VBA Cheat Sheets If IsNumeric (C. value) Then

'Enter the formula into the cell

'Recalculate the active cell



VBA Cheat Sheet – Workbooks

About workbooks

- Defaults to active workbook if not explicitly stated
- Workbook must be open to use it

Reference workbooks

Create a workbook variable

Dim wb As Workbook

Assign a workbook to workbook variable

'Reference a workbook by name Set wb = Workbooks("WorkbookName.xlsx")

'Reference the workbook containing the macro Set wb = ThisWorkbook

'Reference the active workbook Set wb = ActiveWorkbook

'Reference a workbook by order opened Set wb = Workbooks(1)

'Reference the last workbook opened Set wb = Workbooks (Workbooks.Count)

Create new workbooks

Create new workbook

Workbooks.Add

Create new workbook and assign to variable

Set wb = Workbooks.Add

Opening workbooks

Open a workbook

Workbooks.Open ("C:\FilePath\Name.xlsx")

Open a workbook and assign to variable

Set wb = Workbooks.Open("C:\FilePath\Name.xlsx")

Save workbooks

Save a workbook

wb.Save

Save a workbook with a new name

wb.SaveAs "C:\FilePath\NewWorkbookName.xlsx"

Save a copy of the workbook

wb.SaveCopyAs "C:\FilePath\NewWorkbookName.xlsx"

Protect and unprotect workbooks

Protect workbook without password

wb.Protect

Unprotect workbook without password

wb.Unprotect

Protect workbook with password

wb.Protect "Password"

Unprotect workbook with password

wb.Unprotect "Password"

Active a workbook

wb.Activate

Closing workbooks

Close without saving changes

wb.Close False

Close and save changes

wb.Close True

Loop through workbooks

Dim wb As Workbook

For Each wb In Workbooks
'Action to perform on each workbook

Debug.Print wb.Name

Next wh



VBA Cheat Sheet – Worksheets

About worksheets

- Defaults to active workbook if not explicitly stated
- Defaults to active worksheet if not explicitly stated

Reference workbooks

Create a worksheet variable

Dim ws As Worksheet

Assign a worksheet to a worksheet variable

```
'Reference a worksheet by name
Set ws = Worksheets("SheetName")
'Reference the active worksheet
Set ws = ActiveSheet
'Reference a worksheet by position
Set ws = Worksheets(1)
'Reference the last worksheet
Set ws = Worksheets(Worksheets.Count)
```

Add worksheets

Add a worksheet

'Add a worksheet Worksheets.Add 'Add a worksheet and assign to variable Set ws = Worksheets.Add

Worksheet add parameters

```
'Add a worksheet
Worksheets.Add
'Add 4 worksheets
Worksheets.Add Count:=4
'Add a worksheet before a worksheet
Worksheets.Add Before:=Worksheets(1)
'Add a worksheet after a worksheet
Worksheets.Add After:=Worksheets(1)
'Add a worksheet to the end
Worksheets.Add After:=Worksheets(Worksheets.Count)
```

Delete worksheets

Delete a worksheet

ws.Delete

Delete a worksheet without displaying a warning message

```
Application.DisplayAlerts = False
ws.Delete
Application.DisplayAlerts = True
```

Worksheet visibility

```
There are 3 states of visibility
'Visible
Worksheets("SheetName"). Visible = xlSheetVisible
'Hidden
Worksheets("SheetName"). Visible = xlSheetHidden
'Invisible
Worksheets("SheetName").Visible = xlSheetVeryHidden
```

Rename worksheet

ws.Name = "SheetName"

Activate worksheet

Worksheets ("SheetName") . Activate

Worksheet protection

Protect and unprotect worksheets

```
'Protect a worksheet
Worksheets ("SheetName") . Protect
'Protect a worksheet with a password
Worksheets("SheetName").Protect "password"
'Unprotect a worksheet without a password
Worksheets ("SheetName") . Unprotect
'Unprotect a worksheet without a password
Worksheets("SheetName").Unprotect "password"
```

Copy worksheets

```
'Copy worksheets
ws.Copy
'Move a worksheet in front of another worksheet
ws.Copy Before:=Worksheets("AnotherSheetName")
'Move a worksheet after another worksheet
ws.Copy After:=Worksheets("AnotherSheetName")
'Copy multiple worksheets
Worksheets (Array ("SheetName", "SheetName2",
    "SheetName3")).Copy
```

Loop through workbooks

Loop through each worksheet

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
For Each ws In ActiveWorkbook.Worksheets
    'Action to perform on each worksheet
    Debug.Print ws.Name
Next ws
```

Loop through selected worksheets

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
For Each ws In ActiveWindow.SelectedSheets
    'Action to perform on each worksheet
    Debug.Print ws.Name
Next ws
```

Apply single sheet actions to selected worksheets

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim sheetArray As Variant
Set sheetArray = ActiveWindow.SelectedSheets
For Each ws In sheetArray
    ws.Select
    'Action to perform on each worksheet
Next ws
sheetArray.Select
```



VBA Cheat Sheet – Ranges

All ranges on this page use a Range variable called rng

Declare a range

Dim rng As Range

```
Setting a range
'Set range on ActiveSheet (single cell) - Method 1
Set rng = Range("A1")
'Set range on ActiveSheet (single cell) - Method 2
Set rng = ActiveSheet.Range("A1")
'Set range based on another sheet
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim rng As Range
Set ws = Sheet("SheetName")
Set rng = ws.Range("A1")
'Set a range (Multiple Cells)
Set rng = Range("A1:D4")
'Set a named range
Set rng = Range("NamedRange")
'Set rng to used range
Set rng = ws.UsedRange
'Set cell inside a range (Result B11)
Set rng = Range("A10:D14").Cells(2, 2)
'Set cell inside active worksheet (Result B2)
Set rng = Cells(2, 2)
'Set entire column
Set rng = Range("C1:D2").EntireColumn
Set rng = Range("C:D")
Set rng = Columns("C:D")
'Set entire row
Set rng = Range("C1:D2").EntireRow
```

Select & activate ranges

Set rng = Range("3:4")

Set rng = Rows("3:4")

Loop through all files a folder

