

# ISREF function - The function returns True if the value is a valid reference value in Excel

ISREF function: The function returns True if that value is a valid reference value. Application function to check if the value is a reference value or not. Syntax: ISREF (value)

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

## Hàm ISREF

**Description:** The function returns **True** if the value is a valid reference value. Application function to check if the value is a reference value or not.

**Syntax:** ISREF (value)

Inside:

- **value:** The value you want to check is a reference or not, is a required parameter.

**Attention:**

- The function returns **True** if the value is a reference and vice versa the function returns **False**.

**For example:**

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

	A	B	C	D
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3		<b>Hàm ISREF trong Excel</b>		
4		<i>Nhóm hàm thông tin</i>		
5		<i>STT</i>	<i>value</i>	<i>ISREF(value)</i>
6		1	205	
7		2	-268	
8		3		?
9		4	Excel.net	
10		5		
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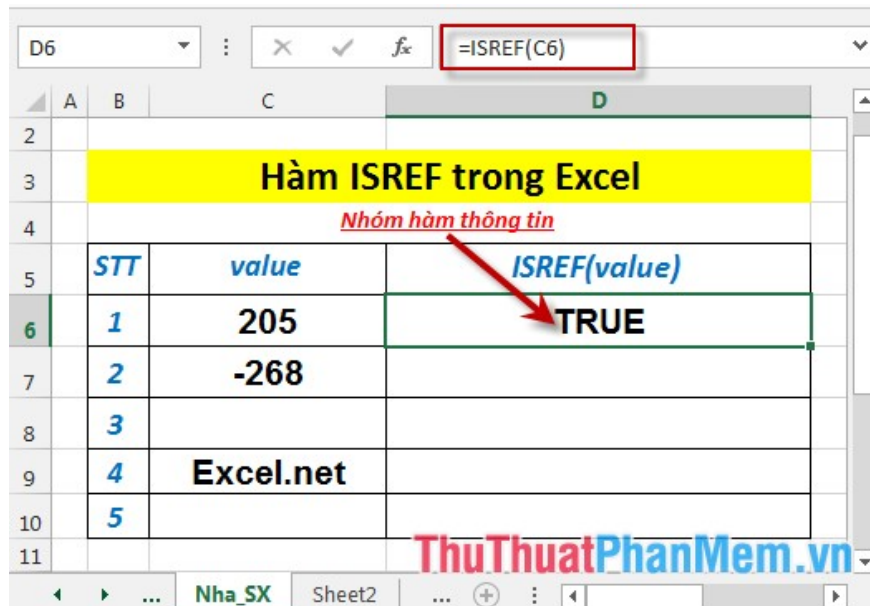
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- In the cell to calculate enter the formula : = ISREF (C6)

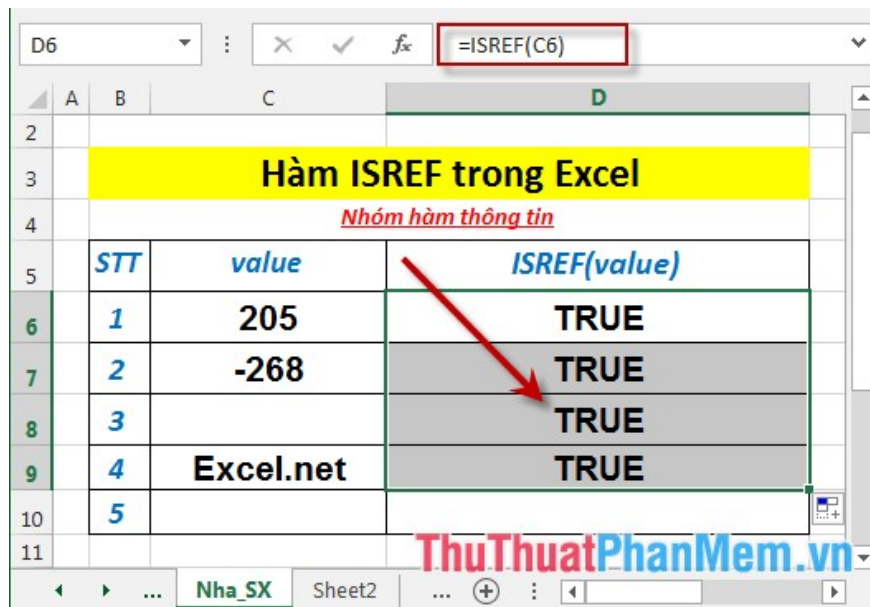
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- Press **Enter** -> return value is:



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



- Here if **value** is blank -> the function returns **True**.

- Where is not a reference -> enter the formula: = ISREF ("Excel.net")

STT	value	ISREF(value)
1	205	TRUE
2	-268	TRUE
3		TRUE
4	Excel.net	TRUE
5		=ISREF("Excel.net")

- Press **Enter** -> function returns **False** value :

STT	value	ISREF(value)
1	205	TRUE
2	-268	TRUE
3		TRUE
4	Excel.net	TRUE
5		FALSE

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

Good luck!

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