ARCHIVING ENGINEERING DOCUMENTS USING PDF

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Terms and Definitions

PDF for Engineering

Archiving Technical Data Packages using 3D PDF



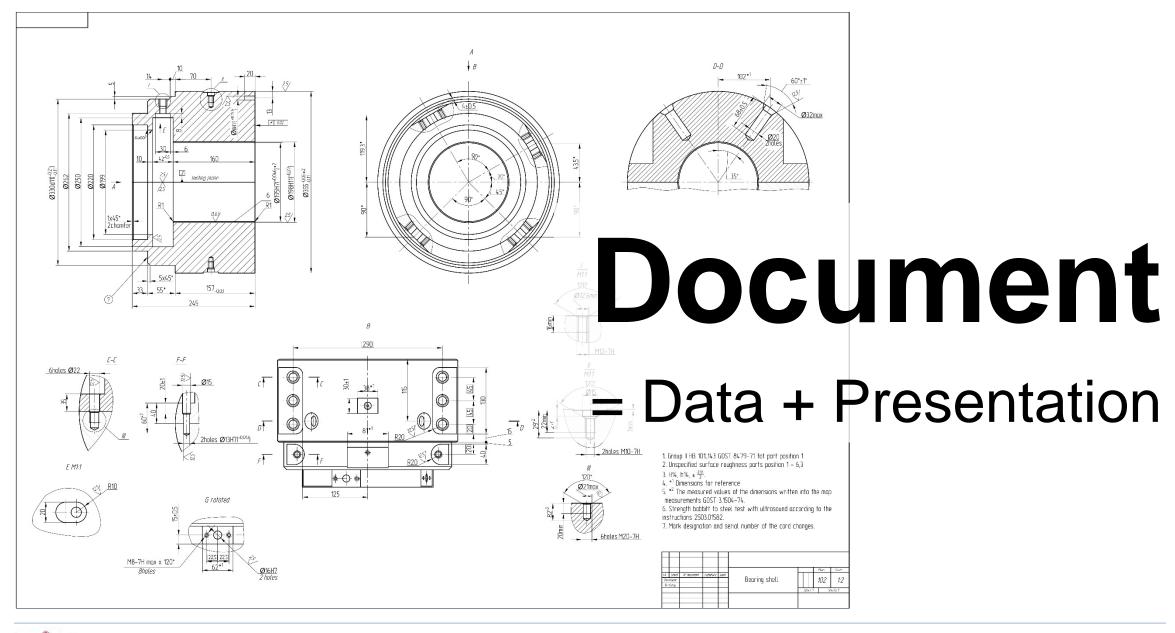
TERMS AND DEFINITIONS



A 3D Engineering Perspective









Record



= Data + Documents + Security



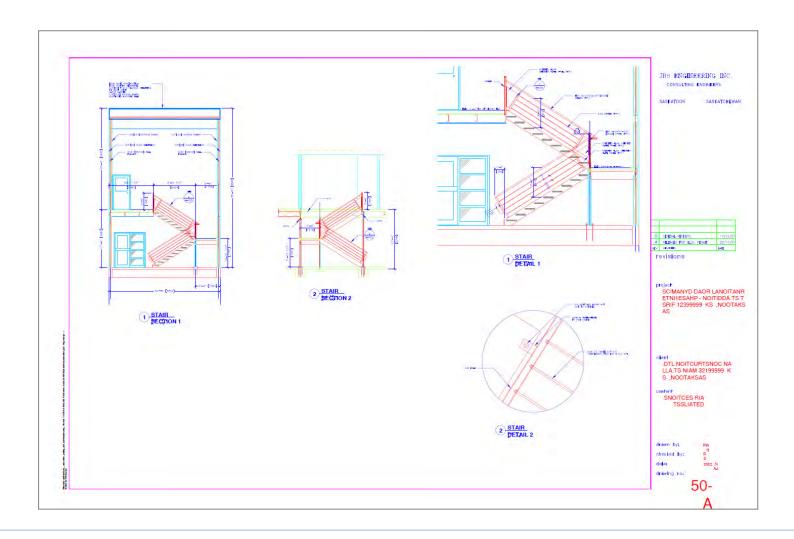


