

ACL Acerno™ is a Microsoft Excel® add-in specially designed for exploring the facts

ACL Acerno is an add-in for Excel that is designed for working with data results produced by analytic systems. A purpose-built Excel audit investigation tool, ACL Acerno allows you to protect and explore data; track your notes, status and tickmarks; and effortlessly share finished work.

Key Features/Benefits

Quickly Set Up Data

Protect & Format Data

- Safeguards data so accidental changes can't occur
- Automatically format data
- View valuable statistics in the Acerno panel

ACL AuditExchange™

- Run AuditExchange analytics and view the results

User-Friendly Data Exploration

Summarize, Age, Stratify

- Easy commands for Summarize, Age and Stratify to start investigating the results of your data
- Categorize and look for trends in the data in an Acerno table, or a Microsoft Excel PivotTable® or PivotChart®

Computed Column

- Add a new column with a custom formula to a protected range of data as part of an investigation

Easily Work with the Results

Sample

- Quickly draw a random sample of your entire dataset in just a couple of clicks
- Perform the sample in the future using the same random seed

Row Status

- Apply statuses to rows, one at a time or all at once
- Customize default status options available
- Use tickmarks to explain the results

Notes

- Attach notes to entire rows one at a time or all at once

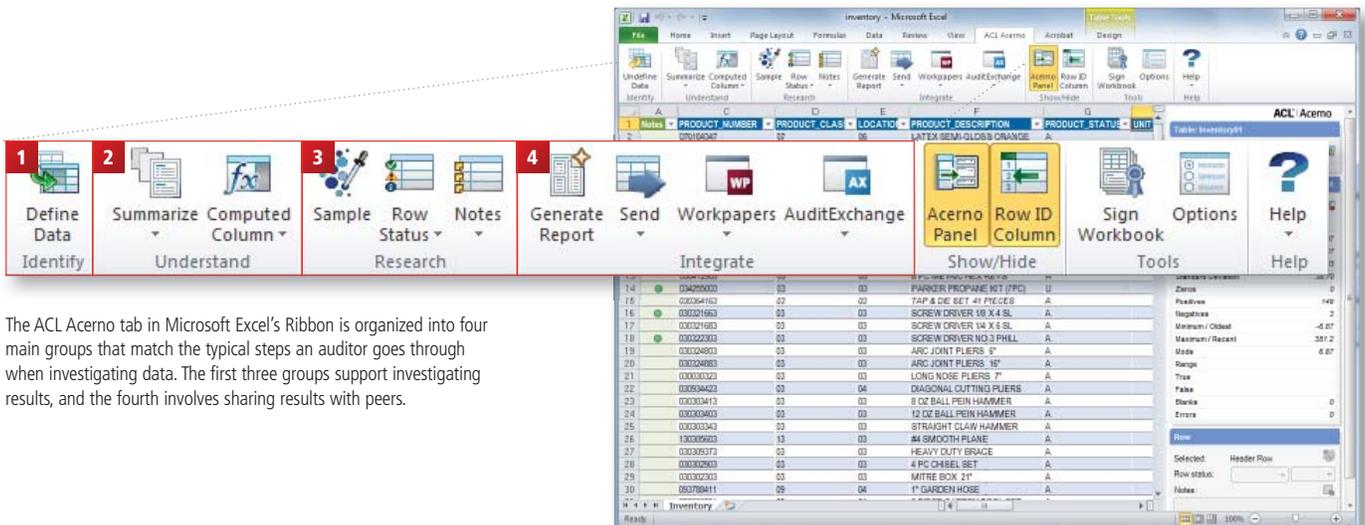
Effortlessly Share Results and Findings

Collaborate

- Save and/or email Acerno results to peers

Working Papers Systems

- Upload findings into ACL™ Workpapers system in one click
- Works with other working paper systems by creating a report of the findings and table history



The ACL Acerno tab in Microsoft Excel's Ribbon is organized into four main groups that match the typical steps an auditor goes through when investigating data. The first three groups support investigating results, and the fourth involves sharing results with peers.

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Technical Specifications

ACL Acerno is tested and supported on systems with the following specifications:

- Operating System*:
- Microsoft Windows® 7 (32-bit or 64-bit version)
 - Microsoft Windows XP (SP3; 32-bit version)

- Microsoft Excel*:
- Excel 2007 or Excel 2010 (32-bit or 64-bit version)

- Other**:
- MS .NET Framework 4.0 Client Profile
 - MSXML 4.0 SP2 Parser and SDK
 - Windows Imaging Component

* ACL Acerno 2.0 supports the following language editions of Microsoft Windows and Excel: English, French, Spanish, German, Portuguese and Chinese.

** Automatically installed by the ACL Acerno installer.

The screenshot displays the ACL Acerno interface within Microsoft Excel. The main window shows a table with columns: Notes, Row Status, PRODUCT_NUMBER, LOCATION, PRODUCT DESCRIPTION, and UNIT_COST. The 'UNIT_COST' column is selected, and a statistics pane on the right shows the following data:

Statistic	Value
Total	2625.47
Average	17.27
Absolute Value	2659.23
Standard Deviation	38.70
Zeros	0
Positives	149
Negatives	3
Minimum / Oldest	-6.87
Maximum / Recent	381.2
Mode	6.87
Range	
True	
False	
Blanks	0

The 'Row' pane at the bottom right shows the selected row (Row 1) with a status of '3. In process' and a note: 'Pending follow-up call with Peter Wei.'

Acerno Table

Acerno panel



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