

# Power Consumption Docs

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Project documentation with Markdown.

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# 1. Power Consumption Docs

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This site contains the project documentation for the `Power Consumption` project which is an console application with PYTHON to measure the energy consumption of an app. It only works on LINUX

## 1.1 Table Of Contents

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The documentation follows the best practice for project documentation as described by Daniele Procida in the [Diátaxis documentation framework](#) and consists of four separate parts:

1. [How-To Guides](#)
2. [Reference](#)
3. [Explanation](#)

Quickly find what you're looking for depending on your use case by looking at the different pages.

## 1.2 Project Overview

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### 1.2.1 Backend package

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Package that handles the backend of the application.

Modules exported by this package:

- `bash` : Provide the functions to change authorizations for the application to run.
- `engine` : Provide the class that handles the backend of the application.

## 1.3 Acknowledgements

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I want to thank PowerAPI for the heavy lifting with their library.

## 2. How-To Guides

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This part of the project documentation focuses on a **problem-oriented** approach. You'll tackle common tasks that you might have, with the help of the code provided in this project.

### 2.1 How is it structured?

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Clone the code from this [GitHub repository](#) on your preferred directory and following structure will be downloaded:

```
power-consumption-app/
├── app.py
├── docs/
│   ├── explanation.md
│   ├── index.md
│   ├── how-to-guides.md
│   └── reference.md
└── src/
    ├── backend/
    │   ├── bash.py
    │   ├── engine.py
    │   └── __init__.py
    └── pyproject.toml
```

### 2.2 How to start

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After cloning the project run the following command to install the necessary dependencies.

```
cd power-consumption-app
pip install power-consumption
```

### 2.3 How to configure

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In the `app.py` file you will find the follow function:

```
@measure_energy(handler=csv_handler)
def application():
    """Replace code inside with the script you want to run"""
    solution = 0
    for _ in range(50):
        solution = ((1 + 2 + 3) ** 2) ** 2
    print(solution)
```

Replace the code inside the function block with your prefer code.

### 2.4 How to use it

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Run

```
python3 app.py
```

The console inside the function `application()` will run 100 times and the results will be saved in a file called `result.csv` or the name you have chosen.

First column: timestamp -> Timestamp of the start of the iteration  
 Second column: tag -> Name of the function running  
 Third column: duration -> Duration of the iteration  
 Forth column: package\_0 -> Total energy in uJ consumed by CPU during the iteration  
 Fifth column: nvidia\_gpu\_0 -> Total energy in uJ consumed by GPU during the iteration

### 2.5 How to read the final result

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The application will print in the console: - How much energy was consume in total - Total duration of all iterations - How much power the application consumes

## 3. Reference

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This part of the project documentation focuses on an **information-oriented** approach. Use it as a reference for the technical implementation of the `Tic Tac Toe` project code.

### 3.1 Backend packages

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This package has the following modules:

1. [Engine](#)
2. [Bash](#)

## 4. Engine module

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Provide the class and functions that handles the backend of the application.

This module allows the application to run and process information

Examples:

```
>>> directory = path.dirname(path.realpath("__file__"))
>>> app = PowerConsumption(root_path=directory)
>>> csv_handler = app.create_csv()
```

The module contains the following class: - `PowerConsumption`: A class that represents the engine of the application.

The module contains the following functions: - `print_welcome_message`: Prints welcome message. - `set_file_name`: User input for the output file name. - `render_result`: Render the results.

### 4.1 `PowerConsumption` `dataclass`

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A class used to represent the game engine.

**Attributes:**

Name	Type	Description
<code>root_path</code>	<code>str</code>	str It is absolute path of the working directory.
<code>file_name</code>	<code>str</code>	str = "result" It is the name of the file where the data is going to be saved. Default to 'result'.

**Methods:**

Name	Description
<code>create_csv</code>	Returns the handler where the data is going to be save.
<code>get_path</code>	Returns the working directory path.
<code>parse_csv</code>	Parse the information save and return the total of energy consume.

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py`

```

32 @dataclass(frozen=True)
33 class PowerConsumption:
34     """A class used to represent the game engine.
35
36     Attributes:
37         root_path: str
38             It is absolute path of the working directory.
39         file_name: str = "result"
40             It is the name of the file where the data is going to be saved.
41             Default to 'result'.
42
43     Methods:
44         create_csv(self) -> CSVHandler:
45             Returns the handler where the data is going to be save.
46         get_path(self) -> str:
47             Returns the working directory path.
48         parse_csv(self) -> None:
49             Parse the information save and return the total of energy
50             consume.
51     """
52
53     root_path: str
54     file_name: str = "result"
55
56     def start(self):
57         """Validation of permission for the application to work"""
58         print_welcome_message()
59         authorize_rapl()
60         authorize_cwd(self.root_path)
61
62     def get_path(self) -> str:
63         """Returns the working directory path.
64
65         Returns:
66             str: File path with file name
67         """
68         name = set_file_name(self.file_name)
69         file_extension = name + ".csv"
70         abs_file_path = pt.join(self.root_path, file_extension)
71         return abs_file_path
72
73     def create_csv(self) -> CSVHandler:
74         """Returns the handler where the data is going to be save.
75
76         Returns:
77             CSVHandler: Handler of the file where the information is going
78                         to be save
79         """
80         file_path = self.get_path()
81         csv_file = CSVHandler(file_path)
82         return csv_file
83
84     def parse_csv(self) -> None:
85         """Parse the information save and return the total of energy
86         consume.
87         """
88         file_extension = self.file_name + ".csv"
89         abs_file_path = pt.join(self.root_path, file_extension)
90         with open(abs_file_path) as csv_file:
91             next(csv_file)
92             sum_duration = 0
93             sum_energy = 0
94             for line in csv_file:
95                 columns = line.split(",")
96                 sum_duration += float(columns[2])
97                 sum_energy += float(columns[3]) + float(columns[4])
98             render_result(sum_energy, sum_duration)

```

## 4.1.1 create\_csv()

Returns the handler where the data is going to be save.

