

Working Calculator in Python

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□ Project Overview

This project is a **console-based working calculator built in Python**, capable of performing fundamental arithmetic operations.

It is designed with clear user interaction, structured logic, and strong error-handling to ensure smooth operation.

The project demonstrates essential Python skills and serves as an excellent beginner-level program to understand computational logic.

□ Objective

The primary objectives of this project are:

- To implement the core arithmetic operations using Python.
 - To understand how user input, decision-making, and output formatting work.
 - To practice function-based programming and modular code structure.
 - To build a reliable, user-friendly calculator tool.
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□ □ Features

- ✓ □ Addition
- ✓ □ Subtraction
- ✓ □ Multiplication
- ✓ □ Division (with zero-division protection)
- ✓ □ Modulus
- ✓ □ Power calculation
- ✓ □ Floor division
- ✓ □ Input validation and error handling
- ✓ □ Clean and interactive user prompts

□ Project Structure

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□ Working-Calculator
  |- □ calculator.py
  |- □ README.md
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□ How the Calculator Works

- The user is prompted to enter two numbers.
 - The user selects an operation such as addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, etc.
 - The calculator processes these inputs using conditional logic.
 - If the input is invalid (wrong operator or non-numeric value), the program handles it gracefully.
 - A final result is displayed in a clear and readable format.
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□ Concepts Demonstrated

- **Variables and Data Types**
 - **Conditional Statements** (`if-elif-else`)
 - **Arithmetic Operators**
 - **Functions in Python**
 - **Exception Handling** (`try-except`)
 - **Basic input/output handling**
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□ □ Requirements

- Python 3.x
- Any IDE or text editor (VS Code, PyCharm, Sublime Text, etc.)
- Command-line / Terminal to run the script

To execute the project:

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python calculator.py
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□ Applications

This calculator can be used for:

- Basic mathematical calculations
 - Learning how computation works inside programming
 - Understanding console-based UI
 - Extending into GUI applications in the future
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□ Future Enhancements

Possible improvements include:

- Graphical User Interface (GUI) using **Tkinter or PyQt**
 - Scientific functions (trigonometry, logarithms, etc.)
 - Calculation history tracking
 - A more advanced multi-operation calculator
 - Keyboard shortcuts for faster input
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□ Academic Declaration

I, **Harshit Soni (Registration No. 25BCE11030)**, hereby declare that this Python calculator project is created by me solely for learning and academic purposes.

All logic, structure, and design decisions are original and implemented by me.