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As a special promotion to introduce MBD Functionality, Origin is offering a 50% discount on the purchase of either of these modules until October 16th, 2015. [read more](#)

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Dear Janet,

This is an exciting time for us here at Origin. We are spreading the news about CheckMate's enhancements and new functionality. ASP customers, be sure to sign up for our [webinar](#) below or if you are new to CheckMate, [request a demo](#).

We appreciate your comments and feedback.

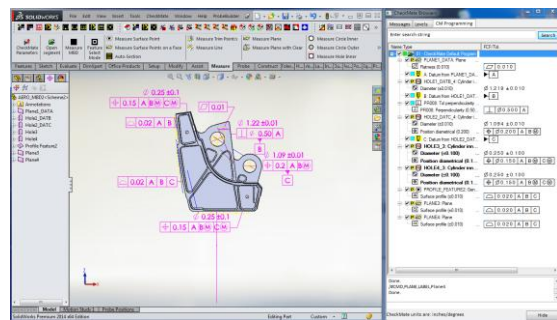
CHECKMATE MODEL BASED DEFINITION

Introducing CheckMate MBD Functionality for SOLIDWORKS

With the recent release of CheckMate, the CMM & Soft Gauge Programming modules now have the ability to directly access the SOLIDWORKS GD&T (Model Based Definition) information.

When programming with either of these CheckMate modules, the GD&T (often referred to as PMI) that is embedded in the SOLIDWORKS file is automatically used directly in the definition of CheckMate features. This can be accomplished in a pick and click mode (feature by feature) or by automatically populating the CheckMate Programming browser with the entire MBD tree as defined under the DimXpertManager tab.

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SOLIDWORKS/WINDOWS 10

Is SOLIDWORKS compatible with Windows 10?

As Microsoft rolls out Windows version 10, many SOLIDWORKS users are wondering if it's compatible. This link provides more information for you.

<http://www.javelin-tech.com/blog/2015/07/solidworks-compatible-with-windows-10/>

CHECKMATE AFTER CLASS

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Origin International provides webinars for CheckMate customers with an annual support plan. These webinars cover applications, procedures, advance commands that time does not allow in a standard training class.

These webinar sessions are online training sessions that you can either: 1) register to view live or 2) download and view at your convenience.

If you missed the after class webinar, [Click Here](#) to Download to view at your own convenience from our website. Origin's [April 2015 webinar](#) is a must-see for anyone running CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.

UPCOMING WEBINAR

[Sign up for this one](#)

CheckMate 14, 500 Series Release for SOLIDWORKS® Major Enhancements - New Functionality

Date: Thursday, August 27th, 2015

Time: 11:00 am, EST (GMT-04:00)

Description:

This webinar will show you major enhancements and new functionality available only in CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS. **You don't want to miss this one.**

If you have converted your CheckMate to the SOLIDWORKS platform this a great opportunity check out the latest enhancements and give us some feedback on our product direction. ***Your input, as always, is very important to us.***

If you are still running CheckMate on the Autodesk platform this webinar will certainly *be of value when considering taking the big step.*

[Click Here](#) to register for the meeting.

Once the host approves your request, you will receive a confirmation email with instructions for joining the meeting.

Note: If you already registered for this meeting, you do not need to register again.

To view in other time zones or languages, please [click here](#)



OUR WEBINAR LINK HAS CHANGED

Origin's Webinars

Customers now have BBS access to a folder called 'Webex Presentations'. In this folder you will find all the webinars plus a few more videos of interest. If you click on the desc link, you will get a description of the video/webinar. Also, you can see the list on our website at [Webinars on video](#) under the Resources section.

Did you Know...

Cecil, our CheckMate expert, reviews the procedure and concept of intermediate probe moves in CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS.



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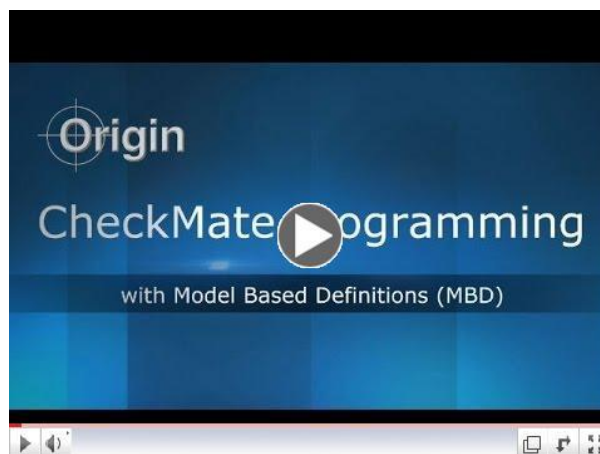
Simply sign up on our [Tech Tips Blog](#)

6 Latest Tech Tip's

1. [Tech Tip 30](#) : Reviewing AutoCAD Export bug to watch out for when exporting files from CheckMate 12.1 to how to CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.
2. [Tech Tip 31](#) : Reviewing how to select light scenes for good display quality in CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.
3. [Tech Tip 32](#) : Reviewing different locations to discover what units you are using in CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.
4. [Tech Tip 33](#) : Reviewing how to modify Windows 7 Power Options to increase performance of CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.
5. [Tech Tip 34](#) : Reviewing how and why to convert circle measurements to surface point measurements in CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.
6. [Tech Tip 35](#) : Reviewing the Input ribbon items for importing Calypso programs, from GEOACTUALS, into CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®.

