

## Excel - VBA - How to pass an Array as Criteria in Autofilter

The following figure shows the data available:

E1		Total Price				
A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Sno	Name	Price	Availability	Total Price		
1	Apple	23.00	100	2300		
2	Orange	12.00	112	1344		
3	Pear	40.00	345	13800		
4	Apple	23.00	100	2300		
5	Orange	12.00	112	1344		
6	Pear	40.00	345	13800		
7	Banana	42.00	23	966		
8	Grape	50.50	33	1666.5		
Total				37520.5		

If you need to filter say **Oranges** and **Apples** alone, you can either pass both criteria (Yes! I have avoided using - **Mutliple criteria**) or can try using an **Array** where you can pass multiple values:

```
Sub AutoFilter_Using_Arrays()
Dim oWS As Worksheet
On Error GoTo Err_Filter
Dim arCriteria(0 To 1) As String
Set oWS = ActiveSheet
arCriteria(0) = "Apple"
arCriteria(1) = "Orange"
oWS.UsedRange.AutoFilter Field:=2, Criterial:=arCriteria,
Operator:=xlFilterValues
```

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Finally:
If Not oWS Is Nothing Then Set oWS = Nothing
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Err_Filter:
If Err <> 0 Then
MsgBox Err.Description
Err.Clear
GoTo Finally
End If
End Sub
```

**NOTE:** If you leave out the **Operator** in **Excel VBA Autofilter** then only last value of the Array will be displayed.

You can also pass the values directly like:

```
WS.UsedRange.AutoFilter Field:=2, Criteria1:=Array("Apples","Peaches","Grapes"),  
Operator:=xlFilterValues
```