

SBC REVISION HISTORY

Numbers in parenthesis reference applicable sections in the [SBC User Manual](#).

Version 1.67

Public release for both Mac and Windows platforms to [CNET Downloads](#) and associated mirror sites.

Enhancements

- Added mode control for user selection of slow pitch only stats tracking. (2.3.2)
- Restructured OBPCT calculations to match MLB standards (2.3.3.3).
- Revised Batting Leaders to use AB for a qualifier for OBPCT. (6.4)
- Added Print command to SBC Toolbar (3.3.3).

Fixes

- Corrected column widths in Box Score so that SACB will display correctly if selected (7.1).
- Corrected file suffix problem in One Step Web Site command. Should always be forced to .html (14.5.2.1, Table 5)

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Enhancements

- Modified Select All command so that header areas not included in selection. Eases global formatting changes (3.2.1).
- Added Select All tool to SBC toolbar (3.3.3).
- Picture Info command improved with better error reporting. Reverts to first picture in array if selection not a picture or not in table. On exit moves to selected pix if OK clicked (13.3).
- Reworked One Step Web Site preferences command so that the default HOME label shows if an override is not specified (14.4.1.1).

Fixes

- Team summary web page generator - Now includes totals line if game count is blank.

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Enhancements

- Added support for Excel 2007 (v12) and 2010 (v14) on Windows platforms (1.4)
- Added game range parameter validation testing to Print command (8.2.1, 10.2)
- Game range parameter warnings now indicate the selection(s) that may be in conflict (10.2)
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Fixes

- Player name hyperlinks in Box Score now work correctly (7.2)
- Incorrect warning of game settings mismatches (10.2)
- Corrected HTML table COL and WIDTH tag variables to prevent fractional results (improves browser compatibility)
- Fixed instances where macro errors might occur when quitting via document close button or Excel application quit (2.5)

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Enhancements

- Added option for box score sort by player name or position (7.2.3).
- Added support for separate tracking of Reached on Error and Fielder's Choice stats (6.2.3.8, 6.3).
- Batting leaders can now track 19 different categories (6.4.1.5)
- Division standings calculations modified for WPCT and GBL to account for ties (5.5.1).
- Streamlined the options processing dialogs for web page include file processing (14.5, 14.6).
- Player name hyperlink options are now separately controlled in the Box Score (7.2) and Leaders updating dialogs (6.4).
- Hyperlinked player stats pages can now be optionally opened in a new page or tab (14.5.3.3).

Fixes

- Improved error handling in the event of opening a non-SBC team worksheet.

- Corrected issue with the “Select All” option for batting leaders selections.

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Enhancements

- Modified extended preferences dialog to allow separate control of *WPC* preferences (favicon/head vs. table includes) and table includes.
- Added capability for hyperlinks to add a target string (e.g: force link to open in new window).

Fixes

- “Fines” edit box during player update only allowed integers. Corrected to allow fractional values.
- Corrected problem with table trailer include.
- Corrected problem of expansion player area during player update command sequence.
- Corrected case when closing the stats window via the Close button on the window frame would get a macro error halt.

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Enhancements

- Calculate Box Score: Added RBI as a user-selectable category.
- Web page generation: Improved web page title generation for Batting Leaders and Batting Leaders Summary pages.
- Web page generation: Improved performance of Save Area as Web Page and Save Selection as HTML Table commands
- Player statistics: Added optimizer of empty slots in player roster areas for better screen visibility.

- Fixes
- Player statistics: OBPCT formulas produce an incorrect result if there were non-zero HBP entries.
- Update Player Stats dialog: Player name field sometimes gets truncated.
- Update Player Stats dialog: Recent player position may return an incorrect value (POS or 0 displayed) under certain situations.
- Calculate Box Score options dialog: The check box item for Filter Innings Labels overlaps other items.
- SBC Quit: During the prompt to save the team worksheet, if the cancel button was hit, subsequent operations may fail.
- Keyboard escapes: Some keyboard escape mappings conflict with built-in Excel or OS mappings (See Table 2 [SBC User Manual](#) for correct mappings).
- Keyboard escapes: cmd+O and cmd+N have no function in the *SBC* and should be blocked.
- Web page generation: `white-space` property was not being generated.

Version 1.61

Non-public developer release.

Version 1.60

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Player Stats Enhancements

- Player maintenance and updating commands modified for unified processing of active and expansion roster players. The “next player” sequencing will span both the active and expansion roster groups when applicable. (6).
- Added optional game-by-game player position (e.g. 1B, 2B, etc.) tracking (6.2.5).
- Added capability to track HBP (Hit by Pitch) and SAC Bunts statistics (4.1, 6.2).
- Added player name chaining. Previously selected active roster player now is preserved (where applicable) among player **Display**, **Select**, **Update Player** and player maintenance commands (3, 6, 11.5).
- Added **Transfer Stats** command to migrate a player’s stats to/from active and expansion roster player groups (6.1.3.8).
- Unused game slots in detailed player areas are now filled with blanks instead of zeros (1.4.1.4).
- Display of the Fines category for player statistics is now user-selectable (4.1). **Clear All Player Stats** can now do selective clearing by game number range with optional game number re-sequencing (6.1.3.5).
- Player maintenance commands now do explicit reporting of the accuracy of the box score and leader areas (10).