```
'Select a Range
rng.Select
'Active a range
rng.Activate
```

Named ranges

Common methods & properties

Changing values

```
'Change value of a range
rng.Value = "Text here"

'Set variable to cell value
Dim myVar As String
myVar = rng.Value
```

Hiding / unhiding rows and columns

```
'Hide Rows / Columns
rng.EntireColumn.Hidden = True
rng.EntireRow.Hidden = True

'Unhide Rows / Columns
rng.EntireColumn.Hidden = False
rng.EntireRow.Hidden = False
```

Counting cells, rows and columns

```
'Count Rows / Columns / Cells
Dim count As Long
count = rng.Rows.count
count = rng.Columns.count
count = rng.Cells.count
```

Insert cells, rows and columns

```
'Insert rows or columns
rng.Insert

'Insert cells
rng.Insert Shift:=xlDown
rng.Insert Shift:=xlRight
```

Delete cells, rows and column

```
'Delete rows or columns
rng.Delete

'Delete cells
rng.Delete Shift:=xlUp
rng.Insert Shift:=xlLeft
```

Copy and paste ranges

```
'Copy and paste everything
rng.Copy
rng2.Paste

'Cut and paste everything
rng.Cut
rng2.Paste

'Copy and paste values only
rng.Copy
rng2.PasteSpecial Paste:=xlPasteValues

'Copy and paste formats only
rng.Copy
rng.PasteSpecial Paste:=xlPasteFormats

'Copy and paste with clipboard
rng.Copy Destination:=rng2

'Copy values only
rng.Value = rng2.Value
```



VBA Cheat Sheet - Logic

If statements

- If and Then are needed.
- EndIf is needed when not a single line of code.
- · VBA stops at the first true condition found.
- Ifs can be nested inside each other
- There can be any number of Elself statements

If (single line):

```
If [condition is true] Then [do thing if true]
```

If (multiple lines):

```
If [condition is true] Then
  [do thing if true]
EndIf
```

If with multiple conditions:

```
If [condition1 is true] And [condition1 is true] Then
  [do thing if true]
EndIf
```

If Else:

```
If [condition is true] Then
  [do thing if true]
Else
  [do something else]
EndIf
```

If ElseIf Else:

```
If [condition1 is true] Then
  [do thing if condition1 is true]
ElseIf [condition2 is true]
  [do thing if condition2 is true]
Else
  [do something else]
EndIf
```

Nested If:

Comparison operators

- = Equal to
- <> Not equal to
- < Less than
- > Greater than
- <= Less than or equal to
- >= Greater than or equal to

Logic operators			
And	Both conditions must be true.		
	If a < 100 And b > 100 Then		
Or	Either condition can be true.		
	If a < 100 Or b > 100 Then		
Xor	Only one condition can be true.		
	If a $<$ 100 Xor b $>$ 100 Then		
Not	Reverses the true or false result.		
	IF Not a < 100 Then		

Select case

- There can be any number of Case statements
- Case Else is optional, and is used to catch any item not meeting any other condition.

```
Select Case [variable]
Case [Condition1]
  [do thing if Condition1 is true]
Case [Condition2]
  [do thing if Condition2 is true]
Case [ConditionX]
  [do thing if ConditionX is true]
Case Else
  [do thing if no other conditions met]
End Select
```

Comparison operators use Case Is instead of Case.

```
Case Is >= 100
```

Don't need to use Case Is with =

Use Case with number ranges

Case 50 To 100

Case with multiple conditions:

Case [Condition1], [Condition2], [ConditionX]

Case sensitive vs non-case sensitive

Case sensitive - at the top of the module use:

Option Compare Binary

Non-case sensitive - at the top of the module use:

Option Compare Text



VBA Cheat Sheet - Loops

For Loop

- Cycles through a sequence of numbers
- Use Step to increment by a number other than 1
- Use Exit For to leave a loop early
- If using For Loop to delete objects always use Step -1

For Loop

For Loop with Step

```
Dim i as Integer
For i = 1 To 100

Range("A" & i) = i

Next i

Pim i as Integer
For i = 1 To 100 Step 5

Range("A" & i) = i

Next i
```

For Loop in reverse (Step -1)

Dim i as Integer For i = 100 To 1 Step -1 Range("A" & i) = i Next i

For Loop with Exit For

```
Dim i as Integer
For i = 1 To 100
  Range("A" & i) = I
  If i > 20 Then Exit For
Next i
```

Nested For Loop

```
Dim i as Integer
Dim j as Integer
For i = 1 To 10
   For j = 1 To 5
    Cells(i, j) = i + j
Next j
Next i
```

For Each Loop

- · Cycles each object in a collection
- Use Exit For to leave a loop early

For Each Loop (Structure)

```
Dim [Variable] as [Object]
For Each [Variable] In [Object Collection]
  [Thing to do for each object]
Next [Variable]
```

For Each Loop through cells in Range

```
Dim c as Range
For Each c In ActiveSheet.Range("A1:B4")
    c.value = c.Address
Next c
```

For Each Loop through worksheets in workbook

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
For Each ws In ActiveWorkbook.Sheets
MsgBox ws.Name
Next ws
```

For Each Loop with Exit For

```
Dim c As Range
For Each c In ActiveSheet.Range("A1:B4")
    c.Value = c.Row
    If c.Value >= 3 Then MsgBox "Exit here"
    Exit For
Next c
```

Do While

- Loops while the condition remains true
- 2 forms: (1) check condition at the start (2) check condition at
- Exit loop by using Exit Do

Check condition at start

If condition is false at the start, code in loop never executes.

