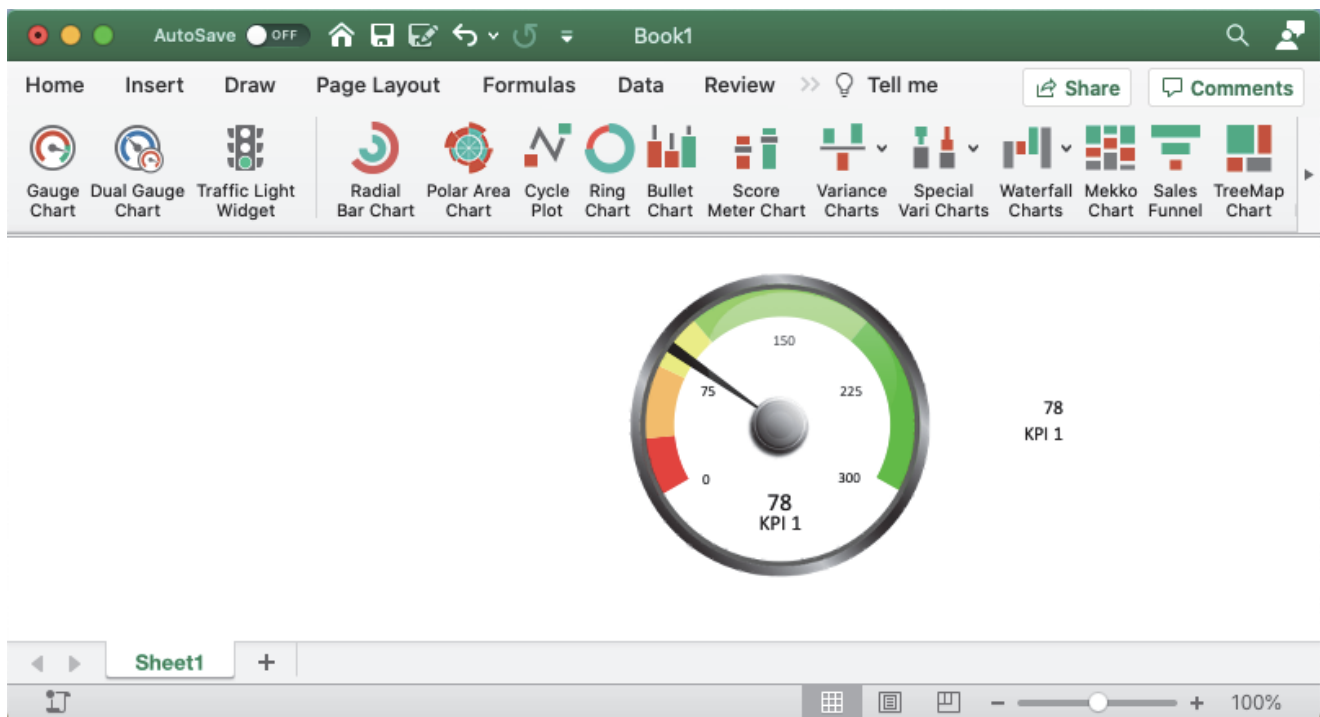


Ultimate Dashboard Tools 10 for Mac

Gauge Chart

Also known as a speedometer chart or a dial chart, a gauge chart is one of the most commonly used visual tools to represent progressive values. The chart looks like a speedometer or a dial (in most cases) with a needle pointing to a certain value over the pivot point. The dial usually has different colors that divide the scale into several parts and understand it.



Take a closer look at this picture to overview the main functions and settings!