Data +
Documents +
Records +
Security +
Persistence



DRAWING

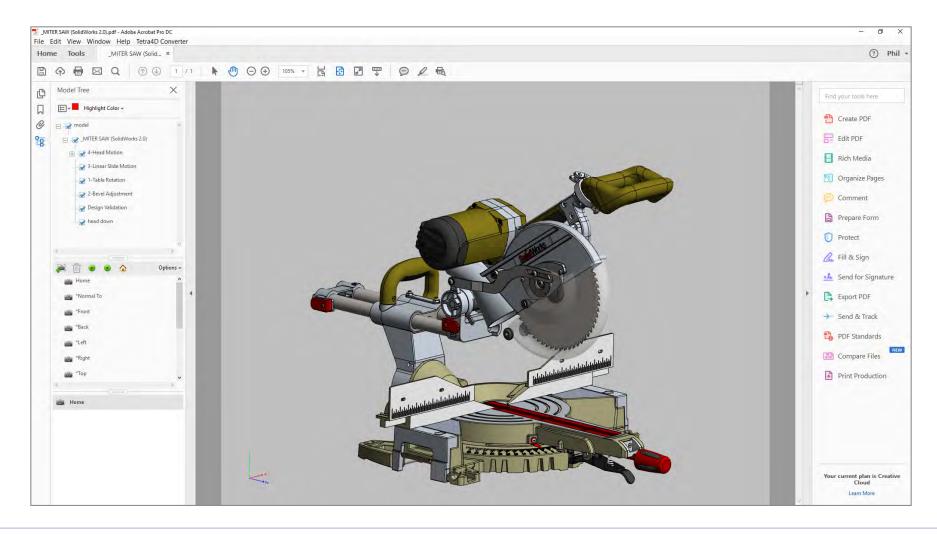
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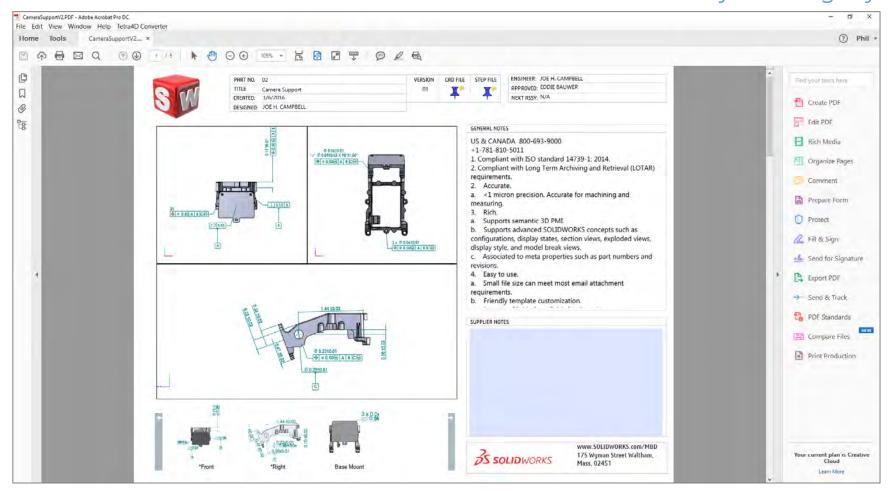
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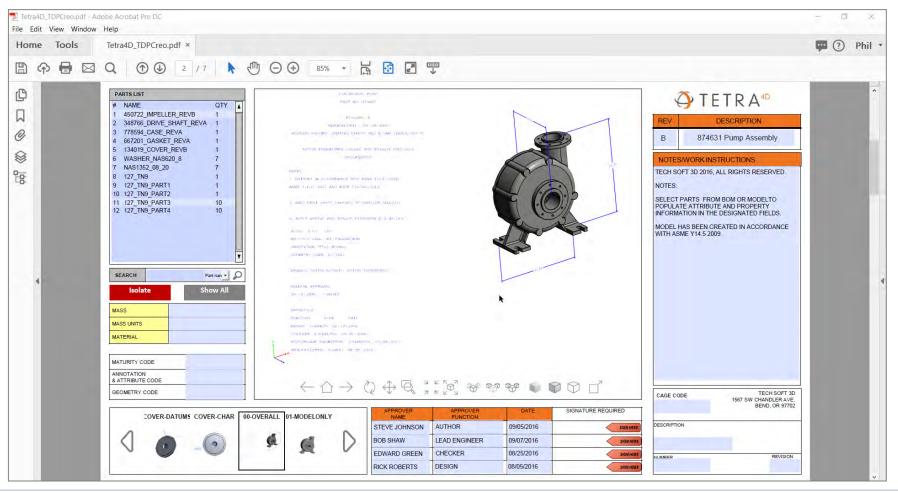
Product and Manufacturing Information







