

## Why Won't Numbers Calculate After Exporting To Excel

One possible reason is that the data was exported as text instead of numbers. If Excel sees 1234 as text, it's the same as trying to ask Excel to sum "AB" and "XYZ".

Н	1	J	К	L
C/D (LC)	Cumulative Balance (LC)	Debit (LC)	Credit (LC)	
	144782.50			
- 6078.28	150860.78	6078.28		
216 18	151176 96	216 18		
The number in this cell is	s formatted as text or preceded by ar	n apostrophe.		
154.63	151531.57	154.63		
414.42	151945.99	414.42		
2941.72	154887.71	2941.72		
71.40	154959.11	71.40		
548.77	155507.88	548.77		
540.00	156047.88	540.00		
1168.50	157216.38	1168.50		
3957.00	161173.38	3957.00		
1846.24	163019.62	1846.24		
218.92	163238.54	218.92		
195.00	163433.54	195.00		
26133.44	189566.98	26133.44		
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To convert all of the "text" to numbers, first highlight all the fields you'd like to update:

Then click on the "!" symbol to choose "Convert to Number":

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	C/D (LC)	Cumulative Balance (LC)	Debit (LC)	Credit (LC)	
-		144782.50			
	- 6078.28	150860.78	6078.28		
-	Number Stored as Text	151176.96	316.18		
_	Number Stored as Text	151376.94	199.98		
	Convert to Number	151531.57	154.63		
	Help on this error	151945.99	414.42		
	Ignore Error	154887.71	2941.72		
	Edit in Formula Bar	154959.11	71.40		
	Error Checking Options	155507.88	548.77		
<u> </u>		156047.88	540.00		
	1168.50	157216.38	1168.50		
	3957.00	161173.38	3957.00		

Once converted then the totals should populate at the bottom as expected!



To bypass this need to convert in the future, right click on the data itself and choose "Copy Table" rather than the Export to Excel feature:

#	G/L Acct/BP Code	G/L Acct/BP Name		Debit		Credit	Ta
1	-> 10006-00	Checking Account - (CORP)		\$ 387.88			
2	-> 10005-00	Checking Account -	(CORP)	(CORP) \$ 1,246.24			
3	41010-04	Sales - Restaurant Food (TR)				\$ 11.37	
4	41020-04	Sales - Restaurant Draft Be	C <u>o</u> py Copy <u>I</u> able Ma <u>x</u> imize/Restore Grid <u>C</u> ancel <u>D</u> uplicate <u>N</u> ew Activity			\$ 1,669.62	
5	41030-04	Sales - Restaurant Wine (1					
6	41100-04	Sales - Retail Merchandise				\$ 427.00	
7	41510-04	Sales - Less Comp Food (T			0		
8	41511-04	Sales - Less Comp Draft Be			6		
9	41513-04	Sales - Less Comp Wine (T					
10	41515-04	Sales - Less Comp Merchar			5		
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Then simply open a new Excel document and paste it in there. This "Copy Table" option should be available anywhere you see tables of data like this one and pasting as such will ensure the numbers are seen as numbers.