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### A

#### @@(*location*)

Lets you indirectly obtain the contents of the cell specified in *location*.

#### @ABS(*x*)

Calculates the absolute (positive) value of *x*.

#### @ACCRUED(*settlement;issue;first-interest;coupon;[par];[frequency];[basis]*)

Calculates the accrued interest for securities with periodic interest payments.

#### @ACCRUED2(*settlement;maturity;coupon;[par];[frequency];[issue];[first];[type]*)

Calculates the accrued interest for securities with periodic interest payments, using Japanese conventions.

#### @ACOS(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) cosine using the cosine *x* of an angle.

#### @ACOSH(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic cosine using the hyperbolic cosine *x* of an angle.

#### @ACOT(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) cotangent using the cotangent *x* of an angle.

#### @ACOTH(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic cotangent using the hyperbolic cotangent *x* of an angle.

#### @ACSC(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) cosecant using the cosecant *x* of an angle.

#### @ACSCH(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic cosecant using the hyperbolic cosecant *x* of an angle.

#### @ASEC(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) secant using the secant *x* of an angle.

#### @ASECH(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic secant using the hyperbolic secant *x* of an angle.

#### @ASIN(*x*)

Calculates the arc (inverse) sine using the sine *x* of an angle.

### @ASINH(x)

Calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic sine using the hyperbolic sine  $x$  of an angle.

### @ATAN(x)

Calculates the arc (inverse) tangent using the tangent  $x$  of an angle. The result of @ATAN is an angle, in radians, from  $-\pi/2$  through  $\pi/2$ .

### @ATAN2(x;y)

Calculates the arc tangent using the tangent  $y/x$  of an angle. The result of @ATAN2 is an angle, in radians, from  $-\pi$  through  $\pi$ , depending on the signs of  $x$  and  $y$ .

### @ATANH(x)

Calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic tangent using the hyperbolic tangent  $x$ .

### @AVEDEV(list)

Calculates the average of the absolute deviations of the values in *list*.

### @AVG(list)

Calculates the average of the values in *list*.

## **B**

### @BESSELI(x;n)

Calculates the modified Bessel function of integer order  $I_n(x)$ .

### @BESSELJ(x;n)

Calculates the Bessel function of integer order  $J_n(x)$ .

### @BESSELK(x;n)

Calculates the modified Bessel function of integer order  $K_n(x)$ .

### @BESSELY(x;n)

Calculates the Bessel function of integer order  $Y_n(x)$ , also known as the Neumann function.

### @BETA(z;w)

Calculates the beta function.

### @BETAI(a;b;x)

Returns the incomplete beta function.

### @BIN2DEC(value)

Converts a binary number to its decimal equivalent.

### @BIN2HEX(value;[places])

Converts a binary number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

### @BIN2OCT(value;[places])

Converts a binary number to its octal equivalent.

### @BINOMIAL(trials;successes;probability;[type])

Calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution.

## **C**

### @CELL(attribute;location)

Returns information about the first cell in *location*.

### @CELLPOINTER(attribute)

Returns information about the current cell.

### @CHAR(x)

Returns the character of the Lotus Multibyte Character Set (LMBCS) that corresponds to the number  $x$ .

### @CHIDIST(x;degrees-freedom;[type])

Calculates the chi-square distribution.

### @CHITEST(range1;[range2])

Performs a chi-square test for independence on the data in *range1*, or a chi-square test for goodness of fit on the data in *range1* and *range2*.

### @CHOOSE(x;list)

Returns the  $n$ th item from the *list* where  $n$  is the value of  $x$ .

### @CLEAN(text)

Removes nonprinting characters from *text*.

### @CODE(text)

Returns the Lotus Multibyte Character Set (LMBCS) code that corresponds to the first character in *text*.

@COLS(*range*)

Counts the number of columns in *range*.

@COLUMN(*range*)

Returns the number of the leftmost column in *range*.

@COMBIN(*n*; *r*)

Calculates the binomial coefficient for *n* and *r*, which is the number of ways that *r* can be selected from *n*, without regard for order.

@CONFIDENCE(*alpha*; *std*; *size*)

Calculates the magnitude of the confidence interval for a population mean with known standard deviation.

@CONVERT(*number*; *from-unit*; *to-unit*)

Converts a value from one unit of measurement to a different unit of measurement.

@COORD(*sheet*; *column*; *row*; *absolute*)

Creates a cell reference from values that correspond to *sheet*, *column*, and *row*.

@CORREL(*range1*; *range2*)

Calculates the correlation coefficient of values in *range1* and *range2*.

@COS(*x*)

Calculates the cosine of angle *x*. The angle must be measured in radians.

@COSH(*x*)

Calculates the hyperbolic cosine of angle *x*. The result of @COSH is a value greater than or equal to 1. The angle must be measured in radians.

@COT(*x*)

Calculates the cotangent of angle *x*. The angle must be measured in radians.

@COTH(*x*)

Calculates the hyperbolic cotangent of angle *x*. The angle must be measured in radians.

@COUNT(*list*)

Counts the cells that aren't blank in a *list* of ranges.

@COUNTBLANK(*range*)

Counts the cells in *range* that do not contain any letters, numbers, or spaces.

@COUNTIF(*range*; *criteria*)

Counts the number of cells in *range* that meet specified *criteria*.

@COUPDAYBS(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*])

Calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date.

@COUPDAYS(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*])

Calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date.

@COUPDAYSNC(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*])

Calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date.

@COUPNCD(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*])

Calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date.

@COUPNUM(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*])

Calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date.

@COUPPCD(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*])

Calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date.

@COV(*range1*; *range2*; [*type*])

Calculates either the population or sample covariance of the values in *range1* and *range2*.

@CRITBINOMIAL(*trials*; *probability*; *alpha*)

Returns the largest integer for which the cumulative binomial distribution is less than or equal to *alpha*.

@CSC(*x*)

Calculates the cosecant of angle *x*. The angle must be measured in radians.

@CSCH(*x*)

Calculates the hyperbolic cosecant of angle *x*. The angle must be measured in radians.

@CTERM(*interest*; *future-value*; *present-value*)

Calculates the number of compounding periods required for an investment (*present-value*) to grow to a *future-value*,

earning a fixed *interest* rate.

## D

@D360(*start-date;end-date*)

Calculates the number of days between two date numbers, based on a 360-day year.

@DATAINK(*app-name;topic-name;item-name;[format];[max-rows];[max-cols];[max-sheets]*)

Creates a DDE link to data.

@DATE(*year;month;day*)

Calculates the date number for the specified *year*, *month*, and *day*.

@DATECONVERT(*date;input-type;output-type*)

Converts a Hijri (Arabic), Farsi (Iranian), or Hebrew (Israeli) date to a Gregorian date, or vice versa. For bi-directional versions of 1-2-3 only.

@DATEDIF(*start-date;end-date;format*)

Calculates the number of years, months, or days between *start-date* and *end-date*.

@DATEINFO(*date;attribute*)

Returns information about a *date*.

@DATESTRING(*date*)

Converts a date number to its equivalent date and displays it as a label using the default international date format.

@DATEVALUE(*text*)

Calculates the date number for the date specified in *text*.

@DAVG(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Calculates the average of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DAY(*date-number*)

Extracts the day of the month, a value from 1 through 31, from *date-number*.

@DAYS(*start-date;end-date;[basis]*)

Calculates the number of days between *start-date* and *end-date*, using a specified day-count *basis*.

@DAYS360(*start-date;end-date*)

Calculates the number of days between *start-date* and *end-date*, based on a 360-day year, according to the standards of the U.S. securities industry.

@DB(*cost;salvage;life;period*)

Calculates the depreciation allowance of an asset using the fixed-declining balance method.

@DCOUNT(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Counts the cells that aren't blank in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DDB(*cost;salvage;life;period*)

Calculates the depreciation allowance of an asset using the double-declining balance method.

@DEC2BIN(*value;[places]*)

Converts a decimal number to its binary equivalent.

@DEC2FRAC(*decimal-amount;base*)

Converts a decimal number to a fraction.

@DEC2HEX(*value;[places]*)

Converts a decimal number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

@DEC2OCT(*value;[places]*)

Converts a decimal number to its octal equivalent.

@DECILE(*tile;range*)

Returns a given decile.

@DECIMAL(*hexadecimal*)

Converts a *hexadecimal* value to its signed decimal equivalent.

@DEGTORAD(*degrees*)

Converts *degrees* to radians.

@DEVSQ(*list*)

Calculates the sum of squared deviations of the values in *list* from their mean.

@DGET(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Retrieves a value or label from a *field* of a database table that meets specified *criteria*.

@DISC(*settlement;maturity;price;redemption;[basis]*)

Calculates the discount rate for a short-term discounted security.

@DMAX(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Finds the largest value in a *field* of a database table that meets specified *criteria*.

@DMIN(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Finds the smallest value in a *field* of a database table that meets specified *criteria*.

@DPURECOUNT(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Counts the cells that contain values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DSTD(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Calculates the population standard deviation of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DSTDS(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Calculates the sample standard deviation of sample values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DSUM(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Calculates the sum of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DURATION(*settlement;maturity;coupon;yield;[frequency];[basis]*)

Calculates the annual duration for a security that pays periodic interest.

@DVAR(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Calculates the population variance of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DVARS(*input;field;[criteria]*)

Calculates the variance of sample values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

## E

@EDIGIT(*digit-string*)

Converts *digit-string* from Thai numeric characters to an Arabic numeric string.

@ERF(*lower-limit;[upper-limit]*)

Calculates the error function integrated between *lower-limit* and *upper-limit*.

@ERFC(*x*)

Calculates the complementary error function, integrated between *x* and  $\infty$  (infinity).

@ERFD(*x*)

Calculates the derivative of the error function.

@ERR(*x*)

Returns the value ERR.

@EVEN(*x*)

Rounds the value *x* away from 0 to the nearest even integer.

@EXACT(*text1;text2*)

Returns 1 (true) if *text1* and *text2* match exactly; otherwise returns 0 (false).

@EXP(*x*)

Calculates the value of the constant *e* (approximately 2.718282) raised to the power *x*.

@EXP2(*x*)

Calculates the value of the constant *e* (approximately 2.718282) raised to the power  $-(x^2)$ .

@EXPONDIST(*x;lambda;type*)

Calculates the exponential distribution.

## F

@FACT(*n*)

Calculates the factorial of *n*.

@FACTLN(*n*)

Calculates the natural logarithm of the factorial of *n*.

@FALSE

Returns the logical value 0 (false).

@FDIST(*x;degrees-freedom1;degrees-freedom2;[type]*)

Calculates the *F*-distribution.

@FIND(*search-text;text;start-number*)

Calculates the position in *text* at which 1-2-3 finds the first occurrence of *search-text*, beginning at *start-number*.

@FINDB(*search-text;text;start-number*)

Calculates the byte position in *text* at which 1-2-3 finds the first occurrence of *search-text*, beginning at the byte position indicated by *start-number*.

@FISHER(x)

Calculates the Fisher transformation of *x*.

@FISHERINV(y)

Calculates the inverse of the Fisher transformation of *y*.

@FORECAST(x;y-range;x-range)

Returns a forecast value for *x* based on the linear trend between values in *y-range* and *x-range*.

@FRAC2DEC(fractional-amount;base)

Converts a fraction to a decimal number.

@FTEST(range1;range2)

Performs an *F*-test and returns the associated probability.

@FULLP(label)

Converts single-byte (ASCII) characters in *label* to corresponding Japanese double-byte characters.

@FV(payments;interest;term)

Calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, earning a periodic *interest* rate, over the number of payment periods in *term*, assuming an ordinary annuity.

@FV2(payments;interest;term)

Calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, earning a periodic *interest* rate, over the number of payment periods in *term*, assuming an annuity-due convention.

@FVAL(payments;interest;term;[type];[present-value])

Calculates the future value of an investment with a specified *present-value*, for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due.

@FVAMOUNT(principal;interest;term;[frequency])

Returns the future value of a lump sum invested at a given rate for a given number of periods.

## G

@GAMMA(x)

Calculates the gamma function.

@GAMMAI(a;x;[complement])

Calculates the incomplete gamma function.

@GAMMALN(x)

Calculates the natural logarithm of the gamma function.

@GEOMEAN(list)

Calculates the geometric mean of the values in *list*.

@GRANDTOTAL(list)

Calculates the sum of all cells in *list* that contain @SUBTOTAL in their formulas.

## H

@HALFP(label)

Converts the Japanese double-byte characters in *label* to corresponding single-byte (ASCII) characters.

@HARMEAN(list)

Calculates the harmonic mean of the values in *list*.

@HEX(x)

Converts a decimal number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

@HEX2BIN(value;[places])

Converts a hexadecimal number to its binary equivalent.

@HEX2DEC(value)

Converts a hexadecimal number to its decimal equivalent.

@HEX2OCT(value;[places])

Converts a hexadecimal number to its octal equivalent.

@HLOOKUP(x;range;row-offset)

Finds the contents of the cell in a specified row of a horizontal lookup table, in the column specified by *x*.

@HOUR(time-number)

Extracts the hour, a value between 0 (midnight) and 23 (23:00 or 11:00 P.M.), from *time-number*.

@HYPGEOMDIST(*sample-successes;sample-size;population-successes;population-size*)  
Calculates the hypergeometric distribution.

## I

@IF(*condition;x;y*)

Evaluates *condition* and returns either *x* if *condition* is true or *y* if *condition* is false.

@INDEX(*range;column;row;[sheet]*)

Returns the contents of a cell in a specified *column*, *row*, and *sheet* of a range.

@INFO(*attribute*)

Returns information about the current 1-2-3 session.

@INT(*x*)

Returns the integer portion of *x*.

@INTRATE(*settlement;maturity;investment;redemption;[basis]*)

Calculates the interest rate for a fully invested short-term security.

@IPAYMT(*principal;interest;term;start-period;[end-period];[type];[future-value]*)

Calculates the cumulative interest portion of the periodic payment on a loan for a specified number of payment periods (*term*).

@IRATE(*term;payment;present-value;[type];[future-value];[guess]*)

Calculates the periodic interest rate necessary for an annuity (*present-value*) to grow to a *future-value* over the number of compounding periods in *term*.

@IRR(*guess;range*)

Calculates the internal rate of return (profit) for a series of cash-flow values generated by an investment.

@ISAAF(*name*)

Tests whether *name* is a defined add-in global LotusScript function, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISAPP(*name*)

Tests whether *name* is an add-in application that is currently in memory, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISBETWEEN(*value;bound1;bound2;[inclusion]*)

Tests whether *value* is between *bound1* and *bound2*, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISEMPTY(*location*)

Tests whether *location* is a blank cell, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISERR(*x*)

Tests whether *x* is the value ERR, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISFILE(*file-name;[type]*)

Tests whether *file-name* is a file in memory or on disk, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISMACRO(*name*)

Tests whether *name* is a defined add-in global LotusScript subroutine, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISNA(*x*)

Tests whether *x* is the value NA, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISNUMBER(*x*)

Tests whether *x* is a value, NA, ERR, or a blank cell, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISRANGE(*range*)

Tests whether *range* is a defined range name or valid range address, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

@ISSTRING(*x*)

Tests whether *x* is text or a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label, and returns 1 (true) or 0 (false).

## J

## K

@KURTOSIS(*range;[type]*)

Calculates the kurtosis of the values in *range*.

## L

@LARGE(*range;n*)

Finds the *n*th largest value in *range*.

@LEFT(*text;n*)

Returns the first *n* characters in *text*.

@LEFTB(*text;n*)

Returns the first *n* bytes in *text*.

@LENGTH(*text*)

Counts the characters in *text*.

@LENGTHB(*text*)

Counts the number of bytes in *text*.

@LN(*x*)

Calculates the natural logarithm (base e) of *x*.

@LOG(*x*)

Calculates the common logarithm (base 10) of *x*.

@LOGINV(*probability;mean;standard-deviation*)

Calculates the inverse of the lognormal cumulative distribution function.

@LOGNORMDIST(*x;mean;standard-deviation*)

Calculates the cumulative lognormal distribution of *x*.

@LOWER(*text*)

Converts all the letters in *text* to lowercase.

## M

@MATCH(*cell-contents;range;[type]*)

Returns the relative position of the cell in *range* whose contents match *cell-contents*.

@MAX(*list*)

Finds the largest value in *list*.

@MAXLOOKUP(*range-list*)

Returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges.

@MDURATION(*settlement;maturity;coupon;yield;[frequency];[basis]*)

Calculates the modified annual duration for a security that pays periodic interest.

@MEDIAN(*list*)

Returns the median value in *list*.

@MID(*text;start-number;n*)

Copies *n* characters from *text*, beginning with the character at *start-number*.

@MIDB(*text;start-number;n*)

Copies *n* bytes from *text*, beginning with the data at byte *start-number*.

@MIN(*list*)

Finds the smallest value in *list*.

@MINLOOKUP(*range-list*)

Returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.

@MINUTE(*time-number*)

Extracts the minutes, a value from 0 through 59, from *time-number*.

@MIRR(*range;finance-rate;reinvest-rate;[type]*)

Calculates the modified internal rate of return (profit) for a series of cash-flow values generated by an investment.

@MOD(*x;y*)

Calculates the remainder (modulus) of *x/y*. The sign of the result matches the sign of *x*.

@MODE(*list*)

Calculates the most frequently occurring value in *list*.

@MODULO(*x;y*)

Calculates the remainder (modulus) of *x/y*. The sign of the result matches the sign of *y*.

@MONTH(*date-number*)

Extracts the month, a value from 1 through 12, from *date-number*.

## N



### @N(range)

Returns the entry in the first cell of *range* as a value. If the cell contains a label, @N returns the value 0.

### @NA

Returns the value NA (not available).

### @NEGBINOMDIST(failures;successes;probability-success)

Calculates the negative binomial distribution.

### @NETWORKDAYS(start-date;end-date;[holidays-range];[weekends])

Calculates the number of days from *start-date* through *end-date*, excluding weekends and holidays.

### @NEXTMONTH(start-date;months;[day-of-month];[basis])

Calculates the date number for the date that is a specified number of *months* before or after *start-date*.

### @NORMAL(x;[mean];[std];[type])

Calculates the normal distribution function for *x*.

### @NORMSINV(probability)

Calculates the inverse cumulative distribution function.

### @NOW

Calculates the date number (integer portion) and time number (decimal portion) that corresponds to the current date and time on your computer's clock.

### @NPER(payments;interest;future-value;[type];[present-value])

Calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal *payments* to accumulate to a *future-value* at a periodic *interest* rate.

### @NPV(interest;range;[type])

Calculates the net present value of a series of future cash-flow values (*range*), discounted at a fixed periodic *interest* rate.

### @NSUM(offset;n;list)

Adds every *n*th value in *list*, starting at *offset*.

### @NUMBERSTRING(number;type)

Converts *number* to the spelled-out Japanese text of the number, using the format specified in *type*.

## **O**

### @OCT2BIN(value;[places])

Converts an octal number to its binary equivalent.

### @OCT2DEC(value)

Converts an octal number to its decimal equivalent.

### @OCT2HEX(value;[places])

Converts an octal number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

### @ODD(x)

Rounds the value *x* away from 0 to the nearest odd integer.

## **P**

### @PAYMT(principal;interest;term;[type];[future-value])

Calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*).

### @PERCENTILE(x;range)

Calculates the *x*th sample percentile among the values in *range*.

### @PERMUT(n;r)

Calculates the number of ordered sequences (permutations) of *r* objects that can be selected from a total of *n* objects.

### @PI

Produces the value  $\pi$  (calculated at 3.14159265358979).

### @PMT(principal;interest;term)

Calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*), assuming an ordinary annuity.

### @PMT2(principal;interest;term)

Calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*), assuming an annuity-due convention.

### @PMTIC(principal;interest;term)

Calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*). Supports Canadian mortgage conventions.

@PMT(*principal;interest;term;period*)

Calculates the *interest* portion of a constant periodic payment.

@POISSON(*x;mean;[cumulative]*)

Calculates the Poisson distribution.

@PPAYMT(*principal;interest;term;start-period;[end-period];[type];[future-value]*)

Calculates the principal portion of the periodic payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*).

@PRANK(*x;range;[places]*)

Finds the percentile of *x* among the values in *range*.

@PRICE(*settlement;maturity;coupon;yield;[redemption];[frequency];[basis]*)

Calculates the price per \$100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest.

@PRICE2(*settlement;maturity;coupon;yield;[redemption];[basis]*)

Calculates the price per ¥100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

@PRICEDISC(*settlement;maturity;disc-rate;redemption;[basis]*)

Calculates the price per \$100 face value for a discounted security.

@PRICEMAT(*settlement;maturity;issue;coupon-rate;yield;[basis]*)

Calculates the price per \$100 face value for a security that pays all interest at maturity.

@PROB(*x-range;prob-range;lower-limit;[upper-limit]*)

Establishes a correspondence between the values in *x-range* and *prob-range* and calculates the probability that the values in *x-range* are between *lower-limit* and *upper-limit*.

@PRODUCT(*list*)

Multiplies the values in *list*.

@PROPER(*text*)

Capitalizes the first letter of each word in *text* and converts the remaining letters to lowercase.

@PUREAVG(*list*)

Calculates the average of the values in *list*, ignoring all cells that contain labels.

@PURECOUNT(*list*)

Counts the cells in a *list* of ranges, excluding cells that contain labels.

@PUREMAX(*list*)

Finds the largest value in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

@PUREMEDIAN(*list*)

Returns the median value in *list*, ignoring blank cells, labels, and formulas that result in labels.

@PUREMIN(*list*)

Finds the smallest value in *list*, ignoring all cells that contain labels.

@PURESTD(*list*)

Calculates the population standard deviation of the values in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

@PURESTDS(*list*)

Calculates the sample standard deviation of the values in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

@PUREVAR(*list*)

Calculates the population variance in the values in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

@PUREVARS(*list*)

Calculates the sample population variance in the values in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

@PV(*payments;interest;term*)

Calculates the present value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, discounted at a periodic *interest* rate over the periods in *term*, assuming an ordinary annuity.

@PV2(*payments;interest;term*)

Calculates the present value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, discounted at a periodic *interest* rate over the number of periods in *term*, assuming an annuity-due convention.

@PVAL(*payments;interest;term;[type];[future-value]*)

Calculates the present value of an investment with a specified *future-value*, for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due.

@PVAMOUNT(*future-value;interest;term;[frequency]*)

Returns the present value of a lump sum to be received at a given number of periods in the future (*term*) and discounted at a given *interest* rate.

## Q

@QUARTILE(*tile;range*)

Returns a given quartile.

@QUOTIENT(*x;y*)

Calculates the result of  $x/y$ , truncated to an integer.

## R

@RADIX(*value;from-radix;to-radix;[max-length];[fraction]*)

Converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

@RADTODEG(*radians*)

Converts *radians* to degrees.

@RAND

Generates a random value between 0 and 1 to 15 significant digits. Each time 1-2-3 recalculates your work, @RAND generates a new random value.

@RANDBETWEEN(*first-num;second-num*)

Generates a random value between two specified numbers.

@RANGENAME(*cell*)

Returns the name of the range in which *cell* is located.

@RANK(*item;range;[order]*)

Calculates the relative size or position of a value in a *range* relative to other values in the range.

@RATE(*future-value;present-value;term*)

Calculates the periodic interest rate necessary for an investment to grow to a *future-value* over the periods in *term*.

@RECEIVED(*settlement;maturity;investment;disc-rate;[basis]*)

Calculates the total amount received at maturity for a fully invested security.

@REFCONVERT(*reference*)

Converts the column or sheet letters A through IV to numbers 1 through 256, and numbers 1 through 256 to their corresponding letters.

@REGRESSION(*x-range;y-range;attribute;[compute]*)

Performs multiple linear regression and returns the specified statistic.

@REPEAT(*text;n*)

Duplicates *text* the number of times specified by *n*.

@REPLACE(*original-text;start-number;n;new-text*)

Replaces *n* characters in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at *start-number*.

@REPLACEB(*original-text;start-number;n;new-text*)

Replaces *n* bytes in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at byte *start-number*.

@RIGHT(*text;n*)

Returns the last *n* characters in *text*.

@RIGHTB(*text;n*)

Returns the last *n* bytes in *text*.

@ROUND(*x;n*)

Rounds the value *x* to the nearest multiple of the power of 10 specified by *n*.

@ROUNDDOWN(*x;[n];[direction]*)

Rounds the value *x* down to the nearest multiple of the power of 10 specified by *n*.

@ROUNDM(*x;multiple;[direction]*)

Rounds the value *x* to the nearest *multiple*.

@ROUNDUP(*x;[n];[direction]*)

Rounds the value *x* up to the nearest multiple of the power of 10 specified by *n*.

@ROW(*range*)

Returns the number of the first row in *range*.

@ROWS(*range*)

Counts the number of rows in *range*.

@RSQ(*y-range;x-range*)

Calculates the square of the Pearson product moment correlation coefficient for the values in *y-range* and *x-range*.

## S

@S(*range*)

Returns the entry in the first cell in *range* as a label.

@SCENARIOINFO(*option;name;[creator]*)

Returns information about a version group.

@SCENARIOLAST(*file-name*)

Returns the name of the last-displayed version group in a workbook during the current 1-2-3 session.

@SEC(*x*)

Calculates the secant of angle *x*.

@SECH(*x*)

Calculates the hyperbolic secant of angle *x*.

@SECOND(*time-number*)

Extracts the seconds, an integer from 0 through 59, from *time-number*.

@SEMEAN(*range*)

Calculates the standard error of the sample mean for the values in *range*.

@SERIESSUM(*x;n;m;coefficients*)

Calculates the sum of a power series.

@SETSTRING(*text;length;[alignment]*)

Returns a label that is *length* characters long.

@SHEET(*range*)

Returns the number of the first sheet in *range*.

@SHEETS(*range*)

Counts the number of sheets in *range*.

@SIGN(*x*)

Returns 1 if *x* is a positive value, 0 if *x* is 0, and -1 if *x* is a negative value.

@SIN(*x*)

Calculates the sine of angle *x*.

@SINH(*x*)

Calculates the hyperbolic sine of angle *x*.

@SKEWNESS(*range;[type]*)

Calculates the skewness of the values in *range*.

@SLN(*cost;salvage;life*)

Calculates the straight-line depreciation allowance of an asset with an initial *cost*, an expected useful *life*, and a final value of *salvage*, for one period.

@SMALL(*range;n*)

Finds the *n*th smallest value in *range*.

@SPI(*principal;interest;term;period*)

Calculates the interest portion of a periodic payment where the principal portion is the same in each period.

@SQRT(*x*)

Returns the positive square root of *x*.

@SQRTPI(*x*)

Calculates the square root of  $x \cdot \pi$ .

@STANDARDIZE(*x;mean;standard-deviation*)

Calculates a standardized value from a distribution characterized by mean and standard deviation.

@STD(*list*)

Calculates the population standard deviation of the values in *list*.

@STDS(*list*)

Calculates the sample standard deviation of the values in *list*.

@STEYX(*y-range;x-range*)

Calculates the standard error of the Y estimate.

@STRING(*x;n*)

Converts the value *x* to a label using the format specified by *n*.

@SUBTOTAL(list)

Adds the values in *list*. Use @SUBTOTAL to indicate which cells @GRANDTOTAL should sum.

@SUM(list)

Adds the values in *list*.

@SUMIF(range;criteria;[sum-range])

Adds the values in a range that meet specified *criteria*.

@SUMNEGATIVE(list)

Sums only the negative values in *list*.

@SUMPOSITIVE(list)

Sums only the positive values in *list*.

@SUMPRODUCT(list)

Multiplies the values in corresponding cells in a *list* of ranges and then sums the products.

@SUMSQ(list)

Calculates the sum of the squares of the values in *list*.

@SUMX2MY2(x-range;y-range)

Squares the values in *x-range* and *y-range*, subtracts each *y-range* square from the corresponding *x-range* square, and then sums the results.

@SUMX2PY2(x-range;y-range)

Squares the values in *x-range* and *y-range*, sums each square from the first range and the corresponding square from the second range, and then sums the results.

@SUMXMY2(range1;range2)

Subtracts the values in *range2* from the corresponding cells in *range1*, squares the differences, and then sums the results.

@SYD(cost;salvage;life;period)

Calculates the sum-of-the-years'-digits depreciation allowance of an asset for a specified *period*.

## T

@TAN(x)

Calculates the tangent of angle *x*.

@TANH(x)

Calculates the hyperbolic tangent of angle *x*.

@TBILLEQ(settlement;maturity;disc-rate)

Calculates the bond-equivalent yield for a Treasury bill.

@TBILLPRICE(settlement;maturity;disc-rate)

Calculates the price per \$100 face value for a Treasury bill.

@TBILLYIELD(settlement;maturity;price)

Calculates the yield for a Treasury bill.

@TDATESTRING(date-value)

Converts *date-value* to a Thai date string in short format.

@TDIGIT(digit-string)

Converts a *digit-string* in Arabic numbers to an equivalent string with Thai numeric characters.

@TDIST(x;degrees-freedom;[type];[tails])

Calculates the Student's *t*-distribution.

@TDOW(date-value)

Converts *date-value* to the day of the week in Thai.

@TERM(payments;interest;future-value)

Calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal *payments* to accumulate a *future-value* at a periodic *interest* rate, assuming an ordinary annuity.

@TERM2(payments;interest;future-value)

Calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal *payments* to accumulate a *future-value* at a periodic *interest* rate, assuming an annuity-due convention.

@TFIND(search-text;text;start-column)

Calculates the logical Thai character position in *text* at which 1-2-3 finds the first occurrence of *search-text*, beginning

at the Thai character indicated by *start-column*. Used with Thai character strings.

@TIME(*hour;minutes;seconds*)

Calculates the time number for the specified *hour*, *minutes*, and *seconds*.

@TIMEVALUE(*text*)

Calculates the time number for the time specified in *text*.

@TLDATESTRING(*date-value*)

Converts *date-value* to a Thai date string in long format.

@TLEFT(*text;n*)

Returns the first *n* logical Thai characters in *text*. Used with Thai character strings.

@TLENGTH(*text*)

Counts the number of logical Thai characters in *text*. Used with Thai character strings.

@TMID(*text;start-number;n*)

Copies *n* logical Thai characters from *text*, beginning with the Thai character at *start-number*. Used with Thai character strings.

@TNUMBERSTRING(*number*)

Converts *number* to a spelled-out Thai number string.

@TODAY

Calculates the date number that corresponds to the current date on your computer.

@TREPLACE(*original-text;start-number;n;new-text*)

Replaces *n* logical Thai characters in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at *start-number*. Used with Thai character strings.

@TRIGHT(*text;n*)

Returns the last *n* logical Thai characters in *text*. Used with Thai character strings.

@TRIM(*text*)

Removes leading, trailing, and consecutive space characters from *text*.

@TRIMMEAN(*list;percent*)

Returns the trimmed mean of the values in *list*.

@TRUE

Returns the logical value 1 (true).

@TRUNC(*x;[n]*)

Truncates *x* to the number of decimal places specified by *n*.

@TTEST(*range1;range2;[type];[tails]*)

Performs a Student's *t*-test on the data in *range1* and *range2* and returns the associated probability.

## U

@UPPER(*text*)

Converts all the letters in *text* to uppercase.

## V

@VALUE(*text*)

Converts a number entered as *text* to its corresponding value.

@VAR(*list*)

Calculates the population variance of the values in *list*.

@VARS(*list*)

Calculates the sample population variance of the values in *list*.

@VDB(*cost;salvage;life;start-period;end-period;[depreciation-factor];[switch]*)

Calculates the depreciation allowance of an asset for a specified period using the variable-rate declining balance method.

@VERSIONCURRENT(*range*)

Returns the name of the current version in *range*.

@VERSIONDATA(*option;cell;version-range;name;[creator]*)

Returns the contents of a specified cell in a version.

@VERSIONINFO(*option;version-range;name;[creator]*)

Returns information about a version.

@VLOOKUP(*x;range;column-offset*)

Finds the contents of the cell in a specified column of a vertical lookup table.

## W

@WEEKDAY(*date*)

Extracts the day of the week, an integer from 0 (Monday) through 6 (Sunday), from *date*.

@WEIBULL(*x;alpha;beta;type*)

Returns information about the Weibull distribution.

@WEIGHTAVG(*data-range;weights-range;[type]*)

Calculates the weighted average of values in *data-range*.

@WORKDAY(*start-date;days;[holidays-range];[weekends]*)

Calculates the date number for the date that is a specified number of *days* before or after *start-date*.

## X

@XINDEX(*range;column-heading;row-heading;[worksheet-heading]*)

Returns the contents of a cell located at the intersection specified by *column-heading*, *row-heading*, and *worksheet-heading*.

@XIRR(*guess;cashflows;dates*)

Returns the internal rate of return for a series of cash inflows and outflows.

@XNPV(*rate;cashflows;dates*)

Returns the net present value of a series of cash inflows and outflows.

## Y

@YEAR(*date-number;type*)

Extracts the year, an integer from 0 (the year 1900) through 8099 (the year 9999), from *date-number*.

@YEARFRAC(*date1;date2;[basis]*)

Calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

@YIELD(*settlement;maturity;coupon;price;[redemption];[frequency];[basis]*)

Returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest.

@YIELD2(*settlement;maturity;coupon;price;[redemption];[basis]*)

Returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

@YIELDDISC(*settlement;maturity;price;redemption;[basis]*)

Calculates the yield for a discounted security.

@YIELDMAT(*settlement;maturity;issue;coupon-rate;price;[basis]*)

Calculates the yield for an interest-at-maturity security.

## Z

@ZTEST(*range1;mean1;std1;[tails];[range2];[mean2];[std2]*)

Performs a z-test on one or two populations and returns the associated probability.

## **@ABS**

@ABS(x) calculates the absolute (positive) value of x.

### **Arguments**

x is any value.

### **Notes**

Use -@ABS to force the result of the @function to be negative.

### **Examples**

@ABS(A5) = 25 if cell A5 contains the value 25, -25, or a formula that results in 25 or -25.

-@ABS(A5) = -25 if cell A5 contains the value 25, -25, or a formula that results in 25 or -25.

@ABS(START-END) = 5.6, when START and END contain any combination of positive or negative numbers that differ by 5.6 or -5.6.



## @ACCRUED

@ACCRUED(*settlement*; *issue*; *first-interest*; *coupon*; [*par*]; [*frequency*]; [*basis*]) calculates the accrued interest for securities with periodic interest payments. @ACCRUED supports short, standard, and log coupon periods.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number. If *settlement* is less than *issue*, @ACCRUED returns ERR.

*issue* is the security's issue or dated date. *issue* is a date number.

*first-interest* is the security's first interest date. *first-interest* is a date number. If *first-interest* is less than or equal to *issue*, @ACCRUED returns ERR.

*coupon* is the security's annual coupon rate. *coupon* is any positive value or 0.

*par* is an optional argument that specifies the security's par value, that is, the principal to be paid at maturity. *par* is a positive value. If you do not include the *par* argument, 1-2-3 uses 100.

*frequency* is an optional argument that specifies the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is a value from the following table:

<u>frequency</u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly
12	Monthly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is a value from the following table:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Examples

A bond has a July 1, 1993, settlement date, a December 1, 1992 issue date, and a June 1, 1993, first interest date. The semiannual coupon rate is 5.50%. The bond has a \$100 par value, and a 30/360 day-count basis.

To determine the bond's accrued interest:

@ACCRUED(@DATE(93;7;1);@DATE(92;12;1);@DATE(93;6;1);0.055;100;2;0) = 0.458333

### Similar @functions

@ACCRUED2 calculates the accrued interest for securities with periodic interest payments, using Japanese conventions.

@PRICE calculates the price per \$100 face value for a bond. @YIELD calculates the yield for securities that pay periodic interest. @DURATION calculates the annual duration and @MDURATION calculates the modified annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest.



## **@ACOS**

**@ACOS**( $x$ ) calculates the arc (inverse) cosine using the cosine  $x$  of an angle. The result of **@ACOS** is an angle, in radians, from 0 through  $\pi$ . This represents an angle between 0 and 180 degrees.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is the cosine of an angle and is a value from -1 through 1.

### **Examples**

The cosine of an angle is 0.5. To determine the size of the angle, use **@ACOS**(0.5), which returns 1.0472 radians. To convert this to degrees, use **@RADTODEG**(1.0472). The result is 60 degrees.

### **Similar @functions**

@COS calculates the cosine of an angle. @ACOSH calculates the arc hyperbolic cosine of a value.

## **@ACOSH**

@ACOSH(x) calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic cosine using the hyperbolic cosine x of an angle.

### **Arguments**

x is the hyperbolic cosine of an angle and is a value greater than or equal to 1.

### **Examples**

@ACOSH(2) = 1.316958

### **Similar @functions**

@ACOS calculates the arc cosine of a value. @COSH calculates the hyperbolic cosine of an angle.

## **@ACOT**

**@ACOT**( $x$ ) calculates the arc (inverse) cotangent using the cotangent  $x$  of an angle. The result of **@ACOT** is an angle, in radians, from 0 through  $\pi$ . This represents an angle between 0 and 180 degrees.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is the cotangent of an angle and can be any value.

### **Examples**

The cotangent of angle  $x$  is 1.732051. To determine the size of angle  $x$ , use **@ACOT**(1.732051), which returns 0.523599 radians. To convert this to degrees, use **@RADTODEG**(0.523599). The result is 30 degrees.

### **Similar @functions**

@COT calculates the cotangent of an angle. @ATAN calculates the arc tangent of a value.

## **@ACOTH**

@ACOTH(x) calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic cotangent using the hyperbolic cotangent x of an angle.

### **Arguments**

x is the hyperbolic cotangent of an angle and is any value less than -1 or greater than 1.

### **Examples**

@ACOTH(2) = 0.549306

### **Similar @functions**

@ACOT calculates the arc cotangent of a value. @COTH calculates the hyperbolic cotangent of an angle.

## **@ACSC**

**@ACSC**( $x$ ) calculates the arc (inverse) cosecant using the cosecant  $x$  of an angle. The result of **@ACSC** is an angle, in radians, from  $-\pi/2$  through  $\pi/2$ . This represents an angle between -90 and 90 degrees.

## **Arguments**

$x$  is the cosecant of an angle and is a value greater than or equal to 1, or less than or equal to -1.

## **Examples**

The cosecant of angle  $x$  is 1.743447. To determine the size of angle  $x$ , use **@ACSC**(1.743447), which returns 0.610865 radians. To convert this to degrees, use **@RADTODEG**(0.610865). The result is 35 degrees.

## **Similar @functions**

**@ACSCH** calculates the arc hyperbolic cosecant of a value. **@CSC** calculates the cosecant of an angle.

## **@ACSCH**

@ACSCH(x) calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic cosecant using the hyperbolic cosecant x of an angle.

### **Arguments**

x is the hyperbolic cosecant of an angle and is a value other than 0.

### **Examples**

@ACSCH(1.54) = 0.61068

### **Similar @functions**

@ACSC calculates the arc cosecant of a value. @CSCH calculates the hyperbolic cosecant of an angle.



## **@ASEC**

**@ASEC**( $x$ ) calculates the arc (inverse) secant using the secant  $x$  of an angle. The result of **@ASEC** is an angle, in radians, from 0 through  $\pi$ . This represents an angle between 0 and 180 degrees.

## **Arguments**

$x$  is the secant of an angle and is a value less than or equal to -1 or greater than or equal to 1.

## **Examples**

In a right triangle, the secant of angle  $x$  is 2. To determine the size of angle  $x$ , use **@ASEC**(2), which returns 1.047198 radians. To convert this to degrees, use **@RADTODEG**(1.047198). The result is 60 degrees.

## **Similar @functions**

@SEC calculates the secant of an angle. @ASECH calculates the arc hyperbolic secant of a value.

## **@ASECH**

@ASECH(x) calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic secant using the hyperbolic secant x of an angle.

### **Arguments**

x is the hyperbolic secant of an angle and is a value greater than 0 and less than or equal to 1.

### **Examples**

@ASECH(0.5) = 1.316958

### **Similar @functions**

@ASEC calculates the arc secant of an angle. @SECH calculates the hyperbolic secant of an angle.

## **@ASIN**

**@ASIN**( $x$ ) calculates the arc (inverse) sine using the sine  $x$  of an angle. The result of **@ASIN** is an angle, in radians, from  $-\pi/2$  through  $\pi/2$ . This represents an angle between -90 and 90 degrees.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is the sine of an angle and is a value from -1 through 1.

### **Examples**

The sine of angle  $x$  is 0.66. To determine the size of angle  $x$ , use **@ASIN**(0.66), which returns 0.72082 radians. To convert this to degrees, use **@RADTODEG**(0.72082). The result is 41.3 degrees.

### **Similar @functions**

@SIN calculates the sine of an angle. @ASINH calculates the arc hyperbolic sine of a value.

## **@ASINH**

@ASINH(x) calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic sine using the hyperbolic sine x of an angle.

### **Arguments**

x is the hyperbolic sine of an angle and is any value.

### **Examples**

@ASINH(2) = 1.443635

### **Similar @functions**

@SINH calculates the hyperbolic sine of an angle. @ASIN calculates the arc sine of a value.

## **@ATAN**

@ATAN(x) calculates the arc (inverse) tangent using the tangent  $x$  of an angle. The result of @ATAN is an angle, in radians, from  $-\pi/2$  through  $\pi/2$ . This represents an angle between -90 and 90 degrees.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is the tangent of an angle and is any value.

### **Examples**

The tangent of angle  $x$  is  $2/1$ , or  $2$ . To determine the size of angle  $x$ , use @ATAN(2), which returns 1.10715 radians. To convert this to degrees, use @RADTODEG(1.10715). The result is 63.4 degrees.

### **Similar @functions**

@ATANH calculates the arc hyperbolic tangent of a value. @ATAN2 calculates the size of an angle whose tangent is  $y/x$ . @TAN calculates the tangent of an angle.

