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Subject: Re: MMR & PRMRatio (pregnancy related mortality ratio)

Posted by [Trevor-DHS](#) on Thu, 05 Nov 2020 19:50:40 GMT

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Hi Placid

It is exactly as I thought. You code has:

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however the version on github has

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In the version on github the comment starts with the /\* in the first line and ends with \*/ on the last line.

In your version the first of these has been changed to just a \* (meaning a single line comment, rather than a continuous comment). This means that in the last line the dash (-) at the beginning of the line is being treated as a command, and it doesn't recognize it.

Just add the slash (/) at the beginning of the first line of the comment and it should fix the problem.

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