Power BI DAX Cheat Sheet

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Date & Time Functions

TODAY(): Returns the current date

Example: TODAY() \rightarrow 17-06-2025

NOW(): Returns the current date and time

Example: NOW() \rightarrow 17-06-2025 17:22

YEAR(date): Extracts year from a date

Example: YEAR('Sales'[Order Date]) → 2025

MONTH(date): Extracts month number from a date

Example: MONTH('Sales'[Order Date]) → 6

DAY(date): Extracts day from a date

Example: DAY('Sales'[Order Date]) \rightarrow 17

DATEDIFF(start_date, end_date, interval): Calculates

difference between two dates

Example: DATEDIFF('Sales'[Order Date],

'Sales'[Delivery Date], DAY) \rightarrow 5

EOMONTH(date, months): Returns end of month

Example: EOMONTH('Sales'[Order Date], 0) \rightarrow 30-06-

2025





Aggregation Functions

SUM(column): Adds up all values in a column Example: SUM('Sales'[Amount]) → ₹1,00,000

AVERAGE(column): Returns average of values Example: AVERAGE('Sales'[Profit]) → ₹2,350

MIN(column): Returns the minimum value Example: MIN('Sales'[Quantity]) $\rightarrow 1$

MAX(column): Returns the maximum value Example: MAX('Sales'[Discount]) → 30

COUNT(column): Counts non-blank values

Example: COUNT('Customer'[Customer ID]) → 2300

COUNTA(column): Counts non-empty values (text + numbers)

Example: COUNTA('Customer'[Email]) → 2265

COUNTROWS(table): Counts rows in a table **Example: COUNTROWS('Orders')** → **10,000**





Text Functions

CONCATENATE(text1, text2): Joins two text values **Example: CONCATENATE('Customer'[First Name], "**", 'Customer'[Last Name]) → "Apoorva Iyer"

LEFT(text, num_chars): Returns first N characters

Example: LEFT('Product'[Product Code], 3) → "PRO"

RIGHT(text, num_chars): Returns last N characters Example: RIGHT('Product'[Product Code], 4) → "1002"

LEN(text): Returns number of characters Example: LEN('Customer'[Email]) → 22

SEARCH(find_text, within_text): Finds position of text Example: SEARCH("Gold", 'Customer'[Membership]) → 1





Logical Functions

IF(condition, true, false): Returns different values based on condition

Example: IF('Sales'[Amount] > 1000, "High", "Low")

SWITCH(expression, value1, result1, ..., else): Replaces multiple IFs

Example: SWITCH('Sales'[Region], "East", 1, "West", 2, "Others")

AND(cond1, cond2): Returns TRUE if all conditions are true

Example: AND('Sales'[Amount] > 500, 'Sales'[Profit] > 0)

OR(cond1, cond2): Returns TRUE if any condition is true

Example: OR('Sales'[Discount] > 20, 'Sales'[Quantity] > 5)

NOT(condition): Reverses logic

Example: NOT('Sales'[Is Returned])





Time Intelligence Functions

CALCULATE(expression, filters): Changes context Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]), 'Region'[Name] = "South")

FILTER(table, condition): Filters rows of a table **Example: FILTER('Sales', 'Sales'[Profit] < 0)**

ALL(column/table): Removes all filters Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]), ALL('Sales'))

ALLEXCEPT(table, column): Removes filters except on one column

Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]), ALLEXCEPT('Sales', 'Sales'[Region]))

SELECTEDVALUE(column): Returns selected value or blank

Example: SELECTEDVALUE('Product'[Category])

ALLSELECTED(column): Keeps only report-level filters

Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]), ALLSELECTED('Sales'[Region]))



Ranking Functions

RANKX(table, expression): Rank values

Example: RANKX(ALL('Sales'[Product]),

SUM('Sales'[Amount]), , DESC)

TOPN(n, table, expression, order): Returns top N rows

Example: TOPN(5, 'Sales', 'Sales'[Amount], DESC)





Maths Functions

ROUND(number, digits): Rounds number

Example: ROUND('Sales'[Profit], 2) \rightarrow 234.67

DIVIDE(numerator, denominator, alt): Safe division Example: DIVIDE('Sales'[Profit], 'Sales'[Amount], 0)

ABS(number): Absolute value

Example: ABS('Sales'[Profit])

MOD(number, divisor): Remainder

Example: MOD('Product'[ID], 2)

POWER(number, power): Exponentiation

Example: POWER('Sales'[Quantity], 2)