## **@ATAN2**

**@ATAN2(x;y)** calculates the arc tangent using the tangent  $y/x$  of an angle. The result of **@ATAN2** is an angle, in radians, from  $-\pi$  through  $\pi$ . This represents an angle between -180 and 180 degrees, depending on the sign of  $x$  and  $y$  (see the list below).

### **Arguments**

$x$  and  $y$  are values. If  $y$  is 0, **@ATAN2** returns 0; if both  $x$  and  $y$  are 0, **@ATAN2** returns ERR.

### **Notes**

The list below gives the value ranges for **@ATAN2**.

- If  $x$  is positive and  $y$  is positive, then the result can be from 0 to  $\pi/2$  (quadrant I).
- If  $x$  is negative and  $y$  is positive, then the result can be from  $\pi/2$  to  $\pi$  (quadrant II).
- If  $x$  is negative and  $y$  is negative, then the result can be from  $-\pi$  to  $-\pi/2$  (quadrant III).
- If  $x$  is positive and  $y$  is negative, then the result can be from  $-\pi/2$  to 0 (quadrant IV).

When  $x$  and  $y$  are both positive (quadrant I), and when  $x$  is positive and  $y$  is negative (quadrant IV), the results are the same as for **@ATAN**.

### **Examples**

In a right triangle, the two sides that form the right angle measure 1 and 2. To determine the size of the larger of the two acute angles, use **@ATAN2(1;2)**, which returns 1.10715 radians. To convert this to degrees, use **@RADTODEG(1.10715)**. The result is 63.4 degrees.

### **Similar @functions**

**@ATAN** calculates the arc tangent using the tangent  $x$  of an angle. **@TAN** calculates the tangent of an angle.

## **@ATANH**

@ATANH(x) calculates the arc (inverse) hyperbolic tangent using the hyperbolic tangent x.

### **Arguments**

x is the hyperbolic tangent of an angle and is a value between -1 and 1.

### **Examples**

@ATANH(0.544736) = 0.610865

### **Similar @functions**

@ATAN calculates the arc tangent of a value. @ATAN2 calculates the size of an angle whose tangent is y/x. @TANH calculates the hyperbolic tangent of an angle.

## **@AVEDEV**

**@AVEDEV**(*list*) calculates the average of the absolute deviations of the values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

@AVEDEV

### **Similar @functions**

@STD and @PURESTD calculate the standard deviation of the values in a list. @DEVSQ calculates the sum of squared deviations of the values in a list.



**Example: @AVEDEV**

This table lists house sales for the month of April. The ages (in years) of the houses are listed in a range named AGE\_LIST (C2..C8). You want to determine the average deviation of the ages of the houses in the list:

**@AVEDEV(AGE\_LIST) = 15.18**

A	---	A	-----	B	---	C	---	D	----
1		ADDRESS		LOT		AGE		COST	
2		12 Bartholomew Sq		0.25		48		\$290,000	
3		40 Prospect St		0.40		22		\$105,000	
4		103 Cranberry La		0.50		21		\$135,000	
5		27 Kilburn St		1.00		70		\$128,000	
6		468 Henshaw St		0.50		52		\$174,000	
7		9 Pleasant St		0.25		42		\$195,000	
8		80 Beach St		0.25		23		\$118,000	

## **@AVG, @PUREAVG**

**@AVG**(*list*) calculates the average of a *list* of values.

**@PUREAVG**(*list*) calculates the average of a *list* of values, ignoring all cells that contain labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

**@AVG**(A2..A5) = 252.75, when A2..A5 contains the values 160, 227, 397, and 227.

**@AVG**(A1..A5) = 202.20, when A1..A5 contains the values 160, 227, 397, and 227, and the label January. (**@AVG** counts the label as zero and uses it in the calculation.)

**@PUREAVG**(A1..A5) = 252.75, because **@PUREAVG** ignores the label January.

### **Similar @functions**

**@DAVG** finds the average of values in a field of a database table that meet criteria you specify.

**@GEOMEAN** and **@HARMEAN** calculate the geometric and the harmonic mean of the values in a list. **@TRIMMEAN** calculates the trimmed mean of the values in a list.

**@MEDIAN** finds the median value in a list of values.

**@MODE** calculates the most frequently occurring value in a list.

## **@BESSELI, @BESSELJ, @BESSELK, @BESSELY**

@BESSELI( $x;n$ ) calculates the modified Bessel function of integer order  $I_n(x)$ .

@BESSELJ( $x;n$ ) calculates the Bessel function of integer order  $J_n(x)$ .

@BESSELK( $x;n$ ) calculates the modified Bessel function of integer order  $K_n(x)$ .

@BESSELY( $x;n$ ) calculates the Bessel function of integer order  $Y_n(x)$ , also known as the Neumann function.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is the value at which to evaluate the function and is any value.

$n$  is the order of the function and is any positive integer. For @BESSELI and @BESSELJ,  $n$  can also be 0.

### **Notes**

@BESSELI, @BESSELJ, @BESSELK, and @BESSELY approximate their respective functions to within  $\pm 5 \times 10^{-8}$ .

Bessel functions are often used in problems with cylindrical symmetry, in connection with wave propagation, fluid motion, elasticity, and diffusion.

### **Examples**

@BESSELI(2;2) = 0.688948

@BESSELJ(1;0) = 0.765198

@BESSELK(3;0) = 0.03474

@BESSELY(1;1) = -0.781213

## **@BETA**

@BETA(z;w) calculates the beta function.

### **Arguments**

z and w can be any real values other than zero or a negative integer.

### **Notes**

The result of @BETA is accurate to within at least six significant digits.

### **Examples**

@BETA(0.5;0.5) = 3.141593

### **Similar @functions**

@BETA calculates the incomplete beta function. @GAMMA calculates the gamma function.

## **@BETAI**

@BETAI( $a;b;x$ ) returns the incomplete beta function.

### **Arguments**

$a$  and  $b$  can be any values.

$x$  is a value from 0 through 1.

### **Notes**

The result of @BETAI is accurate to within at least six significant digits.

### **Examples**

@BETAI(5;0.5;0.668271) = 0.050012

### **Similar @functions**

@BETA calculates the beta function.

## @BINOMIAL

@BINOMIAL(*trials*; *successes*; *probability*; [*type*]) calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution.

### Arguments

*trials* is the number of independent trials. *trials* is any positive integer.

*successes* is the number of successes in *trials* and is any positive integer or 0 and must be less than or equal to *trials*.

If *trials* and *successes* are not integers, 1-2-3 truncates them to integers.

*probability* is the probability of success on each trial and is any value from 0 through 1.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether 1-2-3 calculates the probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution.

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates</b>
0	The probability of exactly <i>successes</i> number of successes; default if you omit the argument
1	The probability of at most <i>successes</i> number of successes
2	The probability of at least <i>successes</i> number of successes

### Notes

@BINOMIAL approximates the cumulative binomial distribution to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

### Examples

You randomly select ten cola drinkers to participate in a blind taste test. You give each subject a glass of cola A and a glass of cola B. The glasses are identical in appearance, except for a code on the bottom to identify the cola.

Assuming there is no tendency among cola drinkers to prefer one brand of cola to another, the probability that a test participant prefers cola A is 50%.

To determine the probability that exactly 7 out of 10 test participants prefer cola A:

@BINOMIAL(10;7;0.5) = 0.117188, or 11.72%.

To determine the probability that at least 7 out of 10 test participants prefer cola A:

@BINOMIAL(10;7;0.5;2) = 0.171875, or 17.19%.

### Similar @functions

[@NEGBINOMDIST](#) calculates the negative binomial distribution. [@CRITBINOMIAL](#) calculates the largest value for which the cumulative binomial distribution is less than or equal to a specific criterion. [@PROB](#) calculates the probability that the values in a range are within a specified lower and upper limit. [@COMBIN](#) calculates the number of combinations for a specified number of values. [@PERMUT](#) calculates the number of permutations for a list of values. [@HYPGEOMDIST](#) calculates the hypergeometric distribution.

## @CELL, @CELLPOINTER

@CELL(*attribute;location*) returns information about the first cell in *location*.

@CELLPOINTER(*attribute*) returns information about the current cell.

### Arguments

*location* is the address or name of a range.

*attribute* is any of the items listed below, enclosed in " " (quotation marks), or the address or name of a cell that contains one of the items.

<u><i>attribute</i></u>	<u>Returns</u>
across	1 if data in the cell is aligned across columns 0 if data in the cell is not aligned across columns
address	The absolute address in abbreviated form (column letter and row number only)
backgroundcolor	The background color, as an integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a color in the color palette
bold	1 if the cell is formatted as bold 0 if the cell is not formatted as bold
bottomborder	An integer from 0 (no border) through 8 that specifies a line style
bottombordercolor	An integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a line color
col	The column letter, as an integer from 1 through 256 (1 for column A; 2 for column B; and so on)
color	1 if the cell is formatted for negative numbers in color 0 if the cell is not formatted for negative numbers in color
contents	The contents of the cell
coord	The absolute cell address in full form (sheet letter; column letter; and row number)
datatype	The type of data in the cell: b if the cell is blank v if the cell contains a number or a numeric formula l if the cell contains a label or text formula e if the cell contains the value <u>ERR</u> n if the cell contains the value <u>NA</u>
filedate	A value that corresponds to the date and time the workbook that contains the cell was last saved. This includes both a <u>date number</u> (integer portion) and a <u>time number</u> (decimal portion).
filename	The name of the workbook that contains the cell, including the path
fontface	The typeface of the data in the cell
fontsize	The point size of the data in the cell
format	The cell format:

	<p>C0- to C15- if Currency, 0 through 15 decimal places</p> <p>F0- to F15- if Fixed, 0 through 15 decimal places</p> <p>G- if General, a label, or a blank cell</p> <p>P0- to P15- if Percent, 0 through 15 decimal places</p> <p>S0- to S15- if Scientific, 0 through 15 decimal places</p> <p>,0- to ,15- if , (Comma), 0 through 15 decimal places</p> <p>D1 if Date format 31-Dec-96</p> <p>D2 if Date format 31-Dec</p> <p>D3 if Date format Dec-96</p> <p>D4 if Date format 12/31/96</p> <p>D5 if Date format 12/31</p> <p>D6 if Time format 11:59:59 PM</p> <p>D6 if Time format 1:59:59 PM</p> <p>D7 if Time format 11:59 PM</p> <p>D7 if Time format 1:59 PM</p> <p>D8 if Time format 23:59:59</p> <p>D8 if Time format 3:59:59</p> <p>D9 if Time format is 10:59 PM</p> <p>D9 if Time format 3:59</p> <p>L- if Label</p> <p>T- if Formula</p> <p>H if Hidden</p> <p>G- if Color for negative number</p> <p>G-() if Parentheses</p>
formulatyp	<p>The type of formula in the cell:</p> <p>b if the cell is blank</p> <p>v if the cell contains a number</p> <p>l if the cell contains a label</p> <p>fv if the cell contains a numeric formula</p> <p>fl if the cell contains a text formula</p> <p>fe if the cell contains a formula that evaluates to ERR</p> <p>fn if the cell contains a formula that evaluates to NA</p>
halign	<p>The horizontal alignment of data in the cell:</p> <p>0 if General (labels left-aligned; values right-aligned)</p> <p>1 if Left</p> <p>2 if Center</p> <p>3 if Right</p> <p>4 if Evenly spaced</p>
height	The row height, in points
italic	<p>1 if the cell is formatted as italics</p> <p>0 if the cell is not formatted as italics</p>
leftborder	An integer from 0 (no border) through 8 that specifies a line style
leftbordercolor	An integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a line color
orientation	The orientation for rotated text, as an integer from 0 through 4 that specifies an orientation
parentheses	1 if the cell is formatted for parentheses



	0 if the cell is not formatted for parentheses
pattern	An integer that specifies a pattern. 1-2-3 uses the following integers to specify patterns: 1 through 48, 51 through 63, 72, and 73.
patterncolor	The pattern color, as an integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a color in the color palette
prefix	' for a left-aligned label " for a right-aligned label ^ for a centered label \ for a repeating label   for a nonprinting label Blank (no label prefix) if the cell is blank or contains a value
protect	1 if the cell is protected 0 if the cell is not protected
rightborder	An integer from 0 (no border) through 8 that specifies a line style
rightbordercolor	An integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a line color
rotation	The rotation angle for rotated text, as an integer from 0 through 90 degrees
row	The row number, from 1 through 65536
sheet	The sheet letter, as an integer from 1 through 256 (1 for sheet A; 2 for sheet B; and so on)
sheetname	The sheet name, or, if the sheet is not named, the sheet letter
textcolor	The color of the data in the cell, as an integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a color in the color palette
topborder	An integer from 0 (no border) through 8 that specifies a line style
topbordercolor	An integer from 0 through 239 that specifies a line color
type	The type of data in the cell: b if the cell is blank v if the cell contains a numeric value, a <u>numeric formula</u> , or a <u>text formula</u> l if the cell contains a label
underline	The style of underline, as an integer from 0 (no underline) through 3 that specifies an underline style
valign	The vertical alignment of data in the cell: 0 if Bottom 1 if Center 2 if Top
width	The column width
wrap	1 if data is wrapped within the cell 0 if data is not wrapped within the cell

## Notes

Press F9 (CALC) to recalculate your work before you use @CELL or @CELLPOINTER to be sure the results are correct.

@CELL and @CELLPOINTER are useful in macros and in combination with @IF. Use @CELL to check input during a macro to guard against certain types of entries, and to direct macro execution using subroutines based on a user's entry. @CELL can also allow an automated application to change cell attributes based on a user's entries.

Use @CELLPOINTER to find the current location of the cell pointer or to evaluate a formula based on the contents of the current cell. You can then direct processing depending on the cell's contents or type.

You can substitute the attribute name type2 for datatype and the attribute name type3 for formulatype.

## Examples

The following example uses @CELL with @IF and @ERR to return an error (ERR) if the user does not type a value in the cell named AMT, and to return the contents of AMT (a value) if the user types a value.

```
@IF(@CELL("type";AMT)="v",AMT,@ERR)
```

The following example uses @CELLPOINTER in a macro that tests for a blank cell in a list of items. In the following example, if 1-2-3 encounters a blank cell, it beeps and branches to a subroutine.

```
{IF @CELLPOINTER("type")="b"}{BEEP}{BRANCH Step2}
```

## Similar @functions

@INFO returns information about the current 1-2-3 session.

@COLUMN returns the number of the leftmost column in a range. @ROW returns the number of the first row in a range. @SHEET returns the number of the first sheet in a range.

## **@CHAR**

**@CHAR(x)** returns the character of the Lotus Multibyte Character Set (LMBCS) that corresponds to the number *x*.

### **Arguments**

*x* is an integer. Values that do not correspond to LMBCS character codes return ERR. If *x* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it to an integer.

### **Notes**

If your monitor cannot display the character that corresponds to *x*, 1-2-3 displays a character that resembles the desired character, when possible. If no character approximates the character, 1-2-3 displays a solid rectangle, which represents an undisplayable character. Make sure your printer can print the characters you enter.

### **Examples**

**@CHAR(156)** = £ (British pound sign).

**@CHAR(D9)** = A, if cell D9 contains the value 65.

### **Similar @functions**

**@CODE** returns the LMBCS code that corresponds to a character.

## @CHIDIST

@CHIDIST(*x*; *degrees-freedom*; [*type*]) calculates the chi-square distribution.

### Arguments

*x* is the value at which to evaluate the chi-square distribution. The value you enter for *x* depends on the value you enter for *type*.

<u>If <i>type</i> is</u>	<u><i>x</i> is</u>
0	The critical value or upper bound for the value of the chi-square cumulative distribution random variable and is a value greater than or equal to 0; default if you omit the argument
1	A probability (significance level) and is a value from 0 through 1

*degrees-freedom* is the number of degrees of freedom for the sample. *degrees-freedom* is a positive integer. If *degrees-freedom* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it to an integer.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies how 1-2-3 calculates @CHIDIST.

<u><i>type</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 calculates</u>
0	The significance level corresponding to <i>x</i> ; default if you omit the argument
1	The critical value that corresponds to the significance level <i>x</i>

### Notes

@CHIDIST approximates the chi-square cumulative distribution to within  $\pm 3 \times 10^{-7}$ . If @CHIDIST cannot approximate the result to within 0.0000001 after 100 calculation iterations, the result is ERR.

The chi-square distribution is a continuous, single-parameter distribution derived as a special case of the gamma distribution.

Use @CHIDIST to test the validity of a hypothesis by comparing the values you observe with those you expect.

### Examples

@CHIDIST(12.592;6) = 0.05

@CHIDIST(0.05;6;1) = 12.59159

### Similar @functions

@CHITEST calculates the probability associated with a chi-square test. @FDIST calculates the *F*-distribution.

@TDIST calculates the Student's *t*-distribution.

## **@CHOOSE**

**@CHOOSE**(*x*; *list*) returns a value or label, represented by *x*, from *list*.

### **Arguments**

*x* is a value. *x* represents the offset number of an item's position in *list*.

*list* is a group of values or the addresses or names of cells that contain values and labels, separated by argument separators. 1-2-3 numbers each entry in *list*, and then chooses the entry that corresponds to the value of *x*.

### **Examples**

A worksheet contains a list of labels in the range A1..A4 and a list of their offset numbers (0; 1; 2; 3) in the range B1..B4.

**@CHOOSE**(B3;A1;A2;A3;A4) returns the label in A3, which is the item whose offset number is 2 (2 is the value in B3) in *list*.

### **Similar @functions**

**@HLOOKUP** and **@VLOOKUP** find entries in horizontal or vertical lookup tables. **@INDEX** and **@XINDEX** return the contents of a cell located at the intersection of a specified column, row, and worksheet. **@MATCH** returns the position of the cell in a range whose contents match data you specify. **@MAXLOOKUP** returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges. **@MINLOOKUP** returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.

## **@CLEAN**

@CLEAN(*text*) removes nonprinting characters from *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), the address or name of a cell that contains a label, or a formula or @function that results in text.

### **Examples**

You imported data into 1-2-3 from a word processing program. Cell A45 contains the label

®Second, we must act soon.↵

@CLEAN(A45) = Second, we must act soon.

### **Similar @functions**

@CHAR returns the LMBCS character that corresponds to a code number. @TRIM removes leading, trailing, and consecutive spaces from text.

## **@CODE**

**@CODE**(*text*) returns the Lotus Multibyte Character Set (LMBCS) code that corresponds to the first character in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), the address or name of a cell that contains a label, or a formula or @function that results in text.

### **Examples**

@CODE("A") = 65

@CODE(C5) = 77, if C5 contains the label Ms. Jones, because 77 is the LMBCS code for M.

### **Similar @functions**

@CHAR returns the LMBCS character that corresponds to a code number.

## **@COLS**

**@COLS**(*range*) counts the number of columns in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

### **Notes**

Use **@COLS** with {FOR} in a macro that repeats the same action on a series of columns to determine when the macro should stop.

### **Examples**

**@COLS**(D9..J25) = 7, because *range* contains columns D through J (seven columns).

**@COLS**(SCORES) = 2, if SCORES is the name of the range B3..C45.

### **Similar @functions**

**@REFCONVERT** converts the 1-2-3 column or worksheet letters A through IV to numbers from 1 through 256.

**@ROWS** counts the rows, and **@SHEETS** counts the worksheets, in a range.



## **@COMBIN**

**@COMBIN**( $n;r$ ) calculates the binomial coefficient for  $n$  and  $r$ . The binomial coefficient is the number of ways that  $r$  can be selected from  $n$ , without regard for order.

### **Arguments**

$n$  is the number of values and is any positive integer or 0.

$r$  is the number of values in each combination and is any positive integer or 0.  $r$  must be less than or equal to  $n$ .

If  $n$  and  $r$  are not integers, 1-2-3 truncates them to integers.

### **Notes**

**@COMBIN** approximates the binomial coefficient to within  $\pm 3*10^{-7}$ .

### **Examples**

A jar contains five marbles, each one a distinct color. You take out three marbles at random. The number of combinations of colors you could have is

**@COMBIN**(5;3) = 10

### **Similar @functions**

**@BINOMIAL** calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution.

**@CRITBINOMIAL** calculates the largest value for which the cumulative binomial distribution is less than or equal to a specific criterion. **@PERMUT** calculates the number of permutations for a list of values. **@HYPGEOMDIST** calculates the hypergeometric distribution.

## @COORD

@COORD(*sheet;column;row;absolute*) creates a cell reference from values that correspond to *sheet*, *column*, and *row*.

### Arguments

*sheet* and *column* are any integers from 1 through 256. *sheet* and *column* correspond to the sheet and column letters (1 for sheet or column A; 2 for sheet or column B; and so on).

*row* is any integer from 1 through 65536. *row* corresponds to the row number.

*absolute* is any integer from 1 through 8.

If *sheet*, *column*, *row*, and *absolute* are not integers, 1-2-3 truncates them to integers.

### Notes

@COORD creates a cell reference that is relative, absolute, or mixed, according to the value of *absolute*. The following table shows the possible values of *absolute* and their effect on the cell address A1 in sheet A.

<u><i>absolute</i></u>	<u>Value of @COORD(1;1;1;<i>absolute</i>)</u>
1	\$A:\$A\$1
2	\$A:A\$1
3	\$A:\$A1
4	\$A:A1
5	A:\$A\$1
6	A:A\$1
7	A:\$A1
8	A:A1

Use @COORD with @INDEX, @VLOOKUP, or @HLOOKUP to create cell addresses from tables of values in the current workbook. Use @COORD with @@ to return the value in the cell address created by @COORD.

### Examples

@COORD(3;7;25;8) returns the relative cell address C:G25.

@(@COORD(C1;D1;E4;8)) returns the value in cell A:A4 (C1 contains 1; D1 contains 1; and E4 contains 4).

### Similar @functions

@REFCONVERT converts the 1-2-3 column or sheet letters A through IV to numbers from 1 through 256.

## **@CORREL**

**@CORREL**(*range1*;*range2*) calculates the correlation coefficient of values in *range1* and *range2*.

### **Arguments**

*range1* and *range2* are range names or addresses. *range1* and *range2* must be the same size. If *range1* and *range2* are not the same size, **@CORREL** returns ERR.

1-2-3 pairs cells in the two ranges by their order in the range. Ranges are ordered from top to bottom, left to right, first sheet through last.

### **Notes**

Correlation and covariance both measure the relationship between two sets of data. However, the correlation statistic is independent of the unit of measure, while the covariance statistic is dependent on the unit of measure.

### **Examples**

**@CORREL**

### **Similar @functions**

**@COV** calculates the covariance of the values in two ranges.

**@RSQ** calculates the square of the Pearson product moment correlation coefficient. **@FISHER** calculates the Fisher transformation of a value. **@FISHERINV** calculates the inverse of the Fisher transformation.

**Example: @CORREL**

You want to determine if there is a relationship between height and weight among ten randomly selected test subjects. You record the subjects' heights and weights in a worksheet.

**@CORREL(A2..A11;B2..B11) = 0.384947**

A	-----	A	-----	B	---
1		HEIGHT (cm)		WEIGHT (kg)	
2		190.50		72.73	
3		187.96		86.36	
4		175.26		68.18	
5		175.26		76.37	
6		180.34		77.27	
7		180.34		72.73	
8		187.96		75.00	
9		172.72		68.18	
10		177.80		70.46	
11		179.07		86.36	

## **@COS**

@COS( $x$ ) calculates the cosine of angle  $x$ . The cosine is the ratio of the side adjacent an acute angle of a right triangle to the hypotenuse. The result of @COS is a value from -1 through 1.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is an angle measured in radians.  $x$  can be any value from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63}$ .

### **Examples**

@COS(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 0.866, the cosine of a 30-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@ACOS calculates the arc cosine of a value. @COSH calculates the hyperbolic cosine of a value.

## **@COSH**

@COSH(x) calculates the hyperbolic cosine of x. The result of @COSH is a value greater than or equal to 1.

### **Arguments**

x can be any value from approximately -709.7827 through 709.7827.

### **Examples**

@COSH(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 1.140238, the hyperbolic cosine of a 30-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@ACOS calculates the arc (inverse) cosine of a value. @COS calculates the cosine of an angle.

## **@COT**

**@COT(x)** calculates the cotangent of angle  $x$ . The cotangent is the ratio of the side adjacent an acute angle of a right triangle to the opposite side.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is an angle measured in radians.  $x$  can be any value from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63}$ .

### **Examples**

**@COT(@DEGTORAD(30))** = 1.73205, the cotangent of a 30-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

**@ACOT** calculates the arc cotangent of a value. **@COTH** calculates the hyperbolic cotangent of an angle. **@TAN** calculates the tangent of an angle.

## **@COTH**

@COTH(x) calculates the hyperbolic cotangent of x.

### **Arguments**

x can be any value from approximately -709.7827 through 709.7827 except 0.

### **Examples**

@COTH(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 2.081283, the hyperbolic cotangent of a 30-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@ACOTH calculates the arc hyperbolic cotangent of a value. @COT calculates the cotangent of an angle. @TANH calculates the hyperbolic tangent of an angle.



## **@COUNT, @PURECOUNT**

@COUNT(*list*) counts the nonblank cells in a *list* of ranges.

@PURECOUNT(*list*) counts the cells in a *list* of ranges, excluding cells that contain labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* is any combination of range addresses or names, separated by argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Notes**

@COUNT counts every cell in *list* that contains an entry of any kind, including a label, a label-prefix character, or the values ERR and NA.

@COUNT and @PURECOUNT are useful to stop (or divert) a macro that performs a task on a series of ranges when the cell pointer reaches a range that has no entries.

### **Examples**

@COUNT(A2..A3;A5) = 1, if A2..A3 is blank and whether or not A5 is blank, because A5 is a single-cell address.

{IF @PURECOUNT(SEPTEMBER)=0}{BRANCH YTD} branches to a macro called YTD if the range named SEPTEMBER is blank or contains a label, label prefix, or text formula.

### **Similar @functions**

@DCOUNT and @DPURECOUNT count the nonblank cells in a field of a database table that meet criteria you specify.

@COUNTIF counts the number of cells in a range that meet specified criteria.

## **@COV**

**@COV**(*range1*; *range2*; [*type*]) calculates either the population or sample covariance of the values in *range1* and *range2*.

### **Arguments**

*range1* and *range2* are the names or addresses of ranges. *range1* and *range2* must be the same size. If *range1* or *range2* are not the same size, **@COV** returns ERR.

1-2-3 pairs cells in the two ranges by their same order in the range. Ranges are ordered from top to bottom, left to right, first sheet through last.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate the population or sample covariance.

<b><u>type</u></b>	<b><u>1-2-3 calculates</u></b>
0	Population covariance; default if you omit the argument
1	Sample covariance

### **Notes**

Covariance is the average of the products of deviations of corresponding values in lists.

Correlation and covariance both measure the relationship between two sets of data. The correlation statistic, however, is independent of the unit of measure, and the covariance statistic is dependent on the unit of measure.

### **Examples**

Example: @COV

### **Similar @functions**

@VAR and @PUREVAR calculate the population variance, and @VARS and @PUREVARS calculate the sample variance of values in a list. @CORREL calculates the correlation coefficient of corresponding values in two ranges. @RSQ calculates the square of the Pearson product moment correlation coefficient. @FISHER calculates the Fisher transformation of a value. @FISHERINV calculates the inverse of the Fisher transformation.

**Example: @COV**

You want to determine if there is a relationship between height and weight among ten randomly selected test subjects. You record the subjects' heights and weights in a worksheet.

@COV(A2..A11;B2..B11) = 13.8872

A	-----	A	-----	B	----
1		HEIGHT (cm)		WEIGHT (kg)	
2		190.50		72.73	
3		187.96		86.36	
4		175.26		68.18	
5		175.26		76.37	
6		180.34		77.27	
7		180.34		72.73	
8		187.96		75.00	
9		172.72		68.18	
10		177.80		70.46	
11		179.07		86.36	

## **@CSC**

**@CSC(x)** calculates the cosecant of angle  $x$ . The cosecant is the reciprocal of the sine. The result of **@CSC** is a value greater than or equal to 1, or less than or equal to -1.

## **Arguments**

$x$  is an angle measured in radians.  $x$  can be any non-zero value from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63}$ .

## **Examples**

**@CSC(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 2**, the cosecant of a 30-degree angle.

## **Similar @functions**

@ACSC calculates the arc cosecant of a value. @CSCH calculates the hyperbolic cosecant of an angle. @SIN calculates the sine of an angle.

## **@CSCH**

**@CSCH(x)** calculates the hyperbolic cosecant of angle  $x$ . The hyperbolic cosecant is the reciprocal of the hyperbolic sine.

## **Arguments**

$x$  can be any value from approximately -709.7827 to approximately 709.7827.

## **Examples**

**@CSCH(@DEGTORAD(30))** = 1.825306, the hyperbolic cosecant of a 30-degree angle.

## **Similar @functions**

**@ACSCH** calculates the arc hyperbolic cosecant of a value. **@CSC** calculates the cosecant of an angle. **@SINH** calculates the hyperbolic sine of an angle.

## **@CTERM**

**@CTERM**(*interest;future-value;present-value*) calculates the number of compounding periods required for an investment (*present-value*) to grow to a *future-value*, earning a fixed *interest* rate per compounding period.

### **Arguments**

*interest* is any value greater than -1 except 0.

*future-value* and *present-value* are any values. Both *future-value* and *present-value* must be either positive or negative.

### **Examples**

You just deposited \$10,000 in an account that pays an annual interest rate of 10% (.10), compounded monthly. You want to determine how many years it will take to double your investment.

**@CTERM**(.10/12;20000;10000)/12 = 6.960313

In other words, it will take about seven years to double the original investment of \$10,000.

Because **@CTERM** calculates the total number of compounding periods, you may need to include the number of periods for which the *interest* rate is compounded in order to express the term and interest rate in the same unit of time. In the example above, the annual interest rate of 10%, compounded monthly, is entered as .10/12 (*interest* divided by the number of compounding periods).

### **Similar @functions**

**@TERM** and **@NPER** determine the number of periods required for an investment of equal periodic payments to reach a specified value.

**Example: @@**

In this simple sales commission chart, cell A10 contains the formula

`@IF(C3="W";"C7";@IF(C3="G";"C8";@ERR))`

that results in one of two cell addresses (C7 or C8), depending on which product code (W or G) you enter in C3.

`@@(A10)` entered in C4 returns the contents of the cell whose address is returned by the formula in A10.

If you enter anything in C3 other than one of the two product codes, both the `@IF` and `@@` functions will evaluate to `ERR`.

A	B	C
1	SALES COMMISSION CHART	
2		
3	Enter Product Code:	W
4	Commission rate:	5%
5		
6	Product	Code Rate
7	Widgets	W 5%
8	Grommets	G 3%
9		
10	C7	

## **@@**

**@@**(*location*) lets you indirectly obtain the contents of the cell specified in *location*.

### **Arguments**

*location* is the address or name of a cell that contains a cell address or name, or a formula that returns the address or name of a cell.

*location* points to another cell, whose contents **@@** displays in the cell that contains **@@**. If *location* is not a valid cell address or range name, or is a multiple-cell range, **@@** evaluates to ERR.

### **Notes**

**@** is useful in building conditional formulas because its indirect reference can automatically alter its own value. For example, the formula

**@IF(D2="Y";"D8";@IF(D2="N";"D9";@ERR))**

in cell A10, and the formula **@@(A10)** in cell E2, return the contents of cell D8 or D9, or ERR, in E2, depending on whether D2 contains Y or N, or something else.

When *location* refers to a cell that contains a formula, press F9 (CALC) to update the **@@** formula after automatic recalculation. If you do not press F9 (CALC), the **@@** formula evaluates to 0.

### **Examples**

**@@**

### **Similar @functions**

**@HLOOKUP** and **@VLOOKUP** return the contents of a specified cell in a horizontal or vertical lookup table.

**@CHOOSE** returns a value or label from *list*, and **@INDEX** returns the contents of a cell located at the intersection of a specified column, row, and worksheet.



## **@D360, @DAYS360**

**@D360**(*start-date*; *end-date*) calculates the number of days between two dates, based on a 360-day year (12 months; each with 30 days).

**@DAYS360**(*start-date*; *end-date*) calculates the number of days between two dates, based on a 360-day year, according to the standards of the U.S. securities industry.

### **Arguments**

*start-date* and *end-date* are date numbers.

### **Notes**

The formula used to calculate **@DAYS360** conforms to the 1990 modifications to the Securities Industry Association's 1986 edition of *Standard Security Calculation Methods*.

**@DAYS360** and **@D360** typically return different answers for the same data when either *start-date* or *end-date* is the last day of the month.

### **Examples**

**@DAYS360**(**@DATE**(89;4;16), **@DATE**(89;9;25)) = 159

**@D360**(33290;33524) = 232, the number of days between February 21, 1991, and October 13, 1991, based on a 360-day year.

### **Similar @functions**

**@DATEDIF** calculates the number of years, months, or days between two dates. **@DAYS** calculates the number of days between two dates, using a specified day-count basis. **@NETWORKDAYS** calculates the number of days between two dates, excluding weekends and holidays. **@WORKDAY** calculates the date that is a specified number of days before or after a specified date, excluding weekends and holidays. **@NEXTMONTH** calculates the date that is a specified number of months before or after a specified date.

## **@DATE**

**@DATE**(*year;month;day*) calculates the date number for the specified *year*, *month*, and *day*.

### **Arguments**

*year* is an integer from 0 (the year 1900) through 9999 (the year 9999).

*month* is an integer from 1 through 12.

*day* is an integer from 1 through 31. The value you use for *day* must be a valid day for the *month*. For example, you cannot use 31 as the *day* if you use 4 (April) as the *month*.

### **Notes**

When you enter a 2-digit *year* argument, @DATE always interprets the year as falling in the 20th century (1900 to 1999). To make sure that @DATE produces the results you want, enter the *year* argument as a 4-digit number.

Even though February 29, 1900, did not exist (it was not a leap year), 1-2-3 assigns a date number to this day. This does not invalidate any of your date calculations unless you use dates from January 1, 1900, through March 1, 1900. If you are using dates within that period, subtract 1 from any results within the period.

If you want the results of an @DATE calculation to appear as an actual date, format the cell that contains the @DATE function with one of the date formats.

### **Examples**

@DATE(92;2;21) returns 33655, or 21-Feb-92, in a cell formatted as day-month-year.

@DATE(91;2;29) returns ERR, because 1991 was not a leap year.

@DATE(2099;4;1) returns 72776, or 04/01/99, in a cell formatted as month/day/year.

### **Similar @functions**

@DATEVALUE calculates the date number for a date entered as a label. @TODAY calculates the date number that corresponds to the current date on your computer. @TIME calculates the time number for a specified time. @NOW calculates the date-and-time number for the current date and time.

## @DATEDIF

@DATEDIF(*start-date*; *end-date*; *format*) calculates the number of years, months, or days between two date numbers.

### Arguments

*start-date* and *end-date* are date numbers.

*format* is a code from the following table, entered as text, that specifies the format you want the result of @DATEDIF to have.

<b><i>format</i></b>	<b>Returns the number of</b>
y	Years
m	Months
d	Days
md	Days, ignoring months and years
ym	Months, ignoring years
yd	Days, ignoring years

### Examples

The following examples use the dates February 15, 1990, and September 15, 1993.

@DATEDIF(@DATE(90;2;15),@DATE(93;9;15),"m") returns 43, the number of months between February 15, 1990, and September 15, 1993.

@DATEDIF(@DATE(90;2;15),@DATE(93;9;15),"md") returns 0, because the day of the month for both *start-date* and *end-date* is the 15th.

@DATEDIF(@DATE(90;2;15),@DATE(93;9;15),"ym") returns 7, the number of months between February and September.

### Similar @functions

@D360 and @DAYS360 calculate the number of days between two dates, based on a 360-day year (12 months; each with 30 days). @DAYS calculates the number of days between two dates, based on a day-count basis you specify.

## @DATEINFO

@DATEINFO(*date*; *attribute*) returns information about a date number.

### Arguments

*date* is a date number.

*attribute* is any one of the integers listed in the following table:

<b><i>attribute</i></b>	<b>Returns</b>
1	Day of the week as a label, in short format (Mon)
2	Day of the week as a label, long format (Monday)
3	Day of the week as an integer from 0 (Monday) through 6 (Sunday)
4	Week of the year as an integer from 1 to 53
5	Month of the year as a label, in short format (Jan)
6	Month of the year as a label, in long format (January)
7	Number of days in the month specified by <i>date</i>
8	Number of days left in the month specified by <i>date</i>
9	Last day of the month specified by <i>date</i>
10	The Quarter <i>date</i> is in, as an integer from 1 (Q1) through 4 (Q4)
11	1 if the year specified by <i>date</i> is a leap year; 0 if the year is not a leap year
12	Day of the year specified by <i>date</i> , as a number from 1 to 366
13	Days left in the year specified by <i>date</i> , as a number

### Examples

@DATEINFO(23063;7) = 28, the number of days in February, 1963.

@DATEINFO(@DATE(92;10;5),10) = 4, because October is in the fourth quarter.

## **@DATEVALUE**

@DATEVALUE(*text*) calculates the date number for the date specified in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is a text argument and must be in the form of:

- A date format that appears in the "Frequently Used" list
- One of the five date formats accepted in cells of General format: 31-Dec-96, Dec-96, 31-Dec, 12/31/96, and 12/31

### **Notes**

@DATEVALUE uses the date setting specified in the 1-2-3 Preferences dialog box to interpret whether a 2-digit year in the *text* argument refers to the 20th or 21st century. For example, if you are using the sliding window setting, @DATEVALUE("12/31/05") results in 38717, which is equivalent to December 31, 2005. If you turn off the sliding window setting, @DATEVALUE("12/31/05") results in 2192, which is equivalent to December 31, 1905. For more information, see Setting options for dates.

If you want the results of an @DATEVALUE calculation to appear as an actual date, format the cell that contains the @DATEVALUE function with one of the date formats.

@DATEVALUE is useful with data imported from another program, such as a word processing program.

### **Examples**

@DATEVALUE("21-Feb-91") returns the date number 33290.

@DATEVALUE(BIRTHDAY) returns the date number 20723, if the cell named BIRTHDAY contains the label 25-Sep-56.

### **Similar @functions**

@DATESTRING converts a date number to its equivalent date and displays it as a label. @DATE calculates the date number for a specified date.

## **@DAY**

**@DAY**(*date-number*) extracts the day of the month, a value from 1 through 31, from *date-number*.

### **Arguments**

*date-number* is a value from 1 (January 1, 1900) through 2958465 (December 31, 9999).

### **Notes**

You can use one of the other date @functions to supply the value for *date-number*.

@DAY can supply the *day* argument for other date @functions that build on previously calculated dates.

### **Examples**

@DAY(@NOW) = the current day of the month.

@DAY(D9) = 12, if cell D9 contains the date number 33250 (the date 12-Jan-91).

### **Similar @functions**

@MONTH calculates the month, @YEAR calculates the year, and @WEEKDAY calculates the day of the week, using a date number.

## @DAYS

**@DAYS**(*start-date*; *end-date*; [*basis*]) calculates the number of days between two dates using a specified day-count *basis*.

### Arguments

*start-date* and *end-date* are date numbers. If *start-date* is earlier than *end-date*, the result of @DAYS is positive. If *start-date* is later than *end-date*, the result of @DAYS is negative. If *start-date* and *end-date* are the same, the result of @DAYS is 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is a value from the following table:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@DAYS(@DATE(93;4;16),@DATE(93;9;25)) = 159, the number of days between April 16, 1993, and September 25, 1993, based on a 360-day year of twelve months, each with 30 days.

@DAYS(@DATE(93;4;16),@DATE(93;9;25),1) = 162, the number of days between April 16, 1993, and September 25, 1993, based on the actual number of days in the months April through September.

### Similar @functions

@DATEDIF calculates the number of years, months, or days between two dates. @D360 and @DAYS360 calculate the number of days between two dates, based on a 360-day year. @NETWORKDAYS calculates the number of days between two dates, excluding weekends and holidays.

## **@DB**

**@DB**(*cost*; *salvage*; *life*; *period*) calculates the depreciation allowance of an asset with an initial value of *cost*, an expected useful *life*, and a final *salvage* value for a specified *period* of time, using the fixed-declining balance method.

### **Arguments**

*cost* is the amount paid for the asset. *cost* is any positive value or 0. If *cost* is 0, the result of **@DB** is 0.

*salvage* is the estimated value of the asset at the end of its useful life. *salvage* is any positive value or 0. If *salvage* is greater than *cost*, the result of **@DB** is negative.

*life* is the number of periods the asset takes to depreciate to its *salvage* value. *life* is any value greater than or equal to 1 and less than or equal to *life*.

*period* is the time period for which you want to find the depreciation allowance. *period* is any value greater than or equal to 1.

You must express *life* and *period* in the same units, typically years.

### **Notes**

The fixed-declining balance method slows the rate of depreciation in comparison to the double-declining balance method, so more depreciation expense occurs (and can be written off) in later periods. Depreciation stops when the book value of the asset -- that is, the total cost of the asset minus its total depreciation over all prior periods -- reaches the salvage value.

### **Examples**

You just purchased an office machine for \$10,000. The useful life of this machine is eight years, and the salvage value after eight years is \$1,200. You want to calculate the depreciation expense for the fifth year:

**@DB**(10000;1200;8;5) = \$806.51

### **Similar @functions**

**@VDB** calculates depreciation using the variable-rate declining balance method. **@DDB** uses the double-declining balance method, **@SLN** uses the straight-line method, and **@SYD** uses the sum-of-the-years'-digits method.



## **@DDB**

**@DDB**(*cost*; *salvage*; *life*; *period*) calculates the depreciation allowance of an asset with an initial value of *cost*, an expected useful *life*, and a final *salvage* value for a specified *period* of time, using the double-declining balance method.