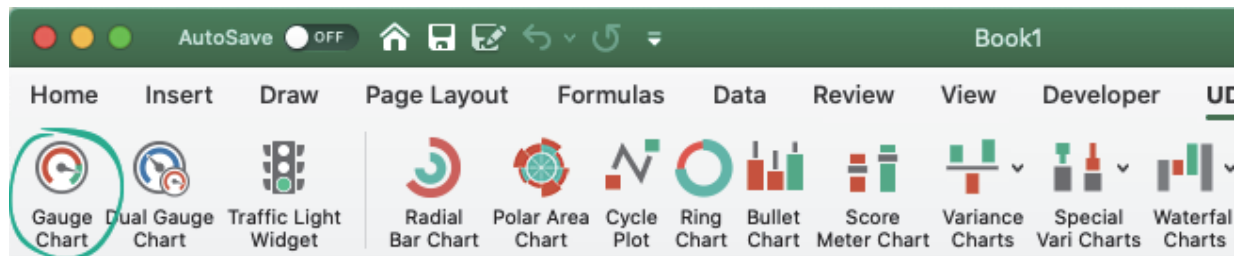
The screenshot shows the 'Gauge Maker - Excel Dashboard School (c)' application window. It features a main configuration area on the left and a 'Gauge Manager' panel on the right. The configuration area includes fields for 'Gauge Name' (KPI 1), 'Font size' (9), 'Labels' (15), 'Actual value' (13), and 'Description' (13). It also has a 'Format' section with radio buttons for 'Number', '%', 'Currency', and 'Decimal'. A 'Zones' section allows adding or removing zones, with a 'Reverse' checkbox and a 'Zone Setup' table. The 'Zone Setup' table has five rows (Zone1 to Zone5) with input fields for values and color pickers. The 'Gauge Manager' panel shows a list of gauges (KPI 1) and buttons for 'Update', 'Delete', and 'Close'. A 'Skin' dropdown menu is also present.

Zone	Value 1	Value 2	Color
Zone1	0	30	Red
Zone2	30	70	Orange
Zone3	70	100	Yellow
Zone4	100	200	Light Green
Zone5	200	300	Green

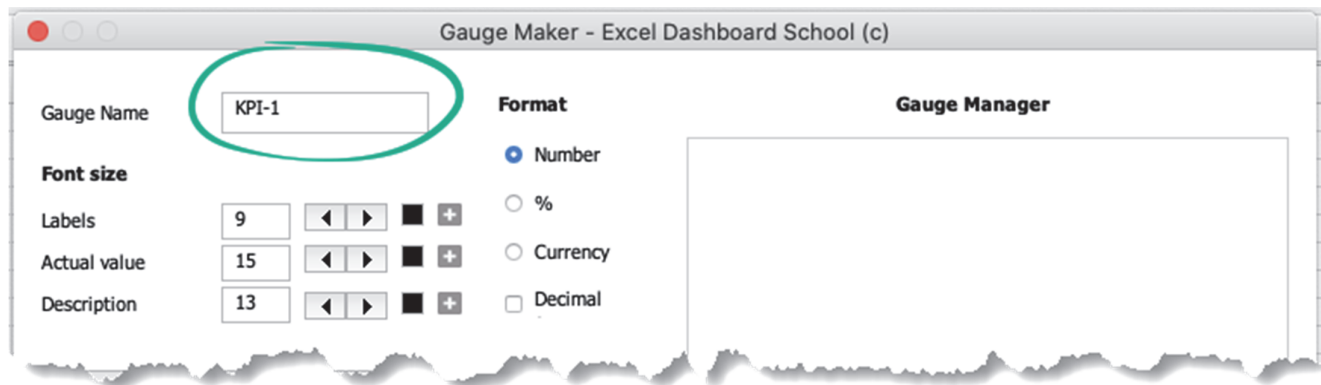
1. Chart Name
2. Font Size Setup (Labels, Actual Value, and Description)
3. Number Format Setup (Supported formats: Number, %, Currency)
4. Add or remove zones. Update the zones - LIVE - between 3 and 12! If you want to create reverse gauges, check the 'Reverse' box.
5. Enter values for zones and change the zone's colors using a color picker.
6. Gauge Manager. Edit or delete your charts in seconds!
7. Actual Value. Add a linked cell's value to change the chart in real-time.
8. Description. Your indicator's name on the chart.
9. Skin Setup. You can choose from 6 built-in skins (+No Skin).

