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## **CODE:**

```
 1 def caesar_encrypt(text, shift):
 2     result = ""
 3     for char in text:
 4
 5         if char.isupper():
 6             result += chr((ord(char) - ord('A') + shift) % 26 + ord('A'))
 7
 8         elif char.islower():
 9             result += chr((ord(char) - ord('a') + shift) % 26 + ord('a'))
10
11     else:
12         result += char
13
14
15     return result
16
17
18 def caesar_decrypt(ciphertext, shift):
19     result = ""
20
21     for char in ciphertext:
22         if char.isupper():
23             result += chr((ord(char) - ord('A') - shift) % 26 + ord('A'))
24
25         elif char.islower():
26             result += chr((ord(char) - ord('a') - shift) % 26 + ord('a'))
27
28
29     elif char.islower():
30         result += chr((ord(char) - ord('a') - shift) % 26 + ord('a'))
31
32     else:
33         result += char
34
35
36     return result
37
38
39 if __name__ == "__main__":
40     text = input("Enter your message: ")
41     shift = int(input("Enter shift value: "))
42
43
44     encrypted = caesar_encrypt(text, shift)
45     print("Encrypted Text:", encrypted)
46
47
48     decrypted = caesar_decrypt(encrypted, shift)
49     print("Decrypted Text:", decrypted)
```

## DESCRIPTION:

> Function: `caesar_encrypt(text, shift)`

This function encrypts (locks) the message.

```
def caesar_encrypt(text, shift):
```

It takes:

- `text` → the message you want to encrypt
- `shift` → how many letters forward you want to move

```
result += chr((ord(char) - ord('A') + shift) % 26 + ord('A'))
```

### let's break this:

`ord(char)` → converts letter into number (ASCII value)

Example:

- `ord('A')` = 65
- `ord('B')` = 66

```
ord(char) - ord('A')
```

This converts A-Z into numbers 0–25

Example:

- A → 0
- B → 1
- C → 2

```
+ shift
```

We move forward by shift value.

```
% 26
```

This is VERY important.

There are 26 letters in alphabet.

If we go after Z, it comes back to A.

Example:

$$Z(25) + 3 = 28$$

$$28 \% 26 = 2 \rightarrow \text{which is C}$$

So this makes it wrap around alphabet.

```
+ ord('A')
```

We convert it back to ASCII.

```
chr(...)
```

This converts number back to letter.

if the letter is small

```
elif char.islower():
```

Same logic but for a-z.

We use `ord('a')` instead of `ord('A')`.

If it is not a letter:

```
else:
```

```
    result += char
```

If it is space, number, symbol etc

It stays SAME.

Example:

Hello 123 → Khoor 123

Numbers don't change.

Return encrypted result:

```
return result
```

**Function: caesar\_decrypt(ciphertext, shift)**

This function unlocks the message.

Everything is SAME as encryption

But here:

**Instead of + shift**

**We use - shift**

Because to go back we move backward.

```
result += chr((ord(char) - ord('A') - shift) % 26 + ord('A'))
```

## Main Program

```
if __name__ == "__main__":
```

This means:

Run this part only if file is executed directly.

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#### ◆ Taking Input

```
text = input("Enter your message: ")
shift = int(input("Enter shift value: "))
```

User enters:

- Message
  - Shift number
- 

#### ◆ Encrypt

```
encrypted = caesar_encrypt(text, shift)
print("Encrypted Text:", encrypted)
```

Call encryption function and print result.

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#### ◆ Decrypt

```
decrypted = caesar_decrypt(encrypted, shift)
print("Decrypted Text:", decrypted)
```

It decrypts the encrypted message and shows original message again.