### **Arguments**

*cost* is the amount paid for the asset. *cost* is any value greater than or equal to *salvage*.

*salvage* is the estimated value of the asset at the end of its useful life. *salvage* is any value.

*life* is the number of periods the asset takes to depreciate to its *salvage* value. *life* is any value greater than 2.

*period* is the time period for which you want to find the depreciation allowance. *period* is any value greater than or equal to 1.

You must express *life* and *period* in the same units, typically years.

### **Notes**

The double-declining balance method accelerates the rate of depreciation so that more depreciation expense occurs (and can be written off) in earlier periods than in later ones. Depreciation stops when the book value of the asset -- that is, the total cost of the asset minus its total depreciation over all prior periods -- reaches the salvage value.

If the salvage value of an asset is relatively low, **@DDB** may not fully depreciate the asset by the end of the estimated useful life. You may want to use **@VDB**, which always fully depreciates the asset within the estimated life.

### **Examples**

You just purchased an office machine for \$10,000. The useful life of this machine is eight years, and the salvage value after eight years is \$1,200. You want to calculate the depreciation expense for the fifth year, using the double-declining balance method:

**@DDB**(10000;1200;8;5) = \$791.02

### **Similar @functions**

**@VDB** calculates depreciation using the variable-rate declining balance method. **@DB** uses the fixed-declining balance method, **@SLN** uses the straight-line method, and **@SYD** uses the sum-of-the-year's-digits method.

## **@DECIMAL**

**@DECIMAL**(*hexadecimal*) converts a hexadecimal value to its signed decimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*hexadecimal* is a value from 00000000 through FFFFFFFF, entered as text. *hexadecimal* can be up to eight characters long and can contain only numbers from 0 through 9 and letters from A through F. The letters can be either uppercase or lowercase.

### **Notes**

Hexadecimal values from 00000000 through 7FFFFFFF correspond to 0 and positive decimal values.

Hexadecimal values from 80000000 through FFFFFFFF correspond to negative decimal values.

### **Examples**

**@DECIMAL**("1A") = 26

**@DECIMAL**("FFFFFFFE") = -2

### **Similar @functions**

**@HEX** converts decimal numbers to hexadecimal.

**@HEX2DEC** converts a hexadecimal number to its decimal equivalent. **@BIN2DEC** and **@OCT2DEC** convert a binary number and an octal number to the decimal equivalent. **@RADIX** converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@DEGTORAD**

@DEGTORAD(*degrees*) converts *degrees* to radians.

### **Arguments**

*degrees* is a value.

### **Examples**

@DEGTORAD(30) = 0.523599 radians

@COS(@DEGTORAD(45)) = 0.707107, the cosine of a 45-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@RADTODEG converts radians to degrees.

## **@DEVSQ**

**@DEVSQ**(*list*) calculates the sum of squared deviations of the values in *list* from their mean.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

**@DEVSQ**(2;3;9;8;15;2;1) = 159.4286

### **Similar @functions**

@STD and @PURESTD calculate the standard deviation of the values in a list.

## **@ERF**

**@ERF**(*lower-limit*;[*upper-limit*]) calculates the error function integrated between *lower-limit* and *upper-limit*.

### **Arguments**

*lower-limit* is the lower bound for integrating **@ERF** and can be any value.

*upper-limit* is an optional argument that specifies the upper bound for integrating **@ERF**. If you omit the *upper-limit* argument, **@ERF** integrates between 0 and *lower-limit*.

### **Notes**

**@ERF** approximates the error function to within  $\pm 1.2 \times 10^{-7}$ .

### **Examples**

**@ERF**(0.7) = 0.677801

**@ERF**(0.8) = 0.742101

**@ERF**(0.7;0.8) = 0.0643, the difference between the previous examples.

### **Similar @functions**

**@ERFC** calculates the complementary error function. **@ERFD** calculates the derivative of the error function.

**@ERFC**

@ERFC(x) calculates the complementary error function, integrated between x and  $\infty$ .

**Arguments**

x can be any value.

**Notes**

@ERFC(x) is equal to  $1 - \text{@ERF}(x)$ .

@ERFC approximates the complementary error function to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

**Examples**

@ERFC(0.7) = 0.322199

**Similar @functions**

@ERF calculates the error function integrated between specified upper and lower limits. @ERFD calculates the derivative of the error function.

**@ERFD**

@ERFD(x) calculates the derivative of the error function.

**Arguments**

x can be any value.

**Examples**

@ERFD(0.7) = 0.691275

**Similar @functions**

@ERF calculates the error function integrated between specified upper and lower limits.

## **@ERR**

@ERR returns the value ERR.

### **Notes**

@ERR is useful in flagging errors in calculations. It is seldom used by itself. For example, @ERR used as an argument with @IF produces the value ERR when certain conditions exist, such as when a formula results in an unacceptable value (such as a negative monthly payment).

### **Examples**

@IF(B14>3,@ERR;B14) = ERR, if the value in cell B14 is greater than 3.

### **Similar @functions**

@NA returns the value NA (not available). @ISERR tests for the value ERR.



## **@EVEN**

@EVEN(x) rounds the value x away from 0 to the nearest even integer.

### **Arguments**

x is any value. If x is an even integer, @EVEN returns x.

### **Examples**

@EVEN(2.25) = 4

@EVEN(2) = 2

@EVEN(-2.25) = -4

### **Similar @functions**

@ODD rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest odd integer. @ROUND, @ROUNDDOWN, and @ROUNDUP round a value to a specified number of decimal places. @ROUNDM rounds a value to a specified multiple. @INT truncates a value, discarding the decimal portions. @TRUNC truncates a value to a specified decimal place.

## **@EXACT**

**@EXACT**(*text1*;*text2*) compares two sets of characters. If the two sets match exactly, **@EXACT** returns 1 (true); if the two sets are not exactly the same, **@EXACT** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*text1* and *text2* are text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), formulas that result in text, or the addresses or names of cells that contain labels or formulas that result in labels.

### **Notes**

**@EXACT** is more precise than = (the equal operator) in a formula. Unlike = (the equal operator), **@EXACT** distinguishes between uppercase and lowercase letters and between letters with and without accent marks.

You can use **@EXACT** to set passwords for macros by comparing what a user enters with a required entry before continuing the macro.

### **Examples**

**@EXACT**("ATHENS";"Athens") = 0 (false).

**@EXACT**("Overdue";B2) = 1 (true), if cell B2 contains the label Overdue.

**@EXACT**("400";400) = ERR, because *text2* is a value.

## **@EXP**

@EXP(x) calculates the value of the constant e (approximately 2.718282) raised to the power x.

### **Arguments**

x can be a value from approximately -709.7827 to approximately 709.7827.

### **Notes**

If x is larger than approximately 709.7827 or smaller than approximately -709.7827, the calculation is too large for 1-2-3 to store, and @EXP returns ERR.

### **Examples**

@EXP(0.7) = 2.013753

### **Similar @functions**

@EXP2 calculates the value of e raised to the power -x^2. @LN is the inverse of @EXP.

**@EXP2**

@EXP2(x) calculates the value of the constant e (approximately 2.718282) raised to the power  $-(x^2)$ .

**Arguments**

x is a value from approximately -106.570 to approximately 106.570.

**Notes**

If x is larger than approximately 106.570 or smaller than approximately -106.570, the calculation is too large for 1-2-3 to store, and @EXP2 returns ERR.

**Examples**

@EXP2(0.7) = 0.612626

**Similar @functions**

@EXP calculates e raised to a specified power.

**@FACT**

@FACT( $n$ ) calculates the factorial of  $n$ .

**Arguments**

$n$  is any positive integer or 0.

**Notes**

The factorial of  $n$  is equal to the product of all positive integers from 1 to  $n$ .

If  $n$  is greater than or equal to 171, the calculation is too large for 1-2-3 to store, and @FACT returns ERR.

**Examples**

@FACT(0) = 1

@FACT(5) = 120, the result of  $1*2*3*4*5$ .

**Similar @functions**

@FACTLN calculates the natural logarithm of the factorial of  $n$ . @PRODUCT multiplies the values in a list.

## **@FACTLN**

@FACTLN( $n$ ) calculates the natural logarithm of the factorial of  $n$ .

### **Arguments**

$n$  is any positive integer or 0.

### **Notes**

The factorial of  $n$  is equal to the product of all positive integers from 1 to  $n$ .

### **Examples**

@FACTLN(0) = 0, the result of @LN(1).

@FACTLN(5) = 4.787492, the result of @LN(1\*2\*3\*4\*5).

### **Similar @functions**

@FACT calculates the factorial of  $n$ . @LN calculates the natural logarithm of a value.

## **@FALSE**

@FALSE returns the logical value 0 (false).

### **Notes**

If a logical statement such as  $A1=B1$  is true, its logical value is 1. If it is false, its logical value is 0.

Using @FALSE is the same as using the value 0 in formulas that evaluate logical conditions, but @FALSE makes the formula easier to understand.

Use @FALSE with macros or @functions such as @IF and @CHOOSE that require a logical value of 0 (false).

@FALSE is useful as the y argument for @IF, which is the value returned if the condition is not met.

### **Examples**

@IF(A6>500;@TRUE;@FALSE) = 0 when cell A6 contains a value less than or equal to 500.

### **Similar @functions**

@TRUE returns the logical value 1.

## @FDIST

@FDIST(*x*; *degrees-freedom1*; *degrees-freedom2*; [*type*]) calculates the *F*-distribution.

### Arguments

*x* is the value at which you want to evaluate the *F*-distribution. The value you enter for *x* depends on the value you enter for *type*.

<u>If <i>type</i> is</u>	<u><i>x</i> is</u>
0	The critical value or upper bound for the value of the cumulative <i>F</i> -distribution and is a value greater than or equal to 0; default if you omit the argument
1	A probability and is a value from 0 to 1

*degrees-freedom1* and *degrees-freedom2* are the numbers of degrees of freedom for the first and second samples, respectively. *degrees-freedom1* and *degrees-freedom2* are positive integers.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies how 1-2-3 calculates @FDIST.

<u><i>type</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 calculates</u>
0	The significance level that corresponds to the critical value <i>x</i> ; default if you omit the argument
1	The critical value that corresponds to the significance level <i>x</i> ; this is the inverse of type 0

### Notes

@FDIST approximates the cumulative *F*-distribution to within  $\pm 3 \times 10^{-7}$ . If @FDIST cannot approximate the result to within 0.0000001 after 100 calculation iterations, the result is ERR.

The *F*-distribution is a continuous distribution obtained from the ratio of two chi-square distributions, each divided by its number of degrees of freedom.

Use @FDIST to determine the degree to which two samples vary.

### Examples

@FDIST(3.07;8;10) = 0.05

@FDIST(0.05;8;10) = 0.999865

### Similar @functions

@FTEST calculates the probability associated with an *F* test. @CHIDIST calculates the chi-square distribution.

@TDIST calculates the Student's *t*-distribution.



## **@FIND**

**@FIND**(*search-text*; *text*; *start-number*) calculates the position in *text* at which 1-2-3 finds the first occurrence of *search-text*, beginning at the position indicated by *start-number*.

### **Arguments**

*search-text* and *text* are text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text or the address or name of a cell that contains text or a formula that results in a label.

*start-number* is an offset number.

### **Notes**

If 1-2-3 does not find *search-text* in *text*, @FIND returns ERR. @FIND also returns ERR if *start-number* is greater than the number of characters in *text*, or if *start-number* is negative.

@FIND is case-sensitive and accent-sensitive; for example, @FIND will not find the *search-text* "e" in the *text* "CAMBRIDGE."

@FIND is also useful when combined with @MID or @REPLACE to locate and extract or replace text.

### **Examples**

@FIND("P";"Accounts Payable";0) = 9 because *search-text* P is at position 9 in *text* Accounts Payable.

## @FV, @FVAL

**@FV**(*payments;interest;term*) calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, earning a periodic *interest* rate, over the number of payment periods in *term*.

**@FVAL**(*payments;interest;term;[type];[present-value]*) calculates the future value of an investment with a specified *present-value*, based on a series of equal *payments*, earning a periodic *interest* rate, over the number of payment periods in *term*. **@FVAL** calculates for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due, depending on the value you specify for *type*.

### Arguments

*payments* and *term* are values.

For **@FVAL**, *term* must be a positive value.

*interest* is a value greater than -1.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for an ordinary annuity or for an annuity due.

<b>type</b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates for</b>
0	Ordinary annuity (payments due at the end of a period); default if you omit the argument
1	Annuity due (payment due at the beginning of a period)

*present-value* is an optional argument that specifies the present value of the series of future payments. *present-value* can be any value. If you omit the *present-value* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

### Examples

You plan to deposit \$2,000 each year for the next 20 years into an account to save for retirement. The account pays 7.5% interest, compounded annually; interest is paid on the last day of each year. You want to calculate the value of your account in 20 years. You make each year's contribution on the last day of the year.

**@FV**(2000;0.075;20) = \$86,609.36, the value of your account at the end of 20 years.

If you make each year's contribution on the first day of the year:

**@FVAL**(2000;0.075;20;1) = \$93,105.06

### Similar @functions

**@FV2** calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, earning a periodic *interest* rate, over the number of payment periods in *term*, assuming an annuity-due convention. **@FVAMOUNT** returns the future value of a lump sum invested at a given rate for a given number of periods.

**@PV** and **@PVAL** determine the present value of an investment. **@NPV** computes the net present value of an investment, discounting the future value to present value.

## **@GAMMA**

@GAMMA(x) calculates the gamma function.

### **Arguments**

x is any value except 0 and negative integers.

### **Notes**

@GAMMA approximates the gamma distribution accurately to within six significant figures.

### **Examples**

@GAMMA(0.5) = 1.772454

@GAMMA(5) = 24

### **Similar @functions**

@BETA calculates the beta function. @GAMMAI calculates the incomplete gamma function. @GAMMALN calculates the natural logarithm of the gamma function. @EXPONDIST calculates the exponential distribution.

## **@GAMMAI**

@GAMMAI(*a*; *x*; [*complement*]) calculates the incomplete gamma function.

### **Arguments**

*a* is a positive value.

*x* is a positive value or 0.

*complement* is an optional argument that specifies how 1-2-3 calculates @GAMMAI.

<u><i>complement</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 calculates</u>
0	P( <i>a</i> ; <i>x</i> ); default if you omit the argument
1	Q( <i>a</i> ; <i>x</i> ); this is equal to 1-P( <i>a</i> ; <i>x</i> )

### **Notes**

@GAMMAI approximates the incomplete gamma function accurately to within six significant figures.

### **Examples**

@GAMMAI(7.5; 12.497; 1) = 0.050024

### **Similar @functions**

@GAMMA calculates the gamma distribution function. @GAMMALN calculates the natural logarithm of the gamma function.

## **@GAMMALN**

@GAMMALN(x) calculates the natural logarithm of the gamma function.

### **Arguments**

x is any value other than 0 and negative integers.

### **Notes**

@GAMMALN approximates the natural logarithm of the gamma function accurately to within six significant figures.

### **Examples**

@GAMMALN(0.5) = 0.572365

@GAMMALN(5) = 3.178054

### **Similar @functions**

@GAMMA calculates the gamma distribution function. @GAMMAI calculates the incomplete gamma function.

## **@GEOMEAN**

**@GEOMEAN**(*list*) calculates the geometric mean of the values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas that evaluate to numbers, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

All values in *list* must be greater than 0.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Notes**

The geometric mean of a *list* with *n* values is the *n*th root of the product of the values in *list*.

For the same *list*, the result of **@GEOMEAN** is less than the result of **@AVG** unless all values in *list* are equal. If all values in *list* are equal, the results of **@GEOMEAN** and **@AVG** are equal.

### **Examples**

**@GEOMEAN**(A1..A4) = 239.1886, when A1..A4 contains the values 160, 227, 397, and 227.

### **Similar @functions**

**@HARMEAN** calculates the harmonic mean of the values in a list. **@TRIMMEAN** calculates the trimmed mean of the values in a list. **@AVG** and **@PUREAVG** calculate the average of the values in a list. **@MEDIAN** calculates the median value in a list of values. **@MODE** calculates the most frequently occurring value in a list.

## **@HARMEAN**

**@HARMEAN**(*list*) calculates the harmonic mean of the values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas that evaluate to numbers, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

All values in *list* must be greater than 0.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Notes**

The harmonic mean of the values in *list* is the reciprocal of the arithmetic mean of the reciprocals of the values in *list*. For example, the average of 1/2, 1/3, and 1/4 is 13/36; therefore, the harmonic mean of 2, 3, and 4 is 36/13.

For the same *list*, the result of **@HARMEAN** is always less than the result of **@GEOMEAN**.

### **Examples**

**@HARMEAN**(25;50;75) = 40.90909

### **Similar @functions**

**@GEOMEAN** calculates the geometric mean of the values in a list. **@TRIMMEAN** calculates the trimmed mean of the values in a list. **@AVG** and **@PUREAVG** calculate the average of the values in a list. **@MEDIAN** calculates the median value in a list of values. **@MODE** calculates the most frequently occurring value in a list.

## **@HEX**

@HEX(x) converts a decimal number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

x is an integer from -2,147,483,648 through 2,147,483,647. If x is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it to an integer.

### **Notes**

Hexadecimal values from 00000000 through 7FFFFFFF correspond to 0 and positive decimal values.

Hexadecimal values from 80000000 through FFFFFFFF correspond to negative decimal values.

### **Examples**

@HEX(162) = A2

### **Similar @functions**

@DECIMAL converts hexadecimal numbers to decimal numbers.

@DEC2HEX converts a decimal number to its hexadecimal equivalent and lets you specify how many characters to use in the result. @BIN2HEX and @OCT2HEX convert a binary number and an octal number to its hexadecimal equivalent. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.



## @HLOOKUP

@HLOOKUP(*x;range;row-offset*) finds the contents of the cell in a specified row of a horizontal lookup table, a range with either value information in ascending order or labels in the first row.

### Arguments

*x* is either a value or text, depending on the contents of the first row of the horizontal lookup table.

<u>First row</u>	<u>x</u>
Values	Any value greater than or equal to the first value in <i>range</i> . If <i>x</i> is smaller than the first value in <i>range</i> , @HLOOKUP returns <u>ERR</u> . If <i>x</i> is larger than the last value in the first row of <i>range</i> , @HLOOKUP stops at the last cell in the row specified by <i>row-offset</i> and returns the contents of that cell as the answer.
Labels	Text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label. If <i>x</i> does not exactly match the contents of a cell in the first row of <i>range</i> , @HLOOKUP returns <u>ERR</u> .

*range* represents the location of the horizontal lookup table. *range* is any range address or range name. If *range* is a 3D range, 1-2-3 uses only the first worksheet in *range*.

*row-offset* represents an offset number corresponding to the position the row occupies in *range*.

### Notes

@HLOOKUP compares *x* to each cell in the first row of the table. When 1-2-3 locates a cell in the first row that contains *x* (or, if *x* is a value, the value closest to but not larger than *x*), it moves down that column the number of rows specified by *row-offset* and returns the contents of that cell as the answer.

### Examples

@HLOOKUP

### Similar @functions

@VLOOKUP finds the contents of a cell in a vertical lookup table. @INDEX finds the contents of a cell when you specify offset numbers for both the column and row. @CHOOSE replaces a lookup table that requires only one row. @MATCH finds the relative position of a cell with specified contents. @XINDEX finds the contents of a cell specified by column, row, and worksheet headings. @MAXLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges. @MINLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.

**Example: @HLOOKUP**

A horizontal lookup table named RATES (A2..E7) lists rates for sending a parcel to several cities.

@HLOOKUP("Frankfurt";RATES;3), entered in a cell formatted as Currency with two decimal places, returns \$24.00, the rate for sending a type 3 parcel to Frankfurt.

	A	B	C	D	E
1	PARCEL DESTINATION				
2	Parcel type	London	Paris	Frankfurt	New York
3	1	\$18.36	\$19.33	\$20.12	\$9.29
4	2	\$20.32	\$21.66	\$22.03	\$11.25
5	3	\$22.44	\$23.88	\$24.00	\$13.25
6	4	\$24.14	\$25.26	\$25.75	\$16.85
7	5	\$28.32	\$29.00	\$29.80	\$19.54

## **@HOUR**

**@HOUR**(*time-number*) extracts the hour, a value between 0 (midnight) and 23 (23:00 or 11:00 PM), from *time-number*.

### **Arguments**

*time-number* is a value from .000000 (midnight) through .999988 (11:59:59 PM). Usually, another time @function supplies *time-number*.

### **Notes**

The hour portion is useful in calculations that involve whole hours, such as calculating hourly wages or hours elapsed since you began working on a project, or time-stamping a worksheet.

### **Examples**

@HOUR(.51565) = 12 because .51565 is the time number for 12:22:32 PM.

@HOUR(@TIME(13;45;18)) = 13 (1:00 PM), because 13 is the *hour* argument for @TIME(13;45;18).

### **Similar @functions**

@MINUTE extracts the minutes, and @SECOND extracts the seconds, from a time number.

## @IF

`@IF(condition;x;y)` evaluates *condition* and returns one of two values, depending on the result of the evaluation. If *condition* is true, @IF returns *x*; if *condition* is false, @IF returns *y*.

### Arguments

*condition* is usually a logical formula. However, you can use any formula, number, text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), or name or address of a cell as *condition*. 1-2-3 evaluates any *condition* that does not equal zero as true and any *condition* that does equal zero as false. Blank cells and text equal zero when used as *condition*. ERR and NA values result in ERR and NA when used as *condition*.

*x* and *y* are values, text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), or the addresses or names of cells that contain values or labels.

### Notes

@IF is useful when combined with @ERR and @NA to document errors or missing data in formulas. It is also useful in preventing ERR, NA, and calculation errors in situations where data may be missing or inaccurate, for example, to prevent division by zero.

You can nest @IF functions within one another to create a complex condition. For example,

```
@IF(TOT>10000;TOT*0.15;@IF(TOT>5000;TOT*0.10;TOT*0.02))
```

nests two @IF functions to determine a commission rate based on three levels of sales: total sales greater than \$10,000, total sales greater than \$5,000, and total sales less than or equal to \$5,000.

### Examples

`@IF(BALANCE>=0;BALANCE;"Overdrawn")` returns the value in the cell named BALANCE when the value in BALANCE is 0 or positive; or returns the label Overdrawn when the value in BALANCE is negative.

## **@INDEX**

**@INDEX**(*range*; *column*; *row*; [*sheet*]) returns the contents of a cell located at the intersection of a specified *column*, *row*, and (optionally) *sheet* of a range.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

*column* is the offset number of the column that @INDEX uses.

*row* is the offset number of the row that @INDEX uses, or the address or name of a cell that contains 0 or a positive integer.

*sheet* is an optional argument that is the offset number of the sheet that @INDEX uses. If you do not specify *sheet*, @INDEX uses only the first sheet in *range*.

### **Examples**

@INDEX

### **Similar @functions**

@HLOOKUP and @VLOOKUP find entries in horizontal and vertical lookup tables. @CHOOSE finds an entry in a list.

@MATCH finds the relative position of a cell with specified contents.

@XINDEX finds the contents of a cell specified by column, row, and sheet headings. @MAXLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges. @MINLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.

**Example: @INDEX**

A table named INCREASE (A3..E8) shows salary increases based on employee performance ratings.

@INDEX(INCREASE;2;3), entered in a cell formatted as percent, returns 5%, the salary increase for an employee who has a rating of 3 and has a salary level of 2.

@INDEX(INCREASE;1;2), entered in a cell formatted as Percent, returns 7%, the salary increase for an employee who has a rating of 2 and a salary level of 1.

A	B	C	D	E	
1					
2					
3	Rating	1	2	3	4
4	1	10%	9%	8%	7%
5	2	7%	6%	5%	4%
6	3	6%	5%	4%	3%
7	4	3%	2%	1%	0%
8	5	0%	0%	0%	0%

## @INFO

@INFO(*attribute*) returns information for the current 1-2-3 session.

### Arguments

*attribute* is one of the following items, entered as text.

<u>attribute</u>	<u>Returns</u>
author	The user name of the person who first saved the current workbook
creation-date	A <u>date number</u> that corresponds to the date the current workbook was first saved
editing-time	A <u>time number</u> that corresponds to the total number of hours and minutes the current workbook has been open
dbreturncode	NA
dbdrivermessage	NA
dbrecordcount	NA
directory	The current <u>path</u> , including the drive letter
last-revision-by	The user name of the person who last saved the current workbook
last-revision-date	A date number that corresponds to the date the current workbook was last saved
macro-step	Yes if Step mode is on; No if Step mode is off
macro-trace	Yes if the Macro Trace window is open; No if it is not open
memavail	The amount of available memory
mode	The current mode: 0 Wait 1 Ready 3 Menu 4 Value 5 Point 6 Edit 7 Error 8 Find 9 Files 10 Start 11 Stat 13 Names 99 All other modes (for example, user-defined with {INDICATE})
numfile	The number of currently open workbooks
origin	The absolute address of the top left cell in the current sheet
osreturncode	NA
osversion	NA
recalc	The current recalculation mode as one of the two labels, automatic or manual
release	The release number for the 1-2-3 product being used, consisting of three parts: major release number, upgrade level, and version number

setup-user-name	Your e-mail or network user name
screen-height	The height of the screen, in pixels
screen-width	The width of the screen, in pixels
selection	The address of the currently selected range, or the name of the currently selected chart, drawn object, or query table
selection-part	NA
selection-type	The current selection type: Range, Draw, Query, or Chart
system	The name of the operating system
totmem	The total memory available (both the amount currently available and the amount being used)
windir	The path to the directory that contains Windows, including the drive letter
worksheet-number	The number of sheets in the current workbook
worksheet-size	The size of the current workbook, in Kilobytes (KB)

## Notes

In addition to the attributes listed here, *attribute* can be any of the [Info components](#).

Recalculate your work (by pressing F9 (CALC)) before you use @INFO to be sure the results are correct.

@INFO is useful in macros when you need to provide information about the status of 1-2-3 to the user or the macro (for example, to tell the user the current path in a macro that automates saving workbooks; or to warn that memory is low).

Use @INFO with @IF to check the status of 1-2-3 and to tell a macro what to do in certain conditions, such as to change the path if necessary or to delete unnecessary data or close open workbooks if memory is low.

## Examples

@INFO("numfile") = 2, if two workbooks are open.

@INFO(B4) = 3, if B4 contains the label "mode" and 1-2-3 is in Menu mode.

## Similar @functions

[@CELL](#) returns information about the first cell in a range. [@CELLPOINTER](#) returns information about the current cell.



## **@INT**

@INT(x) returns the integer portion of x.

### **Arguments**

x is a value.

### **Notes**

Use the Fixed format to display values with a specified number of decimal places if you want 1-2-3 to calculate the values to their full precision; do not use @INT.

### **Examples**

@INT(35.67) = 35

@INT(@NOW) = the date number for the current date and time, because the time portion is a decimal value.

### **Similar @functions**

@ROUND, @ROUNDUP, and @ROUNDDOWN round a value to the closest multiple of the specified power of 10.

@ROUNDM rounds a value to a specified multiple. @EVEN rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest even integer.

@ODD rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest odd integer. @TRUNC truncates a value to a specified number of decimal places.

## **@IPAYMT, @PPAYMT**

**@IPAYMT**(*principal;interest;term;start-period;[end-period];[type];[future-value]*) calculates the cumulative interest portion of the periodic payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*).

**@PPAYMT**(*principal;interest;term;start-period;[end-period];[type];[future-value]*) calculates the principal portion of the periodic payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*).

### **Arguments**

*principal* and *term* are values. *term* can be any value except 0.

*interest* is a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*start-period* is the point in the loan's term when you want to begin calculating interest or principal. *start-period* can be any value greater than or equal to 1, but cannot be greater than *term*.

*end-period* is the point in the loan's term when you want to stop calculating interest or principal. *end-period* can be any value greater than *start-period*. If you omit the *end-period* argument, *end-period* equals *start-period*.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for an ordinary annuity or for an annuity due.

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates for</b>
0	Ordinary annuity (payments due at the end of a period); default if you omit the argument
1	Annuity due (payment due at the beginning of a period)

*future-value* is an optional argument that specifies the future value of the series of payments. *future-value* can be any value. If you omit the *future-value* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### **Notes**

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

### **Examples**

You took out an \$8,000 loan for 3 years at an annual interest rate of 10.5%, compounded monthly. Your monthly payments are \$260.02. To determine the interest portion of the last year's payments:

**@IPAYMT**(8000;0.105/12;36;25;36) = \$170.45

To determine the principal portion of the last year's payments:

**@PPAYMT**(8000;0.105/12;36;25;36) = \$2,949.79

### **Similar @functions**

**@PMT** calculates the periodic payment for a loan.

## @IRATE

**@IRATE**(*term*; *payment*; *present-value*; [*type*]; [*future-value*]; [*guess*]) calculates the periodic interest rate necessary for an annuity (*present-value*) to grow to a *future-value* over the number of compounding periods in *term*.

### Arguments

*term* is a positive integer.

*payment* and *present-value* are values.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for an ordinary annuity or for an annuity due.

<u>type</u>	<u>1-2-3 calculates for</u>
0	Ordinary annuity (payments due at the end of a period); default if you omit the argument
1	Annuity due (payment due at the beginning of a period)

*future-value* is an optional argument that specifies the future value of the series of payments. *future-value* can be any value. If you omit the *future-value* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

*guess* is an optional argument that represents your estimate of the interest rate. *guess* is a value from 0 through 1. If you omit the *guess* argument, 1-2-3 uses .10 (10%).

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

@IRATE uses a series of approximations, starting with your *guess* value, to calculate the interest rate. Start with a *guess* that you feel is reasonable for the interest rate. More than one solution may be possible, so try another *guess* if the result is less than 0 or greater than 1.

If @IRATE cannot approximate the result to within 0.0000001 after 30 calculation iterations, the result is ERR. If your guesses continue to return ERR, use @NPV to determine a better guess. If @NPV returns a positive value, your guess is too low. If @NPV returns a negative value, your guess is too high. @NPV returns 0 if your guess is accurate.

The period used to calculate *guess* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

### Examples

You deposited \$6,000 in an account and want to withdraw \$100 per month for eight years. To determine the interest you need to earn in order to make the withdrawals:

@IRATE(96;100;6000;0;0;0.01) = 0.010623, or 1.06% compounded monthly.

### Similar @functions

@NPV calculates the net present value of a series of future cash flows. @PV and @PVAL calculate the present value of an annuity based on a series of equal payments. @FV and @FVAL calculate the future value of an annuity. @RATE returns the periodic interest rate necessary for an investment to grow to a future value.

## **@IRR**

**@IRR(guess;range)** calculates the internal rate of return (profit) for a series of cash-flow values generated by an investment. The internal rate of return is the percentage rate that equates the present value of an expected future series of cash flows to the initial investment.

### **Arguments**

*guess* is a decimal or percentage value that represents your estimate of the internal rate of return. In most cases, *guess* should be a percentage between 0 (0%) and 1 (100%). With very large cash flows, make *guess* as accurate as possible.

*range* is the address or name of a range that contains the cash flows. 1-2-3 considers negative numbers as cash outflows and positive numbers as cash inflows. Normally, the first cash-flow amount in the range is a negative number (a cash outflow) that represents the investment. 1-2-3 assigns the value 0 to all blank cells and labels in *range* and includes them in the calculation.

### **Notes**

Use **@IRR** to determine the profitability of an investment. Combine **@IRR** with other financial **@functions**, such as **@NPV**, to assess an investment.

1-2-3 assumes the cash flows are received at regular, equal intervals.

**@IRR** uses a series of approximations, starting with your *guess* value, to calculate the internal rate of return. Start with a *guess* that you feel is reasonable for the internal rate of return. More than one solution may be possible, so try another *guess* if the result is less than 0 or greater than 1.

If **@IRR** cannot approximate the result to within 0.0000001 after 30 calculation iterations, the result is **ERR**. If your guesses continue to return **ERR**, use **@NPV** to determine a better guess. If **@NPV** returns a positive value, your guess is too low. If **@NPV** returns a negative value, your guess is too high. **@NPV** returns 0 if your guess is accurate.

Use **@AVG** to determine the internal rate of return if you calculate several rates.

### **Examples**

A schedule calculates the internal rate of return of an initial investment of \$10,000 that is followed by 12 monthly payments of \$1,500. *guess* (12.00%) is entered in GUESS and the payments are listed in a range named CASHFLOWS.

**@IRR(GUESS;CASHFLOWS)** = returns 10.45%, the internal rate of return.

### **Similar @functions**

**@NPV** calculates the net present value of a series of future cash flows. **@PV** and **@PVAL** calculate the present value of an annuity based on a series of equal payments. **@FV** and **@FVAL** calculate the future value of an annuity. **@RATE** returns the periodic interest rate necessary for an investment to grow to a future value.

**@MIRR** calculates the modified internal rate of return. **@XIRR** returns the internal rate of return for a series of cash inflows and outflows.

## **@ISAFF, @ISAPP, @ISMACRO**

**@ISAFF**(*name*) tests *name* for a defined add-in global LotusScript function. If *name* is a defined add-in script function, **@ISAFF** returns 1 (true); if *name* is not a defined add-in script function, **@ISAFF** returns 0 (false).

**@ISAPP**(*name*) tests *name* for an add-in that is currently in memory. If *name* is an add-in that is currently in memory, **@ISAPP** returns 1 (true); if *name* is not an add-in that is currently in memory, **@ISAPP** returns 0 (false).

**@ISMACRO**(*name*) tests *name* for a defined add-in global LotusScript subroutine. If *name* is a defined add-in script subroutine, **@ISMACRO** returns 1 (true); if *name* is not a defined add-in script subroutine, **@ISMACRO** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*name* is the name of the add-in workbook file (excluding the .12A extension), or of the function or subroutine you want to test for, entered as text.

### **Notes**

**@ISAPP** returns 1 (true) only for any add-ins you load using File - Add-Ins - Manage Add-Ins. **@ISAPP** returns 1 for any loaded add-in, even if it contains only **@functions**.

**@ISAFF** and **@ISMACRO** return true if you specify a function only by name and the function is in the current workbook or in a loaded add-in. To check for a function in another workbook, specify the file and function name, as in "<<myfile>>myfunction."

1-2-3 recognizes functions and subroutines only if their arguments and return types are legal. For floating-point numbers, 1-2-3 does not recognize the Single type: all functions and subroutines must use the Double type.

Ranges are legal arguments, but they must be specified as Variant arguments. 1-2-3 object names are not legal argument types.

### **Examples**

**@ISAFF**("degrees") = 1 if DEGREES is a defined add-in script function.

**@ISAFF**("dsum") = 0, because **@DSUM** is a 1-2-3 **@function**, not an add-in script function.

**@ISAPP**("finance") = 1 if an add-in called FINANCE is currently in memory.

**@ISMACRO**("payroll") = 1 if {PAYROLL} is a defined add-in script subroutine.

## **@ISERR**

**@ISERR(x)** tests *x* for the value ERR. If *x* is the value ERR, **@ISERR** returns 1 (true); if *x* is not the value ERR, **@ISERR** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*x* is any value, location, text, or condition.

### **Notes**

Use **@ISERR** to block errors that arise from division by zero. For example, the formula

**@IF(@ISERR(A1/A2),0,A1/A2)** tests the result of the division A1/A2 (the contents of cell A1 divided by the contents of cell A2). If the result is the value ERR, the formula returns 0. If the result is any other value, the formula returns that result.

### **Examples**

The subroutine CHKQTY consists of three short subroutines that check entries in the cells named QTY and PRICE. CHKQTY tests whether the entry in QTY is a value; if it is, processing transfers to the subroutine CKERRNA. If QTY does not contain a value, NEWQTY requests a new entry and then transfers to CHKQTY.

CKERRNA uses **@ISERR** to determine whether QTY contains the value ERR; if **@ISERR** returns 1 (true), it requests a new value. If QTY does not contain ERR and PRICE does not contain NA, the subroutine multiplies the values in the two cells and enters the result in the cell named TOTAL.

```
...
CHKQTY  {IF @ISNUMBER(QTY)}{BRANCH CKERRNA}
NEWQTY  {GETNUMBER "Enter Quantity number: ";QTY}
        {BRANCH CHKQTY}
CKERRNA {IF @ISERR(QTY)}{BRANCH NEWQTY}
        {IF @ISNA(PRICE)}{GETNUMBER "Enter new price: ";PRICE}{BRANCH CHKQTY}
        {GOTO}TOTAL~+QTY*Price~
...

```

### **Similar @functions**

**@ISNA** tests for the value NA.

## **@ISNA**

**@ISNA(x)** tests *x* for the value NA. If *x* is the value NA, **@ISNA** returns 1 (true); if *x* is not the value NA, **@ISNA** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*x* is any value, location, text, or condition.

### **Examples**

The subroutine CHKQTY consists of three short subroutines that check entries in the cells named QTY and PRICE. CHKQTY tests whether the entry in QTY is a value; if it is, processing transfers to the subroutine CKERRNA. If QTY does not contain a value, NEWQTY requests a new entry and then transfers to CHKQTY.

CKERRNA uses **@ISNA** to determine whether PRICE contains the value NA; if **@ISNA** returns 1 (true), it requests a new value. If PRICE does not contain NA and QTY does not contain ERR, the subroutine multiplies the values in the two cells and enters the result in the cell named TOTAL.

```
...
CHKQTY   {IF @ISNUMBER(QTY)}{BRANCH CKERRNA}
NEWQTY   {GETNUMBER "Enter Quantity number: ";QTY}
         {BRANCH CHKQTY}
CKERRNA  {IF @ISERR(QTY)}{BRANCH NEWQTY}
         {IF @ISNA(PRICE)}{GETNUMBER "Enter new price: ";PRICE}{BRANCH CHKQTY}
         {GOTO}TOTAL~+QTY*Price~
...

```

### **Similar @functions**

**@ISERR** tests for the value ERR.

## **@ISNUMBER**

**@ISNUMBER(x)** tests *x* for a value. If *x* is a value, NA, ERR, or a blank cell, **@ISNUMBER** returns 1 (true); if *x* is text or a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label, **@ISNUMBER** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*x* is any value, location, text, or condition. If *x* is a multiple-cell range, **@ISNUMBER** returns 0 (false), even if the first cell of the range contains a value.

### **Examples**

The subroutine **CHKQTY** consists of three short subroutines that check entries in the cells named **QTY** and **PRICE**.

**CHKQTY** uses **@ISNUMBER** to determine whether the entry in **QTY** is a value; if it is, processing transfers to the **CKERRNA** subroutine. If **QTY** does not contain a value, **NEWQTY** requests a new entry.

```
...
CHKQTY   {IF @ISNUMBER(QTY)}{BRANCH CKERRNA}
NEWQTY   {GETNUMBER "Enter Quantity number: ";QTY}
         {BRANCH CHKQTY}
CKERRNA  {IF @ISERR(QTY)}{BRANCH NEWQTY}
         {IF @ISNA(PRICE)}{GETNUMBER "Enter new price: ";PRICE}{BRANCH CHKQTY}
         {GOTO}TOTAL~+QTY*Price~
...

```

### **Similar @functions**

**@ISSTRING** tests for a label. **@CELL** and **@CELLPOINTER** can also determine whether a cell contains a value or a label.



## **@ISRANGE**

**@ISRANGE**(*range*) tests *range* for a defined range name or valid range address (a range address with sheet and column letters from A through IV and row numbers from 1 through 65536). If *range* is a defined range name or valid range address, **@ISRANGE** returns 1 (true); if *range* is not a defined range name or valid range address, **@ISRANGE** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*range* is any text or range address.

### **Notes**

**@ISRANGE** is useful with **@IF** to determine if an entry is a valid range name for subroutine calls and branching with {DISPATCH}.

You can use **@ISRANGE** only with workbooks in memory.

### **Examples**

**@ISRANGE**(A1) = 1 (true).

**@ISRANGE**(+A1) = 0 (false).

**@ISRANGE**(A1..C3) = 1(true).

**@ISRANGE**(SALES) = 1 (true), if SALES is a defined range name.

**@ISRANGE**(PRICE) = 0 (false), if PRICE is an undefined range name.

**@ISRANGE**(3) = 0 (false).

**@ISRANGE**("COMMISSION") = 0 (false) because the range name is enclosed in " " (quotation marks).

## **@ISSTRING**

**@ISSTRING(x)** tests *x* for text or a label. If *x* is text or a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label, **@ISSTRING** returns 1 (true); if *x* is a value, ERR, NA, or blank cell, **@ISSTRING** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*x* is any value, location, text, or condition.

### **Examples**

The subroutine **CHKSTR** checks the contents of the cell named **CUSTOMER**. If **CUSTOMER** contains a label (**@ISSTRING(CUSTOMER) = 1**), the subroutine branches to a new subroutine named **FILEORDER**. If **CUSTOMER** does not contain a label, the subroutine requests a new entry.

```
...
CHKSTR      {IF @ISSTRING(CUSTOMER)}{BRANCH FILEORDER}
            {GETLABEL "Enter CUSTOMER name: ",CUSTOMER}
            {CHKSTR}
...
```

### **Similar @functions**

**@ISNUMBER** tests for a value. **@CELL** and **@CELLPOINTER** can also determine whether a cell contains a value or a label.

## **@KURTOSIS**

**@KURTOSIS**(*range*;*[type]*) calculates the kurtosis of the values in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is the name or address of a range that contains values. If *range* contains fewer than four values, **@KURTOSIS** returns the value ERR.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for a population or a sample.

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates</b>
0	Population kurtosis; default if you omit the argument
1	Sample kurtosis

### **Notes**

Kurtosis is a measure of the concentration of a distribution about its mean. Positive kurtosis indicates a relatively peaked distribution; negative kurtosis indicates a relatively flat distribution.

### **Examples**

The range DATA contains these values: 2, 5, 5, 9, 1, 2, 4.

**@KURTOSIS**(DATA;1) = 1.021488

**@KURTOSIS**(DATA) = -0.32438

### **Similar @functions**

**@SKEWNESS** calculates the skewness of the values in a range.

## **@LARGE**

**@LARGE**(*range*; *n*) finds the *n*th largest value in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is the name or address of a range that contains values.

