BUSINESSDATEWE

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Use BUSINESSDATEWE to return a specified date with the specified number interval (which is a signed integer) added to a specified date part of the specified date. When the specified date is 'D' (for days), the function will add the number interval and exclude holidays and weekend days in the calculation. BUSINESSDATEWE allows you to specify the weekend day(s) to be used in the calculation. If your weekend days are always going to be Saturday and Sunday, you can use the BUSINESSDATE function.

Syntax

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Public Shared Function BUSINESSDATEWE(
ByVal StartDate As Date,
ByVal DatePart As String,
ByVal Number As Integer,
ByVal DateRollRule As String,
ByVal Holidays As String,
ByVal WE1 As Integer,
ByVal WE2 As Integer,)
```

Arguments

StartDate

the date to be manipulated in this function. BUSINESSDATEWE will add the specified *number* and *Datepart* and return a result. *StartDate* is an expression that returns a **Date**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Date**.

DatePart

the part of *Startdate* to which *Number* is added. BUSINESSDATEWE accepts days, weeks, months, or years in *DatePart.DatePart* is an expression that returns a **String**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **String**.

Number

an integer that is added to the *DatePart* of *StartDate*. *Number* is an expression that returns a **Integer**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Integer**.

DateRollRule

Identifies the date rolling convention to be used when the result falls on a non-business day and the *DatePart* is week, month, or year. The *DateRollRule* values are:

- A actual day is returned with no adjustment.
- F next business day is returned.
- M next business day is returned unless it is in a different month in which case the previous business day is returned.
- P preceding business day is returned.
- MP preceding business day is returned unless it is in a different month in which in case the next business day is returned.

DateRollRule is an expression that returns a **String**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **String**.

Holidays

a comma separated string containing the holiday (non-business) dates to be used in the calculation of the number of business days. You can use the aggregate function NDB to create an appropriately formatted string. *Holidays* is an expression that returns a **String**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **String**.

WE1

the first weekend day. Sunday is day 0; Saturday is day 6. *WE1* is an expression that returns a **Integer**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Integer**.

WE2

the second weekend day. Sunday is day 0; Saturday is day 6. *WE2* is an expression that returns a **Integer**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Integer**.

Return Type

Date

Remarks

- DatePart must be 'D', 'd', 'W', 'W', 'M', 'm', 'Y', or 'y'
- DatePart must be 'A', 'a', 'F', 'f', 'M', 'm', 'P', 'p', 'MP' or 'mp'
- If DateRollRule is NULL, it is set to 'F'
- If WE1 IS NULL and WE2 IS NULL then WE1 = 6 and WE2 = 0
- If WE2 is NULL and WE1 is NOT NULL then WE2 = WE1
- If WE1 is NULL and WE2 is NOT NULL then WE1 = WE2
- WE1 must be between 0 and 6
- WE2 must be between 0 and 6

See Also

- BUSDAYS Number of business days between two dates
- BUSDAYSWE Number of business days using specified weekend days
- BUSINESSDATE Calculate a business date from an offset
- T360 Number of periods (fractional) from a cash flow date to a settlement date