4. Functions and Control Statements

Working with function

- String function
- Mathematical function
- Date function
- I/O function

String function

- String()
- Instr()
- InstrRev()
- Left()
- Right()
- Mid()
- Len()
- Replace()
- LTrim()
- RTrim()
- Trim()
- Str()
- Format()

Mathematical function

- Abs()
- Atn()
- Sin()
- Cos()
- Tan()
- Hex()
- Oct()
- Sqr()
- Val()

Date and Time function

- Now()
- Date/Date\$()
- Time/Time\$()
- Datepart()
- DateAdd()
- DateDiff()
- DateValue()
- TimeValue()
- Dateserial()
- Month()
- Day()
- year()
- Hour()
- Minute()

Control statements

- If statements
- Select case statements
- Do statements
- For loop
- Exit

If statements

- The if ...then structure tests the condition specified and if it's true executes the statements that follows.
- Syntax:-
- If condition then statement

• If......Then.....Else Statement:

A variation of the If..Then statement is the If..Then..Else statements, which executes one block of statements if the condition is true and other condition is false.

- Syntax :
- If condition Then
- statementblock-1
- Else
- statementblock-2
- End If

Select case statement

 The select case structure compares one expression with different values.

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Syntax:-
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- Select case expression
- Case value 1

Statementblock-1

- Csae value 2
- Statementblock -2
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- Case else
- Statementblock
- End select

Looping Statements

- Loop statements allow you to one or more lines of code repetitively.
- Visual Basic supports the following loop statements:
 - 1)Do...loop
 - 2) For...Next
 - 3) Exit

1) Do...Loop

- The do... loop executes a block of statements for as long as a condition is true.
- There are two variations of the Do...Loop statement.
- A Loop can be executed either while the condition is true or Untill the condition becomes true.

- To execute a block of statements while condition is true
- Syntax:

Do while condition statement-block

Loop

- To execute a block of statements Until the condition becomes is true
- Syntax :

Do Until condition statement-block

Loop

2) For.....Next Loop

- The for...next loop is require to know how meny times the statements in the loopwill be executed.
- Syntax:-

For counter = start to end [step increment]
Statements

Next [counter]

exit

- The wxit statement allows you to exit
 prematurely from a block of statements in a
 control structure, from a loop, or even from a
 procedure.
- Syntax:-
- exit

• For ex :-

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For i = 0 To Ubound (nArray())
  If nArray(i) < 0 Then Exit For
  nArray(i) = Sqr (nArray(i))
Next</pre>
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