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# Project Demonstration & Documentation

**Title:** Weather Dashboard

## Final Demo Walkthrough – Weather Dashboard

### 1. Introduction:

- "Hi everyone, today I'll walk you through my Weather Dashboard."
- "This app provides real-time weather updates for any city around the world."

**2. Search Functionality:** □ "Let's start by searching for a city. I'll type in 'New York'."

- "As you can see, the dashboard fetches and displays the current weather conditions."

*Highlight:*

- City name
- Current temperature
- Weather condition (e.g., sunny, cloudy)
- Icon representing the weather

### 3. Additional Weather Details:

- "Below the main temperature, we show other details like:"
  - Humidity
  - Wind speed
  - 'Feels like' temperature
  - Date and time

*Bonus if added: Sunrise/Sunset, Pressure*

#### **4. 5-Day Forecast (if included):**

- "Here's the 5-day forecast, giving a quick glance at upcoming weather."
- "Each day shows the expected high/low temperatures and conditions."

#### **5. UI Overview:**

- "The interface is clean and responsive."
- "Icons and colors adjust based on the weather condition—for example, blue for rain, orange for sunny."

*Responsive Design?* Show it briefly on a smaller screen or mobile layout.

#### **6. Tech Stack (Optional Slide or Mention):**

- "This app was built using:"
  - HTML/CSS/JavaScript (or React, etc.)
  - OpenWeatherMap API (or whichever API used)
- Optional: Tailwind, Bootstrap, Chart.js, etc.

#### **7. Final Thoughts:**

- "This Weather Dashboard is useful for anyone needing quick weather updates, and it can be expanded further with features like location auto-detection or severe weather alerts."

### **Project Report :**

## **Introduction:**

The Weather Dashboard is a simple Python-based command-line application that provides real-time weather information for any city. It fetches current weather data and a 3-day forecast using the free wttr.in API.

## **Objectives:**

- Display current temperature, weather condition, wind speed, humidity, and feels-like temperature.
- Show a concise 3-day weather forecast.
- Create an easy-to-use terminal interface for quick weather checks.

## **Tools & Technologies:**

- Python
- Requests library for API calls
- wttr.in API for weather data

## **Program Overview:**

The program prompts the user to enter a city name, fetches weather data from the API, and displays current conditions and a short forecast. It handles errors gracefully and allows multiple queries until the user exits.

## **Conclusion:**

The Weather Dashboard is a functional and lightweight tool to get instant weather updates via the terminal. It can be enhanced with additional features or a graphical interface in the future.

## Program:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
  <meta charset="UTF-8" />
  <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width,
initial-scale=1" />
  <title>Simple Weather Dashboard</title>
<style>
  body {
    font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
    max-width: 400px;
    margin: 2rem auto;
    padding: 1rem;
    background: #f0f4f8;
    border-radius: 8px;
    box-shadow: 0 0 10px #ccc;
    text-align: center;
  }
```

```
input, button {
  padding: 0.5rem;
  font-size: 1rem;
}
button {
  cursor: pointer;
}
#output {
  margin-top: 1.5rem;
  font-size: 1.2rem;
}
</style>
</head>
<body>

<h1>☁️ Weather Dashboard</h1>
<input type="text" id="cityInput" placeholder="Enter city
name" />
<button onclick="getWeather()">Get Weather</button>

<div id="output"></div>

<script>
```

```
async function getWeather() {
  const city =
document.getElementById('cityInput').value.trim();
  const output = document.getElementById('output');

  if (!city) {
    output.textContent = '⚠ Please enter a city name.';
    return;
  }

  output.textContent = '⌚ Loading...';

  try {
    // Fetch weather from wttr.in in plain text format
    const response = await
fetch(`https://wttr.in/${encodeURIComponent(city)}?format=3
`);

    if (!response.ok) throw new Error('City not found or API
error.');
```

```
    const data = await response.text();
    output.textContent = data;
  } catch (error) {
```

