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Challenge #252: Working Days Remaining

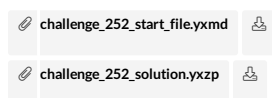


A solution to last week's challenge can be found [here](#).

This week's challenge was submitted by [@NapasornCh](#) - Thanks for your submission!

Everyone has deadlines in business so it's natural to wonder how many working days you have left before time is up!

This week's challenge is to create a macro to calculate the number of business days between two user-selected dates, excluding both weekends and any dates specified by an optional input file. The included input file contains US holidays for 2021, as well as a few vacation days. Your macro should also allow the end-user to select the starting and ending date for the period.



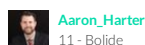
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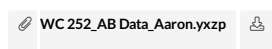


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I'm already counting the days until the next holiday!

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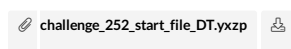
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Looking forward to the next holiday!

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[@AYXAcademy](#), the output looks like it was configured to 1/25/21, not 1/19/21 as mentioned in the workflow instructions 😊

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ACE ggruccio
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Fun with macros! I often equate interfaces with apps, but this works too!

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January 2021						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	1	2	3	4	5	6

Today: 1/25/2021



Enter an End Date

December 2021						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
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Today: 1/25/2021

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Good way to start the week!

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