How to create a new Gauge?

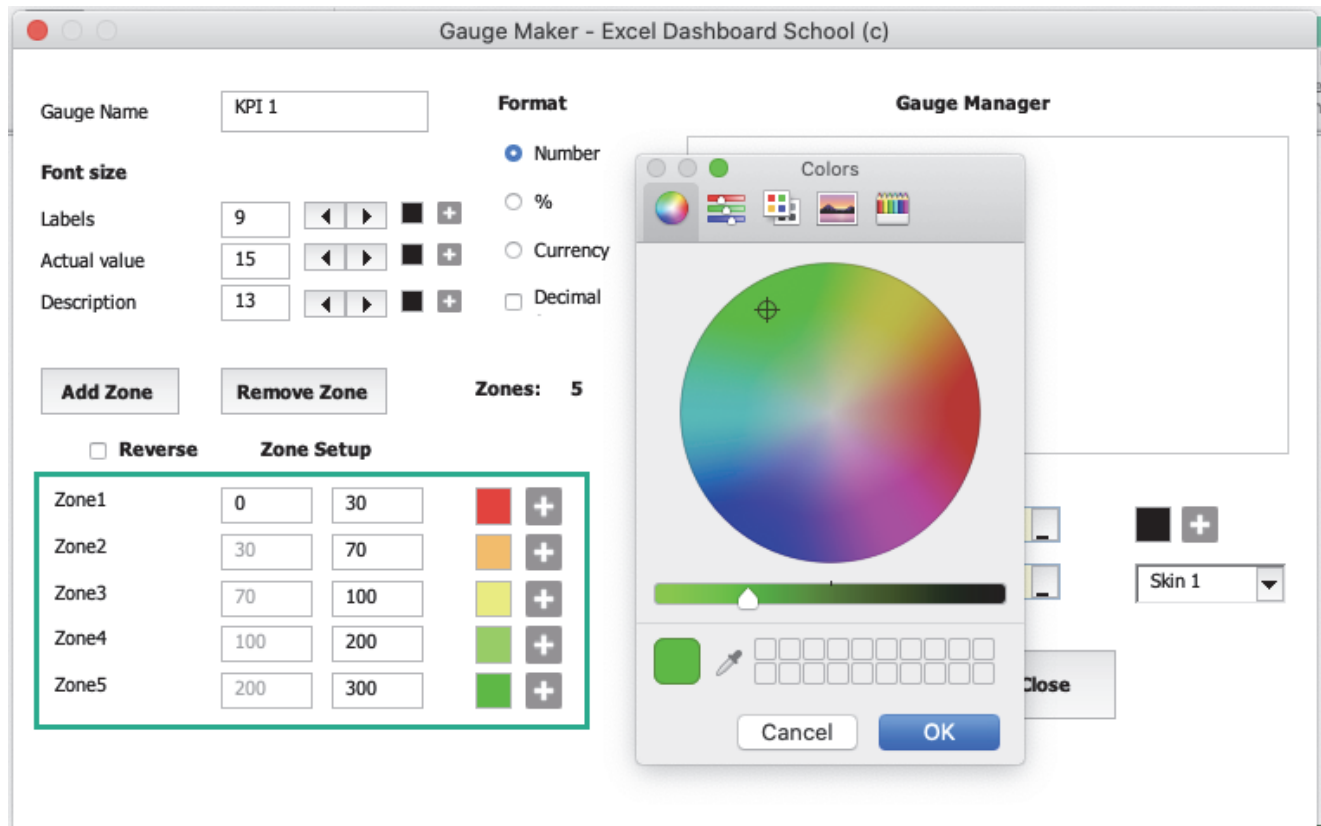
Click to Create a new Gauge icon on the ribbon



Add a chart name



Add values for zones and use the color picker icon (+) to change the default colors.



Add the linked cell to Actual Value and Description.

