RPIMDURATION

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Use RPIMDURATION to calculate the modified duration for a bond that pays regular periodic interest. Modified duration is calculated as the first derivative of the price with respect to yield multiplied by -1 divided by the dirty price of the bond.

$$MDURATION = \frac{-\frac{\partial P}{\partial y}}{P_{dirty}}$$

Syntax

Public Shared Function RPIDURATION(
ByVal Settlement As Date,
ByVal Maturity As Date,
ByVal Rate As Double,
ByVal Yld As Double,
ByVal Redemption As Double,
ByVal Frequency As Double,
ByVal Basis As String,)

Arguments

Settlement

the settlement date occurring within a coupon period of the bond. *Settlement* is an expression that returns a **Date**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Date**.

Maturity

the maturity date of the bond. *Maturity* is an expression that returns a **Date**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Date**.

Rate

the bond's annual coupon rate. *Rate* is an expression that returns a **Double**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Double**.

Yld

the yield for the maturity date passed into the function. *Yld* is an expression that returns a **Double**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Double**.

Redemption

the redemption value of the bond assuming a par value of 100. *Redemption* is an expression that returns a **Double**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Double**.

Frequency

the number of coupon payments per year. For annual payments, *Frequency* = 1; for semi-annual, *Frequency* = 2; for quarterly, *Frequency* = 4; for monthly, *Frequency* = 12. For bonds with Basis =

"A/364" or 9, you can enter 364 for payments made every 52 weeks, 182 for payments made every 26 weeks, 91 for payments made every 13 weeks, 28 for payments made every 4 weeks, 14 for payments made every 2 weeks, and 7 for weekly payments. *Frequency* is an expression that returns a **Double**, or of a type that can be implicitly converted to **Double**.

Basis

the type of day count to use.

Basis	Day count basis
0, "BOND"	US (NASD) 30/360
1, "ACTUAL"	Actual/Actual
2, "A360"	Actual/360
3, "A365"	Actual/365
4, "30E/360 (ISDA)", "30E/360", "ISDA", "30E/360	European 30/360
ISDA", "EBOND"	
5, "30/360", "30/360 ISDA", "GERMAN"	30/360 ISDA
6, "NL/ACT"	No Leap Year/ACT
7, "NL/365"	No Leap Year /365
8, "NL/360"	No Leap Year /360
9, "A/365"	Actual/364
10, "BOND NON-EOM"	US (NASD) 30/360 non-end-of-month
11, "ACTUAL NON-EOM"	Actual/Actual non-end-of-month
12, "A360 NON-EOM"	Actual/360 non-end-of-month
13, "A365 NON-EOM"	Actual/365 non-end-of-month
14, "30E/360 NON-EOM", "30E/360 ICMA NON-	European 30/360 non-end-of-month
EOM", "EBOND NON-EOM"	
15, "30/360 NON-EOM", "30/360 ISDA NON-	30/360 ISDA non-end-of-month
EOM", "GERMAN NON-EOM"	
16, "NL/ACT NON-EOM"	No Leap Year/ACT non-end-of-month
17, "NL/365 NON-EOM"	No Leap Year/365 non-end-of-month
18, "NL/360 NON-EOM"	No Leap Year/360 non-end-of-month
19, "A/365 NON-EOM"	Actual/364 non-end-of-month

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

Return Type

Double

Remarks

- If Basis < 0 or Basis > 19 an error will be returned.
- If Maturity <= Settlement 0 is returned.
- If Settlement is NULL, Settlement equals current system processing date.
- If Rate is NULL, Rate = 0.

- If *Yld* is NULL, *Yld* = 0.
- If Frequency is NULL, Frequency = 2.
- If Basis is NULL, Basis = 0.
- Rate is entered as a decimal value; 1.0% = 0.01.
- Yld is entered as a decimal value; 1.0% = 0.01.

See Also

- CFCONVEXITY Convexity of a series of cash flows
- CFDURATION Duration of a series of cash flows
- CFMDURATION Modified duration of a series of cash flows
- CONVEXITY Convexity of an option free bond
- DURATION Duration of a security
- MDURATION Macauley Duration
- OFCCONVEXITY Convexity of a bond with and odd first coupon
- OFCDURATION Duration of a bond with an odd first coupon
- OFCMDURATION Modified duration of a bond with an odd first coupon
- OFLCONVEXITY Convexity of a bond with an odd first and odd last coupon
- OFLDURATION Duration of a bond with an odd first and odd last coupon
- OFLMDURATION Modified duration of a bond with an odd first and odd last coupon
- OLCCONVEXITY Convexity of a bond with an odd last coupon
- OLCDURATION Duration of a bond with an odd last coupon
- OLCMDURATION Modified duration of a bond with an odd last coupon
- RPICONVEXITY Convexity of a bond paying regular periodic interest
- RPIDURATION Duration of a bond paying regular periodic interest
- STEPCONVEXITY Convexity of a stepped-coupon bond
- STEPDURATION Duration of a stepped-coupon bond
- STEPMDURATION Modified duration of a stepped-coupon bond