#### COLUMNS

[Syntax](Syntax.docx):

COLUMNS ( array )

Description: Finds the number of columns corresponding to array.

Arguments:

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| Name | Type | Description |
| array | array, [reference](reference.docx) | Any array. |

Return Type and Value: number – The number of columns corresponding to array.

However, if the range of cells referred to by array is not contiguous, #NULL! is returned.

[Example:  
  
COLUMNS(E16:F16) results in 2  
COLUMNS(E16:G18) results in 3  
COLUMNS({1,2;3,4}) results in 2  
  
end example]