- Expansion roster display may be sorted by name/game or by game/name as desired (4.1).
- The total number of games in the expansion roster stats area now indicates the number of unique games played.
- Player stats in the expansion roster are now retained until deleted by the **Delete Player Name** or **Clear All Player Names and Stats** commands (6.1.3.3, 6.1.3.6).
- Added **Display / Next Player Stats** command. Keyboard equivalents also implemented (3.3)
- Added keyboard equivalents for **Select / Next Player Stats Area** command (11.5)

Web Page Processing Enhancements

- Added ability to redefine/add masthead navigational hyperlinks during **One Step Web Site** generation (14.3.2.1).
- Added option for inclusion of a user-supplied file in the <head> tag area of web pages (14.4.6).
- Added option for a user-defined link to a favicon icon file for web pages (14.4.1).
- Added active page masthead navigation link styling during **One Step Web Site** processing (14.3.2.1).

Box Score Enhancements

- Enhanced box score team name processing to allow a non-division team name (7.2).
- Box score processing now has individual check box options to clear the box score or line score areas (7.3).
- Statistics categories for the box score are now user-selectable (7.2).
- Added automatic box score line score innings label filtering option (7.2.1).
- Streamlined the commands to manually clear the line score or box score (7.2.2).

Batting Leaders Enhancements

- Batting leader calculations now filter all player statistics by the user selectable game range. Previously, a single game number was used only to determine minimum AB's and appearances (6.3.1).
- Expansion roster players now can be included in the batting leaders calculations as an option (6.3).

Parameter Limits Enhancements

- Increased the number of teams in the division standings from 12 to 35. This allows for additional flexibility for inter-league games or tournaments.
- Active and expansion roster game slots are now dynamically increased in size as required during player update and transfer stats commands.

Miscellaneous Enhancements

- Added game display range capability to display team batting, individual players stats, leaders and box score based on a selectable game range. Previously, stats for all games were displayed (3.1, 4.2).
- Names with multiple capital letters such as state name abbreviations can now be entered (5.2.1).
- Printing routines now suppress blank lines where applicable in the team batting summary and detailed player stats areas.
- Display of informational-only warning messages can now be disabled (4.1, 10).
- Added visibility of the current team worksheet patch level in the **About** dialog box (3.1).
- Improved window manipulation on Excel/Windows platforms.
- Undersized cell conditions (##### in cell) are automatically corrected during printing or web page processing (10.2).
- Added a User Notes area (3.3.1).
- Added keyboard shortcuts for selected commands (3.7).
- Expanded information in the About Softball Calculator dialog (3.1).
- Enhanced startup to insure no additional documents are open and that the worksheet is a valid **SBC** team worksheet (1.2).
- Added tests to insure that only the **SBC** macros and one team worksheet file is open (1.3).
- Added test to insure that a compatible version of Excel has been launched with the **SBC** (1.2.1).
- Added **SBC** toolbar (3.3.3).
- Formula toolbar now blocked in all modes to prevent worksheet corruption (11.3).
- **Edit / Select All** is now allowed in Basic Command Set mode (3.2).

Fixes

1. Corrected formula for on-base pct. calculations (should not include FC/ROE).
2. Corrected labels for on-base plus slugging pct. from OBS to OPS in batting leaders and batting leader summaries.
3. Corrected problem with Batting Leader displays when Max Leaders = 0 and Max Leaders Plus Ties = 0.
4. If Max Leaders Plus Ties was a small value, tiebreakers were incorrect on the summary page leaders display.
5. Adjusted formatting of Box Score column widths and content area for improved web page rendering.

6. One Step Web Site processing was not collapsing blank lines on Leaders page.
7. Corrected problem where Fines/HBP/SAC Bunts entries were not included in the sort when a player stats area was processed.
8. Added additional error blockers to prevent “Can't Empty Clipboard” messages on Excel/Windows platform.
9. Corrected link ID names to match Table 7 during One Step Web Site processing.
10. Corrected a situation where existing web graphics items could be come inaccessible.
11. Corrected a problem with the **Edit / Select All** command that caused a document protection error.
12. Corrected a problem during web page generation where blank lines on the summary statistics page were not being truncated properly.

Version 1.50b1

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SBC VERSION 1.67 - KNOWN ERRATA AND LIMITATIONS

General

1. Online help functions don't work in newer vintage Excel versions (\geq Excel '97) due to bugs in the **HELP()** XLM macro function. In addition, the Windows versions no longer support text file-based help – It has been replaced by a help system generated by a help file compiler. Therefore, this capability has been removed from the **SBC**.
2. The **File / Print** command may result in more than one print dialog. This is an inherent limitation of XLM that limits strings to <255 characters for named variables, selections, **Print_Area** variable references, etc.
3. The **SBC** is not compatible with Excel versions 2008 or 2011 on the Mac platform. Macro function support for some critical functionality for the **SBC** operation beyond Excel/2004 is not supported.
4. Performance of the **SBC** may vary on different versions of Excel. This is due to implementation differences in the various versions.

