# SharePointIntegration.ImportData(Worksheet, Cell, Microsoft.SharePoint.SPView, Microsoft.SharePoint.SPList, DataImportProperties)

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## Description

Imports data from a SharePoint View to cells in the worksheet. The new data will overwrite values and formulas in the target worksheet cells, but existing formatting will be preserved.

```csharp
C#

public static Area ImportData(this Worksheet worksheet, Cell cell,
Microsoft.SharePoint.SPView view, Microsoft.SharePoint.SPList list,
DataImportProperties props)
```

```vbnet
vb.net

Public Shared Function ImportData(ByVal worksheet As Worksheet, ByVal cell As Cell,
ByVal view As Microsoft.SharePoint.SPView, ByVal list As Microsoft.SharePoint.SPList,
ByVal props As DataImportProperties) As Area
```

## Parameters

**worksheet**

The current Worksheet object which is calling ImportData

**cell**

The cell at which to start entering the imported values.

**view**

SharePoint View to use as a data source for the Area starting at the given cell

**list**

SharePoint List associated with the SharePoint View

**props**

A DataImportProperties object that contains a set of properties that will determine the behavior of the data import.

## Returns

An Area object representing the set of cells populated with the imported values.

## Remarks

⚠️ This is an extension method for the Worksheet object to be used for binding SharePoint data to spreadsheets from within SharePoint. To use this method, you must add a reference to SoftArtisans.OfficeWriter.ExcelWriter.SharePointIntegration.dll

## Examples

**C#**

```csharp
Area importedArea = ws.ImportData(cell, myView, myList, importProps);
```

**vb.net**

```vbnet
Dim importedArea As Area = ws.ImportData(cell, myView, myList, importProps)
```