

# 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.

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## ☐ 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

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## □ Project Structure

□ 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.