*n* is any positive integer. If *n* is larger than the number of values in *range*, **@LARGE** returns ERR.

### **Examples**

A range named SCORES contains these test scores: 87, 85, 90, 80, 82, 92, 79, 85, 95, 86.

**@LARGE**(SCORES;3) returns 90, the third highest score.

### **Similar @functions**

**@SMALL** finds the *n*th smallest value in a range. **@MAX** and **@PUREMAX** find the largest value in a range. **@MIN** and **@PUREMIN** find the smallest value in a range.

## **@LEFT**

**@LEFT**(*text*; *n*) returns the first *n* characters in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be a positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result is an empty string. If *n* is greater than the length of *text*, **@LEFT** returns all of *text*.

### **Notes**

**@LEFT** counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

**@LEFT** is useful for copying only part of a label into another cell, starting at the beginning of the label (for example, for separating titles such as Dr. and Ms. from names).

In a macro, **@LEFT** can extract parts of labels the user enters to store them in a database, for subroutine calls, or to alter the macro itself.

Use **@LEFT** with **@FIND** when you do not know the exact value for *n*, or when *n* may vary.

### **Examples**

**@LEFT**(PHONE;3) = the area code for the telephone number in the cell PHONE.

**@LEFT**(A1;**@FIND**("\*";A1;0)) = the first name in cell A1 (for example, Richard if cell A1 contains the name Richard Smith). The \* (asterisk) represents one space.

### **Similar @functions**

**@MID** returns characters from within *text*. **@RIGHT** returns the last *n* characters in *text*.

## **@LENGTH**

**@LENGTH**(*text*) counts the characters in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Notes**

@LENGTH counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

Use @LENGTH with @TRIM to find the length of *text* without including leading, trailing, or consecutive spaces.

@LENGTH is also useful in any application in which labels should be a certain length, such as ZIP codes and purchase order numbers.

### **Examples**

@LENGTH("fiscal") = 6.

@LENGTH(A5&G12) = the total number of characters in cells A5 and G12.

@LENGTH(@TRIM(" Mr. Jones ")) = 9.

### **Similar @functions**

@LENGTHB counts the number of bytes in *text*.

## **@LN**

@LN(x) calculates the natural logarithm (base e) of x.

### **Arguments**

x is a value greater than 0.

### **Notes**

A natural logarithm is one that uses the number e (approximately 2.718282) as a base.

### **Examples**

@LN(2) = 0.693147

@LN(@EXP(1)) = 1, because @EXP(1) = 2.718282.

### **Similar @functions**

@EXP is the inverse of @LN. @LOG calculates the common logarithm (base 10) of x.

## **@LOG**

@LOG(x) calculates the common logarithm (base 10) of x.

### **Arguments**

x is a value greater than 0.

### **Examples**

$10^{(@LOG(8)/3)} = 2$ , the cube root of 8.

@LOG(B3) = 0.60206, if cell B3 contains the value 4.

### **Similar @functions**

@LN calculates the natural logarithm (base e) of a value.



## **@LOWER**

@LOWER(*text*) converts all the letters in *text* to lowercase.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Notes**

If you use an ASCII sort order (set using File - 1-2-3 Preferences, under "Country sort order" on the General tab), capitalization affects the sort order of labels; two otherwise identical labels may not appear together if their capitalization is different.

### **Examples**

@LOWER("Sales Forecast") = sales forecast

### **Similar @functions**

@UPPER converts all letters in *text* to uppercase. @PROPER converts the first letter of each word in *text* to uppercase and converts the rest of the letters to lowercase.

## **@MAX, @PUREMAX**

**@MAX**(*list*) finds the largest value in *list*.

**@PUREMAX**(*list*) finds the largest value in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

A range named TEST contains the following data: -5, -7, -9, -11, January.

**@MAX**(TEST) returns 0, the value of the label January, as the largest value in TEST.

**@PUREMAX**(TEST) ignores the label January and returns -5 as the largest value in TEST.

### **Similar @functions**

**@MIN** and **@PUREMIN** find the smallest value in a list. **@DMAX** finds the largest value in the field of a database table that meets criteria you specify. **@LARGE** returns the *n*th largest value in a list.

## **@MEDIAN**

**@MEDIAN**(*list*) returns the median value in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Notes**

If *list* contains an odd number of values, @MEDIAN returns the middle value. If *list* contains an even number of values, @MEDIAN returns the arithmetic average of the two middle values.

### **Examples**

@MEDIAN(5;12;65;82;9) = 12

@MEDIAN(5;12;65;82;9;78) = 38.50

### **Similar @functions**

@PUREMEDIAN returns the median value in *list*, ignoring blank cells, labels, and formulas that result in labels.

@GEOMEAN and @HARMEAN calculate the geometric mean and the harmonic mean of the values in a list.

@TRIMMEAN calculates the trimmed mean of the values in a list.

@MODE calculates the most frequently occurring value in a list.

@AVG and @PUREAVG calculate the average of the values in a list.

## **@MID**

**@MID**(*text*; *start-number*; *n*) copies *n* characters from *text*, beginning with the character at *start-number*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*start-number* is an offset number. If *start-number* is larger than the length of *text*, the result of @MID is an empty string.

*n* is any positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result of @MID is an empty string. If *n* is larger than the length of *text*, 1-2-3 returns all the characters from *start-number* to the end of *text*.

### **Notes**

@MID counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

Use a large number for *n* if you do not know the length of *text*; 1-2-3 ignores the extra spaces and returns all of *text* beginning with *start-number*.

To extract part of a label when you do not know its *start-number*, use @MID with @FIND.

@MID is useful in macros to store parts of labels the user enters, to create subroutine calls, or to alter the macro itself.

### **Examples**

@MID("Daily Account Balance";6;7) = Account.

### **Similar @functions**

@LEFT returns the first *n* characters of *text*, and @RIGHT returns the last *n* characters in *text*.

## **@MIN, @PUREMIN**

**@MIN**(*list*) finds the smallest value in *list*.

**@PUREMIN**(*list*) finds the smallest value in *list*, ignoring all cells that contain labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

A range named TEST contains the following entries: 5, 7, 9, 11, January.

**@MIN**(TEST) returns 0, the value of the label January, as the smallest value in TEST.

**@PUREMIN**(TEST) ignores the label January and returns 5 as the smallest value in TEST.

### **Similar @functions**

**@MAX** and **@PUREMAX** find the largest value in *list*. **@DMIN** finds the smallest value in the field of a database table that meets criteria you specify.

## **@MINUTE**

**@MINUTE**(*time-number*) extracts the minutes, a value from 0 through 59, from *time-number*.

### **Arguments**

*time-number* is a value from .000000 (midnight) through .999988 (11:59:59 PM). Usually, another time @function supplies *time-number*.

### **Notes**

The minutes portion is useful in calculations that involve only minutes, such as the time that has elapsed since the start of an application.

### **Examples**

**@MINUTE**(0.333) = 59 because 0.333 is the time number for 7:59:31.

**@MINUTE**(**@TIME**(11;15;45)) = 15 because 15 is the *minutes* argument for **@TIME**(11;15;45).

### **Similar @functions**

**@HOUR** extracts the hour, and **@SECOND** extracts the seconds, from a time number.

## @MIRR

**@MIRR**(*range*; *finance-rate*; *reinvest-rate*; [*type*]) calculates the modified internal rate of return (profit) for a series of cash-flow values generated by an investment.

The internal rate of return is the percentage rate that equates the present value of an expected future series of cash flows to the initial investment.

### Arguments

*range* is the address or name of a range that contains the cash flows. 1-2-3 considers negative numbers as cash outflows and positive numbers as cash inflows. *range* must contain at least one positive value and one negative value.

Normally, the first cash-flow amount in the range is a negative number (a cash outflow) that represents the investment. 1-2-3 assigns the value 0 to all blank cells and labels in *range* and includes them in the calculation.

*finance-rate* is the interest rate paid on money used in cash flows.

*reinvest-rate* is the interest rate you receive on cash flows as you reinvest them.

*finance-rate* and *reinvest-rate* can be any values.

*type* specifies the timing of the cash flows. *type* is an integer from the following table

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b>Cash flows occur</b>
0	At the end of each period; default if you omit the argument
1	At the beginning of each period

### Notes

Use **@MIRR** to determine the profitability of an investment. Combine **@MIRR** with other financial **@**functions, such as **@NPV**, to assess an investment.

1-2-3 assumes the cash flows are received at regular, equal intervals.

Only Release 5 and later releases support the optional *type* argument for **@MIRR**. If you save an **@MIRR** formula that contains a *type* argument and then open the workbook in an earlier release, the formula evaluates to **ERR**.

### Examples

You own an apartment building. Five and six years ago, you borrowed \$100,000 at 9.5% annual interest to purchase the building. The following list, stored in the range INCOME, contains your initial investments and your subsequent rental income:

\$-100,000

\$-100,000

\$ 45,500

\$ 47,000

\$ 48,500

\$ 50,000

\$ 50,000

During these years, your reinvested profits earned 11% annually.

**@MIRR**(INCOME;0.095;0.11) = 7.96%

The rate of return is slightly less if you made the investments at the beginning of the year.

**@MIRR**(INCOME;0.095;0.11;1) = 7.70%

### Similar @functions

**@IRR** calculates the internal rate of return. **@XIRR** returns the internal rate of return for a series of cash inflows and outflows.

## **@MOD, @MODULO**

@MOD( x;y ) and @MODULO(x;y) calculate the remainder (modulus) of x/y.

### **Arguments**

x is a value. If x is 0, @MOD and @MODULO return 0.

y is a value other than 0.

### **Notes**

The result of @MOD is  $x - y * @INT(x/y)$ . The sign of the result (+ or -) is always the same as the sign of x.

The result of @MODULO is  $x - y * @ROUNDDOWN(x/y)$ . The sign of the result (+ or -) is always the same as the sign of y.

### **Examples**

@MOD(9;4) = 1

@MODULO(9;4) = 1

@MOD(-14;3) = -2

@MODULO(-14;3) = 1

### **Similar @functions**

@QUOTIENT calculates the result of x/y, truncated to an integer.



## **@MONTH**

**@MONTH**(*date-number*) extracts the month, a value from 1 through 12, from *date-number*.

### **Arguments**

*date-number* is a value from 1 (January 1, 1900) through 2958465 (December 31, 9999).

### **Notes**

You can use one of the other date @functions to supply the value for *date-number*.

### **Examples**

**@MONTH**(**@DATE**(91;3;27)) = 3 because 3 is the *month* argument for **@DATE**(91;3;27).

**@MONTH**(20181) = 4 because the date number 20181 is the date 02-Apr-55.

**@MONTH**(**@NOW**) = the current month.

### **Similar @functions**

**@DAY** calculates the day, using a date number. **@YEAR** calculates the year, using a date number.

## **@N**

**@N**(*range*) returns the entry in the first cell of *range* as a value. If the cell contains a label, **@N** returns the value 0.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a cell or range address, or a range name.

### **Notes**

**@N** is useful with any **@**function or formula when a cell may contain a label and the entry must be a value. Use **@N** to prevent formulas from resulting in ERR.

**@N** is also useful in macros to check user entries.

### **Examples**

+100+**@N**(B5..F5) = 885, if cell B5 contains the value 785.

**@N**(A5)+**@N**(B5) returns 785, if A5 contains a label and B5 contains the value 785.

### **Similar @functions**

**@S** returns the entry in the first cell of a range as a label. **@ISNUMBER** can determine whether a cell contains a value.

## **@NA**

@NA returns the value NA (not available).

### **Notes**

@NA is useful when you are building a worksheet that will contain data that you have not yet determined. Use @NA to flag cells where you will enter the data; formulas that refer to those cells result in the value NA until you supply the correct data.

@NA is also useful to determine which formulas depend on a particular cell.

### **Examples**

@IF(@CELL("type";B14)="b",@NA,B14) returns the value NA when B14 is blank.

### **Similar @functions**

@ERR returns the value ERR. @ISNA tests for the value NA.

## **@NOW**

@NOW calculates the number that corresponds to the current date and time on your computer's clock. This includes both a date number (integer portion) and a time number (decimal portion).

### **Notes**

Use @NOW with F2 (EDIT) and F9 (CALC) to create a fixed record of a date and time for time-stamping worksheets or in calculations of elapsed time.

Format the value of @NOW as any of the Date or Time formats. If you format @NOW as a date, 1-2-3 displays only the date (integer) portion of the date and time number. If you format @NOW as time, 1-2-3 displays only the time (decimal) portion of the date and time number. In both cases, 1-2-3 stores and calculates with the entire date and time number.

1-2-3 recalculates @NOW each time you recalculate your work.

### **Examples**

@NOW = 31050.5 at noon on January 3, 1985.

@NOW = 33418.395 at 9:28 A.M. on June 29, 1991.

### **Similar @functions**

@TODAY calculates the date number that corresponds to the current date.

## @NPV

**@NPV**(*interest*; *range*; [*type*]) calculates the net present value of a series of future cash-flow values (*range*), discounted at a fixed periodic *interest* rate.

### Arguments

*interest* is a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*range* is the range that contains the cash flows.

*type* specifies the timing of the cash flows. *type* is an integer from the following table:

<u><i>type</i></u>	<u>Cash flows occur</u>
0	At the end of each period; default if you omit the argument
1	At the beginning of each period

### Notes

Use **@NPV** to evaluate an investment or to compare one investment with others. **@NPV** calculates the initial investment necessary to achieve a certain cash outflow at a certain rate.

**@NPV** returns **ERR** if *range* contains more than one row or more than one column. For example, **@NPV** returns **ERR** if *range* is A1..D25, but does not return **ERR** if *range* is A1..D1 (a single row) or A1..A25 (a single column).

Only Release 5 and later releases support the optional *type* argument for **@NPV**. If you save an **@NPV** formula that contains a *type* argument and then open the workbook in an earlier release of 1-2-3, the formula evaluates to **ERR**.

### Examples

This example uses **@NPV** to discount to today's dollars a series of irregular distributions invested at 11.5% annual percentage rate.

*range* is a list of cash flows, one a month for 12 months, in a range named DISTRIBUTIONS:

\$ 0.00  
\$ 0.00  
\$ 2,500.00  
\$ 2,500.00  
\$ 3,000.00  
\$ 5,000.00  
\$ 6,000.00  
\$ 9,000.00  
\$ 3,000.00  
\$ 2,500.00  
\$ 0.00  
\$ 7,500.00

To provide **@NPV** with the correct number of periods, months in which no distribution is made must be included in *range*. The distributions are monthly, so **@NPV** requires *interest* (the discount rate), in a cell named DISCOUNT, to be expressed as a monthly percentage:

$$0.115/12 = 0.96$$

$$\text{@NPV}(\text{DISCOUNT}; \text{DISTRIBUTIONS}) = \$38,084.13$$

The result is different if the cash outflows occurred at the beginning of each period.

$$\text{@NPV}(\text{DISCOUNT}; \text{DISTRIBUTIONS}; 1) = \$38,449.10$$

### Similar @functions

**@PV** calculates the present value of an annuity based on a series of equal payments. **@FV** calculates the future value of an annuity.

**@XNPV** returns the net present value of a series of cash inflows and outflows.

## **@ODD**

@ODD(x) rounds the value x away from 0 to the nearest odd integer.

### **Arguments**

x is any value. If x is an odd integer, @ODD returns x.

### **Examples**

@ODD(3.25) = 5

@ODD(3) = 3

@ODD(-3.25) = -5

### **Similar @functions**

@EVEN rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest even integer. @ROUND, @ROUNDDOWN, and @ROUNDUP round a value to a specified number of decimal places. @ROUND rounds a value to a specified multiple. @INT truncates a value, discarding the decimal portion. @TRUNC truncates a value to a specified decimal place.

## **@PERCENTILE**

**@PERCENTILE**(*x*;*range*) calculates the *x*th sample percentile among the values in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*x* is the percentile you want to find. *x* is a value from 0 to 1.

*range* is the name or address of the range that contains values.

1-2-3 assigns the value 0 to all labels in *range* and includes them in the **@PERCENTILE** calculation. 1-2-3 ignores blank cells in *range*.

### **Examples**

A range named SCORES contains these test scores: 87, 85, 90, 80, 82, 92, 79, 85, 95, 86. You want to find out the score at the 90th percentile.

**@PERCENTILE**(0.9;SCORES) = 92.3

### **Similar @functions**

**@PRANK** finds the percentile in a range associated with a value.

**@DECILE** returns a given decile, and **@QUARTILE** returns a given quartile.

## **@PERMUT**

**@PERMUT**( $n$ ; $r$ ) calculates the number of ordered sequences (permutations) of  $r$  objects that can be selected from a total of  $n$  objects.

### **Arguments**

$n$  is any positive integer or 0.

$r$  is any positive integer or 0.  $r$  cannot be greater than  $n$ .

If  $n$  and  $r$  are not integers, 1-2-3 truncates them to integers.

### **Examples**

Tests scheduled for 9:00, 10:00, and 11:00 AM will be monitored by three of the five department members. The following formula calculates the number of possible ways of assigning monitors.

**@PERMUT**(5;3) = 60

### **Similar @functions**

**@COMBIN** calculates the number of ways that  $r$  can be selected from  $n$ , without regard for order. **@HYPGEOMDIST** calculates the hypergeometric distribution.



**@PI**

@PI produces the value  $\pi$  (calculated at 3.14159265358979). The value  $\pi$  is the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter.

**Examples**

@PI = 3.1415926536

@PI\*4^2 = 50.26548, the area of a circle with a radius of 4.

## **@PMT, @PAYMT, @PMTTC**

**@PMT**(*principal;interest;term*) calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*).

**@PAYMT**(*principal;interest;term;[type];[future-value]*) calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*). **@PAYMT** calculates for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due, depending on the value you specify for *type*.

**@PMTTC**(*principal;interest;term*) is a special form of **@PMT** that supports Canadian mortgage conventions.

### **Arguments**

*principal* and *term* are values.

*interest* is a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for an ordinary annuity or for an annuity due.

<b>type</b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates for</b>
0	Ordinary annuity (payments due at the end of a period); default if you omit the argument
1	Annuity due (payment due at the beginning of a period)

*future-value* is an optional argument that specifies the future value of the series of payments. *future-value* can be any value. If you omit the *future-value* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### **Notes**

For **@PMT** and **@PAYMT**, the period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

For **@PMTTC**, the period used to calculate *interest* is years while the period for *term* is months.

### **Examples**

You are considering taking out an \$8,000 loan for 3 years at an annual interest rate of 10.5%, compounded monthly. Payments are due on the last day of each month. You want to determine your monthly payment:

**@PMT**(8000;0.105/12;36) = \$260.02

If payments are due on the first day of each month:

**@PAYMT**(8000;0.105/12;36;1;-2500) = \$198.90

If you calculate the monthly payment using **@PMTTC**:

**@PMTTC**(8000;0.105;36) = \$259.18

### **Similar @functions**

**@PMT2** calculates the payment on a loan at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods, assuming an annuity-due convention. **@PMTI** calculates the interest portion of a constant periodic payment. **@SPI** calculates the interest portion of a periodic payment where the principal portion is the same in each period.

**@IPAYMT** calculates the cumulative interest portion of the periodic payment for an investment. **@PPAYMT** calculates the principal portion of the periodic payment for an investment. **@TERM** calculates the number of payment periods of an investment.

## @POISSON

@POISSON(*x*; *mean*; [*cumulative*]) calculates the Poisson distribution.

### Arguments

*x* is the number of observed events and is a positive integer or 0.

*mean* is the expected number of events and is a positive integer.

If *x* and *mean* are not integers, 1-2-3 truncates them to integers.

*cumulative* is an optional argument that specifies how 1-2-3 calculates @POISSON.

<u>cumulative</u>	<u>1-2-3 calculates</u>
0	The probability of exactly <i>x</i> events; default if you omit the argument
1	The probability of, at most, <i>x</i> events

### Notes

@POISSON approximates the Poisson distribution to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

@POISSON is useful for predicting the number of events that occur during a specified period of time, for example, the number of visitors who pass through the gates of an amusement park in one hour.

### Examples

You expect six cars to pass through a toll booth in one hour. To determine the probability that at most four cars will pass through the toll booth in one hour:

@POISSON(4;6;1) = 0.285057, or 28.51%

To determine the probability that exactly four cars will pass through the toll booth in one hour:

@POISSON(4;6) = 0.133853, or 13.39%

### Similar @functions

@EXPONDIST calculates the exponential distribution.

## **@PRANK**

`@PRANK(x;range:[places])` finds the percentile of *x* among the values in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*x* is any value.

*range* is the name or address of a range that contains values.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies the number of decimal places to round the result of `@PRANK`. *places* is a value from 0 to 100. If you omit the *places* argument, 1-2-3 uses 2.

### **Notes**

If *x* is not a value in *range*, 1-2-3 assigns the 0th percentile position to the lowest value in *range* and assigns the 100th percentile position to the highest value in *range* and interpolates.

### **Examples**

A range named SCORES contains these test scores: 87, 85, 90, 80, 82, 92, 79, 85, 95, 86. You want to determine the percentile for a score of 90.

`@PRANK(90;SCORES)` = 0.78, or 78%.

### **Similar @functions**

`@PERCENTILE` calculates a sample percentile for the values in a list of values.

## @PRICE

@PRICE(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; *yield*; [*redemption*]; [*frequency*]; [*basis*]) calculates the price per \$100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @PRICE returns ERR.

*coupon* is the security's annual coupon rate. *coupon* is any positive value or 0.

*yield* is the annual yield. *yield* is any positive value.

*redemption* is an optional argument that specifies the security's redemption value per \$100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0. If you omit the *redemption* argument, 1-2-3 uses 100.

*frequency* is an optional argument that specifies the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is a value from the following table:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly
12	Monthly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is a value from the following table:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Examples

A bond has a July 1, 1993, settlement date and a December 1, 1998, maturity date. The semiannual coupon rate is 5.50% and the annual yield is 5.61%. The bond has a 30/360 day-count basis.

To determine the bond's price:

@PRICE(@DATE(93;7;1),@DATE(98;12;1),0.055,0.0561,100,2,0) = \$99.49

### Similar @functions

@ACCRUED calculates the accrued interest for securities that pay periodic interest. @YIELD calculates the yield for securities that pay periodic interest. @DURATION calculates the annual duration and @MDURATION calculates the modified annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest.

@PRICE2 calculates the price per ¥100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

## **@PROPER**

**@PROPER**(*text*) capitalizes the first letter of each word in *text* and converts the remaining letters to lowercase.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Notes**

**@PROPER** is useful when you combine data from several sources and want labels to be consistent throughout the workbook. Use **@PROPER** in a database to ensure consistent capitalization of names before sorting the names or before using the names to create mailing labels.

If you use an ASCII sort order (set using File - 1-2-3 Preferences, under "Country sort order" on the General tab), capitalization affects the sort order of labels; two otherwise identical labels may not appear together if their capitalization is different.

### **Examples**

**@PROPER**(A7&" ; "&G7) returns Morton Smith; Athens, Georgia if A7 contains the label MORTON SMITH, and G7 contains the label athens, georgia. Note that the ; (semicolon) is in quotation marks and is therefore treated as a literal text instead of an argument separator.

### **Similar @functions**

**@LOWER** converts all letters in *text* to lowercase. **@UPPER** converts all letters in *text* to uppercase.

## @PV, @PVAL

**@PV**(*payments;interest;term*) calculates the present value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, discounted at a periodic *interest* rate over the number of periods in *term*.

**@PVAL**(*payments;interest;term;[type];[future-value]*) calculates the present value of an investment with a specified *future-value*, based on a series of equal *payments*, discounted at a periodic *interest* rate over the number of periods in *term*. **@PVAL** calculates for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due, depending on the value you specify for *type*.

### Arguments

*payments* and *term* are values.

*interest* is a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for an ordinary annuity or for an annuity due.

<b>type</b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates for</b>
0	Ordinary annuity (payments due at the end of a period); default if you omit the argument
1	Annuity due (payment due at the beginning of a period)

*future-value* is an optional argument that specifies the future value of the series of payments. *future-value* can be any value. If you omit the *future-value* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

Use **@PV** to evaluate an investment or to compare one investment with others. **@PV** is useful in comparing different types of investments, for example, comparing a single-payment investment from a pension fund with a series of periodic payments. Use **@PV** with **@PMT** to create an amortization table.

**@PV** complements **@PMT**: **@PV** tells you how large a loan you can take out, given the constraint of the size of the monthly payment you can afford. Conversely, **@PMT** tells you how large your monthly payment will be, given the constraint of the size of the loan you want to take out.

### Examples

You won \$1,000,000. You can receive either 20 annual payments of \$50,000 at the end of each year or a single payment of \$400,000 instead of the \$1,000,000 annuity. You want to find out which option is worth more in today's dollars.

If you were to accept the annual payments of \$50,000, you assume that you would invest the money at a rate of 8%, compounded annually.

**@PV**(50000;0.08;20) returns \$490,907, which tells you that the \$1,000,000 paid over 20 years is worth \$490,907 in today's dollars.

If you receive the payments at the beginning of each year:

**@PVAL**(50000;0.08;20;1) = \$530,180

### Similar @functions

**@FV** and **@FVAL** calculate the future value of an investment based on a series of equal payments. **@NPV** computes the net present value of an investment, discounting future value to present value. **@PMT** and **@PAYMT** calculate the payment on a loan at a given interest rate for a specified number of payment periods.

**@PV2** calculates the present value of an investment, based on a series of equal payments, discounted at a periodic interest rate over the number of periods in *term*, assuming an annuity-due convention. **@PVAMOUNT** returns the present value of a lump sum to be received a given number of periods in the future and discounted at a given interest rate.

## **@QUOTIENT**

@QUOTIENT(x;y) calculates the result of  $x/y$ , truncated to an integer.

### **Arguments**

x is a value. If x is 0, @QUOTIENT returns 0.

y is a value other than 0.

### **Examples**

@QUOTIENT(7;3) = 2

@QUOTIENT(12.25;3.5) = 3

@QUOTIENT(-7;3) = -2

### **Similar @functions**

@MOD calculates the remainder (modulus) of  $x/y$ .



**@RADTODEG**

@RADTODEG(*radians*) converts *radians* to degrees.

**Arguments**

*radians* is a value.

**Examples**

@RADTODEG(0.523599) = 30 degrees

**Similar @functions**

@DEGTORAD converts degrees to radians.

## **@RAND**

@RAND generates a random value between 0 and 1. 1-2-3 calculates @RAND to 15 decimal places. Each time 1-2-3 recalculates your work, @RAND generates a new random value.

### **Notes**

To convert the value generated by @RAND to a fixed value, press F2 (EDIT) and then F9 (CALC).

To generate random values in different numeric intervals, multiply @RAND by the size of the interval. Use @ROUND or @INT with the result to create random whole numbers.

### **Examples**

@RAND = 0.419501, or any value between 0 and 1.

@RAND\*10 = 6.933674, or any value between 0 and 10.

@INT(@RAND\*50)+1 = 49, or any integer between 1 and 50.

### **Similar @functions**

@RANDBETWEEN generates a random value between two specified values.

## @RANK

@RANK(*item*; *range*; [*order*]) calculates the relative size or position of a value in a range relative to other values in the range.

### Arguments

*item* is the value whose rank you want to determine.

*range* is the address or name of a range that contains values. *range* must include *item*.

*order* is an optional argument that specifies how to rank *item*. *order* is one of the following values:

<u><i>order</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 treats values in <i>range</i> as if they are sorted in</u>
0	Descending order (9 to 1) before ranging <i>item</i> ; default if you omit the argument
1	Ascending order (1 to 9) before ranging <i>item</i>

### Notes

1-2-3 assigns duplicate numbers in *range* the same rank. Duplicate numbers affect the rank of subsequent numbers in *range*. For example, for the values 2, 4, 6, 8, 8, 10, 12, the number 8 appears twice and has an ascending rank of 4. The number 10 has an ascending rank of 6; none of the numbers has a rank of 5.

### Examples

The range named SALES (A1..A5) contains the following values:

\$5,000  
\$4,900  
\$5,150  
\$4,800  
\$4,900

@RANK(4900;SALES) = 3; \$4,900 is the third highest value in the range SALES. No value would have the rank of 4.

@RANK(4900;SALES;1) = 2; because SALES is sorted in ascending order, \$4,900 is the second lowest value in the range SALES. No value would have the rank of 3.

## **@RATE**

**@RATE**(*future-value*; *present-value*; *term*) calculates the periodic interest rate necessary for an investment (*present-value*) to grow to a *future-value* over the number of compounding periods in *term*.

### **Arguments**

*future-value*, *present-value*, and *term* are values.

### **Examples**

You invested \$10,000 in a bond that matures in five years and has a maturity value of \$18,000. Interest is compounded monthly. You want to determine the periodic interest rate for this investment.

**@RATE**(18000;10000;60) returns 0.984%, the periodic (monthly) interest rate. To determine the annual interest rate, use the formula  $((1+\text{@RATE}(18000;10000;60))^{12}-1)$ . This yields an annual interest rate of 12.47%.

### **Similar @functions**

**@IRATE** calculates the periodic interest rate necessary for an annuity to grow to a future value.

## **@REFCONVERT**

@REFCONVERT(*reference*) converts the 1-2-3 column or sheet letters A through IV to numbers from 1 through 256, and numbers from 1 through 256 to their corresponding column or sheet letters.

### **Arguments**

*reference* specifies a 1-2-3 column or sheet and can be either a letter from A through IV entered as text, or an integer from 1 through 256.

@REFCONVERT is not case-sensitive; you can enter *reference* as either uppercase or lowercase letters.

### **Examples**

@REFCONVERT(10) = J

@REFCONVERT("J") = 10

### **Similar @functions**

@COLS counts the columns in a range and @SHEETS counts the sheets in a range. @COORD creates a cell address from values you specify.

@COLUMN returns the number of the leftmost column in a range. @ROW returns the number of the first row in a range. @SHEET returns the number of the first sheet in a range.

## @REGRESSION

**@REGRESSION**(*x-range*;*y-range*;*attribute*;*[compute]*) performs multiple linear regression and returns the specified statistic.

### Arguments

*x-range* contains the independent variables. *x-range* is the name or address of a range that can contain up to 75 columns and 65,536 rows.

*y-range* contains the set of values for the dependent variable. *y-range* is the name or address of a single-column range with the same number of rows as *x-range*.

*attribute* specifies which regression output value to calculate. *attribute* is one of the following values:

<b><i>attribute</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates</b>
1	Constant
2	Standard error of Y estimate
3	R squared
4	Number of observations
5	Degrees of freedom
101 to 175	X coefficient (slope) for the independent variable specified by <i>attribute</i>
201 to 275	Standard error of coefficient for the independent variable specified by <i>attribute</i>

For the last two attributes, 1-2-3 numbers the independent variables in *x-range*, starting with the number 1, from top to bottom in a column and from left to right.

For example, if *x-range* is B2..D7, use the attribute 201 to find the standard error of coefficient for the independent variable in column B; use the attribute 102 to find the X coefficient for the independent variable in column C.

*compute* is an optional argument that specifies the Y intercept.

<b><i>compute</i></b>	<b>1-2-3</b>
0	Uses 0 as the Y intercept
1	Calculates the Y intercept; default if you omit the argument

### Notes

For the same data, @REGRESSION and Range - Analyze - Regression return the same result.

### Examples

@REGRESSION

### Similar @functions

@FORECAST returns a forecast value for *x* based on the linear trend between values in *y-range* and *x-range*.

@RSQ calculates R squared for the values in *y-range* and *x-range*. @STEYX calculates the standard error of the Y estimate.

**Example: @REGRESSION**

You run an ice cream stand at a tourist location, and you want to predict roughly how many quarts of ice cream you'll sell in the next day. You think your sales depend on three key factors: the number of hours of sunshine, the midday temperature, and the number of buses in a nearby parking lot. You want to determine the correlation between these factors and your sales. You collect data for a six-day period and record your observations in a worksheet.

A	A	B	C	D
1	Ice Cream Sales	Sun	Temp	Buses in Lot
2	250	3	84	10
3	545	5	91	7
4	550	5	89	8
5	450	6	85	10
6	605	6	90	11
7	615	7	88	9

`@REGRESSION(B2..D7;A2..A7;3) = 0.977225`

Because R Squared is very close to 1, you know that a strong correlation exists between ice cream sales, the weather, and the number of buses.

## **@REPEAT**

`@REPEAT(text;n)` duplicates *text* the number of times specified by *n*.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be any positive integer.

### **Notes**

@REPEAT duplicates the text as many times as you specify; it is not limited by the current column width. This differs from using the repeating label-prefix character \ (backslash), which repeats a label only as many times as will fill the current column.

### **Examples**

`@REPEAT("Hello ";3)` returns Hello Hello Hello.

`@REPEAT("-",10)` returns -----.



## **@REPLACE**

**@REPLACE**(*original-text*;start-number;n;*new-text*) replaces *n* characters in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at *start-number*.

### **Arguments**

*original-text* and *new-text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), formulas that result in text, or the addresses or names of cells that contain labels or formulas that result in labels.

*start-number* is the offset number of a character in *original-text*. It can be any positive value or 0. If *start-number* is greater than the length of *original-text*, @REPLACE appends *new-text* to *original-text*.

*n* can be any positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, @REPLACE inserts *new-text* at *start-number* without deleting any characters in *original-text*.

### **Notes**

@REPLACE counts punctuation and spaces as characters. If you use @REPLACE to append or insert text, remember to include the necessary spaces.

Use @FIND with @REPLACE to search for and replace a label or to calculate an unknown *start-number*.

@REPLACE is useful when you need to replace one set of characters with another, for example, to change the area code in a database of telephone numbers.

### **Examples**

@REPLACE(CELL;@FIND("-";CELL;0),1,"/") copies the label in Cell, 4-24, as 4/24.

## **@RIGHT**

**@RIGHT**(*text*; *n*) returns the last *n* characters in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be a positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result is an empty string. If *n* is greater than the length of *text*, **@RIGHT** returns all of *text*.

### **Notes**

**@RIGHT** counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

**@RIGHT** is useful for copying only part of a label into another cell (for example, for extracting last names from labels that include both first and last names).

In a macro, **@RIGHT** can extract parts of labels the user enters to store them in a database, for subroutine calls, or to alter the macro itself.

Use **@RIGHT** with **@FIND** when you do not know the exact value for *n*, or when *n* may vary.

### **Examples**

**@RIGHT**(B3;5) = Sales, if B3 contains the label January Sales.

### **Similar @functions**

**@LEFT** returns the first *n* characters in *text*. **@MID** returns characters from within *text*.

## @ROUND, @ROUNDDOWN, @ROUNDUP

@ROUND(*x*;*n*) rounds the value *x* to the nearest multiple of the power of 10 specified by *n*.

@ROUNDDOWN(*x*;*n*;*direction*) rounds the value *x* down to the nearest multiple of the power of 10 specified by *n*.

@ROUNDUP(*x*;*n*;*direction*) rounds the value *x* up to the nearest multiple of the power of 10 specified by *n*.

### Arguments

*x* is a value.

*n* is a value from -100 through 100. For @ROUNDDOWN and @ROUNDUP, if you omit the *n* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

<u>If <i>n</i> is</u>	<u>@ROUND</u>
Positive	Affects the decimal portion of the number (moving right from the decimal point). For example, if <i>n</i> is 2, 1-2-3 rounds <i>x</i> to the nearest hundredth.
Negative	Affects the integer portion of the number (moving left from the decimal point). For example, if <i>n</i> is -2, 1-2-3 rounds <i>x</i> to the nearest hundred.
0	Rounds to the nearest integer.

*direction* is an optional argument that specifies how to round negative values. *direction* can be 0 or 1.

- For @ROUNDUP: If *direction* is 0, 1-2-3 rounds negative values up; if *direction* is 1, 1-2-3 rounds negative values down.
- For @ROUNDDOWN: If *direction* is 0, 1-2-3 rounds negative values down; if *direction* is 1, 1-2-3 rounds negative values up.

If you omit *direction*, 1-2-3 uses 0. If *x* is positive, *direction* has no effect.

### Notes

Use the Fixed format to display values with a specified number of decimal places if you want 1-2-3 to calculate the values to their full precision; do not use @ROUND.

### Examples

@ROUND(134.578;2) = 134.58

@ROUND(134.578;0) = 135

@ROUND(134.578;-2) = 100

@ROUNDDOWN(134.578;2) = 134.57

@ROUNDDOWN(134.578;0) = 134

@ROUNDDOWN(134.578;-2) = 100

@ROUNDUP(134.578;2) = 134.58

@ROUNDUP(134.578;0) = 135

@ROUNDUP(134.578;-2) = 200

### Similar @functions

@ROUNDM rounds a value to a specified multiple. @EVEN rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest even integer.

@ODD rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest odd integer. @INT truncates a value, discarding the decimal

portion. @TRUNC truncates a value to a specified decimal place.

## @ROUNDM

@ROUNDM( $x$ ;  $multiple$ ; [ $direction$ ]) rounds the value  $x$  to the nearest  $multiple$ .

### Arguments

$x$  and  $multiple$  are any values that have the same sign.

$direction$  is an optional argument that specifies whether to round  $x$  up or down.

<u><math>direction</math></u>	<u>1-2-3 rounds <math>x</math></u>
1	Up
0	To the nearest $multiple$ ; default if you omit the argument
-1	Down

### Examples

@ROUNDM(25.37;0.05,1) = 25.40

@ROUNDM(25.37,.05,-1) = 25.35

### Similar @functions

@INT truncates a value, discarding the decimal portion. @ROUND, @ROUNDDOWN, and @ROUNDUP round a value to a specified number of decimal places. @EVEN rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest even integer.

@ODD rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest odd integer. @TRUNC truncates a value to a specified decimal place.

## **@ROWS**

**@ROWS**(*range*) counts the number of rows in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

### **Notes**

Use **@ROWS** with {FOR} in a macro that repeats the same action on a series of rows to determine when the macro should stop.

### **Examples**

**@ROWS**(A3..B7) = 5 (rows 3 through 7).

**@ROWS**(SCORES) = 43, if SCORES is the range B3..B45.

### **Similar @functions**

**@COLS** counts the columns, and **@SHEETS** counts the worksheets, in a range.

## **@S**

@S(*range*) returns the entry in the first cell in *range* as a label.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a cell address or range name.

### **Notes**

@S is useful with any text @function or text formula when a cell may contain a value and the entry must be a label (for example, a cell that contains a ZIP code). Use @S to prevent text formulas from resulting in ERR, for example, +A1&A2 returns ERR if either cell contains a value.

### **Examples**

In the macro instructions

```
{IF @S(B6)=""}{BEEP}{INDICATE "ENTRY MUST BE A LABEL"}
```

@S returns a blank cell if B6 contains a value or is a blank cell; 1-2-3 then beeps and displays ENTRY MUST BE A LABEL in the title bar.

### **Similar @functions**

@N returns the entry in the first cell of *range* as a value. @ISSTRING determines whether a cell contains a label.

## **@SEC**

**@SEC(x)** calculates the secant of angle  $x$ . The secant is the ratio of the hypotenuse to the side adjacent to an acute angle of a right triangle. Secant is the reciprocal of cosine.

### **Arguments**

$x$  is an angle measured in radians.  $x$  can be any value from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63}$ .

### **Examples**

**@SEC(@DEGTORAD(30))** = 1.154701, the secant of a 30-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@ASEC calculates the arc secant of a value. @ASECH calculates the arc hyperbolic secant of a value. @COS calculates the cosine of an angle. @SECH calculates the hyperbolic secant of a value.

## **@SECH**

**@SECH(x)** calculates the hyperbolic secant of angle  $x$ . The hyperbolic secant is the reciprocal of the hyperbolic cosine. The result of **@SECH** is a value greater than 0 or less than or equal to 1.

## **Arguments**

$x$  can be any value from approximately -709.7827 to approximately 709.7827.

## **Examples**

**@SECH(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 0.87701**

## **Similar @functions**

**@ASECH** calculates the arc hyperbolic secant of a value. **@SEC** calculates the secant of a value.



## **@SECOND**

`@SECOND(time-number)` extracts the seconds, an integer from 0 through 59, from *time-number*.

### **Arguments**

*time-number* is a value from .000000 (midnight) through .999988 (11:59:59 PM).

### **Examples**

`@SECOND(0.333) = 31`

`@SECOND(@TIME(11;15;45)) = 45`, because 45 is the *seconds* argument for `@TIME(11;15;45)`.

### **Similar @functions**

`@HOUR` extracts the hour, and `@MINUTE` extracts the minutes, from a time number.

## **@SERIESSUM**

`@SERIESSUM(x;n;m;coefficients)` calculates the sum of a power series.

### **Arguments**

*x* is the power series' input value.

*n* is the initial power to which to raise *x*.

*m* is the increment by which to increase *n* for each term in the series.

*x*, *n*, and *m* are values.

*coefficients* is a range that contains the coefficients by which 1-2-3 multiplies each successive power of *x*. The number of cells in *coefficients* determines the number of terms in the series. For example, if *coefficients* contains ten cells, the power series contains ten terms.

### **Examples**

The range DATA contains these coefficients: 0.2, 0.7, 1.3.

`@SERIESSUM(3.5;2;1;DATA) = 227.5438`

## **@SHEETS**

@SHEETS(*range*) counts the number of sheets in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

### **Notes**

Use @SHEETS with {FOR} in a macro that repeats the same action in a series of sheets to determine when the macro should stop.

### **Examples**

@SHEETS(Q\_2) = 4 if Q\_2 is the range B:B3..E:C45 (sheets B; C; D; and E).

### **Similar @functions**

@COLS counts the columns, and @ROWS counts the rows, in a range. @REFCONVERT converts the 1-2-3 column or sheet letters A through IV to numbers from 1 through 256.