Gauge Maker - Excel Dashboard School (c)

Gauge Name: KPI 1

Format: ☒ Number, ☐ %, ☐ Currency, ☐ Decimal

Font size: 9

Labels: Actual value: 15, Description: 13

Add Zone, Remove Zone, Zones: 5

☐ Reverse

Zone Setup

Zone	Start	End	Color	+
Zone1	0	30	Red	+
Zone2	30	70	Orange	+
Zone3	70	100	Yellow	+
Zone4	100	200	Light Green	+
Zone5	200	300	Green	+

Gauge Manager

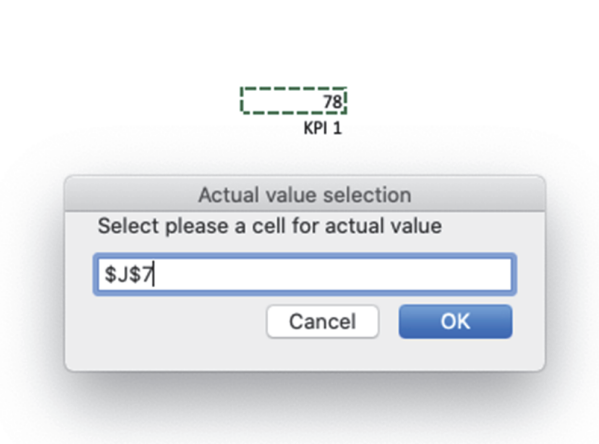
Actual Value: 55

Description: Description

Skin 1

Create, Delete, Close

Add the linked cell to Actual Value and Description.



Choose your preferred Skin from the drop-down list.

Gauge Maker - Excel Dashboard School (c)

Gauge Name: KPI 1

Format: ☒ Number ☐ % ☐ Currency ☐ Decimal

Font size: Labels: 9 Actual value: 15 Description: 13

Buttons: Add Zone, Remove Zone, Zones: 5

Reverse: ☐ Zone Setup

Zone	Start	End	Color	+
Zone1	0	30	Red	+
Zone2	30	70	Orange	+
Zone3	70	100	Yellow	+
Zone4	100	200	Light Green	+
Zone5	200	300	Dark Green	+

