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The following article introduces you to the **ISFORMULA** function - one of the functions in the information function group is very popular in Excel.

Hàm ISFORMULA

Description: The function returns **True** if the cell refers to a cell containing the formula. Support functions from Excel 2013 onwards.

Syntax: ISFORMULA (reference)

Inside:

- **reference:** Reference to the cell to check, is a required parameter.

Attention:

- The function returns **True** value if it refers to the formula and vice versa, the function returns **False** value .

- If reference is invalid -> function returns error value **#VALUE!**

For example:

Is determining the values ??in the **value** a formula reference?

	A	B	C	D
2				
3		Hàm ISFORMULA trong Excel		
4		<i>Nhóm hàm thông tin</i>		
5		<i>STT</i>	<i>reference</i>	<i>ISFORMULA(reference)</i>
6		1	9	
7		2	9/20/2016	?
8		3	0	
9		4		
10		5	SYSTEM	
11				

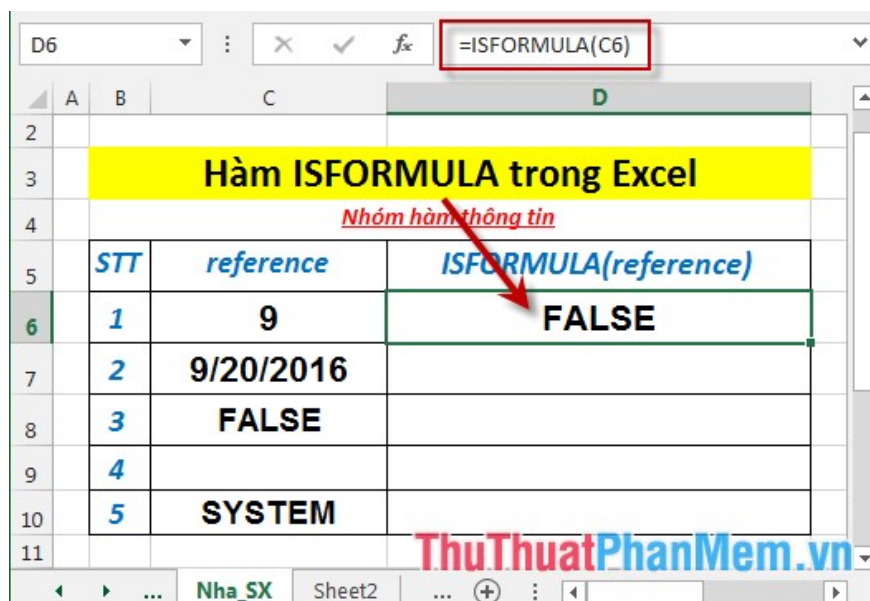
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- In the cell to calculate enter the formula : = ISFORMULA (C6)

	A	B	C	D
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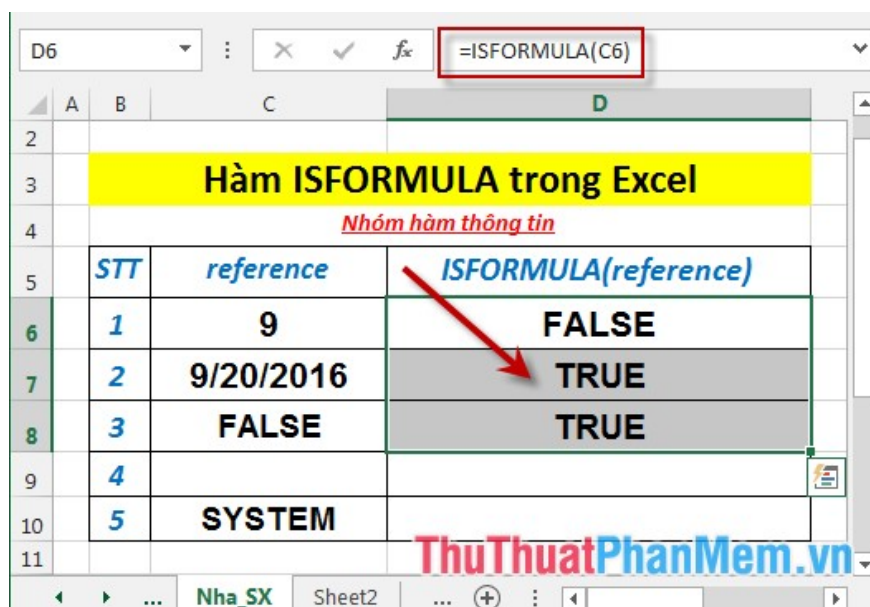
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- Press **Enter** -> return value is:



- Here 9 is a number entered from the keyboard, so the function returns the value **False**.

- Similarly copying the formula for the remaining values ??results:



- Here cell value **C7 = TODAY ()**, **C8 = D6** in the form of a formula reference -> function returns **True** value .

- Where **value** is blank or not a formula -> function returns **False** value :

D9 : `=ISFORMULA(C9)`

STT	reference	ISFORMULA(reference)
1	9	FALSE
2	9/20/2016	TRUE
3	FALSE	TRUE
4	SYSTEM	FALSE
5	SYSTEM	FALSE

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- Where the **value** is not numeric -> the function returns the error value #VALUE!

D10 : `=ISEVEN(C10)`

STT	value	ISEVEN(value)
1	9	FALSE
2	12	TRUE
3	36	TRUE
4	SYSTEM	TRUE
5	SYSTEM	#VALUE!

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Above are instructions and some specific examples when using **ISFORMULA** function in Excel.

Good luck!

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