Right-click** a file in the results to:
 - Open the file (**Open File**).

- Open the file's location in your file explorer (**Open Path**).



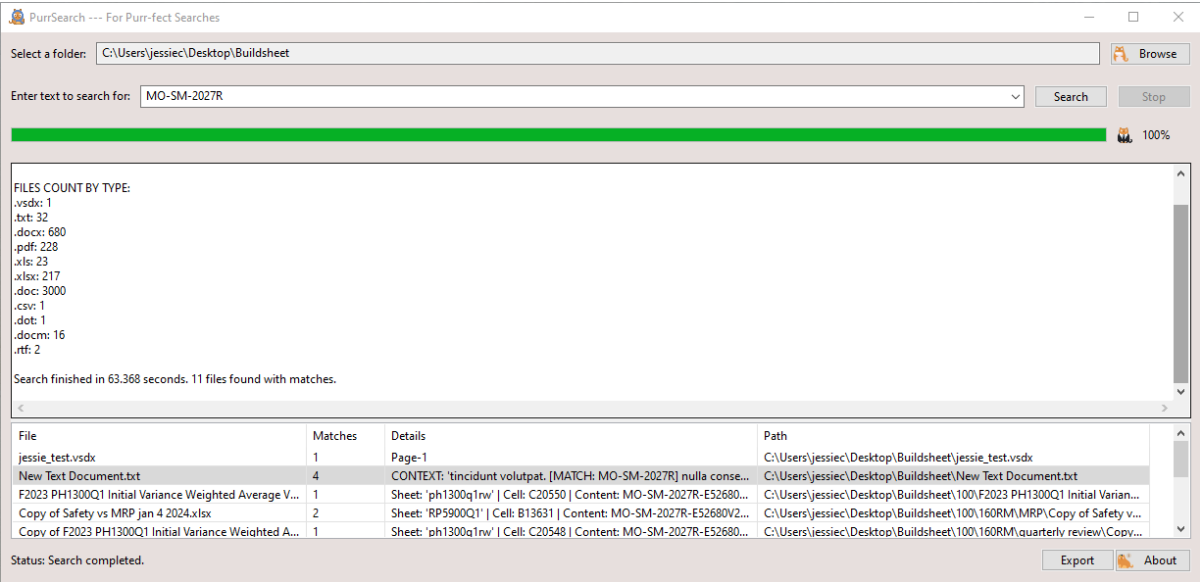
6. Interrupt Search

- Click the **Stop** button to halt the search at any time.