**Returns:**

Name	Type	Description
CSVHandler	CSVHandler	Handler of the file where the information is going to be save

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py`

```
73 def create_csv(self) -> CSVHandler:
74     """Returns the handler where the data is going to be save.
75
76     Returns:
77         CSVHandler: Handler of the file where the information is going
78             to be save
79     """
80     file_path = self.get_path()
81     csv_file = CSVHandler(file_path)
82     return csv_file
```

### 4.1.2 get\_path()

Returns the working directory path.

Returns:

Name	Type	Description
<code>str</code>	<code>str</code>	File path with file name

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py`

```
62 def get_path(self) -> str:
63     """Returns the working directory path.
64
65     Returns:
66         str: File path with file name
67     """
68     name = set_file_name(self.file_name)
69     file_extension = name + ".csv"
70     abs_file_path = pt.join(self.root_path, file_extension)
71     return abs_file_path
```

### 4.1.3 parse\_csv()

Parse the information save and return the total of energy consume.

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py`

```
84 def parse_csv(self) -> None:
85     """Parse the information save and return the total of energy
86     consume.
87     """
88     file_extension = self.file_name + ".csv"
89     abs_file_path = pt.join(self.root_path, file_extension)
90     with open(abs_file_path) as csv_file:
91         next(csv_file)
92         sum_duration = 0
93         sum_energy = 0
94         for line in csv_file:
95             columns = line.split(",")
96             sum_duration += float(columns[2])
97             sum_energy += float(columns[3]) + float(columns[4])
98         render_result(sum_energy, sum_duration)
```

### 4.1.4 start()

Validation of permission for the application to work



Source code in `src\backend\engine.py` ✓

```
56 def start(self):
57     """Validation of permission for the application to work"""
58     print_welcome_message()
59     authorize_rapl()
60     authorize_cwd(self.root_path)
```

## 4.2 print\_welcome\_message()

Prints welcome message

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py` ✓

```
101 def print_welcome_message():
102     """Prints welcome message"""
103     print("Welcome to the Power App")
104     print("For now it just runs on Linux")
105     print("Get ready to now how much energy you script consumes")
```

## 4.3 render\_result(sum\_energy, sum\_duration)

Render the results

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py` ✓

```
121 def render_result(sum_energy: float, sum_duration: float) -> None:
122     """Render the results"""
123     joules = sum_energy / 1000000
124     print(f"Total energy (joules) J")
125     print(f"Total energy (sum_duration) s")
126     watt = joules / sum_duration
127     print(f"Total power (watt) W")
```

## 4.4 set\_file\_name(default)

User input for the output file name

Returns:

Name	Type	Description
<code>str</code>	<code>str</code>	Returns file name selected or 'result'

Source code in `src\backend\engine.py` ✓

```
108 def set_file_name(default: str) -> str:
109     """User input for the output file name
110
111     Returns:
112         str: Returns file name selected or 'result'
113     """
114     print("What name of the output file")
115     file_name: str = input("Enter for default('result'): ").strip()
116     if file_name == "":
117         return default
118     return file_name
```

## 5. Bash module

Provide the functions to change authorizations for the application to run.

This module changes permissions intel RAPL and local directories.

Examples:

```
>>> authorize_rapl()
>>> authorize_cwd(path_chosen)
```

The module contains the following functions: - `authorize_rapl`: A function tht changes the permissions of the Intel RAPL directory. - `authorize_cwd`: A function tht changes the permissions of the chosen directory.

### 5.1 `authorize_cwd(path)`

Changes the permissions of the chosen directory

**Parameters:**

Name	Type	Description	Default
<code>path</code>	<code>str</code>	Chosen directory	<i>required</i>

Source code in `src\backend\bash.py` 

```
31 def authorize_cwd(path: str):
32     """Changes the permissions of the chosen directory
33
34     Args:
35         path (str): Chosen directory
36     """
37     print("Change permissions of current directory")
38     command = f"sudo chmod -R 777 {path}"
39     subprocess.run(command, shell=True, stdout=subprocess.PIPE, check=True)
```

### 5.2 `authorize_rapl()`

Changes the permissions of the Intel RAPL directory

Source code in `src\backend\bash.py` 

```
20 def authorize_rapl():
21     """Changes the permissions of the Intel RAPL directory"""
22     print("Change permissions to run Intel RAPLs")
23     subprocess.run(
24         "sudo chmod -R a+r /sys/class/powercap/intel-rapl",
25         shell=True,
26         stdout=subprocess.PIPE,
27         check=True,
28     )
```