**@SIGN**

@SIGN(x) returns 1 if x is a positive value, 0 if x is 0, and -1 if x is a negative value.

**Arguments**

x is any value.

**Examples**

@SIGN(15) = 1

@SIGN(15\*0) = 0

@SIGN(-15) = -1

## **@SIN**

@SIN(x) calculates the sine of angle x. The sine is the ratio of the side opposite an acute angle of a right triangle to the hypotenuse.

### **Arguments**

x is an angle measured in radians. x can be any value from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63}$ .

### **Examples**

@SIN(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 0.5, the sine of a 30-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@ASIN calculates the arc sine of a value. @SINH calculates the hyperbolic sine of an angle.

## **@SINH**

@SINH(x) calculates the hyperbolic sine of angle x.

### **Arguments**

x can be any value from approximately -709.7827 through 709.7827.

### **Examples**

@SINH(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 0.547853

### **Similar @functions**

@ASINH calculates the arc hyperbolic sine of a value. @SIN calculates the sine of an angle.

## **@SKEWNESS**

**@SKEWNESS**(*range*;*[type]*) calculates the skewness of the values in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is the name or address of a range that contains values. If *range* contains fewer than three values, **@SKEWNESS** returns **ERR**.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate the population or sample skewness.

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates</b>
0	Population skewness; default if you omit the argument
1	Sample skewness

### **Notes**

Skewness measures the symmetry of a distribution around its mean. Positive skewness indicates a drawn-out tail to the left; negative skewness indicates a drawn-out tail to the right.

### **Examples**

The range DATA contains these values: 2, 5, 6, 9, 1, 2, 4.

**@SKEWNESS**(DATA) = 0.584816

### **Similar @functions**

**@KURTOSIS** calculates the kurtosis of the values in a list. **@STD** and **@PURESTD** calculate population standard deviation. **@VAR** and **@PUREVAR** calculate population variance.

## **@SLN**

**@SLN**(*cost*; *salvage*; *life*) calculates the straight-line depreciation allowance of an asset with an initial value of *cost*, an expected useful *life*, and a final value of *salvage*, for one period.

### **Arguments**

*cost* is the amount paid for the asset. *cost* can be any value.

*salvage* is the value of the asset at the end of its life. *salvage* can be any value.

*life* is the number of periods the asset takes to depreciate to its salvage value. *life* can be any value except 0.

### **Notes**

Straight-line depreciation divides the depreciable cost (the actual cost minus the salvage value) equally into each period of the useful life of the asset. The useful life is the number of periods (typically years) over which the asset is depreciated.

### **Examples**

You have an office machine that cost \$10,000. The useful life of this machine is 10 years, and the salvage value in 10 years will be \$1,200. You want to calculate yearly depreciation expense, using the straight-line method.

**@SLN**(10000;1200;10) = \$880

### **Similar @functions**

**@DB** calculates depreciation using the declining balance method. **@DDB** calculates depreciation using the double-declining balance method, **@VDB** calculates depreciation using the variable-rate declining balance method, and **@SYD** calculates depreciation using the sum-of-the-years'-digits method.



## **@SMALL**

`@SMALL(range;n)` finds the *n*th smallest value in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is the name or address of a range that contains values.

*n* is any positive integer. If *n* is larger than the number of values in *range*, `@SMALL` returns NA.

### **Examples**

A range named SCORES contains these test scores: 87, 85, 90, 80, 82, 92, 79, 85, 95, 86.

`@SMALL(SCORES;3)` returns 82, the third-lowest score.

### **Similar @functions**

`@LARGE` finds the *n*th largest value in a range. `@MAX` and `@PUREMAX` find the largest value in a range. `@MIN` and `@PUREMIN` find the smallest value in a range.

## **@SQRT**

@SQRT( $x$ ) returns the positive square root of  $x$ .

### **Arguments**

$x$  is a positive value.

### **Examples**

@SQRT(B3) = 10, if B3 contains the value 100.

@SQRT(-2) = ERR, because  $x$  is negative.

### **Similar @functions**

@SQRTPI calculates the square root of a value multiplied by the value  $\pi$ .

## **@SQRTPI**

@SQRTPI( $x$ ) calculates the square root of  $x \cdot \pi$ .

### **Arguments**

$x$  is any positive value or 0.

### **Examples**

@SQRTPI(0.5) = 1.253314

@SQRTPI(2) = 2.506628

### **Similar @functions**

@SQRT calculates the positive square root of a value. @PI produces the value  $\pi$ .

## **@STD, @STDS, @PURESTD, @PURESTDS**

**@STD**(*list*) calculates the population standard deviation of the values in *list*.

**@STDS**(*list*) calculates the sample standard deviation of the values in *list*.

**@PURESTD**(*list*) calculates the population standard deviation of the values in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

**@PURESTDS**(*list*) calculates the sample standard deviation of the values in *list*, ignoring cells that contain labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and range addresses or range names that contain numbers or formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Notes**

**@STD** and **@PURESTD** use the n, or population, method to calculate standard deviation of population data. The n method assumes that the selected values are the entire population. If the values are only a sample of the population, the standard deviation is biased because of errors introduced in taking the sample.

**@STDS** and **@PURESTDS** use the n-1, or sample, method to calculate standard deviation of sample population data. The n-1 method makes the standard deviation slightly larger than the n method to compensate for errors in the sample. A larger standard deviation is unbiased by sampling errors, and thus tends to be more accurate.

Standard deviation is the square root of the variance of all individual values from the mean.

### **Examples**

@STD and @STDS

### **Similar @functions**

@DSTD and @DSTDS calculate the standard deviation of the values in a field of a database table. @VAR and @PUREVAR calculate the population variance of values in a list. @VARS and @PUREVARS calculate the sample variance of values in a list.

**Example: @STD and @STDS**

This table lists the heights and weights of ten randomly selected test subjects. You want to determine the standard deviation of their heights.

@STD(A2..A11) = 5.793483

Assume the subjects represent a randomly selected sample of a larger group of test subjects.

@STDS(A2..A11) = 6.106868

A	-----	A	-----	B	--
1		HEIGHT (cm)		WEIGHT (kg)	
2		190.50		72.73	
3		187.96		86.36	
4		175.26		68.18	
5		175.26		76.37	
6		180.34		77.27	
7		180.34		72.73	
8		187.96		75.00	
9		172.72		68.18	
10		177.80		70.46	
11		179.07		86.36	

## @STRING

@STRING(*x*;*n*) converts the value *x* to a label using the format specified by *n*.

### Arguments

*x* is a value.

*n* is an integer from the following table:

<u>Value of <i>n</i></u>	<u>Format returned</u>
0 through 116	<u>Fixed</u> , with <i>n</i> decimal places
1000 through 1116	<u>Comma</u> , with <i>n</i> -1000 decimal places
-15 through -1	<u>Scientific</u> , with @ABS( <i>n</i> ) digits
10001 through 10512	<u>General</u> , up to <i>n</i> -10000 characters

### Notes

@STRING ignores any formatting characters 1-2-3 uses to display the value *x*. This includes all currency and other numeric formatting symbols, whether you enter them or 1-2-3 creates them after you select a number format. For example, if cell A7 contains the formatted value \$45.23, @STRING(A7;2) returns the label 45.23.

### Examples

@STRING(203;3) = the label 203.000

@STRING(1.23587;0) = the label 1

@STRING(20500;1002) = the label 20,500.00

@STRING(@PI;-5) = the label 3.1416E+000

@STRING(123456.789;10008) = the label 123456.8

### Similar @functions

@VALUE converts a number entered as text to its corresponding value.

## **@SUBTOTAL**

`@SUBTOTAL(list)` adds the values in *list*. Use `@SUBTOTAL` to indicate which cells `@GRANDTOTAL` should sum.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and range addresses or range names that contain numbers or formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

`@SUBTOTAL(B5..B9)` returns the sum of the values in B5..B9.

`@SUBTOTAL(SALES;M25..R25)` returns the sum of the values in the range SALES and the range M25..R25.

### **Similar @functions**

`@SUM` adds the values in a list. `@SUMNEGATIVE` sums only the negative values in a list. `@SUMPOSITIVE` sums only the positive values in a list.

## @SUM

@SUM(*list*) adds the values in *list*.

### Arguments

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and range addresses or range names that contain numbers or formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### Examples

@SUM(B5..B9) returns the sum of the values in B5..B9.

@SUM(SALES;M25..R25) returns the sum of the values in the range SALES and the range M25..R25.

### Related SmartIcons



Sums values in the highlighted or adjacent range, if you include empty cells below or to the right of the range.

### Similar @functions

@DSUM calculates the sum of values that meet criteria you specify. @NSUM adds every *n*th value in a list, starting at *offset*. @SUBTOTAL adds the values in a list and indicates which values @GRANDTOTAL should sum.

@SUMNEGATIVE sums only the negative values in a list. @SUMPOSITIVE sums only the positive values in a list.

@SUMIF adds the values in a range that meet specified criteria.



## **@SUMPRODUCT**

**@SUMPRODUCT**(*list*) multiplies the values in corresponding cells in multiple ranges and then sums the products.

### **Arguments**

*list* can be any combination of ranges that contain values and are the same size and shape. If the ranges in *list* are not the same size and shape, **@SUMPRODUCT** returns **ERR**.

See also [Statistical @function arguments](#).

### **Notes**

If the ranges in *list* are columns, **@SUMPRODUCT** multiplies by rows. If the ranges in *list* are rows, **@SUMPRODUCT** multiplies by columns. If each range in *list* spans more than one column, **@SUMPRODUCT** multiplies by rows.

### **Examples**

This example, taken from a real estate database table, uses **@SUMPRODUCT** to calculate the total commissions due to agents on house sales in February.

*list* contains two ranges: SOLD (D4..D6) contains the prices paid for three houses, and COMM (E4..E6) contains the agent's commission percentage of the sale price:

SOLD	COMM
\$25,000	0.04
\$34,580	0.05
\$77,325	0.04

**@SUMPRODUCT**(SOLD;COMM) = \$5,822, the total commissions (\$1,000 + \$1,729 + \$3,093) due to agents on the sale of three houses.

### **Similar @functions**

**@SUMSQ** calculates the sum of the squares of the values in a list. **SUMXMY2** calculates the sum of the squared difference of values in corresponding cells in two ranges. **@SUMX2PY2** calculates the sum of the sum of the squared values in corresponding cells in two ranges. **@SUMX2MY2** calculates the sum of the difference of the squared values in corresponding cells in two ranges.

## **@SUMSQ**

**@SUMSQ**(*list*) calculates the sum of the squares of the values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and range addresses or range names that contain numbers or formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

**@SUMSQ**(2;4;6) = 56

### **Similar @functions**

@SUM adds the values in a list. @SUMPRODUCT multiplies the values in corresponding cells in multiple ranges and then sums the products.

## **@SUMXMY2**

**@SUMXMY2**(*range1*;*range2*) subtracts the values in *range2* from the corresponding cells in *range1*, squares the differences, and then sums the results.

### **Arguments**

*range1* and *range2* are ranges that contain values and are the same size and shape. If *range1* and *range2* are not the same size and shape, **@SUMXMY2** returns ERR.

### **Notes**

If *range1* and *range2* are single-column ranges, 1-2-3 subtracts by row. If *range1* and *range2* are multi-column ranges, 1-2-3 subtracts by columns.

### **Examples**

In the following example, *range1* is named TUES and *range2* is named WED:

TUES	WED
5	3
4	4
7	8

**@SUMXMY2**(TUES;WED) = 5

### **Similar @functions**

**@SUMPRODUCT** calculates the sum of the products of the values in corresponding cells in multiple ranges.

**@SUMSQ** calculates the sum of the squares of the values in a list.

## **@SYD**

**@SYD**(*cost*; *salvage*; *life*; *period*) calculates the sum-of-the-years'-digits depreciation allowance of an asset with an initial value of *cost*, an expected useful *life*, and a final value of *salvage*, for a specified *period*.

### **Arguments**

*cost* is the amount paid for the asset. *cost* can be any value.

*salvage* is the value of the asset at the end of its life. *salvage* can be any value.

*life* is the number of periods the asset takes to depreciate to its salvage value. *life* can be any value greater than or equal to 1.

*period* is the time for which you want to find the depreciation allowance. *period* can be any value greater than or equal to 1.

### **Notes**

The sum-of-the-years'-digits method accelerates the rate of depreciation so that more depreciation expense occurs in earlier periods than in later ones (although not so much as when you use the double-declining balance method). The depreciable cost is the actual cost minus the salvage value.

Use **@SYD** when you need a higher depreciation expense early in the life of an asset, such as in preparing tax returns.

### **Examples**

You have an office machine that cost \$10,000. The useful life of the machine is 10 years, and the salvage value in 10 years will be \$1,200. You want to calculate depreciation expense for the fifth year, using the sum-of-the-years'-digits method:

**@SYD**(10000;1200;10;5) = \$960

### **Similar @functions**

**@DDB** calculates depreciation using the double-declining balance method. **@VDB** uses the variable-rate declining balance method, **@DB** uses the fixed-declining balance method, and **@SLN** uses the straight-line method.

## **@TAN**

@TAN(x) calculates the tangent of angle x. The tangent is the ratio of the side opposite an acute angle of a right triangle to the side adjacent the same acute angle.

### **Arguments**

x is an angle measured in radians. x can be any value from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63}$ .

### **Examples**

@TAN(@DEGTORAD(35)) = 0.700208, the tangent of a 35-degree angle.

### **Similar @functions**

@ATAN calculates the arc tangent of a value. @TANH calculates the hyperbolic tangent of an angle.

## **@TANH**

@TANH(x) calculates the hyperbolic tangent of angle x. The hyperbolic tangent is the ratio of hyperbolic sine to the hyperbolic cosine. The result of @TANH is a value from -1 through 1.

### **Arguments**

x can be any value from approximately -709.7827 to approximately 709.7827.

### **Examples**

@TANH(@DEGTORAD(30)) = 0.480473

### **Similar @functions**

@ATANH calculates the arc hyperbolic tangent of a value. @TAN calculates the tangent of an angle.

## @TDIST

@TDIST(*x*; *degrees-freedom*; [*type*]; [*tails*]) calculates the Student's *t*-distribution.

### Arguments

The value you enter for *x* depends on the value you enter for *type*.

<b>If <i>type</i> is</b>	<b><i>x</i> is</b>
0	The critical value or upper bound for the value of the cumulative <i>t</i> -distribution random variable and is any value; default if you omit the argument
1	A probability and is a value from 0 to 1

*degrees-freedom* is the number of degrees of freedom for the sample. *degrees-freedom* is a positive integer. *type* is an optional argument that specifies how 1-2-3 calculates @TDIST.

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 calculates</b>
0	The significance level that corresponds to the critical value, <i>x</i> ; default if you omit the argument
1	The critical value that corresponds to the significance level, <i>x</i>

*tails* is an optional argument that specifies the direction of the *t*-test.

<b><i>tails</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 performs</b>
1	A one-tailed <i>t</i> -test
2	A two-tailed <i>t</i> -test; default if you omit the argument

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

@TDIST approximates the cumulative *t*-distribution to within  $\pm 3 \times 10^{-7}$ . If @TDIST cannot approximate the result to within 0.0000001 after 100 calculation iterations, the result is ERR.

The Student's *t*-distribution is the distribution of the ratio of a standardized normal distribution to the square root of the quotient of a chi-square distribution by the number of its degrees of freedom.

### Examples

@TDIST(2.228;10) = 0.05

@TDIST(0.05;10;1) = 2.228

### Similar @functions

@CHIDIST calculates the chi-square distribution. @FDIST calculates the *F*-distribution. @TTEST calculates the probability associated with a Student's *t*-test.

## @TERM, @NPER

**@TERM**(*payments;interest;future-value*) calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal *payments* to accumulate a *future-value* at a periodic *interest* rate.

**@NPER**(*payments;interest;future-value;[type];[present-value]*) calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal *payments* with a specified *present-value* to accumulate a *future-value* at a periodic *interest* rate. **@NPER** calculates for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due, depending on the value you specify for *type*.

### Arguments

*payments* is the value of the equal investments. *payments* can be any value except 0.

*interest* is the periodic interest rate. *interest* can be any value greater than -1.

*future-value* is the amount you want to accumulate. *future-value* can be any value.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies whether to calculate for an ordinary annuity or for an annuity due.

<u>type</u>	<u>1-2-3 calculates for</u>
0	Ordinary annuity (payments due at the end of a period); default if you omit the argument
1	Annuity due (payment due at the beginning of a period)

*present-value* is an optional argument that specifies the present value of the series of future payments. *present-value* can be any value. If you omit the *present-value* argument, 1-2-3 uses 0.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

You can calculate the term necessary to pay back a loan by using **@TERM** with a negative *future-value*. For example, you want to know how long it will take to pay back a \$10,000 loan at 10% yearly interest, making payments of \$1,174 per year.

**@ABS(@TERM(1174;0.1;-10000))** calculates 20 years to pay back the loan.

### Examples

You deposit \$2,000 at the end of each year into a savings account. Your account earns 7.5% a year, compounded annually. You want to determine how long it will take to accumulate \$100,000:

**@TERM(2000;0.075;100000)** = 21.5 years

If you make payments at the beginning of each year:

**@NPER(2000;0.075;100000;1)** = 20.76 years

### Similar @functions

**@CTERM** calculates the number of compounding periods for a single-deposit investment.

**@TERM2** calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal payments to accumulate a future-value at a periodic interest rate, assuming an annuity-due convention.



## **@TIME**

**@TIME**(*hour;minutes;seconds*) calculates the time number for the specified *hour*, *minutes*, and *seconds*.

### **Arguments**

*hour* is an integer from 0 (midnight) through 23 (11:00 PM).

*minutes* is an integer from 0 through 59.

*seconds* is an integer from 0 through 59.

### **Notes**

Use a time format to make the time number appear as the time it represents.

### **Examples**

The formula (**@TIME**(13;0;0)-**@TIME**(9;15;0))\*95\*24 calculates the amount due to a consultant on a given day by subtracting the start time from the stop time and multiplying the result by an hourly rate of \$95.00.

### **Similar @functions**

**@TIMEVALUE** converts labels to time numbers.

## **@TIMEVALUE**

@TIMEVALUE(*text*) calculates the time number for the time specified in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label. *text* must be in one of the 1-2-3 Time formats.

### **Notes**

@TIMEVALUE is useful when you need to convert times entered as labels into time numbers for use in calculations. @TIMEVALUE is especially useful with data that has been imported from another program, such as a word processing program.

Use a time format to make the time number appear as the time it represents.

### **Examples**

@TIMEVALUE("08:19:27 AM") = 0.34684

@TIMEVALUE("08:19:27 AM") = 0.34684, formatted as 08:19:27 AM, if the cell is formatted as 11:59:59 AM/PM.

### **Similar @functions**

@TIME calculates the time number when you specify the hour, minutes, and seconds.

## **@TODAY**

@TODAY calculates the date number that corresponds to the current date on your computer.

### **Notes**

1-2-3 recalculates @TODAY each time you recalculate your work.

Use a date format to make the date number appear as the date it represents.

### **Examples**

@TODAY = 31048 on January 01, 1985.

@TODAY = 33418 on June 29, 1991.

### **Similar @functions**

@DATE calculates the date number for a specified date.

## **@TRIM**

**@TRIM**(*text*) removes leading, trailing, and consecutive space characters from *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Notes**

Use **@TRIM** to ensure that database entries do not contain unnecessary spaces that would affect sort order when you sort a range.

### **Examples**

**@TRIM**(" 45 3/8") = 45 3/8, removing the leading space before 45 and one of the two spaces between 45 and 3/8.

**@TRIM**(" 500 South St.") = 500 South St., removing the leading space before 500, two of the three spaces between 500 and South, and one of the two spaces between South and St.

### **Similar @functions**

**@SETSTRING** returns text aligned within a specified number of spaces.

## **@TRUE**

@TRUE returns the logical value 1 (true).

### **Notes**

If a logical statement such as A1=B1 is true, its logical value is 1. If it is false, its logical value is 0.

Using @TRUE is the same as using the value 1 in formulas that evaluate logical conditions, but @TRUE makes the formula easier to understand.

### **Examples**

@IF(A6>500;@TRUE;@FALSE) = 1 when cell A6 contains a value greater than 500.

### **Similar @functions**

@FALSE returns the logical value 0.

## @TRUNC

@TRUNC(x;[n]) truncates x to the number of decimal places specified by n.

### Arguments

x is a value.

n is an optional argument and is a value from -100 through 100.

<u>If n is</u>	<u>@TRUNC</u>
Positive	Affects the decimal portion of the number (moving right from the decimal point). For example, if n is 2, 1-2-3 truncates x to the nearest hundredth.
Negative	Affects the integer portion of the number (moving left from the decimal point). For example, if n is -2, 1-2-3 truncates x to the nearest hundred.
0	Truncates x to the nearest integer; default if you omit the argument

### Notes

Use the Fixed number format to display values with a specified number of decimal places if you want 1-2-3 to calculate the values to their full precision; do not use @TRUNC.

### Examples

@TRUNC(123.45) = 123

@TRUNC(-123.45) = -123

@TRUNC(123.45;-2) = 100

@TRUNC(123.45;1) = 123.4

@TRUNC(-123.45;-2) = -100

@TRUNC(-123.45;1) = -123.4

### Similar @functions

@ROUND, @ROUNDDOWN, and @ROUNDUP round a value to a specified number of decimal places. @ROUND rounds a value to a specified multiple. @EVEN rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest even integer. @ODD rounds a value away from 0 to the nearest odd integer. @INT truncates a value, discarding the decimal portion.

## **@UPPER**

@UPPER(*text*) converts all the letters in *text* to uppercase.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Notes**

Capitalization affects the sort order of labels when you sort a range. Two otherwise identical labels may not appear together if their capitalization is different.

### **Examples**

@UPPER("Account Number") = ACCOUNT NUMBER

@UPPER(B2) = WARNING, if B2 contains the label warning.

### **Similar @functions**

@LOWER converts all letters in *text* to lowercase. @PROPER capitalizes only the first letter of each word in *text*.

## **@VALUE**

@VALUE(*text*) converts a number entered as a *text* to its corresponding value.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text in " " (quotation marks) or a label that contains only numbers. *text* can resemble a standard number (456.7), a number in scientific format (4.567E2), a mixed number (45 7/8), or a formatted number (\$45.67).

### **Notes**

@VALUE ignores leading and trailing spaces; however, @VALUE returns ERR when *text* contains spaces that separate symbols from the numbers (such as \$ 32.85 or £ 56.20).

@VALUE results in 0 when *text* is a blank cell or an empty string, and returns ERR when *text* contains non-numeric characters.

Press F2 (EDIT) and then press F9 (CALC) to replace @VALUE with its value.

You cannot calculate within a *text* argument in @VALUE, but you can create a formula with several @VALUE functions. For example, @VALUE("22"+"20") = 0, but @VALUE("22")+@VALUE("20") = 42.

### **Examples**

@VALUE("543") = the value 543.

@VALUE(B3) = the value 49.75, if cell B3 contains the label 49 3/4.

@VALUE("85%") = the value .85.

### **Similar @functions**

@STRING converts a value to a label.



## **@VAR, @VARS, @PUREVAR, @PUREVARS**

**@VAR**(*list*) calculates the population variance in a *list* of values.

**@VARS**(*list*) calculates the sample population variance in a *list* of values.

**@PUREVAR**(*list*) calculates the population variance in a *list* of values, ignoring cells that contain labels.

**@PUREVARS**(*list*) calculates the sample population variance in a *list* of values, ignoring cells that contain labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and range addresses or range names that contain numbers or formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Notes**

The variance @functions are useful when you need to carry out ANOVA (analysis of variance) statistical tests.

**@VAR** and **@PUREVAR** use the n, or population, method to calculate variance. The n method assumes the selected values are the entire population. If the values are only a sample of the population, the variance is biased because of errors introduced in taking a sample.

**@VARS** and **@PUREVARS** use the n-1, or sample, method to calculate variance. The n-1 method produces a variance that is slightly larger than the n method to compensate for errors in the sample. A larger variance is unbiased by sampling errors and thus tends to be more accurate.

### **Examples**

@VAR and @VARS

### **Similar @functions**

@DVAR and @DVARS calculate the population variance of values that meet criteria you specify.

**Example: @VAR and @VARS**

This table lists the heights and weights of ten randomly selected test subjects. You want to determine the variation of their weights.

$$@VAR(B2..B11) = 38.77462$$

Assume the subjects represent a randomly selected sample of a larger group of test subjects.

$$@VARS(B2..B11) = 43.08292$$

A	-----	A	-----	B	--
1		HEIGHT (cm)		WEIGHT (kg)	
2		190.50		72.73	
3		187.96		86.36	
4		175.26		68.18	
5		175.26		76.37	
6		180.34		77.27	
7		180.34		72.73	
8		187.96		75.00	
9		172.72		68.18	
10		177.80		70.46	
11		179.07		86.36	

## @VDB

**@VDB**(*cost*; *salvage*; *life*; *start-period*; *end-period*; [*depreciation-factor*]; [*switch*]) calculates the depreciation allowance of an asset with an initial value of *cost*, an expected useful *life*, and a final value of *salvage* for a period specified by *start-period* and *end-period*, using the variable-rate declining balance method.

### Arguments

*cost* is the amount paid for the asset. *cost* can be any value greater than *salvage*.

*salvage* is the value of the asset at the end of its life. *salvage* can be any value.

*life* is the number of periods the asset takes to depreciate to its salvage value. *life* can be any value greater than 0.

*start-period* is the point in the asset's life when you want to begin calculating depreciation. *start-period* can be any value greater than or equal to 0, but cannot be greater than *life*.

*end-period* is the point in the asset's life when you want to stop calculating depreciation. *end-period* can be any value greater than *start-period*.

*start-period* and *end-period* correspond to the asset's life, relative to the fiscal period. For example, if you want to find the first year's depreciation of an asset purchased at the beginning of the second quarter of a fiscal year, *start-period* would be 0 and *end-period* would be 0.75 (1 minus 0.25 of a year). You can use @VDB for multiple-period depreciation calculations.

@VDB allows for the use of an initial-period option to calculate depreciation for the period the asset is placed in service. @VDB uses the fractional part of *start-period* and *end-period* to determine the initial-period option. If both *start-period* and *end-period* have fractional parts, then @VDB uses the fractional part of *start-period*.

*depreciation-factor* is an optional argument that specifies the percentage of straight-line depreciation you want to use as the depreciation rate. If you omit this argument, 1-2-3 uses 200%, which is the double-declining balance rate. *depreciation-factor* can be any value greater than or equal to 0; commonly used rates are 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, and 2.

*switch* is an optional argument that you include if you do not want @VDB to switch to straight-line depreciation for the remaining useful life. Normally, declining-balance switches to such a straight-line calculation when it is greater than the declining-balance calculation.

<b>If switch is</b>	<b>@VDB</b>
0	Automatically switches to straight-line depreciation when that is greater than declining-balance depreciation; default if you omit the argument
1	Never switches to straight-line depreciation

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

The variable-rate declining balance method maintains a steady rate of depreciation until the salvage value of an asset drops to less than the value of the following equation:

$$(\text{book value} * ((1 - (\text{rate}/\text{life}))^{\text{life}}))$$

where book value = cost - salvage - prior depreciation.

At this point, 1-2-3 switches to straight-line depreciation for the balance of the life of the asset so that there is no excess salvage value. By switching to straight-line depreciation, 1-2-3 adjusts the result of @VDB when necessary to ensure that total depreciation taken over the life of the asset equals the asset's cost minus its salvage value.

### Examples

This example calculates depreciation for an office machine, purchased in the middle of the first quarter of the fiscal year, that cost \$10,000. The useful life of the machine is 10 years, and the salvage value after 10 years is \$600. The following formulas calculate the depreciation expense for each of the 10 years, using the variable-rate declining balance method, with a depreciation rate of 150%. Notice that the switch to straight-line depreciation occurs in the sixth year.

@VDB(10000;600;10;0;0.875;1.5)	= \$	1,312.50
@VDB(10000;600;10;0.875;1.875;1.5)	= \$	1,303.13
@VDB(10000;600;10;1.875;2.875;1.5)	= \$	1,107.66
@VDB(10000;600;10;2.875;3.875;1.5)	= \$	941.51
@VDB(10000;600;10;3.875;4.875;1.5)	= \$	800.28
@VDB(10000;600;10;4.875;5.875;1.5)	= \$	767.79
@VDB(10000;600;10;5.875;6.875;1.5)	= \$	767.79
@VDB(10000;600;10;6.875;7.875;1.5)	= \$	767.79
@VDB(10000;600;10;7.875;8.875;1.5)	= \$	767.79
@VDB(10000;600;10;8.875;9.875;1.5)	= \$	767.79
@VDB(10000;600;10;9.875;10;1.5)	= \$	<u>95.97</u>
Total depreciation ( <i>cost minus salvage</i> )	\$	9,400.00

### Similar @functions

@DDB calculates depreciation using the double-declining balance method. @SLN uses the straight-line method, and @SYD uses the sum-of-the-years'-digits method.

## @VLOOKUP

@VLOOKUP(*x;range;column-offset*) finds the contents of the cell in a specified column of a vertical lookup table.

### Arguments

*x* can be either a value or text, depending on the contents of the first column of the vertical lookup table.

	<u>First column</u> <i>x</i>
Values	Any value greater than or equal to the first value in <i>range</i> . If <i>x</i> is smaller than the first value in <i>range</i> , @VLOOKUP returns <u>ERR</u> . If <i>x</i> is larger than the last value in the first column of <i>range</i> , @VLOOKUP stops at the last cell in the column specified by <i>column-offset</i> and returns the contents of that cell as the answer.
Labels	Text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label. If <i>x</i> does not exactly match the contents of a cell in the first column of <i>range</i> , @VLOOKUP returns <u>ERR</u> .

*range* represents the location of the vertical lookup table. *range* can be any range address or range name. If *range* is a 3D range, 1-2-3 uses only the first worksheet in *range*.

*column-offset* represents an offset number corresponding to the position the column occupies in *range*.

### Notes

@VLOOKUP compares *x* to each cell in the first column of the table. When 1-2-3 locates a cell in the first column that contains *x* (or, if *x* is a value, the value closest to but not larger than *x*), it moves across that row the number of columns specified by *column-offset* and returns the contents of that cell as the answer.

### Examples

@VLOOKUP

### Similar @functions

@HLOOKUP finds the contents of a cell in a horizontal lookup table. @INDEX finds the contents of a cell when you specify offset numbers for both the column and row. @CHOOSE replaces a lookup table that requires only one row. @MATCH finds the relative position of a cell with specified contents. @XINDEX finds the contents of a cell specified by column, row, and worksheet headings. @MAXLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges. @MINLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.



## **@WEEKDAY**

**@WEEKDAY**(*date*) extracts the day of the week from *date*, and displays it as an integer from 0 (Monday) through 6 (Sunday).

### **Arguments**

*date* is a date number.

### **Examples**

**@WEEKDAY**(**@DATE**(91;7;3)) = 2, Wednesday.

### **Similar @functions**

**@MONTH** calculates the month, using a date number. **@YEAR** calculates the year, using a date number.

## **@YEAR**

**@YEAR**(*date-number*,[*type*]) extracts the year, an integer from 0 (the year 1900) through 8099 (the year 9999), from *date-number*.

### **Arguments**

*date-number* is an integer, or the address or name of a cell that contains an integer, from 1 (January 1, 1900) through 2958465 (December 31, 9999).

*type* is the number 0 or 1. If *type* is 1, @YEAR returns the year in four-digit form. If *type* is 0 or omitted, @YEAR returns the offset of the year from 1900 (for example, @YEAR returns 123 to represent the year 2023).

### **Notes**

@YEAR can supply the *year* argument for other date @functions that build on previously calculated dates.

### **Examples**

@YEAR(20181) = 55, because the date number 20181 is the date 02-Apr-55.

@YEAR(@NOW) = the current year

@YEAR(@DATEVALUE("14-Feb-92")) = 92

### **Similar @functions**

@DAY extracts the day of the month (1 to 31), and @MONTH extracts the month (1 to 12), from a date number.



## @YIELD

**@YIELD**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; *price*; [*redemption*]; [*frequency*]; [*basis*]) returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @YIELD evaluates to ERR.

*coupon* is the security's annual coupon rate. *coupon* is any positive value or 0.

*price* is the security's price per \$100 face value. *price* is any positive value.

*redemption* is an optional argument that specifies the security's redemption value per \$100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0. If you omit the *redemption* argument, 1-2-3 uses 100.

*frequency* is an optional argument that specifies the number of coupon payments per year.

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly
12	Monthly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use.

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Examples

A bond has a July 1, 1993 settlement date and a December 1, 2003 maturity date. The semiannual coupon rate is 5.50%. The bond costs \$99.50, has a \$100 redemption value, and a 30/360 day-count basis. You want to determine the bond's yield:

**@YIELD**(**@DATE**(93;7;1),**@DATE**(2003;12;1),0.055,99.5,100,2,0) = 0.055632

### Similar @functions

**@ACCRUED** calculates the accrued interest for securities that pay periodic interest. **@PRICE** calculates the price per \$100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest. **@DURATION** calculates the annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest. **@MDURATION** calculates the annual modified duration for securities that pay periodic interest.

**@YIELD2** returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

## **@CHITEST**

**@CHITEST**(*range1*;*[range2]*) performs a chi-square test for independence on the data in *range1*, or a chi-square test for goodness of fit on the data in *range1* and *range2*.

### **Arguments**

*range1* and *range2* are ranges of the same size. If *range1* and *range2* are not the same size, **@CHITEST** returns **ERR**.

### **Notes**

**@CHITEST** approximates the probability associated with a chi-square test to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

### **Examples**

**@CHITEST**: Test for independence

**@CHITEST**: Test for goodness of fit

### **Similar @functions**

**@CHIDIST** calculates the chi-square distribution. **@FTEST** performs an *F*-test, **@TTEST** performs a Student's *t*-test, and **@ZTEST** performs a *z*-test.

**Example: @CHITEST (Test for Goodness of Fit)**  
**@CHITEST(A2..A9;B2..B9) = 0.996882**

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----
1	Observed		Expected		
2	25		23		
3	34		35		
4	87		91		
5	91		88		
6	34		34		
7	23		22		
8	56		60		
9	70		68		

**Example: @CHITEST (Test for Independence)**

@CHITEST(B3..C5) = 0.080809

A	A	B	C
1		Rough	Smooth
2			
3	High	42	51
4	Medium	25	37
5	Low	85	68

## **@CRITBINOMIAL**

**@CRITBINOMIAL**(*trials*; *probability*; *alpha*) returns the largest integer for which the cumulative binomial distribution is less than or equal to *alpha*.

### **Arguments**

*trials* represents the number of Bernoulli trials and can be any positive integer or 0.

*probability* represents the probability of success for a single Bernoulli trial and is a value from 0 through 1.

*alpha* represents the criterion probability and is a value from 0 through 1.

### **Notes**

**@CRITBINOMIAL** approximates the cumulative binomial distribution to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

### **Examples**

You manage a small plant that manufactures oil filters. The filters are manufactured in lots of 100. There is an 85% chance that each filter is free from defects. You want to be 99% confident that at least a given number of filters are free from defects.

**@CRITBINOMIAL**(100;0.85;0.01) = 76, the number of filters free from defects

### **Similar @functions**

**@BINOMIAL** calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution. **@COMBIN** calculates the binomial coefficient. **@PERMUT** calculates the number of permutations for a list of values. **@PROB** calculates the probability that the values in a range are within a specified lower and upper limit.

## **@DAVG**

`@DAVG(input,field,[criteria])` calculates the average of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See [Database @function arguments](#).

### **Examples**

[@DAVG](#)

### **Similar @functions**

[@AVG](#) and [@PUREAVG](#) average the values in a list.

**Example: @DAVG**

A database table named SALES lists house sales in Arlington, Belmont, and Cambridge in April and May. The sale prices of the houses are listed in the field named SOLD. You want to determine the average price of a house sold in Cambridge:

@DAVG(SALES;"SOLD";CITY="Cambridge") = \$365,667

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----	C	-----
1		ADDRESS		CITY		SOLD	
2		467 Brattle		Cambridge		720,000	
3		183 Hillside		Arlington		318,000	
4		64 N. Gate		Belmont		332,000	
5		80 Mt. Auburn		Cambridge		278,000	
6		14 Charles		Cambridge		160,000	
7		1160 Memorial		Cambridge		227,000	
8		130 Crescent		Arlington		397,000	
9		12 Trenton		Arlington		303,000	
10		36 Barnes		Cambridge		669,000	
11		234 Third		Cambridge		140,000	

## **@DCOUNT, @DPURECOUNT**

**@DCOUNT**(*input;field;[criteria]*) counts the nonblank cells in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

**@DPURECOUNT**(*input;field;[criteria]*) counts the cells that contain values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See Database @function arguments.

### **Examples**

@DCOUNT

### **Similar @functions**

@COUNT and @PURECOUNT count cells in a list of ranges.



**Example: @DCOUNT**

A database table named APR\_SALES lists house sales for the month of April. The types of heating systems the houses have are listed in a field named HEAT. You want to find the number of houses heated with gas:

@DCOUNT(APR\_SALES;"HEAT";HEAT="Gas") = 4

A	----	A	-----	B	-----	C	-----	D	--
1		ADDRESS		BDRMS		HEAT		COST	
2		671 Washington		5		Gas		\$290,000	
3		131 Aslett		5		Oil		\$105,000	
4		46 Carlton		2		Gas		\$135,000	
5		76 Phillips		4		Elec		\$128,000	
6		479 Marlborough		2		Gas		\$174,000	
7		8844 Wonderland		3		Gas		\$195,000	

## **@DGET**

**@DGET**(*input;field;[criteria]*) retrieves a value or label from a *field* of a database table that meets specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See [Database @function arguments](#).

### **Notes**

If more than one entry meets the *criteria* you specify, **@DGET** returns **ERR**.

**@DGET** is useful when you need to retrieve a value from a single record that meets specific criteria: the employee number of a particular employee, for example. With **@DGET**, you can retrieve this kind of information automatically for use in a macro, as an argument in an **@function**, or as a variable in a formula.

### **Examples**

[@DGET](#)

### **Similar @functions**

[@HLOOKUP](#) and [@VLOOKUP](#) return the contents of a specified cell in a horizontal or vertical lookup table.

[@CHOOSE](#) finds an entry in a list. [@INDEX](#) returns the contents of a cell in a table based on relative worksheet, column, and row locations. [@XINDEX](#) returns the contents of a cell in a table based on worksheet, column, and row headings. [@@](#) indirectly returns the contents of a specified cell.

**Example: @DGET**

A database table named SALES lists house sales in three towns in April and May. Brokers' commissions are listed in the field named COMM. You want to determine the broker's commission on the sale of the house at 12 Trenton Street:

**@DGET(SALES;"COMM";ADDRESS="12 Trenton") = \$12,120**

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----	C	-----
1		ADDRESS		BROKER		COMM	
2		467 Brattle		Higle		28,800	
3		183 Hillside		Levine		12,720	
4		64 N. Gate		Higle		19,920	
5		80 Mt. Auburn		Smith		11,120	
6		14 Charles		Dunbar		9,600	
7		1160 Memorial		Levine		13,620	
8		130 Crescent		Dunbar		15,880	
9		12 Trenton		Higle		12,120	

## **@DMAX**

`@DMAX(input;field;[criteria])` finds the largest value in a *field* of a database table that meets specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See [Database @function arguments](#).

### **Notes**

You can use `@DMAX` to find the most recent date or time in a list of dates or times.

### **Examples**

[@DMAX](#)

### **Similar @functions**

[@MAX](#) and [@PUREMAX](#) find the largest value in a list.

**Example: @DMAX**

A database table named SALES lists house sales in Arlington, Belmont, and Cambridge in April and May. The sale prices of the houses are listed in the field named SOLD. You want to determine the highest price paid for a house in Cambridge:

@DMAX(SALES;"SOLD";CITY="Cambridge") = \$720,000

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----	C	-----
1		ADDRESS		CITY		SOLD	
2		467 Brattle		Cambridge		720,000	
3		183 Hillside		Arlington		318,000	
4		64 N. Gate		Belmont		800,000	
5		80 Mt. Auburn		Cambridge		278,000	
6		14 Charles		Cambridge		160,000	
7		1160 Memorial		Cambridge		227,000	
8		130 Crescent		Arlington		397,000	
9		12 Trenton		Arlington		303,000	
10		36 Barnes		Cambridge		669,000	
11		234 Third		Cambridge		140,000	

## **@DMIN**

`@DMIN(input,field:[criteria])` finds the smallest value in a *field* of a database table that meets specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See [Database @function arguments](#).

### **Notes**

You can use `@DMIN` to find the earliest date or time in a list of dates or times.

### **Examples**

[@DMIN](#)

### **Similar @functions**

[@MIN](#) and [@PUREMIN](#) find the smallest value in a list.

**Example: @DMIN**

A database table named SALES lists house sales in Arlington, Belmont, and Cambridge in April and May. The sale prices of the houses are listed in the field named SOLD. You want to determine the lowest price paid for a house in Cambridge:

@DMIN(SALES;"SOLD";CITY="Cambridge") = \$140,000

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----	C	-----
1		ADDRESS		CITY		SOLD	
2		467 Brattle		Cambridge		720,000	
3		183 Hillside		Arlington		318,000	
4		64 N. Gate		Belmont		332,000	
5		80 Mt. Auburn		Cambridge		278,000	
6		14 Charles		Cambridge		160,000	
7		1160 Memorial		Cambridge		227,000	
8		130 Crescent		Arlington		397,000	
9		12 Trenton		Arlington		130,000	
10		36 Barnes		Cambridge		669,000	
11		234 Third		Cambridge		140,000	

## **@DSTD, @DSTDS**

@DSTD(*input;field;[criteria]*) calculates the population standard deviation of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

@DSTDS(*input;field;[criteria]*) calculates the sample standard deviation of sample values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See Database @function arguments.