Technical Data Package





PDF is the only open format capable of logically archiving engineering data, documents, records and archives

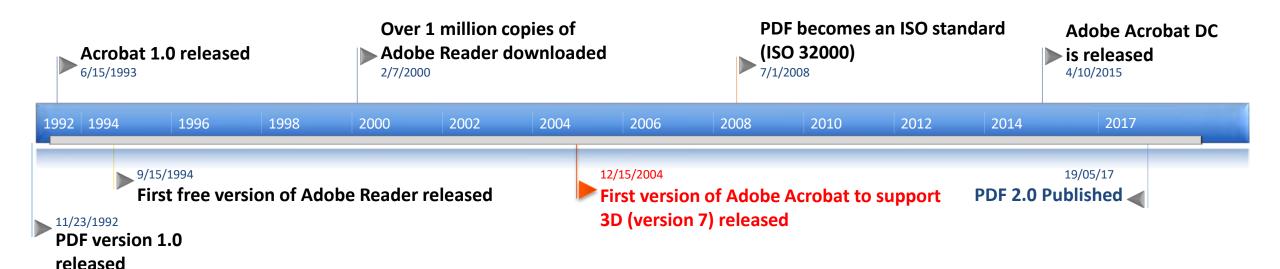


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• 3D PDF currently published natively from:

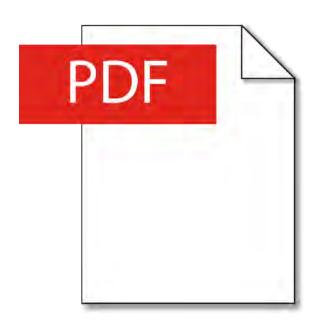


- 3D PDF Solutions available for most popular CAD programs
 - Autodesk AutoCAD®
 - CATIA ™
 - Siemens NX™





ISO 32000

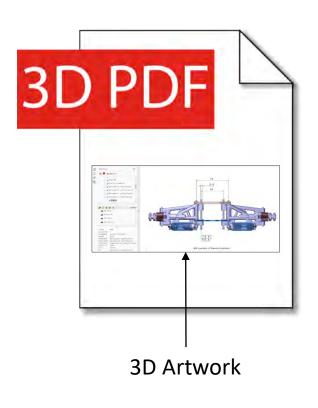


- Presentation
- JavaScript
- Markup (XFDF)
- Metadata (XMP)
- Forms
- Attachments
- Security



INSIDE 3D PDF

ISO 32000



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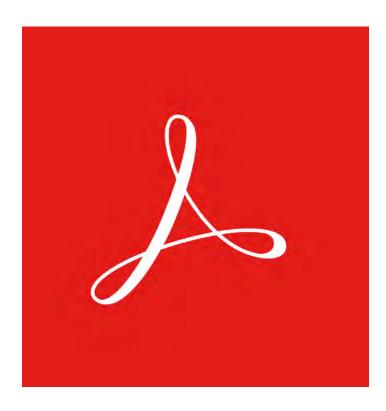
- 3D Artwork (model)
- 3D JavaScript
- Markup (XFDF)
 3D Markup (XFDF)





Best Practices

- Adobe Acrobat DC or Adobe Acrobat Reader DC
 - Only viewer to support both
 U3D and PRC
 - Best for PMI (face highlight)
 - No Flash Requirement