Structure:	Example:
Do While [condition1]	Dim i As Integer
[Thing to do]	i = 1
Loop	Do While i < 10
	MsgBox i
	i = i + 1
	Loop

Check condition at end

Code in the loop is executed at lease once Structure: Example

Do Dim i As Integer i = 1
Loop While [condition1] Do MsgBox i i = i + 1
Loop While i < 10

Do Until

- Loops until a condition is true
- 2 forms: (1) check condition at the start (2) check condition at end
- Exit loop by using Exit Do

Check condition at start

If condition is true at the start, code in loop never executes.

```
Structure:

Do Until [condition1] Dim i As Integer

[Thing to do] i = 1

Loop Do Until i > 5

MsgBox i
 i = i + 1

Loop
```

Check condition at end

Code in the loop is executed at least once

```
Structure:

Do Dim i As Integer i = 1

Loop Until [condition1]

MsgBox i i = i + 1

Loop Until i > 5
```

While

- Works the same as Do Until
- Condition is checked at the start



VBA Cheat Sheet - Tables (page 1)

About Tables

Tables are known as ListObjects in VBA

Reference Tables

```
Create a Table variable
```

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim tbl As ListObject

Set ws = Sheets("Sheet1")
Set tbl = ws.ListObjects("myTable")
```

```
Reference parts of a Table
'Entire Table range
tbl.Range.Select
'Table data range only
tbl.DataBodyRange.Select
'Single cell within a Table (row 2, column4)
tbl.DataBodyRange(2, 4).Select
'Table column including header by position
tbl.ListColumns(2).Range.Select
'Table column including header by name
tbl.ListColumn("ColumnName").Range.Select
'Table column, data only, by position
tbl.ListColumns(2).DataBodyRange.Select
'Table column, data only, by name
tbl.ListColumns("ColumnName").DataBodyRange.Select
'Entire header row
tbl.HeaderRowRange.Select
'Single cell within header row
tbl.HeaderRowRange(2).Select
'Entire total row
tbl.TotalsRowRange.Select
'Single cell within total row
tbl.TotalsRowRange(2).Select
'Single row of data
tbl.ListRows(2).Range.Select
'Reference parts of table using range object
```

Converting to/from a Table

Convert current region to Table

ws.Range("myTable[ColumnName]").Select

Convert Table back to range

tbl.Unlist

Changing Tables

Change name of Table

tbl.Name = "myNewTable"

Resizing a Table

tbl.Resize Range("\$A\$1:\$D\$10")

Remove auto filter

tbl.ShowAutoFilterDropDown = False

Set Table style

tbl.TableStyle = "TableStyleLight15"

Remove row stripes

tbl.ShowTableStyleRowStripes = False

Hide header row

tbl.ShowHeaders = False

Columns & rows

Add columns & rows

```
'Add column at the end
tbl.ListColumns.Add

'Add column in position 2
tbl.ListColumns.Add Position:=2

'Add row at bottom
tbl.ListRows.Add

'Add row at position 2
tbl.ListRows.Add Position:=2
```

Delete columns & rows

```
'Delete column 2
tbl.ListColumns(2).Delete

'Delete a column by name
tbl.ListColumns("ColumnName").Delete

'Delete row 2
tbl.ListRows(2).Delete

'Delete multiple rows
tbl.Range.Rows("2:3").Delete
```

Count columns & rows

```
'Count columns
tbl.ListColumns.Count
'Count rows
```

tbl.ListRows.Count

VBA Cheat Sheet – Tables (page 2)

Loop through Tables

Loop through all tables on a worksheet

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim tbl As ListObject
Set ws = ActiveSheet
For Each tbl In ws.ListObjects
    'Action to perform for each table
    Debug.Print tbl.Name
Next tbl
```

Loop through all tables in a workbook

```
Dim wb As Workbook
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim tbl As ListObject
Set wb = ActiveWorkbook
For Each ws In wb.Worksheets
For Each tbl In ws.ListObjects
'Action to perform for each table
Debug.Print tbl.Name
Next tbl
Next ws
```

Table total row

Display total row with value in last column

tbl.ShowTotals = True

Add calculation to other columns

```
'Change calculation by column position
tbl.ListColumns(2).TotalsCalculation = _
    xlTotalsCalculationAverage

'Change calculation by column name
tbl.ListColumns("ColumnName").TotalsCalculation = _
    xlTotalsCalculationAverage
```

Other calculation types

```
xlTotalsCalculationNone
xlTotalsCalculationAverage
xlTotalsCalculationCount
xlTotalsCalculationCountNums
xlTotalsCalculationMax
xlTotalsCalculationMin
xlTotalsCalculationSum
xlTotalsCalculationStdDev
xlTotalsCalculationVar
```

Miscellaneous

Enter data into table from array

```
Dim myArray As Variant
myArray = Range("A2:D2")
tbl.ListRows(2).Range.Value = myArray
```

Simulate ActiveTable object

If active cell is not in a Table, then ActiveTable Is Nothing = True

```
Dim ActiveTable As ListObject
On Error Resume Next
Set ActiveTable = ActiveCell.ListObject
On Error GoTo 0

If ActiveTable Is Nothing Then
    'ActiveCell not in Table

Else
    'ActiveCell is in Table
End If
```

Show Table data entry form

Only works if Table starts at A1

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Set ws = ActiveSheet
ws.ShowDataForm
```



VBA Cheat Sheet – Names

About Names

- Names can refer to ranges, formulas and constants
- Can have workbook or worksheet scope
- Print Area is the name used for the print range

Reference names

Create Name variable

```
Dim wb As Workbook
Dim nm As Name
Set wb = ActiveWorkbook
Set nm = wb.Names("myNamedConstant")
```

Reference parts of a Name

```
'Name of a Name
MsgBox nm.Name
'RefersTo part of a Name
MsgBox nm.RefersTo
```

Add Names

Create Name with workbook scope

```
wb.Names.Add Name:="myNamedRange", _ RefersTo:="=Sheet1!$C$1:$D$5"
```

Create Name with worksheet scope

```
ws.Names.Add Name:="myNamedRange", _
RefersTo:="=Sheet1!$C$1:$D$5"
```

Create Name with a formula

Formulas must be created using the R1C1 reference method

```
wb.Names.Add Name:="myNamedFormula", _
    RefersTo:="=SUM(Sheet1!R2C2:R4C4)"
```

Create Name with a constant

Delete a Name

Delete Name

If name macthes will delete workbook and worksheet Names wb.Names ("myNamedRange").Delete

Delete worksheet scoped Name

Only deletes the worksheet scoped Name

wb.Names("Sheet1!myNamedRange").Delete

Change a Name

Change name and Refers to of a Name