### **Notes**

@DSTD uses the n, or population, method to calculate standard deviation of population data. The n method assumes that the selected values are the entire population. If the values are only a sample of the population, the standard deviation is biased because of errors introduced in taking the sample.

Standard deviation is the square root of the variance of all individual values from the mean.

### **Examples**

@DSTD and @DSTDS

### **Similar @functions**

@STD and @PURESTD calculate the standard deviation of the entire population of values in a range. @STDS and @PURESTDS calculate the standard deviation of sample values. @DVAR calculates the population variance of values that meet criteria you specify.



**Example: @DSTD and @DSTDS**

This table lists the heights and weights of ten randomly selected test subjects. You want to determine the standard deviation of the heights of subjects who weigh more than 75 kg.

@DSTD(A1..B11;"HEIGHT";WEIGHT>75) = 4.611954

Suppose the ten test subjects are a randomly selected sample of a larger group of test subjects.

@DSTDS(A1..B11;"HEIGHT";WEIGHT>75) = 5.325426

A	A	B
1	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
2	190.50	72.73
3	187.96	86.36
4	175.26	68.18
5	175.26	76.37
6	180.34	77.27
7	180.34	72.73
8	187.96	75.00
9	172.72	68.18
10	177.80	70.46
11	179.07	86.36

## **@DSUM**

**@DSUM**(*input;field;[criteria]*) calculates the sum of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See [Database @function arguments](#).

### **Examples**

[@DSUM](#)

### **Similar @functions**

[@SUM](#) calculates the sum of the values in a list. [@SUMNEGATIVE](#) sums only the negative values in a list.

[@SUMPOSITIVE](#) sums only the positive values in a list.

**Example: @DSUM**

A database table named SALES lists house sales in Arlington, Belmont, and Cambridge in April and May. The brokers' commissions on the sales are listed in the field named COMM. You want to determine the total commission earned by the broker Dunbar:

@DSUM(SALES;"COMM";BROKER="Dunbar") = \$25,480

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----	C	-----
1		ADDRESS		BROKER		COMM	
2		467 Brattle		Higle		28,800	
3		183 Hillside		Levine		12,720	
4		64 N. Gate		Higle		19,920	
5		80 Mt. Auburn		Smith		11,120	
6		14 Charles		Dunbar		9,600	
7		1160 Memorial		Levine		13,620	
8		130 Crescent		Dunbar		15,880	
9		12 Trenton		Higle		12,120	

## **@DVAR, @DVARs**

**@DVAR**(*input;field;[criteria]*) calculates the population variance of the values in a *field* of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

**@DVARs**(*input;field;[criteria]*) calculates the variance of sample values in a field of a database table that meet specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

See [Database @function arguments](#).

### **Notes**

Variance measures the degree to which individual values in a list vary from the mean (average) of all the values in the list. The lower the variance, the less individual values vary from the mean, and the more reliable the mean. A variance of 0 indicates that all values in the list are equal. Variance is necessary in several ANOVA (analysis of variance) statistical tests.

**@DVAR** uses the n, or population, method to calculate variance. The n method assumes the selected values are the entire population. If the values are only a sample of the population, the variance is biased because of errors introduced in taking a sample.

Variance is the square of standard deviation.

### **Examples**

[@DVAR](#) and [@DVARs](#)

### **Similar @functions**

[@VAR](#) and [@PUREVAR](#) calculate the population variance of values in a list. [@DSTD](#) calculates the population standard deviation of values that meet criteria you specify.

**Example: @DVAR and @DVARs**

This table lists the heights and weights of ten randomly selected test subjects. You want to determine the variation of the weights of subjects who are taller than 180 cm.

$$\text{@DVAR}(A1..B11;"WEIGHT";HEIGHT>180) = 25.59654$$

Suppose the subjects are a randomly selected sample of a larger group of test subjects.

$$\text{@DVARs}(A1..B11;"WEIGHT";HEIGHT>180) = 31.99567$$

A	A	B
1	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
2	190.50	72.73
3	187.96	86.36
4	175.26	68.18
5	175.26	76.37
6	180.34	77.27
7	180.34	72.73
8	187.96	75.00
9	172.72	68.18
10	177.80	70.46
11	179.07	86.36

## **@FTEST**

**@FTEST**(*range1*;*range2*) performs an *F*-test and returns the associated probability.

### **Arguments**

*range1* and *range2* are ranges that contain the data you want to test. *range1* and *range2* do not have to be the same size.

### **Notes**

**@FTEST** approximates the probability associated with an *F*-test to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

Use **@FTEST** to determine if two samples have different variances.

### **Examples**

**@FTEST**

### **Similar @functions**

**@FDIST** calculates the *F*-distribution. **@CHITEST** performs a chi-square test, **@TTEST** performs a Student's *t*-test, and **@ZTEST** performs a z-test.

**Example: @FTEST**

@FTEST(A2..A13;B2..B15) = 0.157348

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----
1		Sample1		Sample	
2		84.5		1.65	
3		80.7		4.58	
4		34.5		42.6	
5		54.6		4.37	
6		50.5		30.8	
7		33.7		97.7	
8		46.8		87.2	
9		47.6		40.7	
10		22.8		38.4	
11		15.5		10.6	
12		60.6		56.3	
13		80.5		70.5	
14				9.04	
15				97.3	

## **@GRANDTOTAL**

**@GRANDTOTAL**(*list*) calculates the sum of all cells in *list* that contain **@SUBTOTAL** in their formulas.

### **Arguments**

*list* can be any combination of ranges. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

**@GRANDTOTAL**

### **Similar @functions**

**@SUM** adds a list of values. **@DSUM** adds values in a database table that meet certain criteria. **@SUMNEGATIVE** sums only the negative values in a list. **@SUMPOSITIVE** sums only the positive values in a list.



**Example: @GRANDTOTAL**

The @GRANDTOTAL formula in cell A10 calculates the sum of all cells in A1..A8 that contain @SUBTOTAL in their formulas (A4 and A8).

A	---	A	-----	B	-----
1		10			
2		15			
3					
4		25		@SUBTOTAL (A1 . .A2)	
5					
6		20			
7		25			
8		45		@SUBTOTAL (A6 . .A7)	
9					
10		70		@GRANDTOTAL (A1 . .A8)	

## **@ISFILE**

**@ISFILE**(*file-name*;*[type]*) tests *file-name* for a file in memory or on disk. If *file-name* is found, **@ISFILE** returns 1 (true); if *file-name* is not found, **@ISFILE** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*file-name* is the name of the file you want to test for, entered as text. If you omit the file extension, 1-2-3 looks for a .123 file with the name you specified. To look for a different file type, you must include the extension. Unless you want 1-2-3 to look for the file in the current directory, you must also specify the path as part of *file-name*.

*type* specifies whether to look for *file-name* in memory or on disk. If *type* is 0, 1-2-3 looks for *file-name* in memory; if *type* is 1, 1-2-3 looks for *file-name* on disk. If you omit *type*, 1-2-3 uses 0.

### **Examples**

**@ISFILE**("C:\123\BUDGET\COSTS\_93";1) = 1, if the file COSTS\_93.123 is stored in C:\123\BUDGET.

## @MATCH

**@MATCH**(*cell-contents*; *range*; [*type*]) returns the position of the cell in *range* whose contents match *cell-contents*.  
**@MATCH** returns the cell's position as an offset number.

### Arguments

*cell-contents* can be either a value or text. If *cell-contents* is text, you can include wildcard characters.

*range* is a range name or address.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies how 1-2-3 compares *cell-contents* with the contents of the cells in *range*.

<u>typ</u>	<u>@MATCH returns the relative position of</u>
0	The first cell whose contents match <i>cell-contents</i> .
1	The cell that contains the largest value that is less than or equal to <i>cell-contents</i> ; default if you omit the argument. Sort <i>range</i> in ascending order.
2	The cell that contains the smallest value that is greater than or equal to <i>cell-contents</i> . Sort <i>range</i> in descending order.

### Notes

1-2-3 searches *range* from top to bottom in a column and from left to right. If you specify a multi-sheet range, 1-2-3 searches the first worksheet in the range, continues on to the second worksheet, and so on until 1-2-3 reaches a match or the end of the range.

If 1-2-3 cannot find a match for *cell-contents* **@MATCH** returns **ERR**.

If *type* is 1 and the first cell in *range* contains a value that is greater than *cell-contents*, **@MATCH** returns **ERR**.

If *type* is 2 and the first cell in *range* contains a value that is less than *cell-contents*, **@MATCH** returns **ERR**.

### Examples

@MATCH

### Similar @functions

@HLOOKUP and @VLOOKUP find the contents of cells in horizontal and vertical lookup tables. @INDEX finds the contents of a cell when you specify offset numbers for both the column and row. @CHOOSE finds an entry in a list. @MAXLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges. @MINLOOKUP returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.

**Example: @MATCH**

A medicine dosage is determined by body weight. A patient's weight, entered in a cell named PATIENT\_WEIGHT, is 125 lbs.

**@INDEX(A2..C7;2;@MATCH(PATIENT\_WEIGHT;A2..C7;1)) = 2**

A	----- A	B	----- C
1	Pounds	Kilograms	Number of Pills
2	50	22.5	1.5
3	100	45.5	2.0
4	150	68.0	2.5
5	200	90.5	3.0
6	250	113.5	3.5
7	300	136.0	4.0

## @NORMAL

@NORMAL(*x*;*[mean]*;*[std]*;*[type]*) calculates the normal distribution function for *x*.

### Arguments

*x* is the upper bound for the value of the cumulative normal distribution. *x* is any value; if *x* is negative, 1-2-3 converts it to its absolute (positive) value.

*mean* is an optional argument that specifies the mean of the distribution. *mean* is any positive value or 0. If you omit *mean*, 1-2-3 uses 0.

*std* is an optional argument that specifies the standard deviation of the distribution. *std* is any positive value or 0. If you omit *std*, 1-2-3 uses 1.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies what function you want @NORMAL to calculate.

### type @NORMAL calculates

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0	Cumulative distribution function; default if you omit the argument
1	Inverse cumulative distribution
2	Probability density function

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

@NORMAL approximates the cumulative distribution function to within  $\pm 7.5 \cdot 10^{-8}$  and the inverse cumulative distribution to within  $\pm 4.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$ .

### Examples

@NORMAL(1.96) = 0.9750

@NORMAL(0.975;0;1;1) = 1.96

@NORMAL(1.96;0;1;2) = 0.058441

### Similar @functions

@CHIDIST calculates the chi-square distribution. @FDIST calculates the *F*-distribution. @POISSON calculates the Poisson distribution. @TDIST calculates the Student's *t*-distribution.

## **@RANGENAME**

@RANGENAME(*cell*) returns the name of the range in which *cell* is located.

### **Argument**

*cell* is a cell address or the name of a single-cell range.

### **Notes**

If you specify a cell that is in several overlapping named ranges, 1-2-3 returns the first range name it finds.

If *cell* is not in a named range, @RANGENAME returns ERR.

You can use @RANGENAME only with workbooks in memory.

### **Examples**

@RANGENAME(A:A2) returns SALES if A:A2 is in the range named SALES.

## @SCENARIOINFO, @VERSIONINFO

@SCENARIOINFO(*option*;*name*;*[creator]*) returns information about a version group.

@VERSIONINFO(*option*;*version-range*;*name*;*[creator]*) returns information about a version.

### Arguments

*option* is text that specifies what information you want 1-2-3 to return.

<u><i>option</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 returns</u>
creator	The name of the person who created the version or version group
modifier	The name of the person who last modified the version or version group
created	The date and time the version or version group was created, as a <u>date</u> and <u>time number</u>
modified	The date and time the version or version group was last modified, as a date and time number
comment	The comment for the version or version group; 1-2-3 truncates the comment if it is longer than 512 single-byte characters
hidden	0 (false) if the version or version group is not hidden or 1 (true) if it is hidden
protected	0 (false) if the version or version group is not protected or 1 (true) if it is protected

*name* is text that specifies the name of the version or version group. If more than one version or version group has the same *name*, 1-2-3 uses the one most recently created.

*creator* is text that specifies the name of the user who created the version or version group. 1-2-3 uses *creator* to help determine which version or version group to use.

*version-range* is the name of the range that contains the version. *version-range* must be an existing named range.

### Examples

@SCENARIOINFO("comment";"Best Case";"Kimberly Parker") returns the comment for the latest version group named Best Case created by Kimberly Parker.

@SCENARIOINFO("creator";"Sales") returns the name of the user who created the latest version group named Sales.

@VERSIONINFO("created";SALESRANGE;"Best Case";"Kimberly Parker") returns the date and time that Kimberly Parker created her latest Best Case version for SALESRANGE.

@VERSIONINFO("modified";SALESRANGE;"Widgets") returns the date and time that the version Widgets in SALESRANGE was last modified.

## **@SCENARIOLAST**

**@SCENARIOLAST**(*file-name*) returns the name of the last-displayed version\_group in a workbook during the current 1-2-3 session.

### **Arguments**

*file-name* is the full name, including the extension, of the workbook file you want to test for, entered as text. Unless you want 1-2-3 to look for the workbook file in the current directory, you must also specify the path as part of *file-name*.

### **Notes**

If no version groups have been displayed in *file-name* during the current 1-2-3 session, **@SCENARIOLAST** returns **ERR**.

### **Examples**

**@SCENARIOLAST**("C:\LOTUS\WORK\123\JULY.123") returns the name of the last-displayed version group in the workbook file JULY.123, which is stored in C:\LOTUS\WORK\123.



## **@SEMEAN**

**@SEMEAN**(*range*) calculates the standard error of the sample mean for the values in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range name or address.

### **Examples**

Suppose the range TEST contains the values 2, 6, 8, 5, 3, 9, 1, and 2.

**@SEMEAN**(TEST) = 1.052209

### **Similar @functions**

**@GEOMEAN** calculates the geometric mean of the values in a list. **@HARMEAN** calculates the harmonic mean of the values in a list. **@STD** and **@PURESTD** calculate the standard deviation of the values in a list.

## @TTEST

@TTEST(*range1*;*range2*;*[type]*;*[tails]*) performs a Student's *t*-test on the data in *range1* and *range2* and returns the associated probability.

### Arguments

*range1* and *range2* are ranges that contain values.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies what type of *t*-test to perform.

<u><i>type</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 performs</u>
0	A <i>t</i> -test for samples drawn from populations with the same variance (homoscedastic); <i>range 1</i> and <i>range 2</i> do not have to contain the same number of cells; default if you omit the argument
1	A <i>t</i> -test for samples drawn from populations with unequal variances (heteroscedastic); <i>range1</i> and <i>range2</i> do not have to contain the same number of cells
2	A paired <i>t</i> -test; <i>range1</i> and <i>range2</i> must contain the same number of cells

*tails* is an optional argument that specifies the direction of the *t*-test.

<u><i>tails</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 performs</u>
1	A one-tailed <i>t</i> -test
2	A two-tailed <i>t</i> -test; default if you omit the argument

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

@TTEST approximates the probability associated with a *t*-test to within  $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ .

### Examples

@TTEST

### Similar @functions

@TDIST calculates the Student's *t*-distribution. @CHITEST performs a chi-square test, @FTEST performs an *F*-test, and @ZTEST performs a z-test.

**Example: @TTEST**

@TTEST(A2..A13;B2..B13) = 0.050022

A	-----	A	-----	B	-----
1		Sample1		Sample	
2		84.5		65.1	
3		80.7		85.4	
4		34.5		62.4	
5		54.6		73.4	
6		50.5		80.3	
7		33.7		66.7	
8		46.8		87.2	
9		47.6		70.4	
10		22.8		30.2	
11		15.5		60.1	
12		60.6		56.3	
13		80.5		70.5	

## **@VERSIONCURRENT**

@VERSIONCURRENT(*range*) returns the name of the current version in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is the name or address of the range you want to find the version name for.

### **Notes**

If no version is current, @VERSIONCURRENT returns ERR.

### **Examples**

@VERSIONCURRENT(PROFITS) returns the name of the current version in the range PROFITS.

## **@VERSIONDATA**

**@VERSIONDATA**(*option*; *cell*; *version-range*; *name*; [*creator*]) returns the contents of a specified cell in a version.

### **Arguments**

*option* is text that specifies how you want 1-2-3 to return the contents of *cell*.

<b><i>option</i></b>	<b>1-2-3 returns</b>
formula	The formula in the cell, as a label, or <u>ERR</u> if the cell does not contain a formula
value	The result of the formula if the cell contains a formula The value or label if the cell contains a value or a label An <u>empty string</u> if the cell is blank

*cell* is the name or address of the cell whose contents 1-2-3 returns. *cell* must be located in *version-range*.

*version-range* is the name of the range that contains the version. *version-range* must be an existing named range.

*name* is text that specifies the name of the version. If more than one version has the same *name*, 1-2-3 uses the one most recently created.

*creator* is text that specifies the name of the user who created the version. 1-2-3 uses *creator* to help determine which version to use or delete. If *creator* created multiple versions with the same name, 1-2-3 uses the most recently created of those versions.

### **Examples**

**@VERSIONDATA**("formula";A:B12;SALES;"Best Case") returns the formula located in cell A:B12 of the most recently created version named Best Case in the range SALES.

**@VERSIONDATA**("value";A:B12;SALES;"Best Case";"Robin Levine") returns the value or label in cell A:B12 of the version named Best Case most recently created by Robin Levine in the range SALES.

## @WEIGHTAVG

@WEIGHTAVG(*data-range*; *weights-range*; [*type*]) calculates the weighted average of values in *data-range*.

### Arguments

*data-range* and *weights-range* are the names or addresses of ranges that contain values and are the same size and shape.

If *data-range* and *weights-range* are not the same size and shape, @WEIGHTAVG returns ERR.

*type* is a value that determines how 1-2-3 calculates the weighted average.

<u>type</u>	<u>1-2-3 divides by</u>
0	The sum of the values in <i>weights-range</i> ; default if you omit the argument.
1	The number of values in <i>data-range</i> .

### Examples

This example, taken from a real estate database table, uses @WEIGHTAVG to calculate the weighted average commission due to an agent on house sales in February.

SOLD contains the prices paid for three houses, and COMM contains the agent's commission percentage of the sale price:

SOLD	COMM
\$25,000	0.04
\$34,580	0.05
\$77,325	0.04

@WEIGHTAVG(SOLD;COMM) = \$44,784.62, the weighted average commission due to an agent on the sale of three houses.

### Similar @functions

@SUMPRODUCT calculates the sum of the products of the corresponding cells in multiple ranges.

## **@WORKDAY**

**@WORKDAY**(*start-date*;days;*[holidays-range]*;*[weekends]*) calculates the date number that corresponds to the date that is a specified number of *days* before or after *start-date*, excluding weekends and, optionally, holidays.

### **Arguments**

*start-date* is a date number.

*days* is an integer. Use a positive integer to specify a number of days after *start-date* or a negative integer to specify a number of days before *start-date*.

*holidays-range* is an optional argument that specifies holidays to exclude from the @WORKDAY calculation.

*holidays-range* is the name or address of a range that contains date numbers.

If you omit the *holidays-range* argument, 1-2-3 does not exclude any holidays from the @WORKDAY calculation.

*weekends* is an optional argument that specifies which days of the week are weekend days. *weekends* is text that uses the integers 0 (Monday) through 6 (Sunday) to represent the days you specify as weekend days.

For example, "45" indicates that Friday and Saturday are weekend days. If you omit *weekends*, 1-2-3 uses "56", which indicates that Saturday and Sunday are weekend days. To specify no weekends, use 7.

### **Notes**

If you want to use *weekends* but don't want to use *holidays*, specify a blank cell for *holidays*.

### **Examples**

You want to determine the date 30 working days after Tuesday, November 1, 1994. You want to specify November 24 and 25 as holidays so you enter date numbers for these dates in a range named HOLIDAYS. You want to specify Saturday and Sunday as weekend days, so you omit the *weekends* argument.

@WORKDAY(@DATE(94;11;1);30;HOLIDAYS) = 34683, or, Thursday, December 15, 1994

### **Similar @functions**

@DAYS360 and @D360 calculate the number of days between two date numbers. @NETWORKDAYS calculates the number of days between two dates, excluding weekends and holidays. @NEXTMONTH calculates the date that is a specified number of months before or after a specified date. @YEARFRAC calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

## **@XINDEX**

**@XINDEX**(*range*; *column-heading*; *row-heading*; [*worksheet-heading*]) returns the contents of a cell located at the intersection specified by *column-heading*, *row-heading*, and (optionally) *worksheet-heading*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

*column-heading* is the contents of a cell in the first row of *range*.

*row-heading* is the contents of a cell in the first column of *range*.

*worksheet-heading* is an optional argument that is the contents of the first cell in *range*.

*column-heading*, *row-heading*, and *worksheet-heading* can be values or text.

### **Examples**

**@XINDEX**

### **Similar @functions**

**@CHOOSE** finds an entry in a list. **@HLOOKUP** and **@VLOOKUP** find entries in horizontal and vertical lookup tables. **@MATCH** returns the relative position of a cell in a range. **@MAXLOOKUP** returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges. **@MINLOOKUP** returns an absolute reference to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.



**Example: @XINDEX**

A table named RATES (A2..E7) lists rates for sending a parcel to several cities.

@XINDEX(RATES;"New York";1) = \$9.29, the rate for sending a type 1 parcel to New York.

@XINDEX(RATES;"Paris";5) = \$29.00, the rate for sending a type 5 parcel to Paris.

A	B	C	D	E	
1	----- PARCEL DESTINATION -----				
2	Parcel type	London	Paris	Frankfurt	New York
3	1	\$18.36	\$19.33	\$20.12	\$ 9.29
4	2	\$20.32	\$21.66	\$22.03	\$11.25
5	3	\$22.44	\$23.88	\$24.00	\$13.25
6	4	\$24.14	\$25.26	\$25.75	\$16.85
7	5	\$28.32	\$29.00	\$29.80	\$19.54

## @ZTEST

**@ZTEST**(*range1*; *mean1*; *std1*; [*tails*]; [*range2*]; [*mean2*]; [*std2*]) performs a z-test on one or two populations and returns the associated probability.

### Arguments

*range1* is a range that contains the first, or only, set of data to test.

*mean1* is the known population mean of *range1* and can be any value.

*std1* is the known population standard deviation of *range1*. *std1* is a value greater than 0.

*tails* is an optional argument that specifies the direction of the z-test.

<u><i>tails</i></u>	<u>1-2-3 performs</u>
1	A one-tailed z-test
2	A two-tailed z-test; default if you omit the argument

*range2* is a range that contains the second set of data to test.

*mean2* is the known population mean of *range2* and can be any value. If you omit *mean2*, 1-2-3 uses 0.

*std2* is the known population standard deviation of *range2*. *std2* is a value greater than 0. If you omit *std2*, 1-2-3 uses 1.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

@ZTEST approximates the probability associated with a z-test to within  $\pm 7.5 \times 10^{-8}$ .

### Examples

The range A1..A8 contains the following values: 12, 19, 21, 22, 18, 16, 15, 17. If the population mean of these values is 16, and the population standard deviation is 3.041381, then  $z = 1.394972$ .

**@ZTEST**(A1..A8;16;3.041381;1) = 0.081512

### Similar @functions

**@CHITEST** performs a chi-square test, **@FTEST** performs an *F*-test, and **@TTEST** performs a *t*-test. **@NORMSINV** calculates the inverse cumulative distribution function. **@STANDARDIZE** calculates a standardized value from a distribution characterized by mean and standard deviation. **@CONFIDENCE** calculates the magnitude of the confidence interval for a population mean with known standard deviation.

## **@DATESTRING**

**@DATESTRING**(*date*) converts a date number to its equivalent date and displays it as a label using the default international date format.

### **Arguments**

*date* is a date number.

### **Notes**

You can change the default setting for the international date format using your operating system's regional (country) settings.

### **Examples**

If the default international date format is mm/dd/yy, **@DATESTRING**(34635) returns the label 10/28/94.

### **Similar @functions**

**@DATEVALUE** calculates the date number for a date entered as a label. **@DATE** calculates the date number for a specified date.

## @DURATION, @MDURATION

**@DURATION**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; *yield*; [*frequency*]; [*basis*]) calculates the annual duration for a security that pays periodic interest.

**@MDURATION**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; *yield*; [*frequency*]; [*basis*]) calculates the modified annual duration for a security that pays periodic interest.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, **@DURATION** and **@MDURATION** evaluate to **ERR**.

*coupon* is the security's annual coupon rate. *coupon* is any positive value or 0.

*yield* is the annual yield. *yield* is any positive value or 0.

*frequency* is an optional argument that specifies the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is a value from the following table:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly
12	Monthly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is a value from the following table:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

Duration is the weighted average term to maturity of a security's cash flows. The weights are the present value of each cash flow as a fraction of the present value of all cash flows.

### Examples

A security has a July 1, 1993, settlement date and a December 1, 1998, maturity date. The semiannual coupon rate is 5.50% and the annual yield is 5.61%. The bond has a 30/360 day-count basis.

To determine the security's annual duration:

**@DURATION**(**@DATE**(93;7;1);**@DATE**(98;12;1);0.055;0.0561;2;0) = 4.734591

To determine the security's modified annual duration:

**@MDURATION**(**@DATE**(93;7;1);**@DATE**(98;12;1);0.055;0.0561;2;0) = 4.60541

### Similar @functions

**@ACCRUED** calculates the accrued interest for securities that pay periodic interest. **@PRICE** calculates the price per \$100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest. **@YIELD** calculates the yield for securities that pay periodic interest.

## **@ISEMPTY**

**@ISEMPTY**(*location*) tests *location* for a blank cell. If *location* is a blank cell, **@ISEMPTY** returns 1 (true); if *location* is not a blank cell, **@ISEMPTY** returns 0 (false).

### **Arguments**

*location* is the name or address of a single cell. If you specify a range for *location*, **@ISEMPTY** returns 0 (false).

### **Examples**

**@ISEMPTY**(A1) = 1 if cell A1 is a blank cell

**@ISEMPTY**(A1) = 0 if cell A1 contains the value 1,963

**@ISEMPTY**(A1) = 0 if cell A1 contains the label Revenues

**@ISEMPTY**(A1) = 0 if cell A1 contains a label prefix character

## **@MAXLOOKUP, @MINLOOKUP**

**@MAXLOOKUP**(*range-list*) returns an absolute reference, including the workbook file name, to the cell that contains the largest value in a list of ranges.

**@MINLOOKUP**(*range-list*) returns an absolute reference, including the workbook file name, to the cell that contains the smallest value in a list of ranges.

### **Arguments**

*range-list* can be any combination of ranges. Separate the range names or addresses in *range-list* with argument separators.

If you want to include a single-cell range in *range-list*, make sure you enter it so it looks like a range address. For example, do not use A1; instead, use A1..A1.

1-2-3 ignores labels and blank cells in *range-list*.

If none of the cells in *range-list* contain values, **@MAXLOOKUP** and **@MINLOOKUP** return NA.

### **Examples**

Suppose your 1-2-3 directory contains the workbook files BID1.123, BID2.123, and BID3.123. Each file contains bid information from a different vendor. The workbooks were all created from the same template, so in each workbook, the total bid figure is in a cell named TOTAL.

The following formula returns the location, including the workbook file name, of the highest bid:

**@MAXLOOKUP**(<<BID1.123>>TOTAL;<<BID2.123>>TOTAL;<<BID3.123>>TOTAL)

The following formula returns the location, including the workbook file name, of the lowest bid:

**@MINLOOKUP**(<<BID1.123>>TOTAL;<<BID2.123>>TOTAL;<<BID3.123>>TOTAL)

### **Similar @functions**

**@HLOOKUP** and **@VLOOKUP** find entries in horizontal or vertical lookup tables. **@INDEX** finds the contents of a cell when you specify offset numbers for both the column and row. **@CHOOSE** replaces a lookup table that requires only one row. **@MATCH** finds the relative position of a cell with specified contents. **@XINDEX** finds the contents of a cell specified by column, row, and sheet headings.

## @NETWORKDAYS

@NETWORKDAYS(*start-date*; *end-date*; [*holidays-range*]; [*weekends*]) calculates the number of days from *start-date* through *end-date*, excluding weekends and holidays.

### Arguments

*start-date* and *end-date* are date numbers.

*holidays-range* is an optional argument that specifies holidays to exclude from the @NETWORKDAYS calculation. *holidays-range* is the name or address of a range that contains date numbers.

*weekends* is an optional argument that specifies which days of the week are weekend days. *weekends* is text that uses the integers 0 (Monday) through 6 (Sunday) to represent the days you specify as weekend days.

For example, "45" indicates that Friday and Saturday are weekend days. If you omit *weekends*, 1-2-3 uses "56", which indicates that Saturday and Sunday are weekend days. To specify no weekends, use 7.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

@NETWORKDAYS includes both *start-date* and *end-date* in the result.

If you want to use *weekends* but don't want to use *holidays*, specify a blank cell for *holidays*.

### Examples

You want to determine the number of working days between Tuesday, November 1, 1994, and Thursday, December 1, 1994. You want to specify November 24 and 25 as holidays, so you enter date numbers for these dates in a range named HOLIDAYS. You want to specify Saturday and Sunday as weekend days, so you omit the *weekends* argument.

@NETWORKDAYS(@DATE(94;11;1);@DATE(94;12;1);HOLIDAYS) = 21

### Similar @functions

@DAYS360 and @D360 calculate the number of days between two date numbers. @DAYS calculates the number of days between two dates, using a specified day-count basis. @WORKDAY calculates the date that is a specified number of days before or after a specified date, excluding weekends and holidays. @NEXTMONTH calculates the date that is a certain number of months before or after a specified date. @YEARFRAC calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

## @NEXTMONTH

@NEXTMONTH(*start-date* ; *months* ;[ *day-of-month* ]:[ *basis* ]) calculates the date number for the date that is a specified number of *months* before or after *start-date*.

### Arguments

*start-date* is a date number.

*months* is an integer. Use a positive integer to specify a number of months after *start-date* or a negative integer to specify a number of months before *start-date*.

*day-of-month* is an optional argument that specifies what day of the month you want the result of @NEXTMONTH to fall on. *day-of-month* is a value from the following table:

<u>day-of-month</u>	<u>@NEXTMONTH returns</u>
0	A date that falls on the same day of the month as <i>start-date</i> . If <i>start-date</i> falls on a day of the month that does not exist for the new month (for example, if <i>start-date</i> is January 30, 1994 and the new month is February, which has 28 days), @NEXTMONTH returns a date that falls on the last day of the month. Default if you omit the argument.
1	A date that falls on the first day of the month.
2	A date that falls on the last day of the month.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is a value from the following table:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360
1	Actual/actual; default if you omit the argument
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Examples

You want to determine the date that falls on the last day of the month, one month after Thursday, April 7, 1994.

@NEXTMONTH(@DATE(94;4;7);1;2) = 34485, or Tuesday, May 31, 1994

### Similar @functions

@DAYS360 and @D360 calculate the number of days between two date numbers. @WORKDAY calculates the date a specified number of days before or after a specified date, excluding weekends and holidays. @NETWORKDAYS calculates the number of days between two dates, excluding weekends and holidays.



## @SETSTRING

@SETSTRING(*text*;*length*;*alignment*) returns a label that is *length* characters long. The label consists of *text* and sufficient blank spaces to align *text* as specified by *alignment*.

### Arguments

*text* can be any text.

*length* can be any integer from 1 through 512. If *length* is smaller than the number of characters in *text*, @SETSTRING returns *text*.

*alignment* is an optional argument that specifies how to align *text*. *alignment* is a value from the following table:

<i>alignment</i>	1-2-3 aligns <i>text</i>
0	To the left of the extra spaces in <i>length</i> ; default if you omit the argument.
1	In the center of the extra spaces in <i>length</i> . If there is an odd number of extra spaces, 1-2-3 adds the one leftover space to the left of <i>text</i> .
2	To the right of the extra spaces in <i>length</i> .

Most Windows fonts are proportionally spaced fonts. Blank spaces generally use less space than letters in proportionally spaced fonts.

### Examples

In the following examples, each • represents a blank space.

@SETSTRING("Element Nine, Inc. ";24) = Element Nine, Inc. •••••

@SETSTRING("Element Nine, Inc. ";24;1) = •••Element Nine, Inc. •••

@SETSTRING("Element Nine, Inc. ";24;2) = •••••Element Nine, Inc.

### Similar @functions

@TRIM removes leading, trailing, and consecutive spaces from text.

## **@SUMNEGATIVE, @SUMPOSITIVE**

@SUMNEGATIVE(*list*) sums only the negative values in *list*.

@SUMPOSITIVE(*list*) sums only the positive values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

### **Examples**

@SUMNEGATIVE(-2;21;5;12;-2;-7) = -11

@SUMPOSITIVE(-2;21;5;12;-2;-7) = 38

### **Similar @functions**

@SUM adds a list of values. @DSUM adds values in a database table that meet certain criteria. @SUBTOTAL adds the values in a list and tells @GRANDTOTAL which values to sum.

## @ACCRUED2

@ACCRUED2(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; [*par*]; [*frequency*]; [*issue*]; [*first*]; [*type*]) calculates the accrued interest for securities with periodic interest payments, using Japanese conventions.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date, specified as a date number.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date, specified as a date number. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @ACCRUED2 returns ERR.

*coupon* is the security's annual coupon rate. *coupon* is any positive value or 0, expressed as a decimal number.

*par* is an optional argument that specifies the security's par value, that is, the principal to be paid at maturity. *par* is a positive value. If you do not include the *par* argument, 1-2-3 uses 100.

*frequency* is an optional argument that specifies the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is a value from the following table:

<u>frequency</u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual (default)

*issue* is an optional argument that represents the security's issue date, specified as a date number. If *issue* is greater than *settlement*, @ACCRUED2 returns ERR.

*first* is an optional argument that represents the security's first interest date, specified as a date number. If *first* is less than or equal to *issue* or greater than *maturity*, @ACCRUED2 returns ERR.

*type* is an optional argument that specifies the type of bond. *type* is a value from the following table:

<u>type</u>	<u>Description</u>
0	Japanese government bond; default if you omit the argument
1	Public or corporate bond

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Examples

You bought a Japanese government bond for ¥100,000 on June 14, 1996. The issue date of the bond is May 1, 1990, and the maturity date is June 20, 2000. The coupon rate is 9.00%, it is paid twice a year, and the first interest date was December 21, 1990.

The accrued interest is:

@ACCRUED2(@DATE(96,6,14),@DATE(2000,6,20),0.09,100000,2,@DATE(90,5,1),@DATE(90,12,21)) = ¥4,339

### Similar @functions

@ACCRUED calculates the accrued interest rate for securities with period interest payments. @PRICE2 calculates the price per ¥100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions. @YIELD2 returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

@PRICE calculates the price per \$100 face value for a bond. @YIELD calculates the yield for securities that pay periodic interest. @DURATION calculates the annual duration and @MDURATION calculates the modified annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest.

## **@DATALINK**

**@DATALINK**(*app-name*;*topic-name*;*item-name*;*[format]*;*[max-rows]*;*[max-cols]*;*[max-sheets]*) creates a DDE link to data.

You can change the link by changing the @DATALINK arguments.

### **Arguments**

*app-name* is text that specifies the name of an open Windows application that supports DDE as a server.

*topic-name* is text that specifies the name of the application file to link to. Use "system" to link to the system topic. If you are linking to a file, that file must also be open in the server application.

*item-name* is text that specifies the name of the item in the server application to link to. This is the item in the server application file from which you want to transfer data through the link.

*format* is an optional argument that specifies one of the Clipboard formats. *format* is text and can be Text, WK1, or WK3. If you omit *format*, 1-2-3 uses the Text Clipboard format.

*max-rows*, *max-cols*, and *max-sheets* are optional arguments that specify the maximum number of rows, columns, and sheets for the destination range. If you omit *max-rows*, *max-cols*, or *max-sheets*, 1-2-3 uses as many rows, columns, or sheets as the destination range requires.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### **Examples**

The following @DATALINK formula creates a DDE link to the Word Pro file LOAN.LWP.

```
@DATALINK("WordPro";"C:\LOTUS\WORK\WORDPRO\LOAN.LWP";"!Link_BookMark1")
```

**@DATECONVERT**

@DATECONVERT(*date;input-type;output-type*) converts a Hijri (Arabic), Farsi (Iranian), or Hebrew (Jewish) date to a Gregorian date, or vice versa.

**Notes**

@DATECONVERT is specific to bi-directional languages and works only on computers supporting bi-directional versions of 1-2-3 (for example, Hebrew, Farsi).

## @DECILE

@DECILE(*tile*;range) returns a given decile.

### Arguments

*tile* is an integer from 0 to 10, inclusive.

<i>tile</i>	Returns	Same as...
0	Minimum	@PERCENTILE(0.0,range) or @MIN(range)
1	First decile	@PERCENTILE(0.1,range)
2	Second decile	@PERCENTILE(0.2,range)
3	Third decile	@PERCENTILE(0.3,range)
4	Fourth decile	@PERCENTILE(0.4,range)
5	Median	@PERCENTILE(0.5,range) or @MEDIAN(range)
6	Sixth decile	@PERCENTILE(0.6,range)
7	Seventh decile	@PERCENTILE(0.7,range)
8	Eight decile	@PERCENTILE(0.8,range)
9	Ninth decile	@PERCENTILE(0.9,range)
10	Maximum	@PERCENTILE(1.0,range) or @MAX(range)

*range* is the address or name of the range that contains the values.

### Notes

@DECILE calculates blank cells and cells with labels as 0.

### Examples

A range named DATA contains the following values: 34, 12, 60, 128, 67, 350, 206.

@DECILE(0;DATA) = 12.0

@DECILE(1;DATA) = 25.2

@DECILE(2;DATA) = 39.2

### Similar @functions

@PERCENTILE calculates the xth sample percentile among the values in *range*. @QUARTILE returns a given quartile.

@MIN finds the smallest value in a list. @MAX finds the largest value in a list. @MEDIAN returns the median value in a list.

## **@EDIGIT**

**@EDIGIT**(*digit-string*) converts *digit-string* from Thai numeric characters to an Arabic numeric string.

### **Arguments**

*digit-string* is a string containing Thai numeric characters.

### **Notes**

Use **@EDIGIT** in combination with **@VALUE** to convert data entered as Thai numeric strings into numeric values for calculations.

### **Examples**

**@EDIGIT**("๑๖ ๙๙. ๓๔") = 16 ๙๙. 34

### **Similar @functions**

**@TDIGIT** converts *digit-string* from Arabic numbers to a Thai numeric string.

**@VALUE** converts a number entered as text to its corresponding value.

## **@FINDB**

**@FINDB**(*search-text*; *text*; *start-number*) calculates the position (in bytes) in *text* at which 1-2-3 finds the first occurrence of *search-text*, beginning at the position (in bytes) indicated by *start-number*.

### **Arguments**

*search-text* and *text* are text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a [label](#) or a formula that results in a label.

*start-number* is an [offset number](#) in bytes.

### **Notes**

If 1-2-3 does not find *search-text* in *text*, **@FINDB** returns [ERR](#). **@FINDB** also returns ERR if *start-number* is greater than the number of bytes in *text*, or if *start-number* is negative.

**@FINDB** is case-sensitive and accent-sensitive; for example, **@FINDB** will not find the *search-text* "e" in the *text* "CAMBRIDGE."

**@FINDB** is also useful when combined with [@MIDB](#) or [@REPLACEB](#) to locate and extract or replace text.

### **Examples**

**@FINDB**("P";"Accounts Payable";0) = 9 because *search-text* P is at position 9 in the *text* Accounts Payable.

### **Similar @functions**

[@FIND](#) returns the position counted in characters.



## **@FORECAST**

**@FORECAST**(*x*; *y-range*; *x-range*) returns a forecast value for *x* based on the linear trend between values in *y-range* and *x-range*.

### **Arguments**

*x* can be any value and represents the value to forecast.

*y-range* is a range address or range name and represents the set of dependent values. If *y-range* contains any non-numeric data, **@FORECAST** returns ERR.

*x-range* is a range address or range name and represents the set of independent values. If *x-range* contains any non-numeric data, **@FORECAST** returns ERR.

*y-range* and *x-range* must be the same size; that is, they must contain the same number of cells. Cells in the two ranges are paired by their order in the range. Ranges are ordered from top to bottom (down rows) then left to right (across columns), then through sheets. If *y-range* and *x-range* are not the same size, **@FORECAST** returns ERR.

### **Notes**

Note that these calculations are also performed in **@REGRESSION**.

### **Examples**

For the following data:

YRANGE	XRANGE
250	3
545	5
550	5
450	6
605	6
615	7

**@FORECAST**(-1; YRANGE; XRANGE) = -26.786

**@FORECAST**(0; YRANGE; XRANGE) = 56.786

### **Similar @functions**

**@REGRESSION** performs multiple linear regression and returns the specified statistic.

## **@FULLP**

`@FULLP(label)` converts single-byte (ASCII) characters in *label* to corresponding Japanese double-byte characters.

### **Arguments**

*label* is a string that contains the ASCII characters to convert. If *label* is not a string, `@FULLP` returns ERR.

### **Notes**

`@FULLP` converts ASCII characters in *label* to corresponding double-byte characters. Double-byte character set (DBCS) characters are not converted, and `@FULLP` returns them as is. `@FULLP` does not convert single-byte character set Katakana to double-byte character set Katakana.

### **Similar @functions**

`@HALFP` converts double-byte Japanese characters to single-byte characters.

## **@FV2**

**@FV2**(*payments*; *interest*; *term*) calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, earning a periodic *interest* rate, over the number of payment periods in *term*, assuming an annuity-due convention.

### **Arguments**

*payments* represents the amount paid at each period, and can be any value.

*term* represents the number of payment periods. *term* can be any positive integer. Non-integers are truncated.

*interest* represents the periodic interest rate, and can be a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

### **Notes**

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*. For example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

### **Examples**

You plan to deposit ¥500,000 each year for the next 20 years into an account to save for retirement. The account pays 7.5% interest, compounded annually; interest is paid on the last day of each year. You want to calculate the value of your account in 20 years. You make each year's contribution on the first day of the year.