Batting Leaders

1. Player names in the main batting leaders area are not hyperlinked to their respective detailed stats. Hyperlinks are generated for the player names in the leader summary area.

Toolbars and Palettes

1. The checked/unchecked state of the toolbar items on the **View** menu do not immediately reflect the state of the toolbars if a toolbar is closed via a toolbar close button. They will reflect the correct states after the next **SBC** menu command is executed. This is a limitation as the macros do not have dynamic access to these events.
2. On some versions of Excel, some of the toolbars are not controllable via the XLM macros. These toolbars will appear dimmed on the **View** menu.
3. On Excel versions with the Ribbon UI, some of the **SBC View** menu tool selections may not be accessible depending the which Ribbon tab is active. In addition, some of these tools are no longer present under the Ribbon UI.

Multiple Data Sources

1. There are no means to import stats from another source. Perhaps in a later version ☺.
2. There are no means to operate on multiple team worksheets. Perhaps in a later version ☺.
3. There are no means to link multiple season stats. Perhaps in a later version ☺.

Division Standings

1. Team names must be alphanumeric text values. They cannot be purely numeric or the main Team Name bolding effect will not work. This is due to an anomaly in the **MATCH()** XLM function.

Web Page Processing

1. The save areas for web pages and HTML tables must be contiguous cell selections. This is an issue only for the **File / Save Selection As Web Page** or **Save Selection As HTML Table** commands as they allow user selectable cell areas.
2. When the **WPC** Fixed Table Layout Mode is active, the calculations for column widths are based on 72 dpi. Screen resolutions can vary among different machines and user display settings. In addition, individual browsers react to cell overflows differently based on a number of factors such as font family, user size changes, etc. If the fixed layout mode is selected, the results may be somewhat different on each browser. Thus, although somewhat slower, the auto layout mode is the preferred mode. Although not foolproof, the **WPC** does make an attempt to equalize column sizes in auto layout mode.
3. There isn't a way to access the actual picture from the macros for floating web graphics. Thus, the pictures rendered for web pages may not match the images pasted on the team worksheet if the user specifies an incorrect file link for the web graphic. Printed pages are not affected.

Table Stub Include File Processing

1. These optional includes are not accessible in the **SBC** under normal operating modes. This is due to the inability to include these options in the WPC preferences dialog as the number of items would exceed the maximum allowed by the macros. [Contact SBC Support](#) for instructions on how to access these parameters.

Windows Platform Specific

1. Closing the **SBC** via the **Excel / Exit** command, or "X" close buttons on some versions of Excel may result in a prompt to save the **SBC_Macros.xlm** file. Answering "Don't Save" will allow proper termination. Preferable to use the **SBC File/Quit Softball Calculator** command. See Section 2.5 of the User Manual for more details.
2. Dialogs with dropdown menu lists may have blank slots in the list. This is an anomaly of the Windows dialog item processing.
3. Several dialogs have combination edit/dropdown menu items such as player names, color number/name selection. If the user activates the dropdown menu and decides to not select one of the items, the first item in the list will be selected and

will override any user value in the edit box. This is an anomaly of the Windows dialog item processing. If this occurs, hit the **Cancel** button to preserve the original value and retry the command again.

4. Occasionally on some commands, an error dialog of “Can’t Empty Clipboard” may occur. Most of the time the paste operation will be successful. This is a well-documented problem on Excel and other Office products on Windows. There are a number of causes for this. The **SBC** attempts to bypass most of these instances. Unfortunately, some are beyond the capabilities of the **SBC** to address.

Macintosh Platform Specific

1. Closing the **SBC** via the **Excel / Quit** command, or red close buttons on some versions of Excel may result in a prompt to save the **SBC_Macros.xlm** file. Answering “Don’t Save” will allow proper termination. Preferable to use the **SBC File/Quit Softball Calculator** command. See Section 2.5 of the User Manual for more details.
2. Performance of the **SBC** on Excel/2004 is noticeably slower than other versions. This appears to be unique to this version of Excel on the Macintosh only.
3. Performance of the **SBC** on the Macintosh platform is inherently slower than on the Windows platform, given similar hardware. This is an inherent limitation due to the implementation differences of Excel on the two platforms.
4. **The Format / Alignment, Format / Patterns and Format / Borders** are disabled on the Mac versions of Excel due to bugs in the underlying support macros. Good luck getting these fixed ☹. The **View/ Formatting Palette** and **Formatting Toolbar** commands may be used in place of these commands. The standard Excel **Format / Cells...** command can be used via the keyboard equivalent: **⌘1** to invoke the Formatting Palette.

NOTE: the worksheet is unprotected in this mode and subject to inadvertent formula corruption. Some of these are not functional on versions of Excel with the Ribbon UI.

5. The **SBC** is not compatible with Excel versions 2008 or 2011 on the Mac platform. Macro function support for critical custom menu functionality for the **SBC** operation is not supported beyond Excel/2004. Good luck getting these fixed ☹.