```
nm.Name = "changedMyNamedConstant"
nm.RefersTo = "=50%"
```

Name Visibility

Names can be hidden from the Name Manager.

Names("myNamedRange").Visible = False

Loop Through Names

For Each through all Names

```
Dim nm As Name

For Each nm In wb.Names

'Action to perform for each table

MsgBox nm.Name

Next
```



VBA Cheat Sheet – Filters

About Filters

 For many AutoFilter actions need to check if AutoFilterMode applied already, else causes an error

Applying AutoFilter

Check if AutoFilter already exists

```
If ws.AutoFilterMode = True Then
    'Do something
End If
```

Apply AutoFilter to current region

ws.Range("A1").AutoFilter

Remove AutoFilter

ws.AutoFilterMode = False

Hide a filter on a field

```
ws.Range("A1").AutoFilter Field:=1,_
Visibledropdown:=False
```

Get Range of the AutoFilter

MsgBox ws.AutoFilter.Range.Address

Filtering

Filter with value criteria

```
ws.Range("A1").AutoFilter _
Field:=1, Criteria1:="=Apple", _
Operator:=xlOr, Criteria2:="=Banana"
```

Search operators:

Search logic:

Show all data

ws.ShowAllData

Filter by color (RGB)

```
ws.Range("$A$1").AutoFilter _
Field:=1, Criterial:=RGB(255, 255, 0), _
Operator:=xlFilterCellColor
```

Filter on no color

```
ws.Range("$A$1").AutoFilter Field:=1,_
Operator:=xlFilterNoFill
```

Applying Sort

Applying column sorting

```
ws.AutoFilter.Sort.SortFields.Add _
Order:=xlAscending, _
SortOn:=xlSortOnValues, _
Key:=Range("A1:A7")
ws.AutoFilter.Sort.Apply
```

Clear sorting

ws.AutoFilter.Sort.SortFields.Clear

VBA Cheat Sheet – PivotTables

Reference a PivotTable

Reference a PivotTable

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim pvt As PivotTable

Set ws = ActiveWorkbook.Sheets("Sheet1")
Set pvt = ws.PivotTables("myPivotTable")
```

Create a PivotTable

Create a PivotTable

```
Dim wb As Workbook
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim pvtCache As PivotCache
Dim pvt As PivotTable

Set wb = ActiveWorkbook
Set ws = wb.Sheets("Sheet1")

Set pvtCache = wb.PivotCaches.Create
(SourceType:=xlDatabase,
SourceData:="Sheet1!R2C2:R10C4")

Set pvt = pvtCache.CreatePivotTable
(TableDestination:="Sheet1!R2C6",
tableName:="myPivotTable")
```

Delete a PivotTable

Delete a PivotTable

pvt.TableRange2.Clear

Change PivotTable source

Create a PivotTable

Turn off AutoFit columns

Delete a PivotTable

pvt.HasAutoFormat = False

Add and remove fields

Add fields to the rows, columns and filters

pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").Orientation = xlRowField
pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").Orientation = xlColumnField
pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").Orientation = xlPageField

Change position of field

pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").Position = 1

Add field to values section

11 Calculation options:

 xlAverage
 xlMin
 xlSum

 xlCount
 xlProduct
 xlVar

 xlCountNums
 xlStDev
 xlVarP

 xlMax
 xlStDevP

Remove field from PivotTable

pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").Orientation = xlHidden

Clear all fields

pvt.ClearTable

PivotTable Filters

Clear existing filters

pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").ClearAllFilters

Add field filter

```
pvt.PivotFields("fieldName").PivotFilters. _
   Add2 Type:=xlCaptionEquals, _
   Value1:="Apple"
```

Add calculated field

Add calculated field

pvt.CalculatedFields.Add _
 "calcFieldName", "=fieldName2+FieldName3"



VBA Cheat Sheet — Charts (page 1)

About Charts

- Charts can be Chart Objects (face of the worksheet) or Chart Sheets (separate sheets). This page is for Chart Objects.
- · Chart Objects are a collection of objects
- Each Chart Object contains a Chart

Reference charts

Reference a chart object

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim cht As Chart
Set ws = ActiveWorkbook.Sheets("Sheet1")
Set cht = ws.ChartObjects("Chart 1").Chart
```

Reference the active chart

```
Dim cht As Chart
Set cht = ActiveChart
```

Loop through chart objects

Basic chart settings

```
Change chart type (examples only, others exist).
cht.ChartType = xlArea
cht.ChartType = xlLine
cht.ChartType = xlPie
cht.ChartType = xlColumnClustered
cht.ChartType = xlColumnStacked
cht.ChartType = xlColumnStacked100
cht.ChartType = xlArea
cht.ChartType = xlAreaStacked
cht.ChartType = xlBarClustered
cht.ChartType = xlBarStacked
cht.ChartType = xlBarStacked100
'Create an empty chart embedded on a worksheet
Set cht = ws.Shapes.AddChart2.Chart
'Select source for a chart
Dim rng As Range
Set rng = ws.Range("A1:B4")
cht.SetSourceData Source:=rng
'Delete a ChartObject
cht.Parent.Delete 'Method 1
                   'Method 2
chtObk.Delete
'Set the size/position of a ChartObject - method 1
cht.Parent.Height = 200
cht.Parent.Width = 300
cht.Parent.Left = 20
cht.Parent.Top = 20
'Set the size/position of a ChartObject - method 2
chtObj.Height = 200
chtObj.Width = 300
chtObj.Left = 20
chtObj.Top = 20
```

```
Basic chart settings (continued)
```

```
'Change the setting to show only visible cells
cht.PlotVisibleOnly = True
'Change the gap space between bars
cht.ChartGroups(1).GapWidth = 50
'Change the overlap setting of bars
cht.ChartGroups(1).Overlap = 75
```

Chart axis

There are four chart axis:

xlValue

- xlCategory
- xlValue, xlSecondary
- xlCategory, xlSecondary

These are used interchangeably in the examples.

