

Iterating functions

DAX FUNCTIONS IN POWER BI



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Iterating functions

- Iterate over each row of a given table to perform an expression

SUMX(<table>, <expression>)

AVERAGEX(<table>, <expression>)

- X stands for eXpression
- Allow for advanced calculations specified at each row

Iterating functions: SUMX()

Calculated column example

```
Cost = Fact_Orders[Sales] - Fact_Orders[Profit]
```

```
Total Costs = SUM(Fact_Orders[Cost])
```

Sales	Profit	Cost
\$77.88	\$3.89	\$73.99
\$22.72	\$10.22	\$12.50
...

Total Costs

\$2,569

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Iterating function example

Total Costs SUMX =

SUMX(Fact_Orders,

Fact_Orders[Sales] - Fact_Orders[Profit])

Total Costs SUMX

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Filtering iterating functions

- Use filter functions, such as FILTER(), to return a filtered table

```
SUMX(  
    FILTER(  
        <table>,  
        <filter>),  
    <expression>)
```

```
Total Costs East SUMX =  
SUMX(  
    FILTER(  
        Fact_Orders,  
        Fact_Orders[Region] = "East"),  
    Fact_Orders[Sales] - Fact_Orders[Profit])
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```

Region	Total Costs	Total Costs East SUMX
Central	\$501,239.89	
East	\$678,781.24	\$678,781.24
South	\$391,721.91	
West	\$725,457.82	
TOTAL	\$2,297,200.86	\$678,781.24

Iterating functions: RANKX()

```
RANKX(  
    <table>,  
    <expression>)
```

- Rank regions by total costs

```
Total Costs RANKX =  
RANKX(  
    ALL(Dim_Sales[Region]),  
    [Total Costs])
```

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Region	Total Costs	Total Costs RANKX
Central	\$725,457.82	1
East	\$678,781.24	2
South	\$501,239.89	3
West	\$391,721.91	4

Operators in DAX

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LOGICAL OPERATORS

Operator	Meaning	Example
&&	AND condition	([City] = "Bru") && ([Return] = "Yes"))
	OR condition	([City] = "Bru") ([Return] = "Yes"))
IN { }	OR condition for each row	Product[Color] IN {"Red", "Blue", "Gold"}

Lesson[Knowledge] IN {"Poor", "Great", "Awesome!"}

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Let's practice!

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Congratulations!

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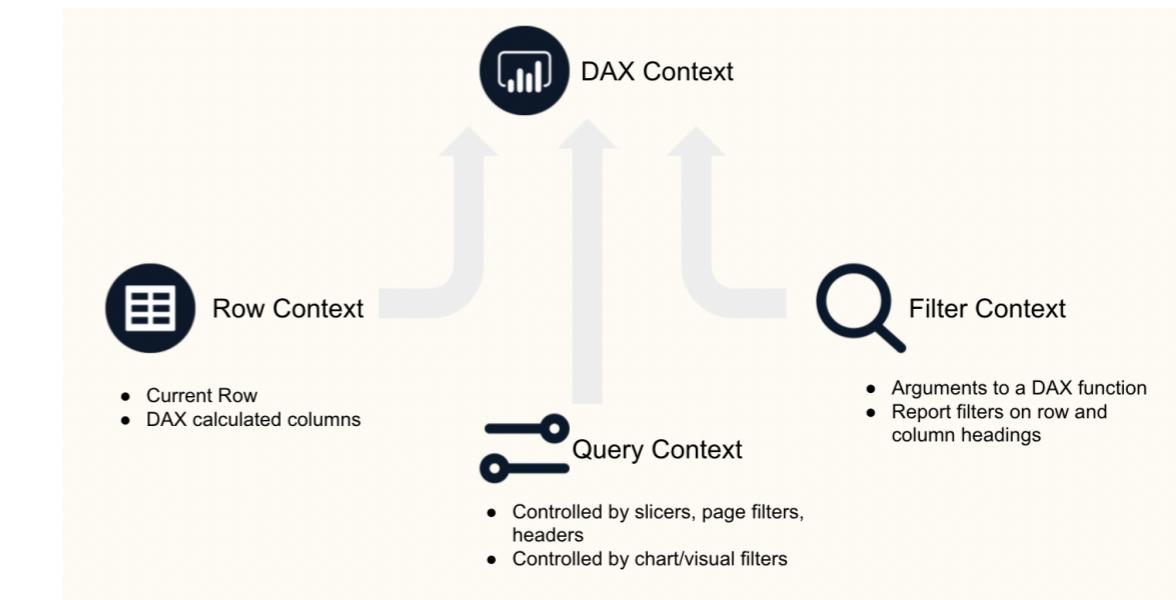
DAX stands for Data Analysis eXpressions

DAX formulas are used in:

- Measures
- Calculated columns
- Calculated tables

Context in DAX Formulas:

- Row context
- Query context
- Filter context



DAX Toolbox

General:

- Implicit vs explicit measures
- Quick measures
- Variables: VAR

Data Modeling:

- CALENDAR()
- CALCULATE()
- RELATED()
- FILTER()
- CROSSFILTER()

Enjoy iterating!

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