



## Module 27: EOMONTH Function

### 27.1 EOMONTH Function

**The EOMONTH function in Excel allows you to return the serial number of a date that is the last day of the specified amount of months after a set date.**

For example, if your start date is January 23 2006 and you want to know what the date is 17 months from then, you will get the serial number for the date June 30 2007, you can then convert this into a date format.

The formula is written as: **=EOMONTH(start\_date, months)**

start\_date - This is the start date that you would like to calculate the months from.

months - The number of months you would like to calculate from the start date.

It is worth noting that the first date that can be used with this formula is January 1, 1900, as Excel does not use serial numbers for anything prior to this period. Anything before that time will only return an error.

### 27.2 Video Instruction

**EOMONTH Function in Excel - 2m 06s**

## 27.3 Task

*Estimated Time: 10 minutes*

Download the worksheet that accompanies this video by clicking below. Once downloaded, follow the video above and you will see how the results are reached for the EOMONTH function.

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