## 1. CONCATENATE():

Purpose: Combines text from multiple cells.(Deprecated in newer versions)

Ex.

A1 = Hello, B1 = Bunny

Use: =CONCATENATE(A1, B1)

=CONCATENATE(A1, "",B1) # if you want space or anything else between

two

Result: Hello Bunny

## **2.** & (AMPERSAND):

**Purpose:** Operator to join text quickly.

Ex.

A1 = Hello, B1 = Bunny

**Use:** =A1 & B1

=A1 & " " & B1 # if you want space or anything else between two

Result: Hello Bunny

#### 3. CONCAT():

Purpose: Modern replacement for CONCATENATE. Works with ranges.

Ex.

A1 = Hello, B1= Bunny

Use: =CONCAT(A1:C1)

=CONCAT(A1:" ":C1) # if you want space or anything else between two

# 4. TEXTJOIN(delimiter, ignore\_empty, text1, text2, ...):

Purpose: Joins text with a delimiter. Can ignore blank cells.

#### Ex.

A1 = Hello, B1 = Bunny

Use: =TEXTJOIN(" ", TRUE OR FALSE, A1:B1)

Result: Hello Bunny

# 1. LEFT():

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= LEFT(text, [num_chars])
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Ex.

Use: =LEFT("ChatGPT", 4)

**Result:** Chat

# 2. **RIGHT()**:

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= RIGHT(text, [num_chars])
```

Ex.

Use: =RIGHT("ChatGPT", 3)

**Result:** GPT

# 3. MID():

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= MID(text, start_num, num_chars)
```

Ex.

Use: =MID("ChatGPT", 2, 3)

**Result:** hat

# 1. LEN():

#### Ex.

Use: =LEN(A1)

Result: 11

# 2. FIND(find\_text, within\_text, [start\_num]):

#### Ex.

**Use:** =FIND("o", A1)

**Result:** 5

## **USING THIS WITH MID:**

#### Ex.

A1 = Aryan chaudhari

**Use:** =MID(A1, 1, FIND(" ", A1)-1)

**Result:** Aryan

A2 = aryan@example.com

**Use:** =MID(A2, FIND("@", A2)+1, LEN(A2) – FIND("@", A2))

**Result:** example.com

## 1. CLEAN():

Purpose: Removes non-printable characters from text.

Ex.

A1 = "Name: John Doe" & CHAR(10) & CHAR(13) & "Phone: 1234567890"

Use: =CLEAN(A1)

Result: Name: John DoePhone: 1234567890

## 2. TRIM():

**Purpose:** Removes all extra spaces from text, leaving only single spaces between words.

Ex.

A2 = " Hello World "

Use: =TRIM(A2)

Result: "Hello World"

## **3. UPPER():**

Purpose: Converts all letters in the text to uppercase.

## **4. LOWER():**

**Purpose:** Converts all letters in the text to lowercase.

## 5. PROPER():

Purpose: Capitalizes the first letter of each word.

## **➢** Tip:

You can **combine** these functions for better results.

Example: =PROPER(TRIM(CLEAN(A1)))

This will:

- 1. Remove non-printable characters,
- 2. Remove extra spaces,
- 3. Capitalize the first letter of each word.

#### 1. SUBSTITUTE:

=SUBSTITUTE(text, old text, new text, [instance num])

Purpose: Replacing specific text in a string.

Ex.

A1 = Excel is easy

Use: =SUBSTITUTE(A1, "easy", "fun")

Result: Excel is fun

## 2. REPLACE:

=REPLACE(old\_text, start\_num, num\_chars, new\_text)

Purpose: Replaces characters at a specific position.

Ex.

A1 = Excel2025

**Use:** =REPLACE(A1, 6, 4, "2030")

Result: Excel2030

#### 3. SEARCH:

=SEARCH(find\_text, within\_text, [start\_num])

**Purpose:** Finds the position of a character or substring.

Ex.

A1 = Hello World

Use: =SEARCH("o", A1)

**Result:** 5 (First "o" is at position 5)

## **4. CHAR:**

#### =CHAR(number)

**Purpose:** Returns the character for a given ASCII code.

#### Ex.

B1 = 65

Use: =CHAR(B1)

**Result:** A (ASCII code 65 is A)

# 5. UNICHAR:

#### =UNICHAR(number)

Purpose: Returns the Unicode character for a given number.

#### Ex.

B1 = 128512

**Use:** =UNICHAR(B1)

**Result:** (Smiley emoji)

## 6. CODE:

#### =CODE(text)

**Purpose:** Returns the ASCII code of the first character in text.

#### Ex.

A1 = Zebra

Use: =CODE(A1)

**Result:** 90 (Z = 90 in ASCII)

# 7. UNICODE:

Purpose: Returns the Unicode code of the first character in text.

Ex.

A1 = 😜

Use: =UNICODE(A1)

**Result:** 128512