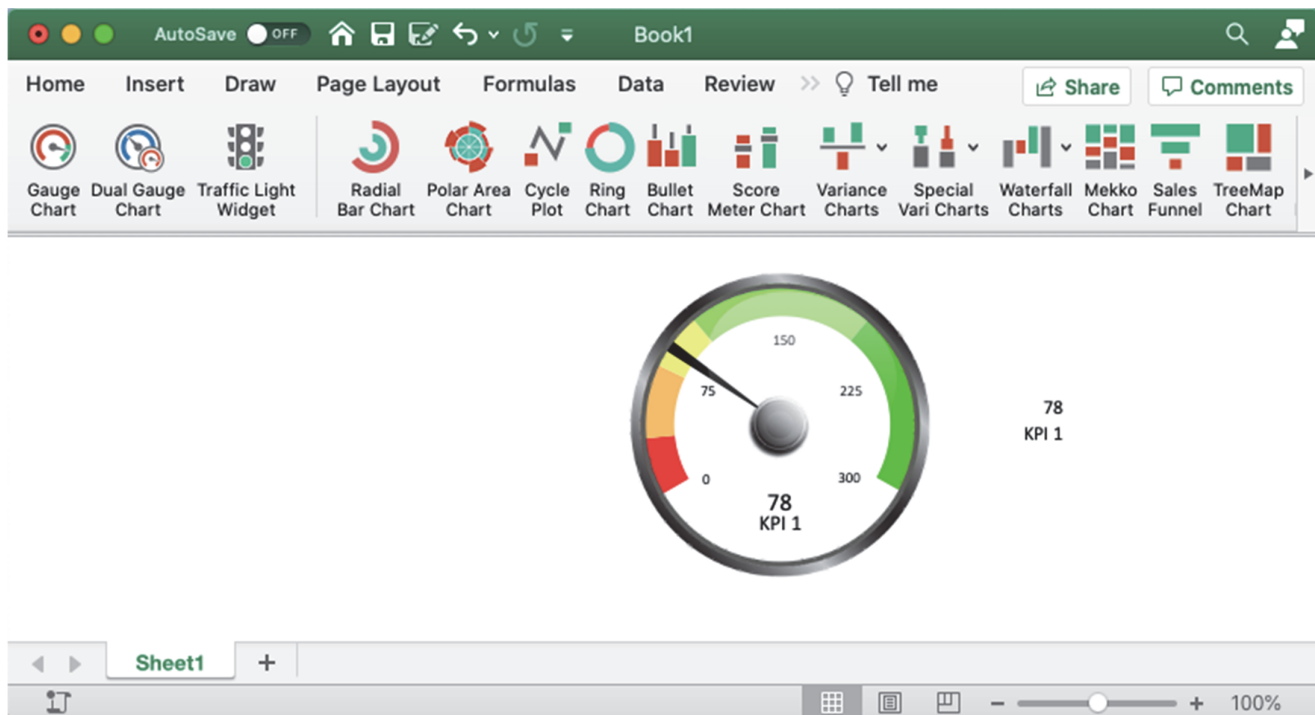
Actual Value: Sheet1!\$J\$7

Description: Sheet1!\$J\$8

Buttons: Create, Delete, Close

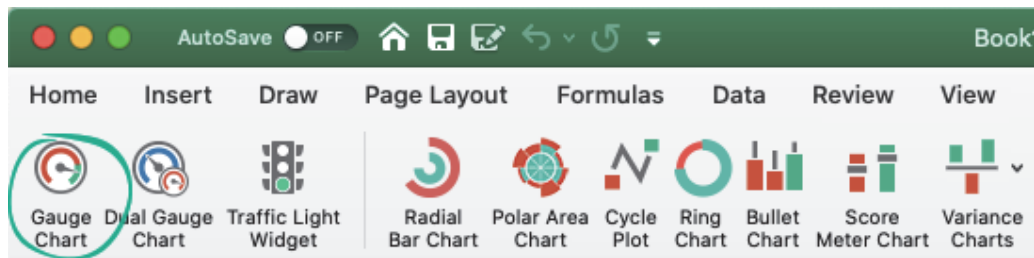
Skin Selection: Skin 1, Skin 2, Skin 3, Skin 4, Skin 5, Skin 6, No skin

Click Create button to insert your first gauge chart.



How to manage Gauges?

Go to the ribbon and click on the Gauge icon



1. Select the gauge using the Gauge Manager on the right side of the userform.
2. Change the zones, actual values, colors, or use a new skin.
3. Press the UPDATE button, and your chart will be updated.

A screenshot of the 'Gauge Maker - Excel Dashboard School (c)' userform. The 'Gauge Manager' panel on the right is highlighted with a green border and contains a list of gauges: 'KPI 1', 'KPI 2', 'KPI 3', and 'KPI 4'. The 'KPI 1' gauge is selected. The main form area shows settings for 'KPI 1', including 'Format' (Number), 'Font size' (9), 'Labels' (9), 'Actual value' (15), and 'Description' (13). There are buttons for 'Add Zone', 'Remove Zone', and 'Zones: 5'. A 'Zone Setup' table is visible with columns for 'Zone', 'Start', 'End', and 'Color'. The 'Update' button is circled in green. Other buttons include 'Delete' and 'Close'. The 'Actual Value' and 'Description' fields are linked to Excel cells: 'Sheet1!\$J\$7' and 'Sheet1!\$J\$8' respectively. A 'Skin 1' dropdown menu is also present.

Create Gauges using the 'Reverse' option

Use this feature if you want to display the values from right to left.