```
'Set chart axis min and max
cht.Axes(xlValue).MaximumScale = 25
cht.Axes(xlValue).MinimumScale = 10
cht.Axes(xlValue).MaximumScaleIsAuto = True
cht.Axes(xlValue).MinimumScaleIsAuto = True
'Display axis
cht.HasAxis(xlCategory) = True
'Hide axis
cht.HasAxis(xlValue, xlSecondary) = False
'Display axis title
cht.Axes(xlCategory, xlSecondary).HasTitle = True
'Hide axis title
cht.Axes(xlValue).HasTitle = False
'Change axis title text
cht.Axes(xlCategory).AxisTitle.Text = "My Title"
'Reverse the order of a category axis
cht.Axes(xlCategory).ReversePlotOrder = True
```

Gridlines

```
'Add gridlines
cht.SetElement (msoElementPrimaryValueGridLinesMajor)
cht.SetElement (msoElementPrimaryCategoryGridLinesMajor)
cht.SetElement (msoElementPrimaryValueGridLinesMinorMajor)
cht.SetElement (msoElementPrimaryCategoryGridLinesMinorMajor)
'Delete gridlines
cht.Axes(xlValue).MajorGridlines.Delete
cht.Axes(xlValue).MinorGridlines.Delete
cht. Axes (xlCategory) . Major Gridlines . Delete
cht.Axes(xlCategory).MinorGridlines.Delete
'Change colour of gridlines
cht.Axes(xlValue).MajorGridlines.Format.Line.
    ForeColor.RGB = RGB(255, 0, 0)
'Change transparency of gridlines
cht.Axes(xlValue).MajorGridlines.Format.Line.
    Transparency = 0.5
```



VBA Cheat Sheet - Charts (page 2)

```
Chart title
cht.HasTitle = True
'Hide chart title
cht.HasTitle = False
'Change chart title text
cht.ChartTitle.Text = "My Chart Title"
'Position the chart title
cht.ChartTitle.Left = 10
cht.ChartTitle.Top = 10
'Format the chart title
cht.ChartTitle.TextFrame2.TextRange.Font.Name = "Calibri"
cht.ChartTitle.TextFrame2.TextRange.Font.Size = 16
cht.ChartTitle.TextFrame2.TextRange.Font.Bold = msoTrue
cht.ChartTitle.TextFrame2.TextRange.Font.Bold = msoFalse
cht.ChartTitle.TextFrame2.TextRange.Font.Italic = msoTrue
cht.ChartTitle.TextFrame2.TextRange.Font.Italic = msoFalse
```

Chart legend

```
Display the legend
cht.HasLegend = True
'Hide the legend
cht.HasLegend = False
'Position the legend
cht.Legend.Position = xlLegendPositionTop
cht.Legend.Position = xlLegendPositionRight
cht.Legend.Position = xlLegendPositionLeft
cht.Legend.Position = xlLegendPositionCorner
cht.Legend.Position = xlLegendPositionBottom
'Allow legend to overlap the chart
'False = allow overlap, True = due not overlap
cht.Legend.IncludeInLayout = False
cht.Legend.IncludeInLayout = True
'Move legend to a specific point
cht.Legend.Left = 20
cht.Legend.Top = 200
cht.Legend.Width = 100
cht.Legend.Height = 25
```

Plot area

```
'Set the size and position of the PlotArea
cht.PlotArea.Left = 20
cht.PlotArea.Top = 20
cht.PlotArea.Width = 200
cht.PlotArea.Height = 150
```

Chart series

Reference chart series

```
'Method 1
Dim srs As Series
Set srs = cht.SeriesCollection(1)
'Method 2
Dim srs As Series
Set srs = cht.SeriesCollection("Series Name")
```

Chart series (continued)

Loop through each chart series

```
For Each srs In cht.SeriesCollection
    'Do something to each series
    'Refer to each with srs.
Next srs
```

Change series data

```
'Change series source data and name
srs.Values = "=Sheet1!$C$2:$C$6"
srs.Name = "=""Change Series Name"""
'Add a new chart series
Set srs = cht.SeriesCollection.NewSeries
srs.Values = "=Sheet1!$C$2:$C$6"
srs.Name = "=""New Series"""
'Set values for the X axis when using XY Scatter
srs.XValues = "=Sheet1!$D$2:$D$6"
```

Display data labels

```
'Display data labels on all points in the series
srs.HasDataLabels = True
'Hide data labels on all points in the series
srs.HasDataLabels = False
'Position data labels
'Must be a valid option for the chart type.
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionAbove
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionBelow
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionLeft
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionRight
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionCenter
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionInsideEnd
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionInsideBase
srs.DataLabels.Position = xlLabelPositionOutsideEnd
```

Series formatting

```
'Change fill colour
srs.Format.Fill.ForeColor.RGB = RGB(255, 0, 0)
'Change line colour
srs.Format.Line.ForeColor.RGB = RGB(255, 0, 0)
'Change visibility of line
srs.Format.Line.Visible = msoTrue
'Change line weight
srs.Format.Line.Weight = 10
'Change line style
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineDash
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineSolid
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineSysDot
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineSysDash
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineDashDot
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineLongDash
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineLongDashDot
srs.Format.Line.DashStyle = msoLineLongDashDotDot
```



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```
Chart series (continued)
 srs.MarkerStyle = xlMarkerStyleAutomatic
 srs.MarkerStyle = xlMarkerStyleCircle
 srs.MarkerStyle = xlMarkerStyleDash
srs.MarkerStyle = xlMarkerStyleDiamond
srs.MarkerStyle = xlMarkerStyleDot
srs.MarkerStyle = xlMarkerStyleNone
 'Change marker border color
 srs.MarkerForegroundColor = RGB(255, 0, 0)
 'Change marker fill color
 srs.MarkerBackgroundColor = RGB(255, 0, 0)
 'Change marker size
srs.MarkerSize = 8
```

```
Error bars
  urn error bars on/off
srs.HasErrorBars = True
srs.HasErrorBars = False
'Change end style of error bar
srs.ErrorBars.EndStyle = xlNoCap
srs.ErrorBars.EndStyle = xlCap
'Change color of error bars
srs.ErrorBars.Format.Line.ForeColor.RGB = RGB(255, 0, 0)
'Change thickness of error bars
srs.ErrorBars.Format.Line.Weight = 5
'Error bar settings
srs.ErrorBar Direction:=xlY, _
    Include:=xlPlusValues, _
    Type:=xlFixedValue, _
    Amount:=100
'Alternatives options for the error bar settings are
Direction:=xlX
Include:=xlMinusValues
Include:=xlPlusValues
Include:=xlBoth
Type:=xlFixedValue
Type:=xlPercent
Type:=xlStDev
Type:=xlStError
Type:=xlCustom
```

