

# MPM

## Stoplight Report

## Macro

## Quick Features Guide

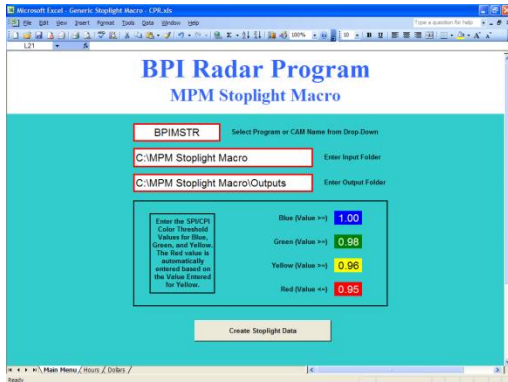
**The Pitch** – This is **SIMPLE** and totally under your control.

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**The Bottom Line** – The MPM Stoplight Macro is a simple, effective tool for converting static MPM report output into a dynamic analysis worksheet. The macro takes advantage of built-in MS Excel capabilities to turn cumbersome MPM printed data into a powerful Excel filtered list you can use to manage EV data for your entire WBS.

**How Does it Work?** – The MPM Stoplight Macro combines data created by MPM Saved Reports and Exports into an Excel worksheet. First, you configure MPM Saved Reports (WSD or CPR and WBS Hierarchy) and a WBS Export to extract the MPM data. Next, you open the Excel file, and configure the Main Menu, if necessary. Then, just press the macro button and depending on the output size, your Stoplight will be ready anywhere from 45 seconds to no more than 3 minutes. The macro is designed to create a separate file output (not containing any macro code) into a folder of your choosing. The output contains two separate worksheets, one in hours and the other at a level of dollars you specify.

**What Do I Get?** – The MPM Stoplight Macro is a bundle containing an Excel workbook, a Word document that contains the macro documentation, and the appropriate MPM support files (for the CPR macro, this includes a Saved CPR, Saved WBS Hierarchy, WBS Export, and MPM Export format; for the WSD macro, this includes a Saved Batch WSD, Saved WBS Export, and MPM Export format).

**How Do I Purchase it?** – Because of its open macro design (to allow you to make desired changes to the macro code), the MPM Stoplight Macro is sold only on a license basis. Licenses are available for single programs for \$1,400. You may also purchase a site license which allows the macro to be used on up to 10 programs for \$5K and an unlimited site license for \$15K. BPI also offers maintenance that covers changes in MPM and Excel.

**Anything Else I Should Know?** – Yes, BPI offers macro support for all types of business processes.



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