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## *Wishing you the very best of the holiday season!*



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**Dear Janet,**

The Origin International Team would like to wish you a happy and healthy holiday season.

## QIF 2.0 Now Available

### It's Official…

The (**DMSC Inc.**) Dimensional Metrology Standards Consortium announced the American National Standards Institute (**ANSI**) has approved QIF v 2.0 (Quality Information Framework, version 2.0) as an American National Standard.

This new standard enhances the previous ANSI Standard, QIF V1.0 containing quality planning and measurement results, by providing a complete and accurate 3D product definition with semantic geometric and dimensional tolerances, definitions for measurement resources, template for measurement rules, and statistical functionality.

All of this to satisfy the digital interoperability needs for a wide variety of use cases including feature-based dimensional metrology, quality measurement planning, first article inspection, and discrete quality measurement.

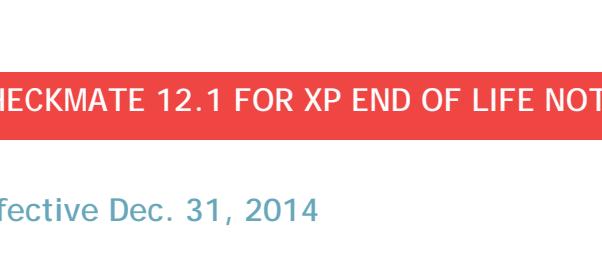To find more information about the QIF standards please visit the QIF website at **www.qifstandards.org**

To obtain your no - cost copy of the standard please send a request via email to bsquier@dmis.org

## Did you Know…

### The best way to start up CheckMate for SOLIDWORKSÂ®

Watch this very short video clip.



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## CHECKMATE 12.1 FOR XP END OF LIFE NOTICE

### Effective Dec. 31, 2014

As of December 31, 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 and CM14 for SOLIDWORKS® on Microsoft WIN7/64bit will serve to ensure a more rapid and smooth transition to the SOLIDWORKS® platform.

## 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://www.solidworks.com/sw/support/SystemRequirements.html

Graphic Card selection:

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

## CHECKMATE  Updates -
### OriginIntl.com

### Stay Current with Updates



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

Hardware Requirements for CheckMate for SOLIDWORKSÂ®:

**Hardware**:

- Hardware: Windows 7 - 64 bit,2.5GHz CPU, 12 GB Ram
- Quad Core processor (as many processors as can be obtained)

**Software**:

- SOLIDWORKSÂ® 2012 or later (64bit), CheckMate for SOLIDWORKSÂ®(64bit), CheckMate 12.1.418 or later (64bit)
- Network: Licensing for SOLIDWORKSÂ® and CheckMate

CheckMate 12.1.441 x86 Phase II update
CheckMate 12.1.441 x64 Phase II update
CheckMate for SOLIDWORKSÂ® 14.441 X64

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

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