Points

Reference points

```
Dim srs As Series
Dim pnt As Point
Set srs = cht.SeriesCollection(1)
Set pnt = srs.Points(1)
```

Loop through points

```
Dim srs As Series
Dim pnt As Point
Set srs = cht.SeriesCollection(1)
For Each pnt In srs.Points
    'Do something to each point, using "pnt."
Next pnt
```

Point data labels

```
'Turn on data label
pnt.HasDataLabel = True
'Set the position of a data label
pnt.DataLabel.Position = xlLabelPositionCenter
```



VBA Cheat Sheet – Images

Reference image

Create image variable

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim img As Shape
Set ws = ActiveWorkbook.Sheets("Sheet1")
Set img = ws.Shapes("myImage")
```

Insert image

Insert image and assign to variable

```
Dim img As Shape
Dim imagePath As String
Dim rng As Range
imagePath = "C:\Users\Documents\myImage.png"
Set rng = ActiveCell
Set img = ws.Shapes.AddPicture(
   Filename:=imagePath,
   LinkToFile:=msoFalse,
   SaveWithDocument:=msoTrue,
   Left:=rng.Left,
   Top:=rng.Top, _
    Width:=-1,
   Height:=-1)
```

Insert shape around active cells

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim img As Shape
Dim rng As Range
Set ws = ActiveSheet
Set rng = Selection
Set img = ws.Shapes.AddShape(
    msoShapeRectangle, _
    Left:=rng.Left, _
    Top:=rng.Top,
    Width:=rng.Width,
    Height:=rng.Height)
img.Fill.Visible = msoFalse
img.Line.ForeColor.RGB = RGB(255, 0, 0)
img.Line.Weight = 2.25
```

Image properties

Set common image properties

```
'Set if image's aspect ratio is locked.
img.LockAspectRatio = msoTrue
'Change top, left, width and height of image
img.Top = 100
img.Left = 100
img.Width = 100
img.Height = 100
'Change Z-order. Can bring forward / send backward
img.ZOrder msoBringToFront
img.ZOrder msoSendToBackward
'Change image name
imq.Name = "imqName"
'Flip image horizontal or vertical
img.Flip msoFlipHorizontal
img.Flip msoFlipVertical
'Change image visibility
img.Visible = msoFalse
img.Visible = msoTrue
```

Image properties (continued)

```
'Change image placement options
img.Placement = xlFreeFloating
imq.Placement = xlMoveAndSize
img.Placement = xlMove
'Lock image (prevent editing when sheet protected)
img.Locked = True
                     'Opposite value = False
'Rotate to specific position
img.Rotation = 90
```

Get image size and position properties

```
MsgBox img.Top
MsqBox img.Left
MsqBox imq.Height
MsqBox img.Width
MsgBox img.ZOrderPosition
MsgBox img.TopLeftCell.Address
```

Place image in relation to cells

Centre image over a cell

```
'center image in cell
Set cellLocation = ws.Range("B4")
imq.Top = cellLocation.Top +
    (cellLocation.Height / 2) -
    (img.Height / 2)
img.Left = cellLocation.Left +
    (cellLocation.Width / 2) -
    (img.Width / 2)
```

Stretch image over cells

```
Set rng = ws.Range("A2:D10")
img.LockAspectRatio = msoFalse
imq.Left = rnq.Left
img.Top = rng.Top
img.Width = rng.Width
img.Height = rng.Height
```

Check if selection is in image

```
If TypeName (Selection) = "Picture" Then
    'Object is a picture
```

Export image from Excel

Copy picture to chart background, then export empty chart

```
Dim img As Shape
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim tempChartObj As ChartObject
Dim savePath As String
Set ws = ActiveWorkbook.Sheets("Sheet1")
Set img = ws.Shapes("Picture 1")
Set tempChartObj = ActiveSheet.ChartObjects.Add
    (0, 0, myPic.Width, myPic.Height)
savePath = "C:\Users\Documents\mySavedPic.jpg"
img.Copy
tempChartObj.Chart.ChartArea.Select
tempChartObj.Chart.Paste
tempChartObj.Chart.Export savePath
tempChartObj.Delete
```

VBA Cheat Sheet – PDFs

Declaring a PDF file name

All the Macros on this page use a the following file path

Dim pdfFile As String
pdfFile = "C:\Users\marks\Documents\PDFName.pdf"

Create a PDFs from Excel

Save declared worksheet

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Set ws = Worksheets("SheetName")
ws.ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF,
    Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save active worksheet

```
ActiveWorksheet.ExportAsFixedFormat
Type:=xlTypePDF, _
Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save multiple worksheets in single PDF

```
Dim sheetArray As Variant
sheetArray = Array("Sheet1", "Sheet2")
Sheets(sheetArray).Select
ActiveSheet.ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF, _
Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save declared workbook

```
Dim wb as Workbook
Set wb = Workbooks("WorkbookName.xlsx")
wb.ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF,
Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save active workbook

```
ActiveWorkbook.ExportAsFixedFormat
__Type:=xlTypePDF,
Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save declared range

```
Dim rng As Range
Set rng = Sheets("Sheet1").Range("A1:H20")
rng.ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF,
    Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save selection

```
Selection.ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF, _
Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save declared chart

```
Dim ws As Worksheet
Dim cht As Chart
Set ws = Worksheets("SheetName")
Set cht = ws.ChartObjects("Chart 1").Chart
cht.ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF,
Filename:=pdfFile
```

Save active chart

```
ActiveChart. ExportAsFixedFormat Type:=xlTypePDF, _ Filename:=pdfFile
```