INT(number): Converts to integer

Example: INT('Sales'[Amount])





Relationship Functions

RELATED(column): Fetches value from related table **Example: RELATED('Customer'[Customer Name])**

RELATEDTABLE(table): Returns related rows

Example:

COUNTROWS(RELATEDTABLE('Orders'))





Context & Evaluation Functions

HASONEVALUE(column): Checks if one value is selected

Example: HASONEVALUE('Product'[Category])

ISFILTERED(column): Returns TRUE if filtered Example: ISFILTERED('Sales'[Region])

ISCROSSFILTERED(column): Cross-filter check Example: ISCROSSFILTERED('Product'[Category])

ISINSCOPE(column): Grouping or hierarchy check **Example: ISINSCOPE('Date'[Month])**

VALUES(column): Unique values

Example: VALUES('Customer'[Region])





Statistical & Counting Functions

DISTINCTCOUNT(column): Unique value count Example: DISTINCTCOUNT('Sales'[Customer ID]) → 1024

COUNTBLANK(column): Blank count Example: COUNTBLANK('Orders'[Ship Date]) → 78

PERCENTILE.INC(column, k): Inclusive percentile Example: PERCENTILE.INC('Sales'[Amount], 0.90) → ₹9800

PERCENTILE.EXC(column, k): Exclusive percentile Example: PERCENTILE.EXC('Sales'[Amount], 0.90)

→ ₹9600

MEDIAN(column): Middle value

Example: MEDIAN('Sales'[Discount]) → 10

GEOMEAN(column): Geometric mean

Example: GEOMEAN('Sales'[Growth Rate])





Information Functions

ISBLANK(value): Checks if blank

Example: ISBLANK([Profit Margin]) → **TRUE**

ISNUMBER(value): Checks if number

Example: ISNUMBER('Sales'[Quantity])

ISTEXT(value): Checks if text

Example: ISTEXT('Customer'[Name])

ISEVEN(number): Even number check

Example: ISEVEN('Sales'[Order ID])

ISODD(number): Odd number check

Example: ISODD('Sales'[Order ID])





Advanced Filtering & Context

REMOVEFILTERS(column): Removes filters **Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]),** REMOVEFILTERS('Sales'[Region]))

KEEPFILTERS(filter): Keeps existing filters Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]), KEEPFILTERS('Sales'[Category] = "Furniture"))

CROSSFILTER(col1, col2, direction): Sets filter direction

Example: CROSSFILTER('Customer'[Customer ID], 'Sales'[Customer ID], None)

TREATAS(table, column): Applies values as filters **Example:**

TREATAS(VALUES('Region_Filter'[Region]), 'Sales'[Region])

USERELATIONSHIP(col1, col2): Enables inactive relationship

Example: CALCULATE(SUM('Sales'[Amount]), USERELATIONSHIP('Date'[Date], 'Sales'[Ship Date]))





Iterator Functions

SUMX(table, expression): Row-wise sum Example: SUMX('Sales', 'Sales'[Quantity] * 'Sales'[Unit Price])

AVERAGEX(table, expression): Row-wise average Example: AVERAGEX('Sales', 'Sales'[Amount])

MAXX(table, expression): Row-wise maximum **Example: MAXX('Products', 'Products'[Discount])**

MINX(table, expression): Row-wise minimum Example: MINX('Products', 'Products'[Discount])

COUNTX(table, expression): Row-wise count Example: COUNTX('Sales', 'Sales'[Profit])





Table Functions

SUMMARIZE(table, groupBy_column, ...): Groups table

Example: SUMMARIZE('Sales', 'Sales'[Region], "Total", SUM('Sales'[Amount]))

ADDCOLUMNS(table, name, expression): Adds calculated column

Example: ADDCOLUMNS('Sales', "Profit%", DIVIDE('Sales'[Profit], 'Sales'[Amount]))

CROSSJOIN(table1, table2): Cartesian join Example: CROSSJOIN('Product', 'Region')

UNION(table1, table2): Appends tables **Example: UNION('Returns2024', 'Returns2025')**

EXCEPT(table1, table2): Table difference Example: EXCEPT('FullList', 'BlockedList')





Financial Functions

XIRR(values, dates): Internal rate of return Example: XIRR('CashFlow'[Amount], 'CashFlow'[Date])

XNPV(rate, values, dates): Net present value

Example: XNPV(0.1, 'CashFlow'[Amount],

'CashFlow'[Date])





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