```
output.textContent = '❌ Error fetching weather data.';
```

```
}
```

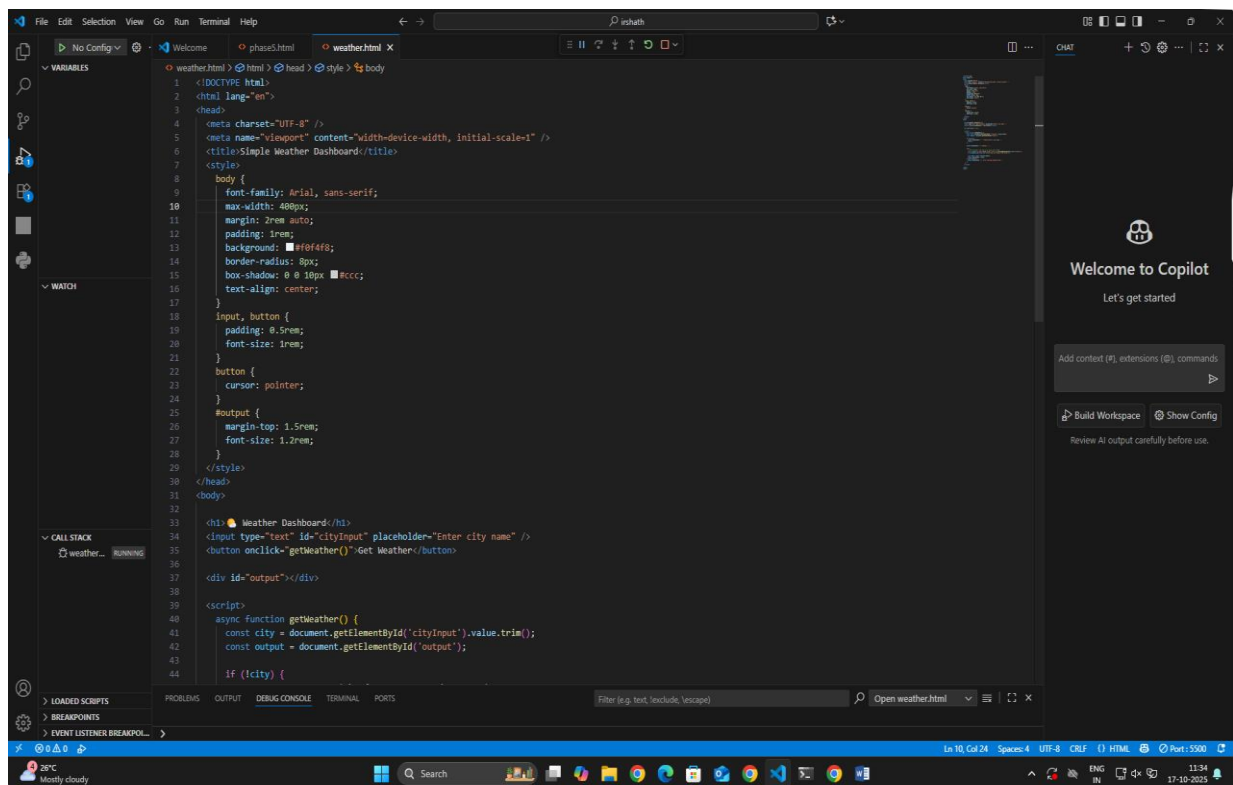
```
}
```

```
</script>
```

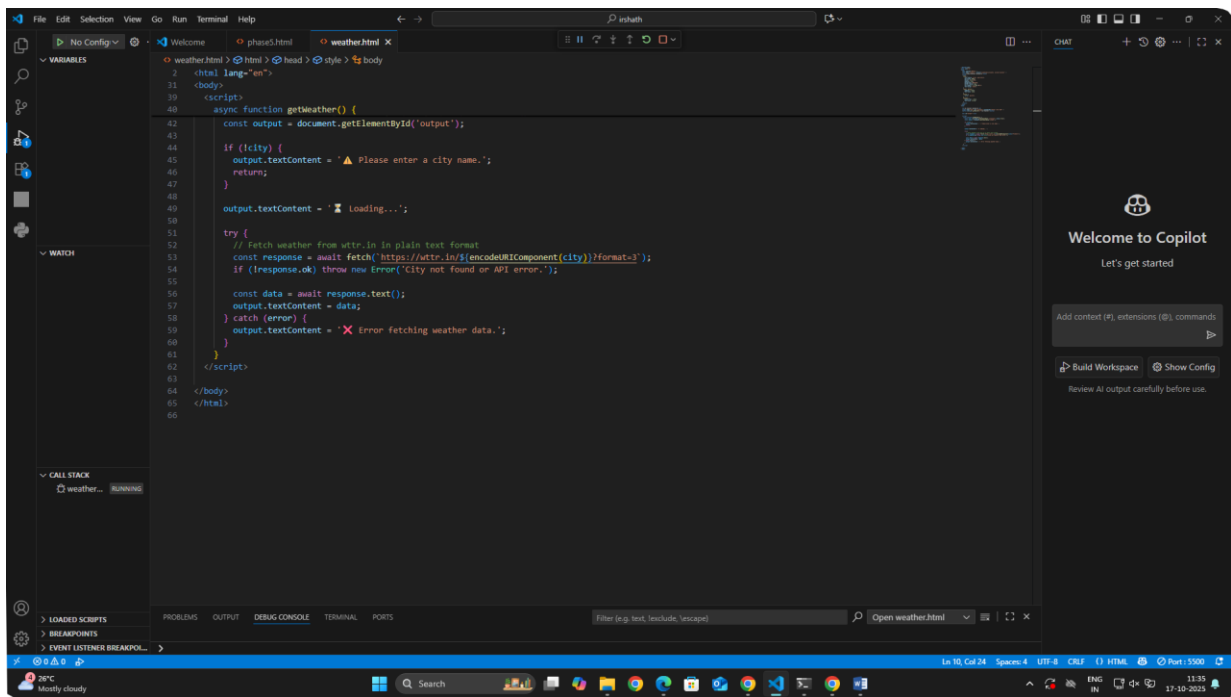
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</body>
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</html>
```

