

# How can I create an ODD function in Excel?

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Creating an ODD function in Excel involves using a combination of built-in functions and logical operators to identify and extract odd values from a given dataset. This function can be useful for various data analysis tasks, such as identifying outliers or filtering specific data points. By following a few simple steps, users can easily create an ODD function in Excel to efficiently manipulate and analyze their data.

This article describes the formula syntax and usage of the **ODD** function in Microsoft Excel.

## Description

Returns number rounded up to the nearest odd integer.

## Syntax

ODD(number)

The ODD function syntax has the following arguments:

**Number:** Required. The value to round.

## Remarks

If number is nonnumeric, ODD returns the #VALUE! error value.

Regardless of the sign of number, a value is rounded up when adjusted away from zero. If number is an odd integer, no rounding occurs.