**@FV2**(500000;0.075;20) = ¥23,276,266, the value of your account at the end of 20 years.

You can get the same result with **@FVAL**(500000;0.075;20;1).

### **Similar @functions**

**@FV** calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal payments, earning a periodic interest rate, over the number of payment periods in term, assuming an ordinary annuity. **@FVAL** calculates the future value of an investment with a specified present-value, for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due.

**@PV** and **@PVAL** determine the present value of an investment. **@NPV** computes the net present value of an investment, discounting the future value to present value.

## **@FVAMOUNT**

**@FVAMOUNT**(*principal*; *interest*; *term*; [*frequency*]) returns the future value of a lump sum invested at a given rate for a given number of periods.

### **Arguments**

*principal* represents the amount initially invested, and can be any value.

*interest* represents the periodic interest rate and can be any decimal or percentage value.

*term* represents the number of periods for the investment, and can be any value.

*frequency* is optional and represents the compounding frequency per period. Non-integers are truncated. The default frequency is 1.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### **Notes**

If *term* is 1 and *frequency* is 1, **@FVAMOUNT** calculates simple interest.

### **Example**

Suppose that on your child's 10th birthday, you deposited \$100 in a savings account bearing 10% interest. Using **@FVAMOUNT**, you can calculate the amount the account will contain when your child is 18:

**@FVAMOUNT**(100;10%;8) = \$214.36

### **Similar @functions**

**@FVAMOUNT** relates to a single payment. **@FV** and **@FVAL** return the future value of an annuity, that is, a series of one or more payments. **@PVAMOUNT** returns the present value of a lump sum to be received a given number of periods in the future and discounted at a given interest rate.

## **@HALFP**

**@HALFP**(*label*) converts the Japanese double-byte characters in *label* to corresponding single-byte (ASCII) characters.

### **Arguments**

*label* is a string that contains the Japanese double-byte characters to convert. If *label* is not a string, **@HALFP** returns ERR.

### **Notes**

**@HALFP** converts Japanese double-byte character set (DBCS) alphabets, numbers, and signs (such as +, -, :) to corresponding ASCII characters. Double-byte characters that don't have corresponding ASCII values are not converted, and **@HALFP** returns them as is. **@HALFP** does not convert Japanese double-byte character set Katakana to single-byte character set Katakana.

### **Similar @functions**

**@FULLP** converts single-byte characters to Japanese double-byte characters.

## @ISBETWEEN

@ISBETWEEN(*value*; *bound1*; *bound2*; [*inclusion*]) tests whether *value* is between *bound1* and *bound2*.

@ISBETWEEN returns 1 (true) if *value* is between *bound1* and *bound2*, and 0 (false) if it is not.

### Arguments

*value*, *bound1*, and *bound2* can be any numeric value or text.

*inclusion* is optional and can be one of the following:

<i>n</i>	Description	Algorithm
0	Include <i>bound1</i> and <i>bound2</i> (default)	@MIN( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> ) <= <i>value</i> <= @MAX( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> )
1	Include the smaller of <i>bound1</i> and <i>bound2</i> , and exclude the larger	@MIN( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> ) <= <i>value</i> < @MAX( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> )
2	Exclude the smaller of <i>bound1</i> and <i>bound2</i> , and include the larger	@MIN( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> ) < <i>value</i> <= @MAX( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> )
3	Exclude both <i>bound1</i> and <i>bound2</i>	@MIN( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> ) < <i>value</i> < @MAX( <i>bound1</i> , <i>bound2</i> )

### Notes

If the data type of *bound1* is different from the data type of *bound2*, @ISBETWEEN returns ERR.

If the data type of *bound1* or *bound2* is different from the data type of *value*, @ISBETWEEN returns 0.

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Examples

@ISBETWEEN(123;100;200) = 1

@ISBETWEEN("ABC";"AAA";"BBB") = 1

@ISBETWEEN(100;100;200;0) = 1

## **@LEFTB**

**@LEFTB**(*text*; *n*) returns the first *n* bytes in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be a positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result is an empty string. If *n* is greater than the byte-length of *text*, **@LEFTB** returns all of *text*.

### **Notes**

**@LEFTB** counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

**@LEFTB** is used for double-byte character sets (DBCS) such as Japanese. For example, if you want to put a label into a field in an external database through 1-2-3 and the field has the length limitation in bytes, you can extract parts of the label to fit it to the limitation.

If the last byte of the returned label is the first half of a double-byte character, **@LEFTB** replaces the incomplete character with a space.

If *text* consists of single-byte characters only, **@LEFTB** returns the same result as **@LEFT**.

### **Examples**

**@LEFTB**("Single byte";8) = "Single b"

### **Similar @functions**

**@LEFT** returns the first *n* characters in *text*. **@MIDB** returns bytes from within *text*. **@RIGHTB** returns the last *n* bytes in *text*.

## **@LENGTHB**

@LENGTHB(*text*) counts the number of bytes in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Notes**

@LENGTHB counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

@LENGTHB is used for double-byte character sets (DBCS) such as Japanese. For example, if you want to put text into a field in an external database through 1-2-3 and the field has the length limitation in bytes, you can test whether the text exceeds the limitation.

### **Examples**

@LENGTHB(A5&G12) = the total number of bytes in cells A5 and G12.

### **Similar @functions**

@LENGTH counts the characters in *text*.



## **@MIDB**

**@MIDB**(*text*; *start-number*; *n*) copies *n* bytes from *text*, beginning with the data at byte *start-number*.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*start-number* is an offset number in bytes. If *start-number* is larger than the length of *text*, the result of @MIDB is an empty string.

*n* is any positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result of @MIDB is an empty string. If *n* is larger than the length of *text*, 1-2-3 returns all the bytes from *start-number* to the end of *text*.

### **Notes**

@MIDB is used for double-byte character sets (DBCS) such as Japanese.

@MIDB counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

Use a large number for *n* if you do not know the length of *text*; 1-2-3 ignores the extra spaces and returns all of *text* beginning with *start-number*.

If the first byte of the returned label is the last half of a double-byte character, or the last byte of the returned label is the first half of a double-byte character, @MIDB replaces the incomplete character with a space.

### **Examples**

@MIDB("Single Byte text";7;4) = "Byte"

### **Similar @functions**

@MID copies *n* characters from *text*, beginning with the character at *start-number*.

@LEFTB returns the first *n* bytes of *text*, and @RIGHTB returns the last *n* bytes in *text*.

## **@NSUM**

**@NSUM**(*offset*; *n*; *list*) adds every *n*th value in *list*, starting at *offset*.

**@NSUM** ignores ERR and NA in skipped cells/values.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and range addresses or range names that contain numbers or formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

*offset* can be any positive integer.

*n* can be any positive integer.

### **Notes**

**@NSUM** returns the sum of (*offset*), (*offset* + *n*), (*offset* + 2*n*), (*offset* + 3*n*), ... in *list*.

**@NSUM**(0;1;*list*) returns the same result as **@SUM**(*list*).

### **Examples**

**@NSUM**(1;3;B5..B15) returns the sum of the values in B6, B9, B12 and B15.

### **Similar @functions**

@SUM adds the values in *list*. @DSUM calculates the sum of values that meet criteria you specify. @SUBTOTAL adds the values in a list and indicates which values @GRANDTOTAL should sum.

## @NUMBERSTRING

@NUMBERSTRING(*number*;*type*) converts *number* to the spelled-out Japanese text of the number, using the format specified in *type*.

### Arguments

*number* can be any rounded number between 0 and 9,999,999,999,999,999. 1-2-3 rounds *number* to the nearest integer. If you specify a number that is out of range, @NUMBERSTRING returns ERR.

*type* specifies the format. Use one of the values from the following table:

<u><i>typ</i></u>	<u>Returns</u>
1	Regular Kanji number notation
2	Formal Kanji number notation
3	Simple conversion from digit to Kanji number one-by-one

### Examples

@NUMBERSTRING(1234567890,1) = 十二億三千四百五十六万七千八百九十

@NUMBERSTRING(1234567890,2) = 拾貳億參千四百五拾六万七千八百九拾

@NUMBERSTRING(1234567890,3) = 一 二 三 四 五 六 七 八 九 〇

## **@PMT2**

**@PMT2**(*principal*; *interest*; *term*) calculates the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given *interest* rate for a specified number of payment periods (*term*), assuming an annuity-due convention.

### **Arguments**

*principal* represents the value of the loan, and can be any value.

*interest* represents the interest rate of the loan, and can be a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*term* represents the number of payment periods. *term* can be any positive integer. Non-integers are truncated.

### **Notes**

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

Unlike **@PMT**, **@PMT2** uses the end of the term in the calculation, instead of the beginning.

### **Examples**

You are considering taking out an ¥8,000 loan for 3 years at an annual interest rate of 10.5%, compounded monthly. Payments are due on the last day of each month. You want to determine your monthly payment:

**@PMT2**(8000;0.105/12;36) = ¥257.76

**@PAYMT**(8000;0.105/12;36;1) returns the same result.

### **Similar @functions**

**@PMT** and **@PAYMT** calculate the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given interest rate for a specified number of payment periods, assuming an ordinary annuity. **@PMTI** calculates the interest portion of a constant periodic payment.

**@IPAYMT** calculates the cumulative interest portion of the periodic payment for an investment. **@PPAYMT** calculates the principal portion of the periodic payment for an investment. **@TERM** calculates the number of payment periods of an investment. **@TERM2** calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal payments to accumulate a future-value at a periodic interest rate, assuming an annuity-due convention.

## **@PMTI**

**@PMTI**(*principal;interest;term;period*) calculates the interest portion of a constant periodic payment.

### **Arguments**

*principal* represents the value of the loan, and can be any value.

*interest* represents the interest rate of the loan, and can be a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*term* represents the number of payment periods. *term* can be any positive integer. Non-integers are truncated.

*period* represents the payment period for which you want to determine the interest payment. *period* can be any positive integer less than or equal to *term*. Non-integers are truncated.

### **Notes**

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*. For example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly payments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years by 12.

**@IPAYMT**(*principal;interest;term;period;period;0*) returns the same result as **@PMTI**(*principal;interest;term;period*).

### **Examples**

You took out an \$8,000 loan for 3 years at an annual interest rate of 10.5%, compounded monthly. Your monthly payments are \$260.02. To determine the interest portion of the first payment:

**@PMTI**(8000;0.105/12;36;1) = \$70

### **Similar @functions**

**@PMT** and **@PAYMT** calculate the payment on a loan (*principal*) at a given interest rate for a specified number of periods, assuming an ordinary annuity. **@PMT2** calculates the payment on a loan at a given interest rate for a specified number of periods, assuming an annuity-due convention.

**@SPI** calculates the interest portion of a periodic payment on a loan where the principal payment is the same each payment period.

**@IPAYMT** calculates the cumulative interest portion of the periodic payment on a loan at a given interest rate for a specified number of payment periods.

## @PRICE2

@PRICE2(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; *yield*; [*redemption*]; [*basis*]) calculates the price per ¥100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @PRICE2 returns ERR.

*coupon* is the security's annual interest rate, specified as a decimal value. *coupon* is any positive value or 0.

*yield* is the annual yield, specified as a decimal value. *yield* is any positive value.

*redemption* is an optional argument that specifies the security's redemption value per ¥100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0. If you omit the *redemption* argument, 1-2-3 uses 100.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use:

<b><i>basis</i></b>	<b><u>Day-count basis</u></b>
0	30/360
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

If you include *basis*, 1-2-3 calls @PRICE to calculate the value.

### Examples

A bond has a July 18, 1996, settlement date and a June 20, 2000, maturity date. The coupon rate is 5.50% and the annual yield is 5.61%. To determine the bond's price:

@PRICE2(@DATE(96,7,18),@DATE(100,6,20),0.055,0.0561,100) = ¥99.65

### Similar @functions

@PRICE calculates the price per \$100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest.

@ACCRUED calculates the accrued interest for securities that pay periodic interest. @YIELD calculates the yield for securities that pay periodic interest. @DURATION calculates the annual duration and @MDURATION calculates the modified annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest.

@ACCRUED2 calculates the accrued interest for securities with periodic interest payments, using Japanese conventions. @YIELD2 returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

## **@PRODUCT**

@PRODUCT(*list*) multiplies the values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

@PRODUCT(2;4;6;8) = 384

### **Similar @functions**

@FACT calculates the factorial of a value. @SUM adds the values in a list. @SUMPRODUCT calculates the sum of the products of corresponding values in multiple ranges.

## **@PUREMEDIAN**

@PUREMEDIAN(*list*) returns the median value in *list*, ignoring blank cells, labels, and formulas that result in labels.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of *list* with argument separators.

### **Notes**

The median is the middle value in *list* such that there are an equal number of values greater than and less than the median. If *list* contains an odd number of values, @PUREMEDIAN sorts the values and returns the middle value. If *list* contains an even number of values, @PUREMEDIAN sorts the values and returns the arithmetic average of the two middle values.

@PUREMEDIAN returns ERR when the range is blank, or if the range contains only labels or formulas that result in labels.

### **Examples**

@PUREMEDIAN(A2..A6) = 12, when A2..A6 contains the values 5, 12, 65, 82, and 9.

@PUREMEDIAN(A1..A6) = 12, when A1..A6 contains the values 5, 12, 65, 82, and 9, and the label "January".

(@PUREMEDIAN ignores the label.) @MEDIAN would calculate the label as 0, thus returning the value 10.5 for this data.

### **Similar @functions**

@MEDIAN returns the median value in a list.



## **@PV2**

**@PV2**(*payments;interest;term*) calculates the present value of an investment, based on a series of equal *payments*, discounted at a periodic *interest* rate over the number of periods in *term*, assuming an annuity-due convention.

### **Arguments**

*payments* represents the payment rate, and can be any value.

*interest* represents the interest rate of the investment, and can be a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*term* represents the number of payment periods. *term* can be any positive integer. Non-integers are truncated.

### **Notes**

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*; for example, if you are calculating a monthly payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

Unlike **@PV**, **@PV2** uses the end of the term in the calculation, instead of the beginning.

Use **@PV2** to evaluate an investment or to compare one investment with others. **@PV2** is useful in comparing different types of investments, for example, comparing a single-payment investment from a pension fund with a series of periodic payments. Use **@PV2** with **@PMT2** to create an amortization table.

**@PV2** complements **@PMT**: **@PV2** tells you how large a loan you can take out, given the constraint of the size of the monthly payment you can afford. Conversely, **@PMT** tells you how large your monthly payment will be, given the constraint of the size of the loan you want to take out.

### **Examples**

You won ¥1,000,000. You can receive either 20 annual payments of ¥50,000 at the end of each year or a single payment of ¥400,000 instead of the ¥1,000,000 annuity. You want to find out which option is worth more in today's yen.

If you were to accept the annual payments of ¥50,000, you assume that you would invest the money at a rate of 8%, compounded annually.

**@PV2**(50000;0.08;20) returns ¥530,180, which tells you that the ¥1,000,000 paid over 20 years is worth ¥530,180 in today's yen.

You can get the same answer with **@PVAL**(50000;0.08;20;1)

### **Similar @functions**

**@PV** calculates the present value of an investment, based on a series of equal payments, discounted at a periodic interest rate over the periods in term, assuming an ordinary annuity. **@PVAL** calculates the present value of an investment with a specified future-value, for either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due.

**@FV** and **@FVAL** calculate the future value of an investment based on a series of equal payments. **@FV2** calculates the future value of an investment, based on a series of equal payments, earning a periodic interest rate, over the number of payment periods in term, assuming an annuity-due convention. **@NPV** computes the net present value of an investment, discounting future value to present value.

**@PMT** and **@PAYMT** calculate the payment on a loan at a given interest rate for a specified number of payment periods. **@PMT2** calculates the payment on a loan at a given interest rate for a specified number of payment periods, assuming an annuity-due convention.

## **@PVAMOUNT**

**@PVAMOUNT**(*future-value*; *interest*; *term*; [*frequency*]) returns the present value of a lump sum to be received at a given number of periods in the future and discounted at a given interest rate.

### **Arguments**

*future-value* represents the amount to be received in the future, and can be any value.

*interest* represents the periodic discount rate, and can be any decimal or percentage value.

*term* represents the number of periods in the future when the principal will be received, and can be any value.

*frequency* is optional and represents the compounding frequency per pay period. Non-integers are truncated. The default frequency is 1.

### **Notes**

If *term* is 1 and *frequency* is 1, **@PVAMOUNT** calculates simple interest.

### **Examples**

Suppose you require \$10,000 for college tuition, to be paid ten years in the future, and you can receive 10% interest on that money. You can use **@PVAMOUNT** to determine the lump sum you must invest today:

**@PVAMOUNT**(10000,10%,10) = \$3,855.43

### **Similar @functions**

**@PV** and **@PVAL** return the present value of an annuity, that is, a series of one or more payments. **@FVAMOUNT** returns the future value of a lump sum invested at a given rate for a given number of periods.

## @QUARTILE

@QUARTILE(*tile*;range) returns a given quartile.

### Arguments

*tile* is an integer between 0 and 4, inclusive. Use one of the values from the following table for *tile*:

<i>tile</i>	Returns	Same as...
0	Minimum	@PERCENTILE(0.0,range) or @MIN(range)
1	First quartile	@PERCENTILE(0.25,range)
2	Median	@PERCENTILE(0.50,range) or @MEDIAN(range)
3	Third quartile	@PERCENTILE(0.75,range)
4	Maximum	@PERCENTILE(1.00,range) or @MAX(range)

*range* is the name or address of a range that contains the values.

### Notes

@QUARTILE calculates blank cells and cells containing labels as 0.

### Examples

A range named DATA contains the following values: 34, 12, 60, 128, 67, 350, 206.

@QUARTILE(0;DATA) = 12

@QUARTILE(1;DATA) = 47

@QUARTILE(2;DATA) = 67

@QUARTILE(3;DATA) = 167

@QUARTILE(4;DATA) = 350

### Similar @functions

@PERCENTILE calculates the xth sample percentile among the values in *range*. @DECILE returns a given decile.

## **@REPLACEB**

**@REPLACEB**(*original-text*;start-number;n;*new-text*) replaces *n* bytes in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at *start-number*.

### **Arguments**

*original-text* and *new-text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), formulas that result in text, or the addresses or names of cells that contain labels or formulas that result in labels.

*start-number* is the offset number of data in *original-text*. It can be any positive value or 0. If *start-number* is greater than the byte-length of *original-text*, @REPLACEB appends *new-text* to *original-text*.

*n* can be any positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, @REPLACEB inserts *new-text* at *start-number* without deleting any data in *original-text*.

### **Notes**

@REPLACEB handles positions and length of text in bytes.

@REPLACEB counts punctuation and spaces as characters. If you use @REPLACEB to append or insert text, remember to include the necessary spaces.

If the replaced data in *original-text* begins or ends at the center of a double-byte character, @REPLACEB replaces each incomplete double-byte character in the returned text with a space.

Use @FINDB with @REPLACEB to search for and replace a label or to calculate an unknown *start-number*.

@REPLACEB is useful when you need to replace one set of characters with another, for example, to change the area code in a database of telephone numbers.

### **Examples**

@REPLACEB(CELL:@FINDB("-",CELL;0),1,"/") copies the label in CELL, 4-24, as 4/24.

### **Similar @functions**

@REPLACE replaces *n* characters in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at *start-number*.

## **@RIGHTB**

@RIGHTB(*text*; *n*) returns the last *n* bytes in *text*.

### **Arguments**

*text* can be text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be a positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result is an empty string. If *n* is greater than the length of *text*, @RIGHTB returns all of *text*.

### **Notes**

@RIGHTB is used for double-byte character sets (DBCS) such as Japanese.

@RIGHTB counts punctuation and spaces as characters.

If the first byte of the returned label is the last half of a double-byte character, @RIGHTB replaces the incomplete character with a space.

Use @RIGHTB with @FINDB when you do not know the exact value for *n*, or when *n* may vary.

### **Examples**

@RIGHTB("Single byte",4) = "byte"

### **Similar @functions**

@RIGHT returns the last *n* characters in text. @LEFTB returns the first *n* bytes in *text*. @MIDB returns bytes from within *text*.

## **@SPI**

**@SPI**(*principal;interest;term;period*) calculates the interest portion of a periodic payment where the principal portion is the same in each period.

### **Arguments**

*principal* represents the value of the loan, and can be any value.

*interest* represents the interest rate of the loan, and can be a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*term* represents the number of payment periods. It can be any positive integer. Non-integers are truncated.

*period* represents the payment period for which you want to determine the interest payment. *period* can be any integer less than or equal to *term*. Non-integers are truncated. *period* begins at 0 (zero).

### **Notes**

The period used to calculate *interest* must be the same period used for *term*. For example, if you are calculating a monthly interest payment, enter the interest and term in monthly increments. Usually, this means you must divide the interest rate by 12 and multiply the number of years in *term* by 12.

### **Examples**

You took out an \$8000 loan for 3 years at an annual interest rate of 10.5%, compounded monthly. To determine the interest portion of the first payment:

**@SPI**(8000;0.105/12;36;0) = \$70

To determine the first payment:

**@SPI**(8000;0.105/12;36;0) + 8000/36 = \$292.22

### **Similar @functions**

**@PMTI** calculates the interest portion of a periodic payment when the payment is the same each period, but the principal portion increases as the interest decreases.

## **@TDATESTRING**

**@TDATESTRING**(*date-value*) converts *date-value* to a Thai date string in short format.

### **Arguments**

*date-value* is a date number.

### **Examples**

`@TDATESTRING(@DATE(91,8,16)) = 16 สค. 34`

### **Similar @functions**

@LDATESTRING converts *date-value* to a Thai date string in long format.

## **@TDIGIT**

@TDIGIT(*digit-string*) converts *digit-string* from Arabic numbers to a string with Thai numeric characters.

### **Arguments**

*digit-string* is a string containing Arabic numerals.

### **Examples**

@TDIGIT("16 สศ . 34") = ๑๖ สศ . ๓๔

### **Similar @functions**

@EDIGIT converts *digit-string* from Thai numeric characters to the equivalent Arabic numeric string.



## **@TDOW**

@TDOW(*date-value*) converts *date-value* to the day of the week in Thai.

### **Arguments**

*date-value* is a date number.

### **Examples**

@TDOW(@DATE(91,8,16)) = ศุกร์

## **@TERM2**

**@TERM2**(*payments;interest;future-value*) calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal *payments* to accumulate a *future-value* at a periodic *interest* rate, assuming an annuity-due convention.

### **Arguments**

*payments* represents the value of the equal investments, and can be any value except 0.

*interest* represents the periodic interest rate, and can be a decimal or percentage value greater than -1.

*future-value* represents the amount you want to accumulate. *future-value* can be any value.

### **Notes**

You can calculate the term necessary to pay back a loan by using **@TERM2** with a negative *future-value*. For example, you want to know how long it will take to pay back a \$10,000 loan at 10% yearly interest, making payments of \$1,174 per year. **@ABS(@TERM2(1174.6;0.1;-10000))** calculates 16 years to pay back the loan.

Unlike **@TERM**, **@TERM2** uses the end of the term in the calculation, instead of the beginning.

### **Examples**

You deposit ¥200,000 at the end of each year into a savings account. Your account earns 7.5% a year, compounded annually. You want to determine how long it will take to accumulate ¥10,000,000:

**@TERM2(200000;0.075;10000000) = 20.76 years**

You can get the same result with **@NPER(200000;0.075;10000000;1)**

### **Similar @functions**

**@TERM** calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal payments to accumulate to a *future-value* at a periodic interest rate, assuming an ordinary annuity. **@NPER** calculates the number of periods required for a series of equal payments to accumulate to a *future-value* at a periodic interest rate, using either an ordinary annuity or an annuity due.

**@CTERM** calculates the number of compounding periods for a single-deposit investment to grow to a *future-value*.

## @TFIND

**@TFIND**(*search-text;text;start-column*) calculates the logical Thai character position in *text* at which 1-2-3 finds the first occurrence of *search-text*, beginning at the Thai character in *start-column*. This function operates on logical Thai characters, which can be made up of 1 to 3 bytes.

### Arguments

*search-text* and *text* are text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), formulas that result in text, or the addresses or names of cells that contain labels or formulas that result in labels.

*start-column* is an offset number.

### Notes

@TFIND is also useful when combined with @TMID or @TREPLACE to locate and extract or replace text.

### Examples

`@TFIND("ไทย","บริษัท ไทยซอฟต์แวร์ จำกัด",0) = 5`

### Similar @functions

@FIND performs the same function as @TFIND but is used for non-Thai text strings.

## **@TLDATESTRING**

**@TLDATESTRING**(*date-value*) converts *date-value* to a Thai date string in long format.

### **Arguments**

*date-value* is a date number.

### **Examples**

**@TLDATESTRING**(**@DATE**(91,8,16)) = 16 สิงหาคม 2534

### **Similar @functions**

**@TDATESTRING** converts *date-value* to a Thai date string in short format.

## @TLEFT

**@TLEFT**(*text*; *n*) returns the first *n* logical Thai characters in *text*. This function operates on logical Thai characters, which can be made up of 1 to 3 bytes.

### Arguments

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be a positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result is an empty string. If *n* is greater than the length of *text*, @TLEFT returns all of *text*.

### Examples

@TLEFT("บริษัท วิทยุการบิน จำกัด",4) = บริษัท

### Similar @functions

@LEFT performs the same function as @TLEFT but is used for non-Thai text strings. @TMID returns Thai characters from within *text*. @TRIGHT returns the last *n* Thai characters in *text*.

## **@TLENGTH**

**@TLENGTH**(*text*) counts the number of logical Thai characters in *text*. This function operates on logical Thai characters, which can be made up of 1 to 3 bytes.

### **Arguments**

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

### **Examples**

**@TLENGTH**("บริษัท วิทยุขอฟท์ จำกัด") = 17

### **Similar @functions**

**@LENGTH** performs the same function as **@TLENGTH** but is used for non-Thai text.

## @TMID

**@TMID**(*text*; *start-number*; *n*) copies *n* logical Thai characters from *text*, beginning with the Thai character at *start-number*. This function operates on logical Thai characters, which can be made up of 1 to 3 bytes.

### Arguments

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*start-number* is an offset number. If *start-number* is larger than the length of *text*, the result of @TMID is an empty string.

*n* is any positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result of @TMID is an empty string. If *n* is larger than the length of *text*, @TMID returns all the characters from *start-number* to the end of *text*.

### Examples

@TMID("บริษัท วิทยุคอมพ์ จำกัด",5,7) = วิทยุคอมพ์

### Similar @functions

@MID performs the same function as @TMID but is used for non-Thai text. @TRIGHT returns the last *n* Thai characters in *text*. @TLEFT returns the first *n* Thai characters in *text*.

## @TNUMBERSTRING

@TNUMBERSTRING(*number*) converts *number* to a spelled-out Thai number string.

### Arguments

*number* is an integer or floating-point number.

### Examples

@TNUMBERSTRING(1000000) = หนึ่งล้านบาทถ้วน

### Similar @functions

@NUMBERSTRING converts *number* to a spelled-out number (stored as a label) in a non-Thai format.



## @TREPLACE

**@TREPLACE**(*original-text*; *start-number*; *n*; *new-text*) replaces *n* logical Thai characters in *original-text* with *new-text*, beginning at *start-number*. This function operates on logical Thai characters, which can be made up of 1 to 3 bytes.

### Arguments

*original-text* and *new-text* are text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), formulas that result in text, or the addresses or names of cells that contain labels or formulas that result in labels.

*start-number* is the offset number of a column in *original-text*. It can be any positive value or 0. If *start-number* is greater than the length of *original-text*, @TREPLACE appends *new-text* to *original-text*.

*n* can be any positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, @TREPLACE inserts *new-text* at *start-number* without deleting any columns in *original-text*.

### Examples

@TREPLACE("บริษัท จำกัด",5,0,"ไทยซอฟท์") = บริษัท ไทยซอฟท์ จำกัด

### Similar @functions

@REPLACE performs the same function as @TREPLACE but is used for non-Thai text.

## @TRIGHT

**@TRIGHT**(*text*; *n*) returns the last *n* logical Thai characters in *text*. This function operates on logical Thai characters, which can be made up of 1 to 3 bytes.

### Arguments

*text* is text enclosed in " " (quotation marks), a formula that results in text, or the address or name of a cell that contains a label or a formula that results in a label.

*n* can be a positive integer or 0. If *n* is 0, the result is an empty string. If *n* is greater than the length of *text*, **@TRIGHT** returns all of *text*.

### Examples

**@TRIGHT**("บริษัท ไทยซอฟต์แวร์ จำกัด",4) = จำกัด

### Similar @functions

**@RIGHT** performs the same function as **@TRIGHT** but is used for non-Thai text. **@TMID** returns Thai characters from within *text*. **@TLEFT** returns the first *n* logical Thai characters in *text*.

## @XIRR

`@XIRR(guess;cashflows;dates)` returns the internal rate of return for a series of cash inflows and outflows.

### Arguments

*guess* is a decimal or percentage value that represents your estimate of the internal rate of return. In most cases, *guess* should be a percentage between 0 (0%) and 1 (100%). 10% is often a good guess. With very large cash flows, make *guess* as accurate as possible.

*cashflows* is the address or name of a range that contains the cash flows. 1-2-3 considers negative numbers as cash outflows and positive numbers as cash inflows. Normally, the first cash-flow amount in the range is a negative number (a cash outflow) that represents the investment. 1-2-3 assigns the value 0 to all blank cells and labels in the range and includes them in the calculation.

*dates* is the address or name of a range that contains the dates on which the corresponding cash flows occur. Each date can be any date number, and corresponds to the timing of the corresponding flow in the *cashflows* range. Dates must be in ascending order.

The ranges for *cashflows* and *dates* must be the same size, that is, they must contain the same number of cells. Cells in the two ranges are paired by their order in the range. Ranges are ordered from top to bottom (down rows), then left to right (across columns), then through sheets. If the ranges for *cashflows* and *dates* are not the same size, `@XIRR` returns ERR.

### Notes

Cash flows can be made at unequal intervals. Each cash flow in *cashflows* is paired with a date in *dates*. The first cash flow and first date indicate the start of the schedule; the first cash flow is not discounted. Later cash flows are discounted based on the annual discount rate and the timing of the flow, as indicated by the corresponding date.

`@IRR` discounts the first cash flow. `@XIRR` does not, and uses the first date as the start of the schedule. Use 0 for the first cash flow in `@XIRR` to mimic `@IRR`'s discounting convention.

`@XIRR` permits cash flows to occur at unequal intervals. `@IRR` assumes equal intervals.

### Examples

You invest \$50,000 on September 13, 1996, and receive the following payments: \$1,000 on January 31, 1997 and \$53,000 on June 14, 1997. The following range shows this data:

GUESS	CASHFLOW	DATES
0.10	-50000	09/13/96
	1000	01/31/97
	53000	06/14/97

`@XIRR(GUESS;CASHFLOW;DATES) = 10.90%`

### Similar @functions

`@XNPV` returns the net present value of a series of cash inflows and outflows. `@IRR` calculates the internal rate of return (profit) for a series of cash-flow values generated by an investment. `@MIRR` calculates the modified internal rate of return.

## @XNPV

@XNPV(*rate*; *cashflows*; *dates*) returns the net present value of a series of cash inflows and outflows.

### Arguments

*rate* can be any value greater than -1 and represents the discount rate.

*cashflows* is the address or name of a range that contains the cash flows. 1-2-3 considers negative numbers as cash outflows and positive numbers as cash inflows. Normally, the first cash-flow amount in the range is a negative number (a cash outflow) that represents the investment. 1-2-3 assigns the value 0 to all blank cells and labels in the range and includes them in the calculation.

*dates* is the address or name of a range that contains the dates on which the corresponding cash flows occur. Each date can be any date number, and corresponds to the timing of the corresponding flow in the *cashflows* range. Dates must be in ascending order.

The ranges for *cashflows* and *dates* must be the same size, that is, they must contain the same number of cells. Cells in the two ranges are paired by their order in the range. Ranges are ordered from top to bottom (down rows), then left to right (across columns), then through sheets. If the ranges for *cashflows* and *dates* are not the same size, @XNPV returns ERR.

### Notes

Cash flows can be made at unequal intervals. Each cash flow in *cashflows* is paired with a date in *dates*. The first cash flow and first date indicate the start of the schedule; the first cash flow is not discounted. Later cash flows are discounted based on the annual discount *rate* and the timing of the cash flow, as indicated by the corresponding date.

### Examples

This example uses @XNPV to discount to today's (January 1, 1996) dollars a series of irregular distributions invested at an 11.5% annual percentage rate. This example uses the following data, where *cashflows* is a list of cash flows in a range named DISTRIBUTIONS, and *dates* is the list of dates when the cash flows occur, stored in a range named DATES:

DISTRIBUTIONS	DATES
\$0.00	01/01/96
\$250,000.00	04/01/96
\$250,000.00	05/01/96
\$300,000.00	06/01/96
\$500,000.00	07/01/96
\$600,000.00	08/01/96
\$900,000.00	09/01/96
\$300,000.00	10/01/96
\$250,000.00	11/01/96
\$750,000.00	01/01/97

@XNPV(0.115;DISTRIBUTIONS;DATES) = \$3,821,809.20

### Similar @functions

@NPV computes the net present value of an investment, discounting future value to present value. @XIRR returns the internal rate of return for a series of cash inflows and outflows.

## @YIELD2

@YIELD2(*settlement*; *maturity*; *coupon*; *price*; [*redemption*]; [*basis*]) returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @YIELD2 evaluates to ERR.

*coupon* is the security's annual interest rate, represented as a decimal. *coupon* is any positive value or 0.

*price* is the security's yen price per ¥100 par value. *price* is any positive value.

*redemption* is an optional argument that specifies the security's redemption value per ¥100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0. If you omit *redemption*, @YIELD2 uses 100.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use:

<b><i>basis</i></b>	<b><u>Day-count basis</u></b>
0	30/360
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

If you include *basis*, 1-2-3 calls @YIELD to calculate the value.

### Examples

A bond has a July 1, 1993, settlement date and a December 1, 1998, maturity date. The semiannual coupon rate is 5.50%. The bond costs ¥99.5 and has a ¥100 redemption value. You want to determine the bond's yield:

@YIELD2(@DATE(93;7;1),@DATE(98;12;1),0.055,99.5,100) = 0.056072

### Similar @functions

@YIELD returns the yield for securities that pay periodic interest.

@ACCRUED2 calculates the accrued interest for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

@PRICE2 calculates the price per ¥100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest, using Japanese conventions.

@ACCRUED calculates the accrued interest for securities that pay periodic interest. @PRICE calculates the price per \$100 face value for securities that pay periodic interest. @DURATION calculates the annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest. @MDURATION calculates the modified annual duration for securities that pay periodic interest.

## **@BIN2DEC**

@BIN2DEC(*value*) converts a binary number to its decimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a binary number up to 10 characters long from 1000000000 to 111111111, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. If the binary number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is 1, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

### **Examples**

@BIN2DEC(1010101010) = -342

@BIN2DEC("10010100") = 148

### **Similar @functions**

@DEC2BIN converts a decimal number to its binary equivalent. @HEX2DEC converts a hexadecimal number to a decimal number. @OCT2DEC converts an octal number to a decimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@BIN2HEX**

@BIN2HEX(*value*;*[places]*) converts a binary number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a binary number up to 10 characters long from 1000000000 to 111111111, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. If the binary number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is 1, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @BIN2HEX uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting hexadecimal number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is F, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

@BIN2HEX(1010101010) = FFFFFFFEAA

@BIN2HEX("10011100";4) = 009C

### **Similar @functions**

@HEX2BIN converts a hexadecimal number to a binary number. @DEC2HEX converts a decimal number to a hexadecimal number. @OCT2HEX converts an octal number to a hexadecimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@BIN2OCT**

**@BIN2OCT**(*value*;*[places]*) converts a binary number to its octal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a binary number up to 10 characters long from 1000000000 to 1111111111, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. If the binary number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is 1, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, **@BIN2OCT** uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting octal number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 7, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

**@BIN2OCT**(1010101010) = 777777252

**@BIN2OCT**("10010100";4) = 0224

### **Similar @functions**

**@OCT2BIN** converts an octal number to a binary number. **@DEC2OCT** converts a decimal number to an octal number. **@HEX2OCT** converts a hexadecimal number to an octal number. **@RADIX** converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.



## **@COLUMN**

**@COLUMN**(*range*) returns the number of the leftmost column in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

### **Examples**

**@COLUMN**(D9..J25) = 4, because column D is the 4th column.

**@COLUMN**(SCORES) = 2, if SCORES is the name of the range B3..C45.

### **Similar @functions**

**@REFCONVERT** converts the column or sheet letters A through IV to numbers 1 through 256, and numbers 1 through 256 to their corresponding letters. **@CELL** returns information about the first cell in a range. **@ROW** returns the number of the first row in a range. **@SHEET** returns the number of the first sheet in a range.

## **@CONFIDENCE**

**@CONFIDENCE**(*alpha*; *std*; *size*) calculates the magnitude of the confidence interval for a population mean with known standard deviation. The confidence interval contains the range of values around the sample mean, plus or minus the result of **@CONFIDENCE**. For example, a 90% confidence interval indicates a 90% probability that the confidence interval contains the true population mean.

### **Arguments**

*alpha* is a value from 0 to 1, where (1-*alpha*) is the confidence level. For example, to indicate a 95% confidence level *alpha* = 0.05.

*std* can be any positive value and represents the population standard deviation.

*size* can be any integer greater than or equal to 1 and represents the population size. If *size* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

### **Examples**

100 adults have a mean height of 68 inches and are drawn from a population whose standard deviation is 4 inches. To calculate the range of heights that with 95% probability includes the population mean:

**@CONFIDENCE**(0.05;4;100) = 0.7839851

We can therefore be 95% confident that the population's mean height is between 67.2 and 68.8 inches.

### **Similar @functions**

**@ZTEST** performs a z-test on one or two populations and returns the associated probability.

## @CONVERT

@CONVERT(*number*;*from-unit*;*to-unit*) converts a value from one unit of measurement to a different unit of measurement.

### Arguments

*number* is a value.

*from-unit* specifies the measurement unit from which to convert. *from-unit* is a unit name from the table below, entered as text.

*to-unit* specifies the measurement unit to which to convert. *to-unit* is a unit name from the table below, entered as text.

Unit names are case-sensitive. @CONVERT returns ERR if either *from-unit* or *to-unit* does not match a unit name from the tables below. @CONVERT also returns ERR if *from-unit* and *to-unit* are from different unit groups.

<u>Unit name</u>	<u>Mass</u>
g	Gram *
sg	Slug
lbm	Pound mass (avoirdupois)
u	U (atomic mass unit) *
ozm	Ounce mass (avoirdupois)

<u>Unit name</u>	<u>Distance</u>
m	Meter *
mi	Statute mile
Nmi	Nautical mile
Pica	Pica
in	Inch
ft	Foot
yd	Yard
ang	Angstrom *

<u>Unit name</u>	<u>Time</u>
yr	Year
day	Day
hr	Hour
mn	Minute
sec	Second *

<u>Unit name</u>	<u>Pressure</u>
Pa	Pascal *
atm	Atmosphere *
mmHg	mm of mercury *

<u>Unit name</u>	<u>Force</u>
N	Newton *
dyn	Dyne *
lbf	Pound Force

<b>Unit name</b>	<b>Energy</b>
J	Joule *
e	Erg *
c	Thermodynamic calorie *
cal	IT calorie *
eV	Electron volt *
HPh	Horsepower-hour
Wh	Watt-hour *
flb	Foot-pound
BTU	BTU

<b>Unit name</b>	<b>Power</b>
HP	Horsepower
W	Watt *

<b>Unit name</b>	<b>Magnetism</b>
T	Tesla *
ga	Gauss *

<b>Unit name</b>	<b>Temperature</b>
C	Celsius
F	Fahrenheit
K	Kelvin *

<b>Unit name</b>	<b>Liquid</b>
tsp	Teaspoon
tbs	Tablespoon
oz	Fluid ounce
cup	Cup
pt	Pint
qt	Quart
gal	Gallon
l	Liter *

The prefixes listed in the table below are also valid for units marked with an asterisk (\*) above:

<b>Prefix</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Multiplier</b>
E	exa	1E+18
P	peta	1E+15
T	tera	1E+12
G	giga	1E+09
M	mega	1E+06
k	kilo	1E+03
h	hecto	1E+02
e	deka	1E+01

d	deci	1E-01
c	centi	1E-02
m	milli	1E-03
u	micro	1E-06
n	nano	1E-09
p	pico	1E-12
f	femto	1E-15
a	atto	1E-18

### Examples

@CONVERT(10;"C";"F") = 50

@CONVERT(1;"sec";"msec") = 1000

### Similar @functions

@RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@COUNTBLANK**

@COUNTBLANK(*range*) counts the cells in *range* that do not contain any letters, numbers, or spaces.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name.

### **Notes**

@COUNTBLANK treats cells that contain label-prefix characters but no text as blank.

### **Examples**

@COUNTBLANK(A1..A10) = 2, if A2..A3 does not contain any letters, numbers, or spaces.

### **Similar @functions**

@COUNTIF counts cells that meet a given condition. @COUNT and @PURECOUNT count cells in a list of ranges.

## **@COUNTIF**

**@COUNTIF**(*range*; *criteria*) counts the number of cells in *range* that meet specified *criteria*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range address or range name that identifies the range containing the cells to be counted.

*criteria* is the condition that identifies which cells to count. *criteria* is text that combines a number or letters with one of the following operators: =, <>, >, >=, <, <=. If you do not specify an operator, 1-2-3 automatically uses =.

*criteria* can also include wildcard characters. To represent any single character, use ? (question mark) in the text that specifies the condition. To represent any number of consecutive characters, use \* (asterisk). To represent an actual question mark or asterisk, use ~ (tilde) to precede the ? or \*.