PDF Options

PDF Print options

```
'Open the document after save: True / False
OpenAfterPublish:=False

'Include Excel document properties in PDF: True / False
IncludeDocProperties:=True

'Adhere to the existing Print Areas: True / False
IgnorePrintAreas:=False

'Set the output quality of the created document
'xlQualityMinimum / xlQualityStandard
Quality:=xlQualityStandard

'The page to start printing from.
From:=1

'The page to print to.
To:=2
```

Example using all options

```
ActiveSheet.ExportAsFixedFormat _
    Type:=xlTypePDF, _
    pFilename:=pdfFile, _
    OpenAfterPublish:=False, _
    IncludeDocProperties:=True, _
    IgnorePrintAreas:=False, _
    Quality:=xlQualityStandard, _
    From:=1, To:=2
```



VBA Cheat Sheet - Arrays (page 1)

About arrays

- Arrays: stores data of same variable type (type cannot change)
- Size / I
- · length: the number of elements in the array
- · Element: one item with an array
- Index: the position of the element within the array
- Static arrays: the size is fixed at creation (cannot be resized)
- Dynamic arrays: the size can be adjusted as the macro runs
- Array index starts counting at 0, can change to count from 1 by using Option Base 1 at the start of the code module

Arrays created from ranges always have 2 dimensions

Declaring arrays

Static (1 dimension)	Dim arr(0 To 10) As Integer				
Static (1 dimension)	Dim arr(10) As Integer				
Static (2 dimension)	Dim arr(0 To 5, 0 To 5) As Integer				
Dynamic	Dim arr() As Integer				
Dynamic	Dim arr As Variant				

Resizing dynamic arrays

- · Resizing with ReDim will clear the values in the array.
- Resizing with ReDim Preserve keeps in the values in the array, but only last dimension can be resized

Resize ReDim arr(0 To 10)

Resize + keep data ReDim Preserve arr(0 To 10)

Assign values to an array

Assign values individually

```
Dim arr(0 To 2) As String
arr(1) = "Alpha"
arr(2) = "Bravo"
arr(3) = "Charlie"
```

Assign values individually from list

```
Dim arr As Variant
arr = Array("Alpha", "Bravo", "Charlie")
```

Assign values individually from list (multi dimension)

```
Dim arr As Variant
arr = Array(Array("Alpha", "Bravo"), Array(1,2))
```

Assign values by splitting string with a separator

```
Dim arr As Variant
arr = Split("Alpha, Bravo, Charlie", ", ")
```

Assign values from range

```
Dim arr As Variant
arr = ActiveSheet.Range("A1:C3").Value2
```

Convert array to string or range

Convert array to string with separator

```
Dim arr As Variant
arr = Array("Alpha", "Bravo", "Charlie")
Msg Box Join(arr, ";")
```

Convert array to range

```
Dim arr As Variant
arr = Array("Alpha", "Bravo", "Charlie")
ActiveSheet.Range("Al:C1") = arr
```

Looping through array

```
Index of first element LBound (arr)
Index of last element UBound (arr)
```

Loop through 1-dimension array

```
Dim i As Long
For i = LBound(arr) To UBound(arr)
  [Thing to do for element]
Next i
```

Loop through 2-dimension array

```
Dim i As Long
Dim j As Long
For i = LBound(arr, 1) To UBound(arr, 1)
   For j = LBound(arr, 2) To UBound(arr, 2)
     [Thing to do for element]
   Next j
Next i
```

Loop through array with For Each

```
Dim element As Variant
For Each element In arr
Thing to do for element]
Next element
```

Array functions

Check if value is in array

```
Function IsValueInArray(arr As Variant, _
find As Variant) As Boolean

Dim element As Variant

For Each element In arr
    If element = find Then
        IsValueInArray = True
        Exit Function
    End If

Next element

IsValueInArray = False

End Function
```

Return index position of a matched value in an array



VBA Cheat Sheet - Arrays (page 2)

Array functions (continued)

Reverse the order of an array

```
Function ReverseArray(arr As Variant)
Dim temp As Variant
Dim i As Long
Dim arrSize As Long
Dim arrMid As Long
arrSize = UBound(arr)
arrMid = (UBound(arr) - LBound(arr)) \ 2 + _
 LBound(arr)
For i = LBound(arr) To arrMid
    temp = arr(arrSize)
    arr(arrSize) = arr(i)
   arr(i) = temp
   arrSize = arrSize - 1
Next i
ReverseArray = arr
End Function
```

Sort an array

```
Function SortingArrayBubbleSort(arr As Variant)
Dim i As Long
Dim j As Long
Dim temp As Variant
For i = LBound(arr) To UBound(arr) - 1
  For j = i + 1 To UBound(arr)
    If arr(i) > arr(j) Then
        temp = arr(j)
        arr(j) = arr(i)
        arr(i) = temp
    End If
    Next i
    SortingArrayBubbleSort = arr
End Function
```

Filter an array

```
Function FilterArray(arr As Variant, _
  filterValue As Variant)
FilterArray = Filter(arr, filterValue)
End Function
```



VBA Cheat Sheet – Files & Folders (page 1)

About files an folders

Folder paths always need to end with a slash (\)

File functions

Check if a file exists (True = exists, False = does not)

```
Function DoesFileExist(filePath) As Boolean
  DoesFileExist = Dir(filePath) <> ""
End Function
```

Check if a folder exists (True = exists, False = does not)

```
Function DoesFolderExist(folderPath As String) _
   As Boolean
DoesFolderExist = Dir(folderPath, _
   vbDirectory) <> ""
End Function
```

Check if a file is already open

```
Function IsFileOpen(fileName As String)
Dim fileNum As Integer
Dim errNum As Integer
On Error Resume Next
fileNum = FreeFile()
Open fileName For Input Lock Read As #fileNum
Close fileNum
errNum = Err
On Error GoTo 0
Select Case errNum
  Case 0 'file closed
    IsFileOpen = False
  Case 70 'file already open
    IsFileOpen = True
  Case Else 'Something else went wrong
    IsFileOpen = errNum
End Select.
End Function
```

Get file system attributes

```
Function CheckFileAttribute(filePath As String, _
    fileAttribute As Long)
CheckFileAttribute = (GetAttr(filePath) _
    And fileAttribute) <> 0
End Function
```

The fileAttribute argument can be:

