

1 GENERAL INFORMATION

Thanks for downloading the **SBC** !

Version 1.67 incorporates some enhancements and fixes over the 1.66 release.

The **SBC** represents hundreds of hours of development and testing. If you find the program to be useful, a donation via PayPal would be appreciated ! The **SBC** website at: <http://sbc.aces-softball.com/> has instructions for donations.

The **SBC** website at: <http://sbc.aces-softball.com/> has a quick overview of the program features under the **HIGHLIGHTS** tab. An introduction to the operation of the **SBC** can be found under the **TUTORIAL** tab.

The **DOWNLOADS** tab contains a revision history and known errata/limitations of the **SBC**. A full user manual is included with detailed installation and operating instructions.

Comments and suggestions welcomed via email to: support@sbc.aces-softball.com

2 EXCEL COMPATIBILITY

The **SBC** is an application that runs with a legal copy of Microsoft Excel® (not supplied). A 1 GHz processor or faster is recommended for best performance.

The **SBC** has been validated in the following environments:

- Office 2000, 2003, 2007 and 2010 under Microsoft Windows®
- Office/X and Office 2004 under Macintosh® OS X
- Excel Office 2001 - Mac OS 9.2

The **SBC** is not supported beyond Office 2004 (Macintosh) due to the lack of macro support for some critical custom menu functions.

The **SBC** has not been recently validated and may not work on older versions of Excel such as Office '97.

The **SBC** is not supported under OpenOffice®, NeoOffice® or derivative programs due to the lack of macro support.

3 SECURITY SETTINGS

The **SBC** is implemented in Excel XLM macros. On initial launch, the user will be prompted to enable the macros to proceed. The dialog posted by Excel will vary depending on the version of Excel and the current Excel security settings. To continue, enable the macro execution. If prompted, set the security settings to medium. See Section 1.4.2 of the **SBC** User Manual for more details.

The **SBC** makes modifications to the team worksheet only. The only file operations occur during creation of web page files. The user has total control over the destination of all generated files. The **SBC** is password protected to prevent corruption.

4 UPGRADING FROM PREVIOUS SBC VERSIONS

To upgrade from a previous version of the **SBC**, simply replace the existing macros file with the **SBC_Macros.xlm** file included in the 1.67 distribution package.

The **SBC** provides forward compatibility for team worksheets that were created using the original 1.50b1 release and beyond. When a previous team worksheet is first launched with the v1.67 version of the **SBC**, a series of patches will be applied to the worksheet. This may take some time depending on the speed of the processor and the previous version number. The message bar will show the progress of the patch application processing. When all the patches have been applied, the message bar will show **SBC READY**.

Once the team worksheet is saved, the patches are permanent.

The team worksheets supplied with the v1.67 release already incorporate these patches.