#### COUNTBLANK

[Syntax](Syntax.docx):

COUNTBLANK ( cell-range )

Description: Counts the number of cells in a specified range of cells, which are empty. A [cell](cell.docx) containing a [formula](formula.docx) that returns an empty string is counted, whereas a [cell](cell.docx) containing a zero value is not.

Arguments:

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| Name | Type | Description |
| cell-range | [reference](reference.docx) | Designates the range of cells to be inspected. |

Return Type and Value: number – The number of empty cells in the range specified.

[Example:  
  
COUNTBLANK(A2:C2), where A2 and B2 are empty, but C2 is not, results in 2  
  
end example]