

Functions :

Mathematical and statistical functions:

1. SUM() – Adds all the numbers of specified range.
Example : If the cells A1:A5 contain values 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 then
=SUM(A1:A5) returns 150
=SUM(A1:A4) returns 100
2. AVERAGE() - Returns the average (arithmetic mean) of specified range.
Example : If the cells A1:A5 contain values 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 then
=AVERAGE(A1:A5) returns 30
=AVERAGE(A1:A4) returns 25
3. MAX() – Returns the largest value from specified range.
Example : If the cells A1:A5 contain values 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 then
=MAX(A1:A5) returns 50
=MAX(A1:A4) returns 40
4. MIN() – Returns the smallest value from specified range.
Example : If the cells A1:A5 contain values 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 then
=MIN(A1:A5) returns 10
=MIN(A2:A5) returns 20
5. COUNT() – Returns the number of values from specified range.
Example : If the cells A1:A5 contain values 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 then
=COUNT(A1:A5) returns 5
=COUNT(A1:A4) returns 4
6. SQRT() – Returns the positive square root from specified value.
Example :
=SQRT(81) returns 9
=SQRT(144) returns 12
7. INT() – Returns a number down to the nearest integer.
Example :
=INT(1.2) returns 1
=INT(-1.2) returns -2
8. MOD() - Returns the remainder after number is divided by divisor.
Example :
=MOD(13,5) returns 3
=MOD(28,10) returns 8
9. ABS() - Returns the absolute value of a number. If number is negative it multiplies by -1 otherwise it returns as it is.
Examples
=ABS(12) returns 12
=ABS(-12) returns 12
10. CEILING() – Returns number rounded up, away from zero, to the nearest multiple of significance.
Example :
=CEILING(12,5) returns 15
=CEILING(28,10) returns 30
11. FLOOR() – Returns number down, towards zero, to the nearest multiple of significance.
Example :

=FLOOR(12,5) returns 10
 =FLOOR(28,10) returns 20

12. ROUND() – Rounds a number to a specified number of digits.

Example :

=ROUND(34.8493,2) returns 34.85
 =ROUND(34.4343,2) returns 34.43

13. ROUNDDOWN() – Rounds a number down towards zero.

Example :

=ROUNDDOWN(34.8493,2) returns 34.84
 =ROUNDDOWN(34.4343,2) returns 34.43

14. ROUNDUP() – Rounds a number up, away from zero.

Example :

=ROUNDUP(34.8493,2) returns 34.85
 =ROUNDUP(34.4343,2) returns 34.44

Financial Functions

1. PMT() - Calculates the payment for a loan, based on constant payments and a constant interest rate.

Example

From a bank we have taken a loan of Rs. 10,00,000 with interest rate at 8% p.a. and we are going to repay it in 10 years with monthly installments. Calculate payment (monthly installment)

=PMT(rate,nper,pv)
 =PMT(8%/12,120,1000000)

2. PPMT() - Calculates the principal payment of given installment for a loan, based on constant payments and a constant interest.

Example

From a bank we have taken a loan of Rs. 10,00,000 with interest rate at 8% p.a. and we are going to repay it in 10 years with monthly installments. Calculate principal payment of 1st installment.

=PPMT(rate,per,nper,pv)
 =PPMT(8%/12,1,120,1000000)

3. IPMT() - Calculates the interest payment of given installment for a loan, based on constant payments and a constant interest.

Example

From a bank we have taken a loan of Rs. 10,00,000 with interest rate at 8% p.a. and we are going to repay it in 10 years with monthly installments. Calculate interest payment of 3rd installment.

=IPMT(rate,per,nper,pv)
 =IPMT(8%/12,3,120,1000000)

4. RATE() - Calculates the Interest rate for a loan, based on constant payments,

Example

From a bank we have taken a loan of Rs. 10,00,000 and we are going to repay it in 10 years with monthly installments (Rs. xxxxx). Calculate interest rate.

=RATE(nper,-pmt,pv)
 =RATE(120,-xxxxx,1000000)

5. NPER() - Calculate the number of period for loan, based on constant payment and constant interest rate.

Example

From a bank we have taken a loan of Rs. 10,00,000 with interest rate at 8% p.a. and monthly installment is Rs. xxxxxx. Calculate number of period of installments.

=NPER(rate,-pmt,pv)

=NPER(8%/12,-xxxxxx,1000000)

6. PV() - Calculate the present value (loan amount), based on constant payment and constant interest rate and constant no of period.

Example

From a bank we have taken a loan with interest rate at 8% p.a. and we are going to repay it in 10 years with monthly installments (Rs. xxxxx). Calculate present value (loan amount).

=PV(rate, nper, -pmt)

=PV(8%/12,120,-xxxxx)

7. FV() - Calculate the future value of an investment.

Example

If we are going to save Rs. 3,000 every month for next 5 years and interest rate is 8% p.a. then to find out what will be amount we will receive after 5 years.

=FV(rate, nper, -pmt)

=FV(8%/12, 60, -3000)

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