

EXPT: 5 DEVELOP A SIMPLE CALCULATOR USING XML-RPC

AIM:

Build a simple XML-RPC server that provides calculator functions and a client that calls them.

ALGORITHM:

SERVER ALGORITHM:

1. Start
2. Import the SimpleXMLRPCServer class from xmlrpclib.
3. Define the arithmetic functions:
 - o add(a, b) → returns $a + b$
 - o sub(a, b) → returns $a - b$
 - o mul(a, b) → returns $a \times b$
 - o div(a, b) → returns $a \div b$
 - o mod(a, b) → returns $a \% b$
4. Create an XML-RPC server object bound to **localhost** on port **8000**.
5. Display a message: "*Listening on port 8000...*".
6. Register all arithmetic functions with the server using register_function().
7. Start the server by calling serve_forever() so it waits for client requests.
8. Stop (the server runs indefinitely).

CLIENT ALGORITHM

1. Start
2. Import the xmlrpclib module.
3. Create a proxy object using

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ServerProxy("http://localhost:8000/")
```

to connect to the XML-RPC server.
4. Repeat for a fixed number of iterations (e.g., 5 times):
 1. Accept two integer inputs from the user (a and b).
 2. Call each remote function using the proxy:

- proxy.add(a, b)
- proxy.sub(a, b)
- proxy.mul(a, b)
- proxy.div(a, b)
- proxy.mod(a, b)

3. Display the results received from the server.

5. End loop.

6. Stop

CODE:

SERVER:

```
from xmlrpc.server import SimpleXMLRPCServer

def add(a,b):
    return a+b

def sub(a,b):
    return a-b

def mul(a,b):
    return a*b

def div(a,b):
    return a/b

def mod(a,b):
    return a%b

server=SimpleXMLRPCServer(("localhost",8000))
print("Listening on port 8000...")
server.register_function(add,"add")
server.register_function(sub,"sub")
server.register_function(mul,"mul")
server.register_function(div,"div")
server.register_function(mod,"mod")
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server.serve_forever()
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CLIENT:

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import xmlrpc.client  
  
proxy=xmlrpc.client.ServerProxy("http://localhost:8000/")  
  
for i in range(5):  
  
    a=int(input("Enter a number:"))  
  
    b=int(input("Enter b number:"))  
  
    print("addition of given number is %d "%((proxy.add(a,b))))  
  
    print("sub of given number is %d "%((proxy.sub(a,b))))  
  
    print("multiplication of given number is %d "%((proxy.mul(a,b))))  
  
    print("division of given number is %d "%((proxy.div(a,b))))  
  
    print("mod of given number is %d "%((proxy.mod(a,b))))
```

OUTPUT:

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===== RESTART: C:\Users\Mahalaxmi\OneDrive\Desktop\xmlserver.py ======  
Listening on port 8000...  
127.0.0.1 - - [17/Nov/2025 18:20:35] "POST / HTTP/1.1" 200 -  
127.0.0.1 - - [17/Nov/2025 18:20:37] "POST / HTTP/1.1" 200 -  
127.0.0.1 - - [17/Nov/2025 18:20:39] "POST / HTTP/1.1" 200 -  
127.0.0.1 - - [17/Nov/2025 18:20:41] "POST / HTTP/1.1" 200 -  
127.0.0.1 - - [17/Nov/2025 18:20:43] "POST / HTTP/1.1" 200 -
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C:\Users\Mahalaxmi\OneDrive\Desktop>python xmlclient.py  
Enter a number:23  
Enter b number:23  
addition of given number is 46  
sub of given number is 0  
multiplication of given number is 529  
division of given number is 1  
mod of given number is 0
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RESULT:

The XML-RPC calculator server successfully provided remote arithmetic functions. The client connected to the server and received correct results for addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and modulo.