### **Notes**

When comparing text with numbers, @COUNTIF treats text as equivalent to zero (0). When comparing text with other text, @COUNTIF compares the text lexicographically. For example, "cockatoo" is greater than "cat" but less than "cow" because of the alphabetical order.

@COUNTIF treats cells that contain label-prefix characters but no text as blank.

### **Examples**

A range named DATA1 contains the following values: -20, -10, 0, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50

@COUNTIF(DATA1;"<=10") = 4

A range named DATA2 contains the following values: 1, 1000, 3, cat, canary, camel, dog

@COUNTIF(DATA2;">=cat") = 2

@COUNTIF(DATA2;"=ca\*") = 3

### **Similar @functions**

@COUNTBLANK counts blank cells in a list of ranges. @SUMIF adds cells that meet specified criteria. @COUNT and @PURECOUNT count cells in a list of ranges.

## @COUPDAYBS

@COUPDAYBS(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*]) calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @COUPDAYBS returns ERR.

*frequency* is the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is one of the following values:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@COUPDAYBS("11/9/97";"11/15/99";2) = 174

@COUPDAYBS(@DATE(97;11;9);@DATE(99;11;15);2;1) = 178

### Similar @functions

@COUPDAYS calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date.

@COUPDAYSNC calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date.

@COUPNCD calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date. @COUPNUM

calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date. @COUPPCD

calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date. @YEARFRAC

calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.



## @COUPDAYS

@COUPDAYS(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*]) calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @COUPDAYS returns ERR.

*frequency* is the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is one of the following values:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@COUPDAYS("11/9/97";"11/15/99";2) = 180

@COUPDAYS(@DATE(97;11;9);@DATE(99;11;15);2;1) = 184

### Similar @functions

@COUPDAYBS calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date. @COUPDAYSNC calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date. @COUPNCD calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date. @COUPNUM calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date. @COUPPCD calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date. @YEARFRAC calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

## @COUPDAYSNC

@COUPDAYSNC(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*]) calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @COUPDAYSNC returns ERR.

*frequency* is the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is one of the following values:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@COUPDAYSNC("5/19/97";"11/15/99";2) = 176

@COUPDAYSNC(@DATE(97;5;19);@DATE(99;11;15);2;1) = 180

### Similar @functions

@COUPDAYBS calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date. @COUPDAYS calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date. @COUPNCD calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date. @COUPNUM calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date. @COUPPCD calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date. @YEARFRAC calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

## @COUPNCD

**@COUPNCD**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*]) calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @COUPNCD returns ERR.

*frequency* is the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is one of the following values:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@COUPNCD("5/15/97";"11/15/99";2) = 11/15/97

@COUPNCD(@DATE(97;5;15);@DATE(99;11;15);2;1) = 35749, which results in 11/15/97 when formatted as a date.

### Similar @functions

@COUPDAYBS calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date. @COUPDAYS calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date. @COUPDAYSNC calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date. @COUPNUM calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date. @COUPPCD calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date. @YEARFRAC calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

## @COUPNUM

@COUPNUM(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*]) calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @COUPNUM returns ERR.

*frequency* is the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is one of the following values:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@COUPNUM("5/19/97"; "11/15/99"; 2) = 5

@COUPNUM(@DATE(97;5;19); @DATE(99;11;15); 2; 1) = 5

### Similar @functions

@COUPDAYBS calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date. @COUPDAYS calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date. @COUPDAYSNC calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date. @COUPNCD calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date. @COUPPCD calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date.

## @COUPPCD

@COUPPCD(*settlement*; *maturity*; *frequency*; [*basis*]) calculates a number that represents the coupon date at or immediately prior to the settlement date.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @COUPPCD returns ERR.

*frequency* is the number of coupon payments per year. *frequency* is one of the following values:

<u><i>frequency</i></u>	<u>Frequency of coupon payments</u>
1	Annual
2	Semiannual; default if you omit the argument
4	Quarterly

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@COUPPCD("5/19/97";"11/15/99";2) = 5/15/97

@COUPPCD(@DATE(97;5;19);@DATE(99;11;15);2;1) = 35565, which results in 5/15/97 when formatted as a date.

### Similar @functions

@COUPDAYBS calculates the number of days between the beginning of the coupon period that contains the settlement date and the settlement date. @COUPDAYS calculates the number of days in the coupon period that contains the settlement date. @COUPDAYSNCD calculates the number of days between the settlement date and the next coupon date. @COUPNCD calculates a number that represents the next coupon date after the settlement date. @COUPNUM calculates the number of coupons payable between the settlement date and the maturity date.

## **@DEC2BIN**

@DEC2BIN(*value*;*places*) converts a decimal number to its binary equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a signed decimal number from -512 through 511, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @DEC2BIN uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting binary number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 1, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

@DEC2BIN(-8) = 1111111000

@DEC2BIN(162;10) = 10100010

### **Similar @functions**

@BIN2DEC converts a binary number to a decimal number. @HEX2BIN converts a hexadecimal number to a binary number. @OCT2BIN converts an octal number to a binary number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@DEC2FRAC**

**@DEC2FRAC**(*decimal-amount*; *base*) converts a decimal number to a fraction. Use **@DEC2FRAC** to convert decimal numbers such as securities prices to fractions.

### **Arguments**

*decimal-amount* and *base* are positive values.

### **Examples**

**@DEC2FRAC**(1.3125,16) = 1.05, or 1 and 5 sixteenths

**@DEC2FRAC**(101.125;32) = 101.04, or 101 and 4 thirty seconds

### **Similar @functions**

**@FRAC2DEC** converts a fraction to a decimal number. **@RADIX** converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@DEC2HEX**

@DEC2HEX(*value*;*places*) converts a decimal number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*x* is a signed decimal integer from -549,755,813,888 to 549,755,813,887, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @DEC2HEX uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting hexadecimal number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 8, 9, or A through F, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

@DEC2HEX(162) = A2

@DEC2HEX(162;5) = 000A2

@DEC2HEX(-1000) = FFFFFFFC18

### **Similar @functions**

@HEX converts a decimal number to a hexadecimal number. @DECIMAL and @HEX2DEC convert a hexadecimal number to a decimal number. @BIN2HEX converts a binary number to a hexadecimal number. @OCT2HEX converts an octal number to a hexadecimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.



## **@DEC2OCT**

@DEC2OCT(*value*;*[places]*) converts a decimal number to its octal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a decimal integer from -536,870,912 through 536,870,911, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @DEC2OCT uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting octal number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 4, 5, 6, or 7, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

@DEC2OCT(162) = 242

@DEC2OCT(-1000) = 777776030

### **Similar @functions**

@OCT2DEC converts an octal number to a decimal number. @BIN2OCT converts a binary number to an octal number. @HEX2OCT converts a hexadecimal number to an octal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## @DISC

@DISC(*settlement*; *maturity*; *price*; *redemption*; [*basis*]) calculates the discount rate for a short-term discounted security.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @DISC returns ERR.

*price* is the dollar price per \$100 par value. *price* is any positive value or 0.

*redemption* is the security's redemption value per \$100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@DISC("6/19/97","11/15/97",97.8125,100,2) = 5.29%

### Similar @functions

@PRICEDISC calculates the price per \$100 face value for a discounted security. @YIELDDISC calculates the yield for a discounted security.

## **@EXPONDIST**

**@EXPONDIST**(*x*; *lambda*; *type*) calculates the exponential distribution.

### **Arguments**

*x* can be any positive value or 0 (zero).

*lambda* can be any positive value.

*type* specifies the function that **@EXPONDIST** returns for the exponential distribution. *type* is one of the following values:

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b><u>@EXPONDIST returns</u></b>
0	Probability density function
1	Cumulative distribution function

### **Examples**

**@EXPONDIST**(0.09;50;0) = 0.5554498

**@EXPONDIST**(0.05;50;1) = 0.917915

### **Similar @functions**

**@GAMMA** calculates the Gamma distribution function. **@POISSON** calculates the Poisson distribution. **@WEIBULL** returns information about the Weibull distribution.

## **@FISHER**

@FISHER(x) calculates the Fisher transformation of x.

### **Arguments**

x is the value to transform. x must be > -1 and < 1.

### **Notes**

If @FISHER(x) = y, then @FISHERINV(y) = x.

### **Examples**

@FISHER(0.05) = 0.0500417

### **Similar @functions**

@CORREL calculates the correlation coefficient of corresponding values in two ranges. @COV calculates the covariance of the values in two ranges. @FISHERINV calculates the inverse of the Fisher transformation of a value.

## **@FISHERINV**

@FISHERINV(y) calculates the inverse of the Fisher transformation of y.

### **Arguments**

y can be any value.

### **Notes**

If @FISHER(x) = y, then @FISHERINV(y) = x.

### **Examples**

@FISHERINV( 0.0500417) = 0.05

### **Similar @functions**

@CORREL calculates the correlation coefficient of corresponding values in two ranges. @COV calculates the covariance of the values in two ranges. @FISHER calculates the Fisher transformation of a value.

## **@FRAC2DEC**

**@FRAC2DEC**(*fractional-amount*; *base*) converts a fraction to a decimal number. Use **@FRAC2DEC** to convert fractions such as securities prices to decimal numbers.

### **Arguments**

*fractional-amount* is a positive value. The whole number part of *fractional-amount* becomes the whole number part of the result. The fractional part of *fractional-amount* becomes the numerator of the result's fractional part.

*base* is a positive value, and becomes the denominator of the result's fractional part.

### **Examples**

**@FRAC2DEC**(101.04;32) = 101.125

### **Similar @functions**

**@DEC2FRAC** converts a decimal number to a fraction. **@RADIX** converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@HEX2BIN**

@HEX2BIN(*value*;*places*) converts a hexadecimal number to its binary equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a hexadecimal number up to 10 characters long from FFFFFFFE00 through 1FF, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 9 and letters from A through F. The letters can be either uppercase or lowercase. If the hexadecimal number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is F, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @HEX2BIN uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting binary number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 1, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

@HEX2BIN(48) = 1001000

@HEX2BIN("1A";8) = 00011010

### **Similar @functions**

@BIN2HEX converts a binary number to a hexadecimal number. @DEC2BIN converts a decimal number to a binary number. @OCT2BIN converts an octal number to a binary number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@HEX2DEC**

@HEX2DEC(*value*) converts a hexadecimal number to its signed decimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a hexadecimal number up to 10 characters long from 800000000 through 7FFFFFFFF, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 9 and letters from A through F. The letters can be either uppercase or lowercase. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

### **Examples**

@HEX2DEC(48) = 72

@HEX2DEC("1A") = 26

@HEX2DEC("FFFFFFF00") = -4096

### **Similar @functions**

@DECIMAL converts a hexadecimal number to a decimal number. @HEX and @DEC2HEX convert a decimal number to a hexadecimal number. @BIN2DEC converts a binary number to a decimal number. @OCT2DEC converts an octal number to a decimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.



## **@HEX2OCT**

@HEX2OCT(*value*;*[places]*) converts a hexadecimal number to its octal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is a hexadecimal number up to 10 characters long from FFE000000 through 001FFFFFFF, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 9 and letters from A through F. The letters can be either uppercase or lowercase. If the hexadecimal number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is F, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @HEX2OCT uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting octal number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 4, 5, 6, or 7, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

@HEX2OCT(48) = 110

@HEX2OCT("1A";4) = 0032

### **Similar @functions**

@OCT2HEX converts an octal number to a hexadecimal number. @BIN2OCT converts a binary number to an octal number. @DEC2OCT converts a decimal number to an octal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@HYPGEOMDIST**

**@HYPGEOMDIST**(*sample-successes*; *sample-size*; *population-successes*; *population-size*) calculates the hypergeometric distribution.

### **Arguments**

*sample-successes* can be any positive integer or 0 (zero) and represents the number of successes in the sample. *sample-successes* cannot be greater than *sample-size* or *population-size*.

*sample-size* can be any positive integer.

*population-successes* can be any positive integer or 0 (zero) and represents the number of successes in the population.

*population-size* can be any positive integer.

### **Examples**

A lawn and garden center is closing down and selling off all inventory. Of the 9 remaining commercial grade lawn mowers, 3 are defective. If you purchase 5 of the mowers, you want to determine the likelihood that all 5 of the purchased mowers are not defective:

**@HYPGEOMDIST**(0;5;3;9) = 0.047619, or 1 out of 21

### **Similar @functions**

**@BINOMIAL** calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution. **@COMBIN** calculates the number of combinations for a specified number of values. **@FACT** calculates the factorial of *n*.

**@NEGBINOMDIST** calculates the negative binomial distribution. **@PERMUT** calculates the number of permutations for a list of values.

## **@OCT2BIN**

`@OCT2BIN(value;[places])` converts an octal number to its binary equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is an octal number up to 10 characters long from 7777777000 through 777, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 7. If the octal number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is 4 or larger, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @OCT2BIN uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting binary number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is 1, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

`@OCT2BIN(7777777111) = 1001001001`

`@OCT2BIN(177;9) = 001111111`

### **Similar @functions**

@BIN2OCT converts a binary number to an octal number. @OCT2DEC converts an octal number to a decimal number. @OCT2HEX converts an octal number to a hexadecimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@OCT2DEC**

@OCT2DEC(*value*) converts an octal number to its decimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is an octal number up to 10 characters long from 4000000000 to 3777777777, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 7. If the octal number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is 4 or larger, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

### **Examples**

@OCT2DEC(22) = 18

### **Similar @functions**

@DEC2OCT converts a decimal number to an octal number. @OCT2BIN converts an octal number to a binary number. @OCT2HEX converts an octal number to a hexadecimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

## **@OCT2HEX**

`@OCT2HEX(value,[places])` converts an octal number to its hexadecimal equivalent.

### **Arguments**

*value* is an octal number up to 10 characters long from 4000000000 through 3777777777, and can be entered as either a value or text argument. *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 7. If the octal number has 10 characters and the leftmost character is 4 or larger, the number is negative. If *value* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*places* is an optional argument that specifies how many characters to use in the result, and cannot be greater than 10. You can also use *places* to pad the result with leading 0s (zeros). If you do not specify *places*, @OCT2HEX uses the minimum number of characters required.

### **Notes**

If the resulting hexadecimal number is 10 characters long and the leftmost character is F, the result is negative.

### **Examples**

`@OCT2HEX(7777777770) = -8`

`@OCT2HEX(1750;6) = 0003E8`

### **Similar @functions**

@HEX2OCT converts a hexadecimal number to an octal number. @OCT2BIN converts an octal number to a binary number. @OCT2DEC converts an octal number to a decimal number. @RADIX converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

**Example: @PROB**

@PROB(B2..B5;C2..C5;B7;B8) = 0.5

A	----- A	----- B	----- C
1		x-range	prob-range
2		0	0.1
3		1	0.2
4		2	0.3
5		3	0.4
6			
7	lower-limit	1	
8	upper-limit	2	
9			
10			

## @INTRATE

@INTRATE(*settlement*; *maturity*; *investment*; *redemption*; [*basis*]) calculates the interest rate for a fully invested short-term security.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @INTRATE returns ERR.

*investment* is the amount to be invested in the security. *investment* is any positive value.

*redemption* is the security's redemption value per \$100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Notes

@INTRATE calculates the annualized gain or loss on an investment. Use @INTRATE when the settlement date and the issue date are the same. Use @YIELD when the settlement date and the issue date are different.

### Examples

A bond is issued and purchased on May 7, 1982 and has a December 9, 1992 maturity date. The bond costs \$4900, has a \$10,000 redemption value, and a 30/360 day-count basis. You want to determine the bond's interest rate:

@INTRATE("5/7/82";"12/9/92";4900;10000;0) = 9.83%

### Similar @functions

@RECEIVED calculates the total amount to be received at maturity for a fully invested security.

## **@LOGINV**

**@LOGINV**(*probability*; *mean*; *standard-deviation*) calculates the inverse of the lognormal cumulative distribution function.

### **Arguments**

*probability* is a value from 0 (zero) through 1.

*mean* is equal to the mean of @LN(x) and can be any value.

*standard-deviation* is equal to the standard deviation of @LN(x) and can be any positive value.

### **Notes**

@LOGINV approximates the inverse cumulative distribution to within  $\pm 4.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$  of the true result.

### **Examples**

If @LOGNORMDIST(3;2;0.5) = 0.0357117:

@LOGINV(0.0357117;2;0.5) = 3.0000002

### **Similar @functions**

@LN calculates the natural logarithm (base e) of a value. @EXP calculates the inverse of @LN. @LOG calculates the common logarithm (base 10) of a value. @LOGNORMDIST calculates the cumulative lognormal distribution of a value.



## **@LOGNORMDIST**

**@LOGNORMDIST**(*x*; *mean*; *standard-deviation*) calculates the cumulative lognormal distribution of *x*.

### **Arguments**

*x* is any positive value.

*mean* is equal to the mean of **@LN**(*x*) and can be any value.

*standard-deviation* is equal to the standard deviation of **@LN**(*x*) and can be any positive value.

### **Notes**

**@LOGNORMDIST** approximates the cumulative lognormal distribution to within  $\pm 7.5 \cdot 10^{-8}$ .

### **Examples**

**@LOGNORMDIST**( 3;2;0.5) = 0.0357117

### **Similar @functions**

**@LN** calculates the natural logarithm (base e) of a value. **@EXP** calculates the inverse of **@LN**. **@LOG** calculates the common logarithm (base 10) of a value. **@LOGINV** calculates the inverse of the lognormal cumulative distribution function.

## **@MODE**

**@MODE**(*list*) calculates the most frequently occurring value in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of list with argument separators. If *list* does not contain any duplicate values, **@MODE** returns ERR.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

### **Examples**

**@MODE**(3;1;4;5;5) = 5

### **Similar @functions**

@AVG and @PUREAVG calculate the average value in a list. @GEOMEAN calculates the geometric mean value in a list. @HARMEAN calculates the harmonic mean value in a list. @MEDIAN calculates the median value in a list. @TRIMMEAN calculates the trimmed mean value in a list.

## **@NEGBINOMDIST**

**@NEGBINOMDIST**(*failures*; *successes*; *probability-success*) calculates the negative binomial distribution.

### **Arguments**

*failures* can be 0 (zero) or any positive integer and represents the number of failures.

*successes* can be 0 (zero) or any positive integer and represents the number of successes.

*probability-success* can be any value from 0 (zero) through 1 and represents the probability of a success on any trial.

### **Notes**

The negative binomial distribution determines the likelihood of when the *n*th success will occur, rather than finding only the likelihood of the first success. This differs from the binomial distribution by making the number of successes fixed and the number of trials variable.

### **Examples**

You are employed by a telemarketing firm and want to know when you will complete your 10th sale of the day. Based on the firm's experience, the likelihood of making a sale with a qualified lead is 0.10. Assuming that your list of 125 leads is well-qualified, you want to determine the likelihood that you will complete your 10th sale on your 100th call:

**@NEGBINOMDIST**(90;10;0.10) = 0.0131865

To calculate the likelihood that you will complete 10 sales on or before your 100th call, create 91 formulas using **@NEGBINOMDIST**(*failures*;10; 0.10), varying only *failures*, starting with 0 and stopping with 90. Sum the 91 results to get 0.548709835.

### **Similar @functions**

**@COMBIN** calculates the number of ways that *r* can be selected from *n*, without regard for order. **@FACT** calculates the factorial of a number. **@HYPGEOMDIST** calculates the hypergeometric distribution. **@PERMUT** calculates the number of permutations for a list of values. **@BINOMIAL** calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution.

## **@NORMSINV**

**@NORMSINV**(*probability*) calculates the inverse of the normal cumulative distribution function. This is the value for which *probability* is the cumulative distribution function with a mean of 0 (zero) and a standard deviation of 1.

### **Arguments**

*probability* is a value from 0 to 1.

### **Notes**

**@NORMSINV** approximates the inverse of the normal cumulative distribution to within  $\pm 4.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$ .

### **Examples**

If **@NORMAL**(2;0;1) = 0.9772499

then **@NORMSINV**(0.9772499) = 1.9999993

### **Similar @functions**

**@NORMAL** calculates the normal distribution function. **@STANDARDIZE** calculates a standardized value from a distribution characterized by a mean and standard deviation. **@ZTEST** performs a z-test on one or two populations and returns the associated probability.

## @PRICEDISC

@PRICEDISC(*settlement*; *maturity*; *disc-rate*; *redemption*; [*basis*]) calculates the price per \$100 face value for a discounted security.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @PRICEDISC returns ERR.

*disc-rate* is the security's discount rate, represented as a decimal. *disc-rate* is any value.

*redemption* is the security's redemption value per \$100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Notes

Use @PRICEDISC with short-term, non-interest bearing securities that are issued at a discount and redeemed at maturity for their full face value.

### Examples

A commercial paper has a February 7, 1997 settlement date and a March 1, 1997 maturity date. The commercial paper has a 0.0535 discount rate, a \$100 redemption value, and an Actual/360 day-count basis. You want to determine the price:

@PRICEDISC("2/7/97";"3/1/97";0.0535;100;2) = \$99.67

### Similar @functions

@DISC calculates the discount rate for a short-term discounted security. @YIELDDISC calculates the yield for a discounted security.

## @PRICEMAT

@PRICEMAT(*settlement*; *maturity*; *issue*; *coupon-rate*; *yield*; [*basis*]) calculates the price per \$100 face value for a security that pays all interest at maturity.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @PRICEMAT returns ERR.

*issue* is the security's issue date. *issue* is a date number or text argument. If *issue* is greater than *settlement*, @PRICEMAT returns ERR.

*coupon-rate* is the annual interest rate, represented as a decimal. *coupon-rate* is any positive value or 0.

*yield* is the annual yield, represented as a decimal. *yield* is any positive value or 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

A certificate of deposit has a June 1, 1997 settlement date, a June 1, 1998 maturity date, and an issue date of April 1, 1997. The certificate of deposit's annual interest rate is 0.035, the yield is .0425 and the day-count basis is Actual/actual. You want to calculate the price:

@PRICEMAT("6/1/97";"6/1/98";"4/1/97";.035;.0425;1) = \$99.26

### Similar @functions

@YIELDMAT calculates the yield for interest-at-maturity securities.

## **@PROB**

**@PROB**(*x-range*; *prob-range*; *lower-limit*; [*upper-limit*]) establishes a correspondence between the values in *x-range* and *prob-range* and calculates the probability that the values in *x-range* are between *lower-limit* and *upper-limit*.

### **Arguments**

*x-range* is the name or address of a range that contains values that have established probabilities.

*prob-range* is the name or address of a range that contains established probabilities for the values in *x-range*. All probabilities in *prob-range* must be between 0 and 1, and must total 1. *prob-range* must contain the same number of entries as *x-range*.

*lower-limit* is the lowest value in *x-range* for which you want to calculate a probability.

*upper-limit* is an optional argument that specifies the highest value in *x-range* for which you want to calculate a probability. If you do not specify *upper-limit*, **@PROB** assumes that *upper-limit* is the same as *lower-limit*.

### **Examples**

**@PROB**

### **Similar @functions**

**@BINOMIAL** calculates the binomial probability mass function or the cumulative binomial distribution.

**@CRITBINOMIAL** calculates the largest integer for which the cumulative binomial distribution is less than or equal to a specific criterion.

## @RADIX

`@RADIX(value;from-radix;to-radix;[max-length];[fraction])` converts a number from any base between 1 and 100 to any other base between 1 and 100.

### Arguments

*value* can be entered as either a number or text argument. If *value* is a number, it can contain only numbers allowed in that base. When converting numbers from bases greater than 16, *value* must be entered as text. If *value* is text, the following rules apply:

- For bases 2 through 16, *value* can contain only numbers from 0 through 9 and letters A through F.
- For bases 17 through 100, *value* must be text in which each digit is represented by two decimal digits. A space must separate each pair of digits from the next. If *value* includes a negative sign or decimal point, these must also be separated from digits by a space.

*from-radix* is an integer from 2 through 100 that specifies the base from which to convert. If *from-radix* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*to-radix* is an integer from 2 through 100 that specifies the base to which to convert. If *to-radix* is not an integer, 1-2-3 truncates it.

*max-length* is an optional argument that specifies the maximum number of characters (including a sign) in the result. *max-length* must be a value. If you specify 0 or omit the argument, @RADIX uses as many characters as necessary.

**Note** If a converted number is too long for 1-2-3 to display, @RADIX results in ERR.

*fraction* is an optional argument that specifies whether to convert the fractional portion of the number. *fraction* is one of the following values:

<u><i>fraction</i></u>	<u>1-2-3</u>
0	Truncates the fractional portion; default if you omit the argument
1	Represents the fractional portion in the result

You cannot use an optional argument without using the ones that precede it.

### Notes

A negative sign is used to indicate that a number is negative except for bases 2 (binary), 8 (octal), and 16 (hexadecimal). For bases 2, 8, and 16, the leftmost character indicates the sign. In positive numbers, the leftmost character is less than half of the base. In negative numbers, the leftmost character is greater than or equal to half of the base.

To represent positive numbers that use a leading 0, enter the numbers as text. If you enter such numbers as values, 1-2-3 removes the leading 0s.

### Examples

`@RADIX(-8;10;7) = -11`

`@RADIX(100.25;10;2;0;1) = 01100100.01`

`@RADIX("1 10 10 . 52 33 36";60;10;0;1) = 4210.876`

### Similar @functions

@BIN2DEC, @BIN2HEX, and @BIN2OCT convert a binary number to a decimal, hexadecimal, or octal number.

@DEC2BIN, @DEC2HEX, and @DEC2OCT convert a decimal number to a binary, hexadecimal, or octal number.

@HEX2BIN, @HEX2DEC, and @HEX2OCT convert a hexadecimal number to a binary, decimal, or octal number.

@OCT2BIN, @OCT2DEC, and @OCT2HEX convert an octal number to a binary, decimal, or hexadecimal number.



## **@RANDBETWEEN**

**@RANDBETWEEN**(*first-num*; *second-num*) generates a random value between two specified numbers. Each time 1-2-3 recalculates your work, **@RANDBETWEEN** generates a new random value.

### **Arguments**

*first-num* is the smallest number **@RANDBETWEEN** will return.

*second-num* is the largest number **@RANDBETWEEN** will return.

### **Notes**

To convert the value generated by **@RANDBETWEEN** to a fixed value, press F2 (EDIT) and then F9 (CALC).

### **Examples**

**@RANDBETWEEN**(1;10) = 5, or any integer between 1 and 10.

### **Similar @functions**

**@RAND** generates a random value between 0 and 1.

## @RECEIVED

**@RECEIVED**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *investment*; *disc-rate*; [*basis*]) calculates the total amount received at maturity for a fully invested security.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @RECEIVED returns ERR.

*investment* is the amount to be invested in the security. *investment* is any positive value.

*disc-rate* is the security's discount rate, represented as a decimal. *disc-rate* is any positive value.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

A bond has a settlement date of March 1, 1994 and a maturity date of September 15, 1998. The bond costs 9800.25, has a 0.0535 discount rate, and an Actual/365 date-count basis. You want to calculate the total amount to be received at maturity:

@RECEIVED("3/1/94";"9/15/98";9800.25;0.0535;3) = \$12946.54

### Similar @functions

@INTRATE calculates the interest rate for a fully invested short-term security.

## **@ROW**

**@ROW**(*range*) returns the number of the first row in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range name or range address.

### **Examples**

@ROW(D9..J25) = 9

@ROW(SCORES) =3, if SCORES is the name of the range B3..C45.

### **Similar @functions**

@CELL returns information about the first cell in a range. @COLUMN returns the number of the leftmost column in a range. @SHEET returns the number of the first sheet in a range.

## **@RSQ**

**@RSQ**(*y-range*; *x-range*) calculates the square of the Pearson product moment correlation coefficient, R squared, for the values in *y-range* and *x-range*.

### **Arguments**

*y-range* is the name or address of a range that contains the values of the dependent variable. *y-range* must contain the same number of values as *x-range*.

*x-range* is the name or address of a range that contains the values of the independent variable.

### **Examples**

A1..A7 contains the data for the dependent variable: 3, 4, 8, 9, 2, 7, 6

B1..B7 contains the data for the independent variable: 5, 4, 13, 15, 3, 8, 7

**@RSQ**(A1..A7;B1..B7) = 0.8766536

### **Similar @functions**

**@CORREL** calculates the correlation coefficient of corresponding values in two ranges. **@STEYX** calculates the standard error of the Y estimate. **@REGRESSION** performs multiple linear regression and returns the specified statistic. **@COV** calculates the covariance of the values in two ranges.

## **@SHEET**

**@SHEET**(*range*) returns the number of the first sheet in *range*.

### **Arguments**

*range* is a range name or range address.

### **Examples**

**@SHEET**(Q\_2) = 2, if Q\_2 is the range B:B3..E:C45 (sheets B, C, D, and E).

### **Similar @functions**

**@CELL** returns information about the first cell in a range. **@COLUMN** returns the number of the leftmost column in a range. **@REFCONVERT** converts the column or sheet letters A through IV to numbers 1 through 256, and numbers 1 through 256 to their corresponding letters. **@ROW** returns the number of the first row in a range.

## **@STANDARDIZE**

**@STANDARDIZE**(*x*; *mean*; *standard-deviation*) calculates a standardized value from a distribution characterized by mean and standard deviation.

### **Arguments**

*x* can be any value and is the value you want to standardize.

*mean* can be any value and is the arithmetic mean of the distribution.

*standard-deviation* can be any positive value and is the standard deviation of the distribution.

### **Examples**

**@STANDARDIZE**(30;27;2) = 1.5

### **Similar @functions**

**@NORMSINV** calculates the inverse cumulative distribution function. **@ZTEST** performs a z-test on one or two populations and returns the associated probability.

## **@STEYX**

**@STEYX**(*y-range*; *x-range*) calculates the standard error of the Y estimate.

### **Arguments**

*y-range* is the name or address of a range that contains the values of the dependent variable. *y-range* must contain the same number of values as *x-range*.

*x-range* is the name or address of a range that contains the values of the independent variable.

### **Examples**

A1..A7 contains the data for the dependent variable: 2, 3, 9, 1, 8, 7, 5

B1..B7 contains the data for the independent variable: 6, 5, 11, 7, 5, 4, 4

**@STEYX**(A1..A7;B1..B7) = 3.305719

### **Similar @functions**

**@RSQ** calculates the square of the Pearson product moment correlation coefficient for the values in two ranges.

**@REGRESSION** performs multiple linear regression and returns the specified statistic.

## @SUMIF

@SUMIF(*range*;*criteria*;*[sum-range]*) adds the values in a range that meet specified *criteria*.

### Arguments

*range* is a range address or range name that contains values or text.

*criteria* is the condition that identifies which cells to add. *criteria* is text that combines a number or letters with one of the following operators: =, <>, >, >=, <, <=. If you do not specify an operator, 1-2-3 automatically uses =.

*criteria* can also include wildcard characters. To represent any single character, use ? (question mark) in the text that specifies the condition. To represent any number of consecutive characters, use \* (asterisk). To represent an actual question mark or asterisk, use ~ (tilde) to precede the ? or \*.

*sum-range* is an optional argument that specifies a second range that is the same size and shape as *range*. If *sum-range* is specified, @SUMIF adds those cells in *sum-range* that correspond to cells in *range* that meet the specified *criteria*. If *sum-range* is omitted, or if *sum-range* and *range* refer to the same range, @SUMIF adds those cells in *range* that meet the specified *criteria*.

### Notes

When comparing text with numbers, @SUMIF treats text as equivalent to zero (0). When comparing text with other text, @SUMIF compares the text lexicographically. For example, "cockatoo" is greater than "cat" but less than "cow" because of the alphabetical order.

@SUMIF treats cells that contain label-prefix characters but no text as blank.

### Examples

A range named DATA1 contains the following values: -20, -10, 0, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50

@SUMIF(DATA1;"<10") = -30

A range named DATA2 contains the following values: 1, 1000, 3, cat, canary, camel, dog

An additional range named DATA3 contains the following values: 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70

@SUMIF(DATA2;"=ca\*";DATA3) = 150, because cat, canary, and camel match "=ca\*" and the sum of their corresponding values in DATA3 is 150.

### Similar @functions

@COUNTIF counts cells that meet specified criteria. @SUM adds a list of values.



## **@SUMX2MY2**

**@SUMX2MY2**(*x-range*; *y-range*) squares the values in *x-range* and *y-range*, subtracts each *y-range* square from the corresponding *x-range* square, and then sums the results.

### **Arguments**

*x-range* and *y-range* can be range addresses or range names and represent ranges that contain values. If *x-range* and *y-range* are not the same size and shape, **@SUMX2MY2** returns ERR.

### **Notes**

**@SUMX2MY2** calculates blank cells as 0.

**@SUMX2MY2** pairs cells in the two ranges by their order in the ranges, and moves down rows, across columns, and through sheets.

### **Examples**

In the following example, *x-range* is named TUES and *y-range* is named WED:

TUES	WED
1	2
2	3
3	4
4	5

**@SUMX2MY2**(TUES;WED) = -24

### **Similar @functions**

**@SUMPRODUCT** multiplies the values in corresponding cells in a list of ranges and then sums the products.

**@SUMX2PY2** squares the values in two ranges, sums each square from the first range and the corresponding square from the second range, and then sums the results. **@SUMXMY2** subtracts the values in one range from the corresponding cells in a second range, squares the differences, and then sums the results.

## **@SUMX2PY2**

**@SUMX2PY2**(*x-range*;*y-range*) squares the values in *x-range* and *y-range*, sums each square from the first range and the corresponding square from the second range, and then sums the results.

### **Arguments**

*x-range* and *y-range* can be range addresses or range names and represent ranges that contain values. If *x-range* and *y-range* are not the same size and shape, **@SUMX2PY2** returns ERR.

### **Notes**

**@SUMX2PY2** calculates blank cells as 0.

**@SUMX2PY2** pairs cells in the two ranges by their order in the ranges, and moves down rows, across columns, and through sheets.

### **Examples**

In the following example, *x-range* is named TUES and *y-range* is named WED:

TUES	WED
1	2
2	3
3	4
4	5

**@SUMX2PY2**(TUES;WED) = 84

### **Similar @functions**

**@SUMPRODUCT** multiplies the values in corresponding cells in a list of ranges and then sums the products.

**@SUMX2MY2** squares the values in *x-range* and *y-range*, subtracts each *y-range* square from the corresponding *x-range* square, and then sums the results. **@SUMXMY2** subtracts the values in one range from the corresponding cells in a second range, squares the differences, and then sums the results.

## **@TBILLEQ**

**@TBILLEQ**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *disc-rate*) calculates the bond-equivalent yield for a Treasury bill.

### **Arguments**

*settlement* is the Treasury bill's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the Treasury bill's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, or more than one year beyond *settlement*, **@TBILLEQ** returns ERR.

*disc-rate* is the Treasury bill's discount rate, represented as a decimal. *disc-rate* is any positive value.

### **Notes**

Treasury bills assume a 360-day year.

### **Examples**

**@TBILLEQ**(**@DATE**(94;3;1);**@DATE**(94;9;1);0.05) = 0.0520239

### **Similar @functions**

**@TBILLPRICE** calculates the price per \$100 face value for a Treasury bill. **@TBILLYIELD** calculates the yield for a Treasury bill.

## **@TBILLPRICE**

**@TBILLPRICE**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *disc-rate*) calculates the price per \$100 face value for a Treasury bill.

### **Arguments**

*settlement* is the Treasury bill's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the Treasury bill's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, or more than one year beyond *settlement*, **@TBILLPRICE** returns ERR.

*disc-rate* is the Treasury bill's discount rate, represented as a decimal. *disc-rate* is any positive value.

### **Notes**

Treasury bills assume a 360-day year.

### **Examples**

**@TBILLPRICE**(**@DATE**(94;3;1);**@DATE**(94;9;1);0.05) = 97.444444

### **Similar @functions**

**@TBILLEQ** calculates the bond-equivalent yield for a Treasury bill. **@TBILLYIELD** calculates the yield for a Treasury bill.

## **@TBILLYIELD**

**@TBILLYIELD**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *price*) calculates the yield for a Treasury bill.

### **Arguments**

*settlement* is the Treasury bill's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the Treasury bill's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, or more than one year beyond *settlement*, **@TBILLYIELD** returns ERR.

*price* is the Treasury bill's price per \$100 face value. *price* is any positive value.

### **Notes**

Treasury bills assume a 360-day year.

### **Examples**

**@TBILLYIELD**(**@DATE**(94;3;1);**@DATE**(94;9;1);97.50) = 0.0501672

### **Similar @functions**

**@TBILLEQ** calculates the bond-equivalent yield for a Treasury bill. **@TBILLPRICE** calculates the price per \$100 face value for a Treasury bill.

## **@TRIMMEAN**

**@TRIMMEAN**(*list*; *percent*) returns the trimmed mean of the values in *list*.

### **Arguments**

*list* can contain any of the following, in any combination: numbers, numeric formulas, and addresses or names of ranges that contain numbers or numeric formulas. Separate elements of list with argument separators.

See also Statistical @function arguments.

*percent* can be any value from 0 (zero) through 1. *percent* represents the ratio of values to remove from *list* before calculating the mean. For example, if *percent* is 0.10 (10%), **@TRIMMEAN** excludes the highest 5% and the lowest 5% of the values in *list*.

### **Examples**

A1..A6 contains the following values: -62, 7, 18, 6, 14, 965

**@TRIMMEAN**(A1..A6;0.4) = 11.25

### **Similar @functions**

**@AVG** and **@PUREAVG** calculate the average value in a list. **@GEOMEAN** calculates the geometric mean value in a list. **@HARMEAN** calculates the harmonic mean value in a list. **@MEDIAN** calculates the median value in a list.

## **@WEIBULL**

**@WEIBULL**(*x;alpha;beta;type*) returns information about the Weibull distribution. Use the Weibull distribution to fit observed data where normal, gamma, or exponential distributions might not apply.

### **Arguments**

*x* is a value. If *x* is negative, **@WEIBULL** returns 0.

*alpha* is a distribution parameter and is a value greater than 0.

*beta* is a distribution parameter and is a value greater than 0.

*type* specifies the calculation used and is one of the following values:

<b><i>type</i></b>	<b><u>@WEIBULL returns</u></b>
0	Probability density function
1	Cumulative distribution function

### **Notes**

For some applications, the Weibull distribution is assumed to have a lower bound at some positive value. This value, which constitutes a third distribution parameter, shifts the distribution to the right. If the lower bound is *y*, use *x-y* in place of *x* for the cumulative distribution function.

When  $\alpha$  is 1, the probability density function is the exponential distribution with  $\lambda = 1/\beta$ .

### **Examples**

**@WEIBULL**(70;2;50;1) = 0.8591416

### **Similar @functions**

**@EXPONDIST** calculates the exponential distribution. **@GAMMA** calculates the gamma function. **@NORMAL** calculates the normal cumulative distribution function.

## @YEARFRAC

@YEARFRAC(*date1*; *date2*; [*basis*]) calculates the fraction of a year represented by the number of days between two dates.

### Arguments

*date1* and *date2* are date numbers or text arguments. If *date1* and *date2* are the same, @YEARFRAC returns 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u><i>basis</i></u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

@YEARFRAC("1/1/97"; "8/24/97"; 2) = 0.652777 8

### Similar @functions

@NETWORKDAYS calculates the number of days between two dates, excluding weekends and holidays.

@WORKDAY calculates the date number for the date that is a specified number of days before or after a particular date.



## @YIELDDISC

@YIELDDISC(*settlement*; *maturity*; *price*; *redemption*; [*basis*]) calculates the yield for a discounted security.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or a text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @YIELDDISC returns ERR.

*price* is the dollar price per \$100 par value. *price* is any positive value or 0.

*redemption* is the security's redemption value per \$100 face value. *redemption* is any positive value or 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Notes

Use @YIELDDISC with short-term, non-interest bearing securities that are issued at a discount and redeemed at maturity for their full face value.

### Examples

A commercial paper has a February 7, 1997 settlement date and a March 1, 1997 maturity date. The commercial paper costs 99.50, has a \$100 redemption value, and an Actual/360 day-count basis. You want to determine the yield:

@YIELDDISC("2/7/97";"3/1/97";99.50;100;2) = 8.22%

### Similar @functions

@DISC calculates the discount rate for a short-term discounted security. @PRICEDISC calculates the price per \$100 face value for a discounted security.

## @YIELDMAT

**@YIELDMAT**(*settlement*; *maturity*; *issue*; *coupon-rate*; *price*; [*basis*]) calculates the yield for an interest-at-maturity security.

### Arguments

*settlement* is the security's settlement date. *settlement* is a date number or a text argument.

*maturity* is the security's maturity date. *maturity* is a date number or text argument. If *maturity* is less than or equal to *settlement*, @YIELDMAT returns ERR.

*issue* is the security's issue date. *issue* is a date number or a text argument. If *issue* is greater than *settlement*, @YIELDMAT returns ERR.

*coupon-rate* is the annual interest rate, represented as a decimal. *coupon-rate* is any positive value or 0.

*price* is the security's price per \$100 face value. *price* is any positive value or 0.

*basis* is an optional argument that specifies the type of day-count basis to use. *basis* is one of the following values:

<u>basis</u>	<u>Day-count basis</u>
0	30/360; default if you omit the argument
1	Actual/actual
2	Actual/360
3	Actual/365
4	European 30/360

### Examples

A certificate of deposit has a June 1, 1997 settlement date, a June 1, 1998 maturity date, and an issue date of April 1, 1997. The certificate of deposit's annual interest rate is 0.035, the price is 95.75, and the day-count basis is Actual/actual. You want to calculate the yield:

@YIELDMAT("6/1/97";"6/1/98";"4/1/97";0.035;95.75;1) = 8.04%

### Similar @functions

@PRICEMAT calculates the price per \$100 face value for a security that pays all interest at maturity.

