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## How can I send an email with Google Apps Script?

```
function sendEmail() {  
  var recipient = "example@gmail.com";  
  var subject = "Test Email";  
  var body = "This is a test email sent with Google  
Apps Script!";  
  MailApp.sendEmail(recipient, subject, body);  
}
```

Explanation: The `sendEmail()` function uses the `MailApp` class to send an email. The recipient's email address, subject, and body of the email are defined as variables and passed as parameters to the `sendEmail()` method.

## How can I set a cell value in Google Sheets using Google Apps Script?

```
function setCellValue() {  
  var sheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet().getSheetByName('Sheet1');  
  sheet.getRange('A1').setValue('Hello, world!');  
}
```

Explanation: The `setCellValue()` function uses the `getActiveSpreadsheet()` method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet, and `getSheetByName()` to get a reference to a specific sheet. Then, the `setValue()` method is used to set the value of the cell A1 to "Hello, world!".

## How can I get the last row of a sheet in Google Sheets using Google Apps Script?

```
function getLastRow() {  
  var sheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet().getSheetByName('Sheet1');  
  var lastRow = sheet.getLastRow();  
  Logger.log(lastRow);  
}
```

Explanation: The `getLastRow()` function uses the `getActiveSpreadsheet()` method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet, and `getSheetByName()` to get a reference to a specific sheet. The `getLastRow()` method is used to get the index of the last row in the sheet.

## How can I get the current date and time using Google Apps Script?

```
function getCurrentDateTime() {  
  var now = new Date();  
  Logger.log(now);  
}
```

Explanation: The `getCurrentDateTime()` function creates a new `Date` object, which represents the current date and time. The `Logger.log()` method is used to print the date and time to the log.

## How can I create a new sheet in a Google Sheet using Google Apps Script?

```
function createNewSheet() {  
  var spreadsheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet();  
  spreadsheet.insertSheet('New Sheet');  
}
```

Explanation: The createNewSheet() function uses the getActiveSpreadsheet() method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet, and insertSheet() to create a new sheet with the specified name.

## How can I delete a sheet in a Google Sheet using Google Apps Script?

```
function deleteSheet() {  
  var spreadsheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet();  
  var sheet = spreadsheet.getSheetByName('Sheet1');  
  spreadsheet.deleteSheet(sheet);  
}
```

Explanation: The deleteSheet() function uses the getActiveSpreadsheet() method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet, and getSheetByName() to get a reference to a specific sheet. The deleteSheet() method is used to delete the sheet.

## How can I get the values of a range of cells in Google Sheets using Google Apps Script?

```
function getValues() {  
  var sheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet().getSheetByName('Sheet1');  
  var range = sheet.getRange('A1:B10');  
  var values = range.getValues();  
  Logger.log(values);  
}
```

Explanation: The `getValues()` function uses the `getActiveSpreadsheet()` method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet

## How can I sort data in a Google Sheet using Google Apps Script?

```
function sortData() {  
  var sheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet().getSheetByName('Sheet1');  
  var range = sheet.getRange('A2:D11');  
  range.sort([[{column: 1, ascending: true}, {column: 2,  
ascending: true}]]);  
}
```

Explanation: The `sortData()` function uses the `getActiveSpreadsheet()` method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet, and `getSheetByName()` to get a reference to a

specific sheet. The `getRange()` method is used to get a range of cells, and the `sort()` method is used to sort the data in ascending order based on two columns: column 1 and column 2.

## How can I format cells in a Google Sheet using Google Apps Script?

```
function formatCells() {  
  var sheet =  
SpreadsheetApp.getActiveSpreadsheet().getSheetByName('Sheet1');  
  var range = sheet.getRange('A2:D11');  
  range.setBackground('#FFDAB9');  
  range.setFontSize(14);  
  range.setFontWeight('bold');  
}
```

Explanation: The `formatCells()` function uses the `getActiveSpreadsheet()` method to get a reference to the active spreadsheet, and `getSheetByName()` to get a reference to a specific sheet. The `getRange()` method is used to get a range of cells, and the `setBackground()`, `setFontSize()`, and `setFontWeight()` methods are used to format the cells with a background color, font size, and font weight.

## How can I use a custom function in Google Sheets using Google Apps Script?

```
function myFunction(input) {
```

```
    return input.toUpperCase();  
}
```

Explanation: The myFunction() function is a custom function that can be used in Google Sheets. The function takes an input parameter and returns the uppercase version of the input. To use the function in a Google Sheet, simply enter "=myFunction(A1)" in a cell, where A1 is the cell with the input value.