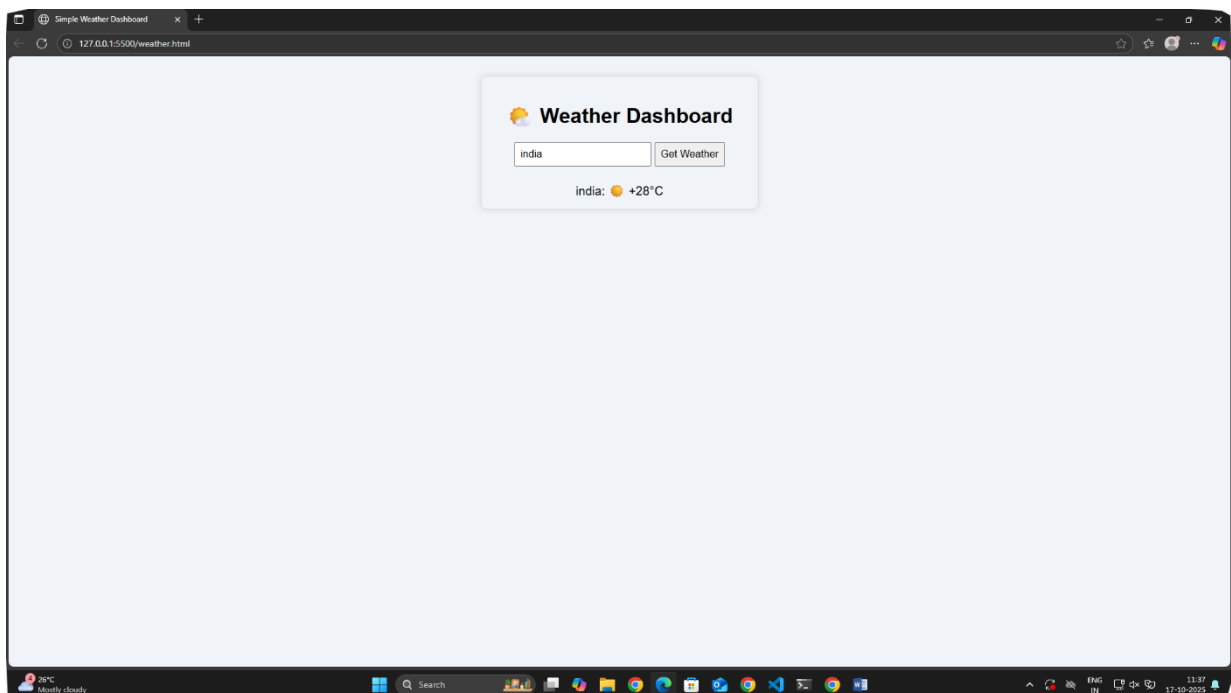
## Screenshot/API Documentation:







OUTPUT:



## Overview

wtr.in is a free weather service that provides weather information via HTTP requests in various formats, including JSON. It is designed for easy integration into command-line apps and scripts.

## Endpoint Used:

`http://wtr.in/{city}?format=j1`

- **{city}**: Name of the city or location for which weather data is requested.
- **format=j1**: Requests the data in JSON format.

## Response Structure (Key Parts):

- **current\_condition**: List containing current weather details like:
  - **temp\_C**: Current temperature in Celsius.
  - **weatherDesc[0].value**: Text description of weather condition (e.g., "Partly cloudy").
  - **windspeedKmph**: Wind speed in kilometers per hour.
  - **humidity**: Current humidity percentage.
  - **FeelsLikeC**: 'Feels like' temperature in Celsius.

## weather:

List containing weather forecasts for upcoming days, each with:

- date: Date of the forecast. ○ maxtempC: Maximum temperature of the day. ○ mintempC: Minimum temperature of the day.
- hourly[4].weatherDesc[0].value: Midday weather condition.

## Usage Notes:

- The API is public and does not require authentication or API keys.
- It returns detailed weather data, which may vary slightly depending on the location queried.
- The data is updated frequently but not guaranteed to be realtime to the second.

## Challenges & Solutions:

### Challenges:

#### 1. Handling Invalid City Inputs

- Users might enter misspelled or nonexistent city names, causing API errors or no data returned.

#### 2. Network and API Errors

- Network issues or API downtime could lead to failed requests or delayed responses.

#### 3. Parsing Complex JSON Data

- The weather data from wtrr.in is nested and requires careful extraction of relevant information.

#### **4. Maintaining a Clean User Interface in Terminal**

- Ensuring the terminal output is clear and user-friendly, especially after multiple queries.

### **Solutions:**

#### **1. Input Validation and Error Messages**

- The program checks API responses and informs users when data can't be retrieved, prompting them to try again.

#### **2. Exception Handling**

- Implemented try-except blocks around API calls to catch network-related errors gracefully.

#### **3. Structured Data Extraction**

- Carefully navigated JSON structure to reliably extract current weather and forecast details.

#### **4. Screen Clearing and Formatting**

- Used terminal clear commands to refresh the display for each query, keeping output organized and readable.

### **Github README LINK:**