

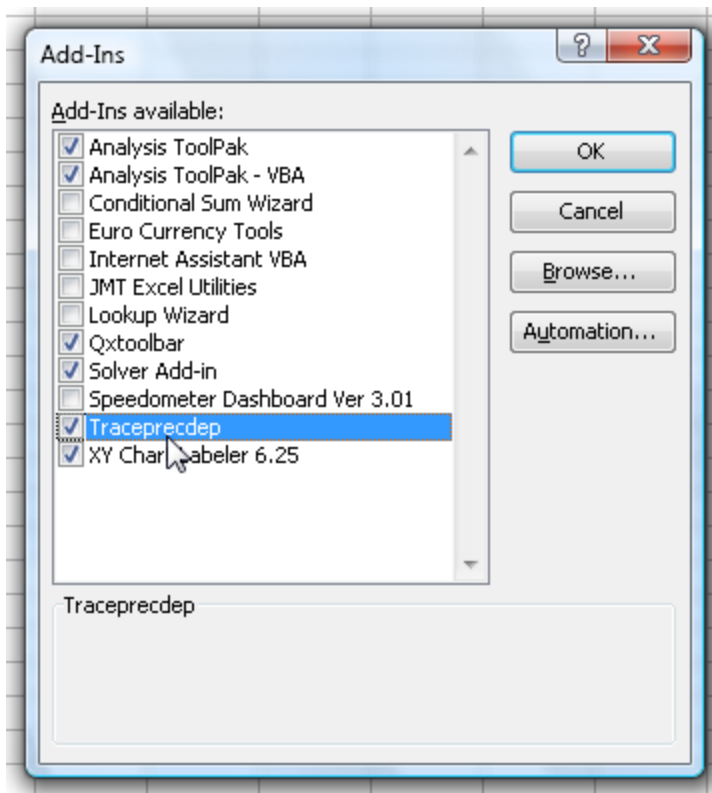
Excel Trace Precedents/Dependents Utility for Excel

Description

This program provides better Trace Precedents and Trace Dependents functionality than the one offered by Excel.

Installing the Add-In

1. Run TracePrecInstall.exe
2. If you are using Excel 2003 or earlier, use Tools – Add-ins. Checkmark the box to enable TracePrecDep. Click OK.



3. In Excel 2007, use Office Icon – Excel Options. Choose Add-ins from the left navigation. At the bottom of the dialog, choose Manage Excel Add-Ins and click Go... Choose Speedometer Dashboard Version 3 and click OK.

In Excel 2003, you will have two new icons on the right side of the Standard Toolbar

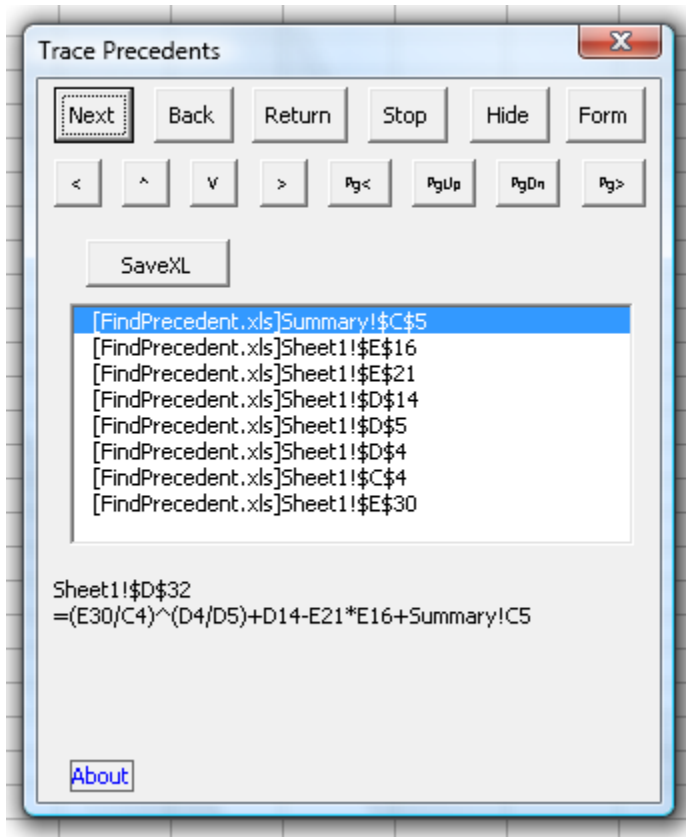


In Excel 2007, the icons will appear on an Add-Ins tab of the ribbon.

Tracing Precedents

Select a cell and click the Trace Precedents Add-In icon or press Ctrl+Shift+P.

Excel will display a list of all the Precedents in a new window:



The Excel window will move so that you can see the first precedent in the list.

Click on any Precedent in the list to move that cell into view in the window.

Buttons at the top of the form:

- Next: Move to next precedent
- Back: Move to previous precedent
- Return: Move back to original cell and close the form
- Stop: Stay at this cell and close the form
- Hide: shrink the form to show only the buttons
- All: After hiding the form, restore to original size
- Form: Remember the current form state (collapsed or full)
- Arrow buttons: move the worksheet to left, up, down, or right behind the form
- Pg buttons: move the worksheet one page left, up, down, or right behind the form
- SaveXL: Save the list of precedents to a new PrecList workbook in the current workbook

Tracing Dependents

Use the Trace Dependents Add-In icon or press Ctrl+Shift+D. The operation of the form is the same as shown above.

We value your comments!

Many of the improvements in version 2 have been the result of customer requests. Send a note to Consult@MrExcel.com with ideas to improve the application.