

1. What advantages do Excel spreadsheets have over CSV spreadsheets?

CSV is a plain text format with a series of values separated by commas whereas Excel is a binary file that holds information about all the worksheets in a workbook.

In Excel, spreadsheets can have values of data types other than strings; cells can have different fonts, sizes, or color settings; cells can have varying widths and heights; adjacent cells can be merged; and you can embed images and charts.

2. What do you pass to `csv.reader()` and `csv.writer()` to create reader and writer objects?

You pass a File object, obtained from a call to `open()`

3. What modes do File objects for reader and writer objects need to be opened in?

File objects need to be opened in read-binary ('rb') for reader objects and write-binary ('wb') for writer objects.

4. What method takes a list argument and writes it to a CSV file?

The `writerow()` method

5. What do the keyword arguments `delimiter` and `lineterminator` do?

The 'delimiter' argument changes the string used to separate cells in a row. The 'lineterminator' argument changes the string used to separate rows.

6. What function takes a string of JSON data and returns a Python data structure?

`json.loads()`

7. What function takes a Python data structure and returns a string of JSON data?

`json.dumps()`