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**ISSUE: SPRING**

**MARCH 2014**

Dear Janet,

Spring has sprung...I hope. Spring is also a time of new, fresh announcements and ideas. This is true for Origin. See some of our announcements below.

We appreciate your comments and feedback.

**CHECKMATE ANNOUNCEMENT**

**CheckMate for SolidWorks**



*for  
SolidWorks*

We are excited to announce that going forward the platform of choice for our CheckMate CAD based metrology products is SolidWorks from [Dassault Systemes SolidWorks Corp.](#)

The presence of SolidWorks in mainstream manufacturing makes it the ideal platform in the evolution of our CAD based metrology software and the value added capabilities of the SolidWorks reseller network will further enhance our customer's experience.

We are currently wrapping up the testing portion of this release and customer shipments are imminent.

We invite you to stay tuned as further details on the full rollout are forthcoming.

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WHICH ONE ARE YOU?

Quality Professional

OR

Manufacturing Engineer

### Quote

We've switched from a culture that was interested in manufacturing, economics, politics - trying to play a serious part in the world - to a culture that's really entertainment-based.  
*Stephen King*

## VIDEO

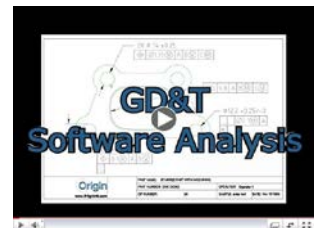
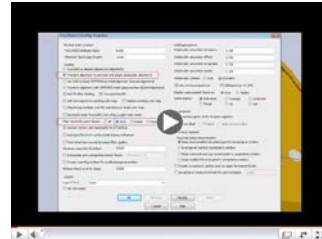
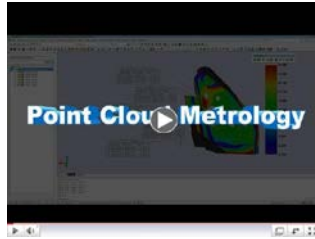
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1- SoftFit Solver: The  
What, Why & How

## ORIGIN'S NEWEST VIDEOS

Check out these short informative videos...



## 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

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[2-SoftOrient R and R](#)

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## CHECKMATE AFTER CLASS



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.

### UPCOMING WEBINAR

#### Troubleshooting CheckMate 12.1

**Date:** Thursday, April 24th, 2014

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

**Description:** This webinar will be reviewing troubleshooting tips for installing updates, full installs, excel and other things. Also, as a customer, there are files to be collected to streaming the troubleshooting process for software or licensing issues.

[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.



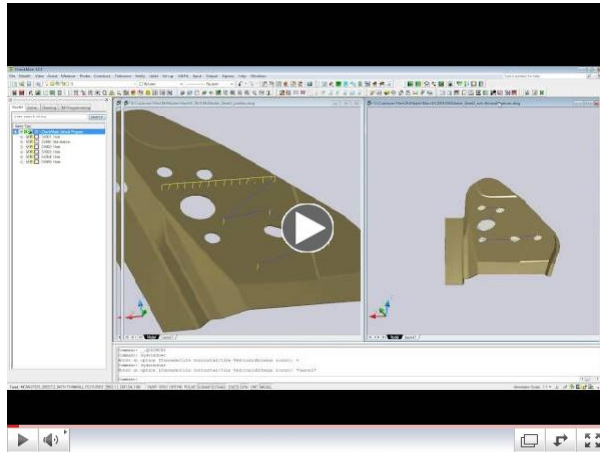
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### Did you Know...

#### Cecil..Our CheckMate expert says...

We will review how to setup two windows when you are comparing two dwg files, using the WINDOWS menu. (syswindows command).





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## Top 5 Tech Tip's

1. Learn about Cutting CAD Sections [Click Here](#).
2. Learn how to create a constructed plane from offset surface measurements [Click Here](#)
3. Reviewing two new commands for exporting/importing [Click Here](#)
4. Procedure to drag measurement hits to new locations [Click Here](#)
5. Determine best probe angle for feature measurement [Click Here](#)

### 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.



For more information...[contact us](#)

### 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.



### Reseller/Distributor Opportunity

## Manufacturing process & inspection software/hardware

Attention resellers: In order to better serve industry needs, Origin is looking to expand it's 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](mailto:Janet.wiaderny@originintl.com)

### CHECKMATE 12.1 Update - OriginIntl.com

CheckMate - 12.1  
Phase II 366 x86 Update



For customers who log in to our BBS. We have a new folder called CheckMate 12.1 for this new release and other information related to it. ie. updates, how to unblock the help file etc.

Hardware Requirements for CheckMate:

- [32 bit](#) / [64 bit](#) capability - able to run Windows XP-32Bit, Vista or Windows 7
- Minimum 4 gigabytes of RAM
- Ability to do Windows XP hardware simulation
- Multiple Cores - Scanning software uses multiple cores to increase the performance

### 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*)

### FEEDBACK

## We hope to hear from you

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