ORIGIN'S featured VIDEO

CheckMate Programming with Model Based Definition



ON-LINE TRAINING NOW AVAILABLE

You asked...we listened

We now offer on-line training for users of our CheckMate software to save you travel time and expenses.



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SOLIDWORKS® INFORMATION

Hot Links to SOLIDWORKS®

If you are buying a new computer or you want to make sure your current system meets the requirements here are some links that you should check-

System Requirements:

http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Dfcu9nAJnXujC4e6wzzk9ti4rE5vbws-it93tG8T3eMiB1nqywGpipE-IegbLMZE6SQ3YESw7ZNSYwtyRyQmtg9hWk45hQ2yhuOtVRy1SLfzMMGp8jX_8rW3ONT-dGo7FSJPc_z_38dVy_4Q5CMOQZ7WYy7wIABgp3fln2D31xzJ9PErHd4Kpp4A8f5utlmzOaWVrdi6VBptIbavQiHaAbjMMY-1U6AwMBECNZByYF-PRLCwR5LV5Mgmv-RQ_Dikbd8F21bAlJObmUUhybWadoxsh123C_n29R2KDmn5dTq6BtlroorYfp3E_76QrK3bJ_gZshIXiCboAbMPjJokcXIMwaD-TBnmCUeigUqLkIYaMzxAEQNzs5rVqbt8COh&c=&ch=

Graphic Card selection:

<https://www.solidworks.com/sw/support/videocardtesting.html>

CHECKMATE 12.1 FOR XP END OF LIFE NOTICE

Effective Dec. 31, 2014

As of December 31, 2014, enhancements and updates for CheckMate 12.1 will no longer be delivered for the XP operating system. Going forward, having both versions of CheckMate, CM12.1 for Autodesk MDT and CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS® on Microsoft Windows 7 will serve to ensure a more rapid and smooth transition to the SOLIDWORKS® platform.

CHECKMATE Updates -

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Stay Current with Updates



Note: We have just shipped CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS version 552. Watch for it in your mail this week. If you have not received it, kindly email support@originintl.com

Customers who log in to our BBS will have access to a new folder called 'CheckMate 14 SOLIDWORKS®' for this new release and other information related to it.

Hardware Requirements for CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®:

Hardware:

- Hardware: Windows 7 - 64 bit, 2.5GHz CPU, 8+ GB Ram
- Quad Core processor (as many processors as can be obtained)

Software:

- SOLIDWORKS® 2014 or later (64bit), CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®(64bit), CheckMate 12.1.418 or later (64bit)
- Network: Licensing for SOLIDWORKS® and CheckMate

[CheckMate 12.1.473 x86 Phase II update](#)
[CheckMate 12.1.473 x64 Phase II update](#)
[CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS 14.552](#)

NOTE: To update CheckMate for SOLIDWORKS®, uninstall and re-install the newer version.

INTERNET EXPLORER 10 COMPATIBILITY ISSUES

Compatibility View

You may have noticed some pieces of our website missing in I.E. 10. If this is the case, you may need to run in compatibility view.



UPGRADING TO WINDOWS 7

Take Note of the Following:

- The new CheckMate release 12.1 supports both 32 bit/64 bit.
- We recommend Windows 7 - 64 bit with "Administrator" rights
- Change your "Shortcuts" to run as administrator



[Click Here](#) for more details (*log in to our BBS*)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Autodesk/MDT Licensing

Effective February 1, 2014, customers will deal direct with Autodesk for any Mechanical Desktop 2008/2009 reactivations. If any of the following apply to you.

1. UPGRADING COMPUTER
2. COMPUTER CRASHES
3. SERVER UPGRADE OR CRASHES

For more information, [click here](#)

Reseller/Distributor Opportunity

Manufacturing process & inspection software/hardware

Attention resellers: In order to better serve industry needs, Origin is looking to expand its software Reseller/Distributor organizations serving the automotive, aerospace and other metal and precision plastic industries in North America and Globally. Suggestions of organizations our customers may be familiar with are welcome. Reply to Janet.wiaderny@originintl.com

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