Gauge Maker - Excel Dashboard School (c)

Gauge Name: KPI 1

Format: ☒ Number ☐ % ☐ Currency ☐ Decimal

Font size: Labels: 9, Actual value: 15, Description: 13

Add Zone Remove Zone Zones: 5

☒ Reverse Zone Setup

Zone	Min	Max	Color
Zone1	0	30	Red
Zone2	30	70	Orange
Zone3	70	100	Yellow
Zone4	100	200	Light Green
Zone5	200	300	Dark Green

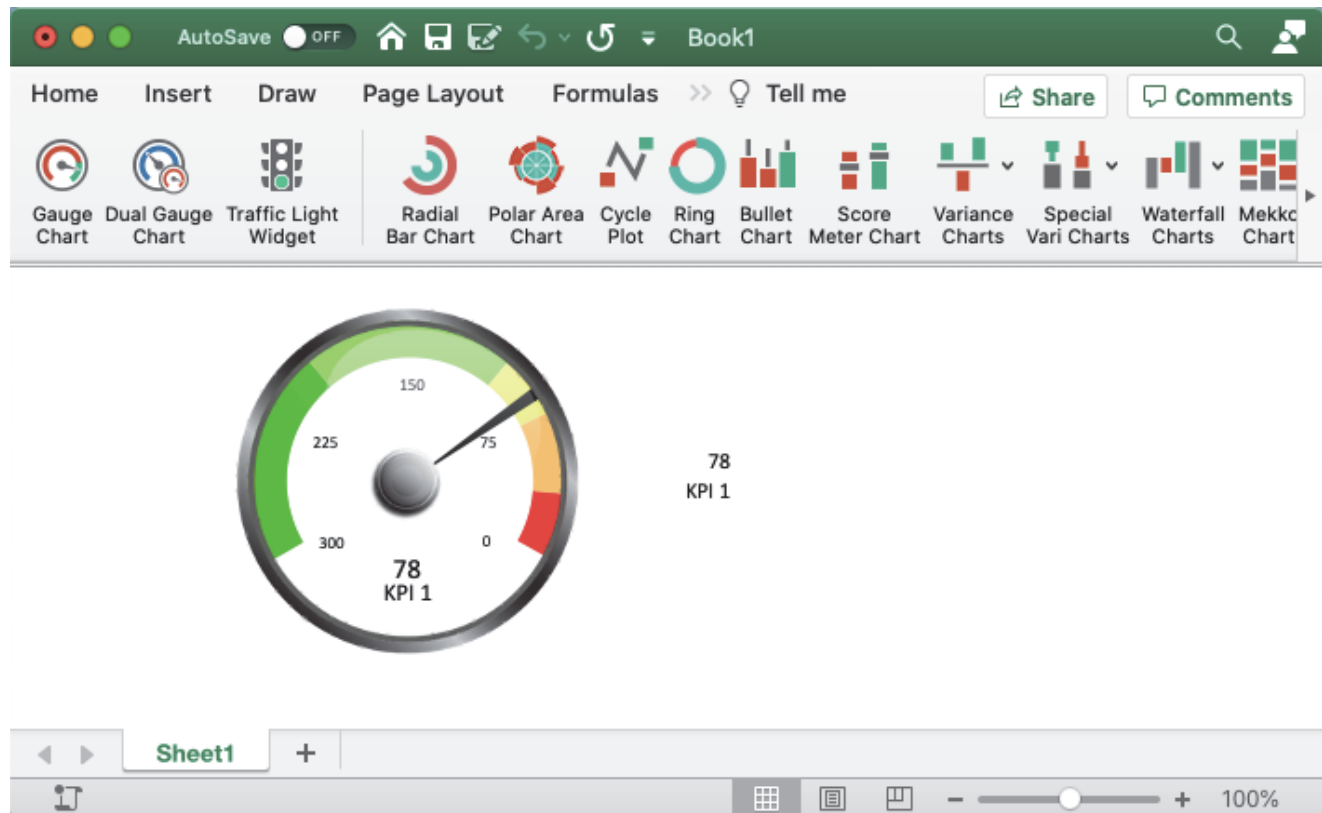
Actual Value: Sheet1!\$J\$7

Description: Sheet1!\$J\$8

Skin 1

Update Delete Close

The result:



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You can choose the '**No skin**' option too.

