

# second

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Returns the seconds of a time or date-time value as a number.

## Function

```
result = second(input)
```

## Arguments

Argument	Data Type
<b>input</b>	time (datetime will be implicitly cast to time)
<b>result</b>	integer

## Comments

Returns the second of a time as a number from 0 to 59.

This function operates in the local time-zone if a datetime input is provided. See [Dates, Times and Time Zones](#).

## Examples

```
result = second(#16:43:59#) /* result = 59 */
```

```
result = second(getdate())
```