<u>Attribute</u>	<u>Enumerator</u>	<u>Description</u>
vbNormal	0	Normal
vbReadOnly	1	Read-only
vbHidden	2	Hidden
vbSystem	4	System
vbVolume	8	Volume
vbDirectory	16	Directories

Copy, move and delete files

Rename or move a file or folder

Name "C:\Users\marks\Documents\FileName.xlsx"
As "C:\Users\marks\Documents\NewFileName.xlsx"

Copy a file

Delete a file

Kill "C:\Users\marks\Documents\DeleteMe.xlsx"

Delete files using wildcards (? = 1 character, * = 2+ characters)

Kill "C:\Users\marks\Documents*.xlsx"

Delete all files in a folder

Kill "C:\Users\marks\Documents*.*"

Delete a folder

```
Kill "C:\Users\marks\Documents\Delete Folder\" _
    & "*.*"
RmDir folderPath
```

Create a new folder

MkDir "C:\Users\marks\Documents\New folder"

Create all folders along a file path

```
Sub MakeAllFolders(folderPath As String)

Dim individualFolders() As String
Dim tempFolderPath As String
Dim arrayElement As Variant

individualFolders = Split(folderPath, "\")

For Each arrayElement In individualFolders
tempFolderPath = tempFolderPath & _
    arrayElement & "\"

If Dir(tempFolderPath, vbDirectory) = "" Then
    MkDir tempFolderPath
End If
Next arrayElement

End Sub
```

Loop files in a folder

Loop through all files a folder

```
Dim folderName As Variant
folderName = Dir("C:\Users\marks\Documents\")
While folderName <> ""
  [Thing to do for each file]
  folderName = Dir
Wend
```



VBA Cheat Sheet – Files & Folders (page 2)

Selecting files with the dialog box

Select a file with the dialog box

```
Function SelectFile(dialogTitle As String)
Dim dialogBox As FileDialog
Set dialogBox = _
   Application.FileDialog(msoFileDialogOpen)
dialogBox.AllowMultiSelect = False
dialogBox.Title = dialogTitle
If dialogBox.Show = -1 Then
   SelectFile = dialogBox.SelectedItems(1)
Else
   SelectFile = ""
End If
End Function
```

Select a folder with the dialog box

```
Function selectFolder(dialogTitle As String)
Dim dialogBox As FileDialog
Set dialogBox = _
   Application.FileDialog(msoFileDialogFolderPicker)
dialogBox.Title = dialogTitle
If dialogBox.Show = -1 Then
   selectFolder = dialogBox.SelectedItems(1)
Else
   selectFolder = ""
End If
End Function
```

Zipping and unzipping folders

Zip a folder

```
Sub CreateZipFile(folderToZipPath As Variant,
  zippedFileFullName As Variant)
Dim ShellApp As Object
Open zippedFileFullName For Output As #1
Print #1, Chr$(80) & Chr$(75) & Chr$(5) &
  Chr$(6) & String(18, 0)
Close #1
Set ShellApp = CreateObject("Shell.Application")
ShellApp.Namespace(zippedFileFullName).CopyHere _
  ShellApp.Namespace(folderToZipPath).items
On Error Resume Next
Do Until ShellApp.Namespace(zippedFileFullName).
  items.Count =
  ShellApp.Namespace(folderToZipPath).items.Count
  Application.Wait (Now + TimeValue("0:00:01"))On
Error GoTo 0
End Sub
```

Unzip a folder

```
Sub UnzipAFile(zippedFileFullName As Variant,_
unzipToPath As Variant)

Dim ShellApp As Object
Set ShellApp = CreateObject("Shell.Application")
ShellApp.Namespace(unzipToPath).CopyHere
ShellApp.Namespace(zippedFileFullName).items
End Sub
```



Visual Basic Editor – Shortcut Keys (Page 1)

	On its own	Shift	Ctrl	Alt	Ctrl + Shift
F1	Help				
F2	Object browser	Procedure definition	Activate object box		Previous position
F3	Find next for last searched word	Find previous			
F4	Properties window	Find next	Close window	Close VBE	
F5	Runs selected procedure			Run error handler	
F6	Toggle split windows				
F7	Displays code window of object				
F8	Step into	Step over line by line	Run to cursor	Step error handler	Step out of code
F9	Toggle breakpoint	Quick watch			Clear all breakpoints
F10	Activate menu bar	Show right- click menu	Activate menu bar		
F11				Toggle between VBE & application	



Visual Basic Editor – Shortcut Keys (Page 2)

	On its own	Shift	Ctrl	Alt	Ctrl + Shift
Insert	Toggle insert mode	Paste	Сору		
Delete	Delete		Delete to end of word		
Home	Beginning of line	Select to start of line	Move to top of module		
End	End of line	Select to end of line	Move to end of module		
Page Up	Page up	Select to top of module	Top of current procedure		
Page Down	Page down	Select to end of module	End of current procedure		
Left Arrow	Move cursor left	Extend selection 1 character left	Moves cursor left 1 word		
Right Arrow	Move cursor right	Extend selection 1 character right	Moves cursor right 1 word		
Up Arrow	Move cursor up	Extend selection up	Previous procedure		
Down Arrow	Move cursor down	Extend selection down	Next procedure		
Space			Complete word drop down	Activate system menu	
Tab	Indent / complete word	Un-indent	Cycle through windows	Cycle applications	
Enter	New line				
Backspace	Delete previous character		Delete to start of word	Undo	



Visual Basic Editor – Shortcut Keys (Page 3)

	On its own	Shift	Ctrl	Alt	Ctrl + Shift
А			Select all	Add-ins menu	
С			Сору		
D				Debug menu	
Е			Export module	Edit menu	
F			Find	File menu	
G			Immediate window		
Н			Replace	Help menu	
I			Quick info		Turn on list parameter info
J			List available properties	Insert menu	Drop down of constants
L			Call stack		
М			Import file		
N			New line (no indentation)		
0				Format menu	
Р			Print		
Q				Close VBE	
R			Project explorer	Run menu	
S			Save		
Т			Components dialog box	Tools menu	
V			Paste	View Menu	
W				Window Menu	
Х			Cut		
Υ			Cut entire line		
Z			Undo		