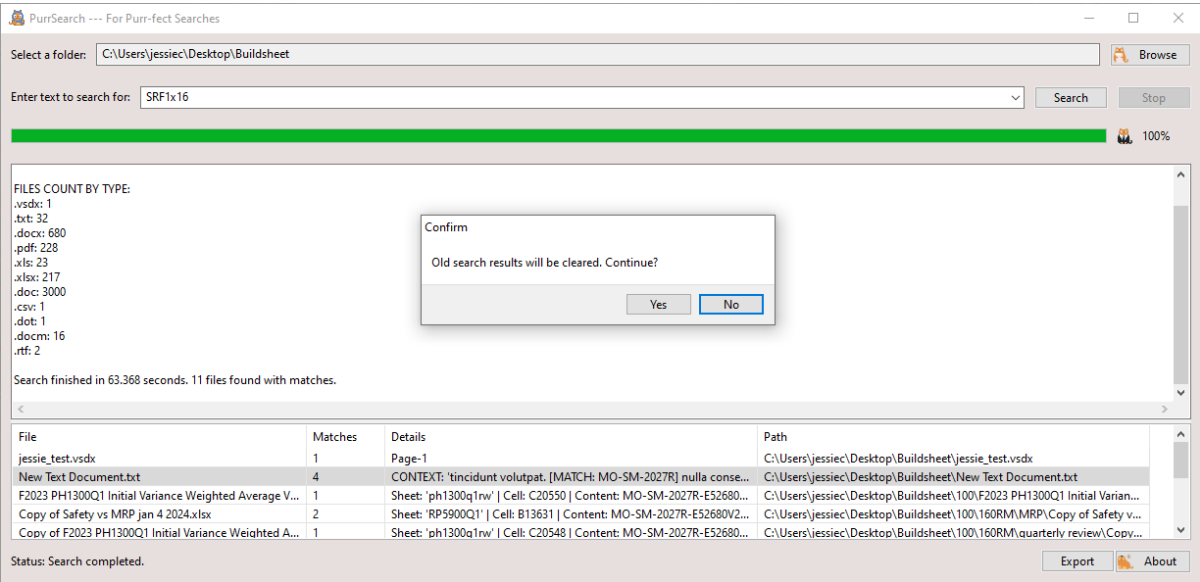
7. Export Results

- After the search is complete, click the **Export** button to save the results to an Excel file.



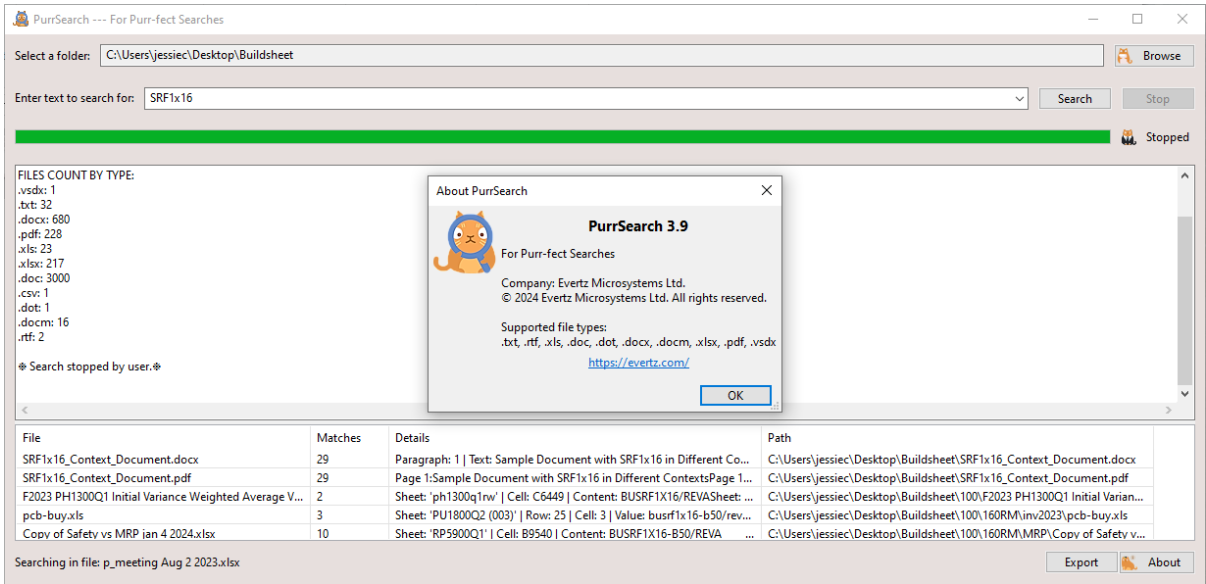
8. Start New Search

- Initiating a new search will automatically clear the results from the previous search.



9. Help & Version Info

- Click **About** or press **F1** to view the app's version details.



10. Keyboard Navigation

- Use the **Tab** key to navigate through the app's interface.

Supported File Formats

- **Text Files:** `.txt`, `.rtf`, `.csv`
- **Microsoft Office Files:** `.xls`, `.doc`, `.dot`, `.docx`, `.docm`, `.xlsx`
- **PDF Files:** `.pdf`
- **Visio Files:** `.vsdx`
- **Log Files:**
 - Standard log files: `.log`
 - System logs: `messages`, `syslog`, `dmesg`
 - Numbered log files: `.1`, `.2`, etc.
 - Time-stamped logs like `dpkg.log.20191201.1575181021`
- **Compressed Files:** `.gz`

Note

- The application will include subfolders in the search automatically.
- Exported search results are saved in an Excel-compatible format.

Make searching files seamless and efficient with **PurrrSearch!**