# **Critical Path Method**

**HELP** 



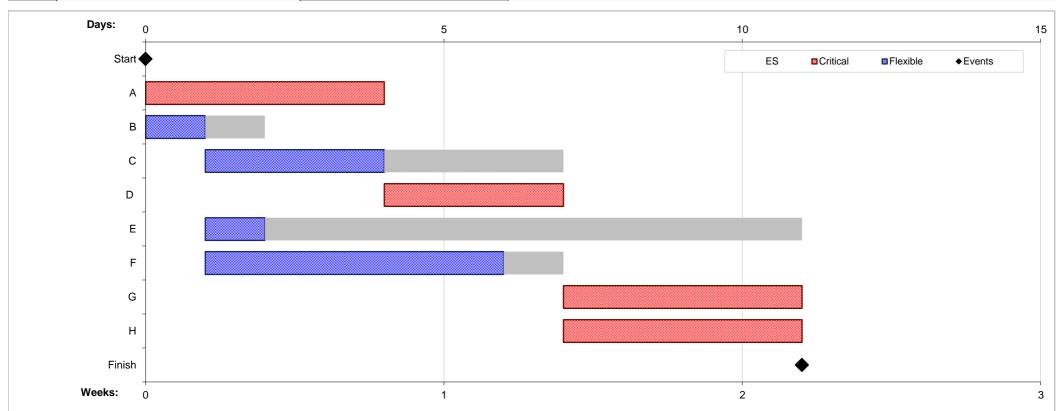
Days to Completion 11.00

Start Date 1/11/2010 Finish Date 1/26/2010

# Times (in Days)

| Time Distribution: | Triangular |
|--------------------|------------|
|                    |            |

| ID  | Task Name |    | Predecessors (Enter one ID per cell) |    |  |  | <b>O</b><br>(min) | <b>M</b><br>(most likely) | P<br>(max) | <b>Duration</b> (exp. time) | ES    | EF    | LS    | LF    | Slack |
|-----|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|----|--|--|-------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 10  | Start     |    |                                      |    |  |  |                   | _                         |            | 0.00                        | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| 20  | Α         | 10 |                                      |    |  |  | 4                 | 4                         | 4          | 4.00                        | 0.00  | 4.00  | 0.00  | 4.00  | 0.00  |
| 30  | В         | 10 |                                      |    |  |  | 1                 | 1                         | 1          | 1.00                        | 0.00  | 1.00  | 1.00  | 2.00  | 1.00  |
| 40  | С         | 30 |                                      |    |  |  | 3                 | 3                         | 3          | 3.00                        | 1.00  | 4.00  | 4.00  | 7.00  | 3.00  |
| 50  | D         | 20 | 30                                   |    |  |  | 3                 | 3                         | 3          | 3.00                        | 4.00  | 7.00  | 4.00  | 7.00  | 0.00  |
| 60  | E         | 30 |                                      |    |  |  | 1                 | 1                         | 1          | 1.00                        | 1.00  | 2.00  | 10.00 | 11.00 | 9.00  |
| 70  | F         | 30 |                                      |    |  |  | 5                 | 5                         | 5          | 5.00                        | 1.00  | 6.00  | 2.00  | 7.00  | 1.00  |
| 80  | G         | 40 | 50                                   |    |  |  | 4                 | 4                         | 4          | 4.00                        | 7.00  | 11.00 | 7.00  | 11.00 | 0.00  |
| 90  | Н         | 40 | 50                                   | 70 |  |  | 4                 | 4                         | 4          | 4.00                        | 7.00  | 11.00 | 7.00  | 11.00 | 0.00  |
| 120 | Finish    | 60 | 80                                   | 90 |  |  |                   |                           |            | 0.00                        | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 0.00  |



# **Holidays to Exclude from Working Days**

See help (F1) on the WORKDAY() function

This worksheet lets you create a list of dates to be excluded from the number of Working Days. The WORKDAY() function already excludes weekends, so you only need to list dates for holidays and other non-working days. If your project spans more than one year, make sure you add dates for each year. The named range, **holidays**, is a dynamic named range ending at the last blank cell in column A. The comments column is just for your reference.

Date Non-Working Days
1/1/2009 New Year's Day
1/1/2011
12/25/2009 Christmas
12/25/2010

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