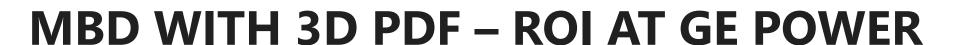


THE BUSINESS CASE FOR PDF IN ENGINEERING

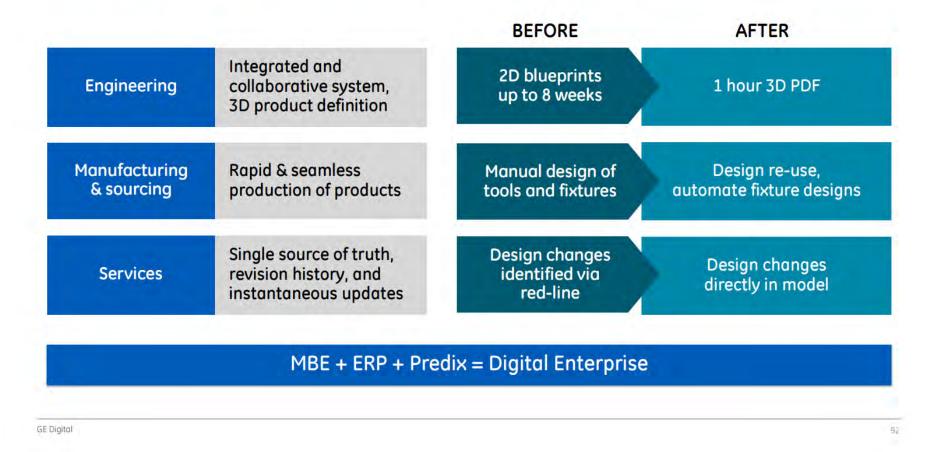


Return on Investment (ROI)





Creating a digital model-based enterprise







Model-based transformation (Greenville, SC)

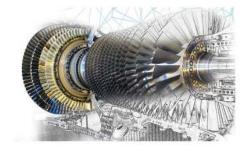
Results

Design system integration Single toolset for aero, heat transfer, stress, vibration analyses

Design productivity
Automation delivers 20% labor reduction
12K digital designs since inception

Results \$103MM across 3 years

- √ 60 of 200 steps automated/eliminated
- √ 530K hours saved across system
- √ 30% NPI cycle reduction
- √ 40% fewer manual inspection points





GE Digital



ARCHIVING TECHNICAL DATA PACKAGES USING 3D PDF

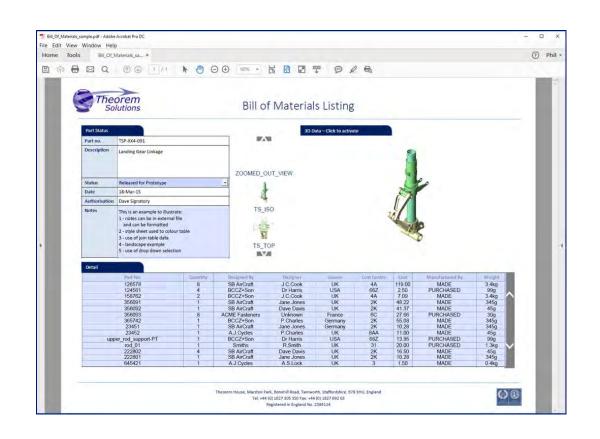


TDP Using ISO Standards





- Use The Best PDF Standards for:
 - 3D
 - ISO 32000 (PDF)
 - 2D
 - ISO 24517 (PDF/E)
 - Text/Images/Documents
 - ISO 19005 (PDF/A)

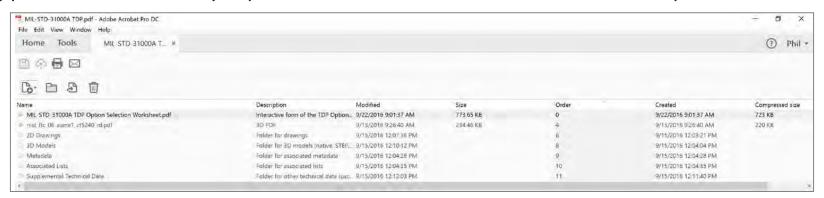




ATTACHMENTS AND PORTFOLIOS

Recommended Practices

- Add Structure Using Portfolios or Attachments
 - Make sure all attachments have a description
 - Use portfolio folders to logically organize attachments
 - Use hyperlinks to easily open attachments from inside the portfolio

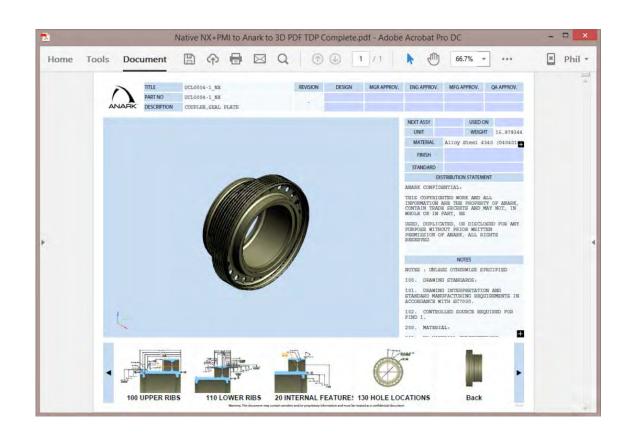


* Acrobat XI requires installing Flash to view portfolios . Acrobat DC is the preferred viewer for PDF portfolios.





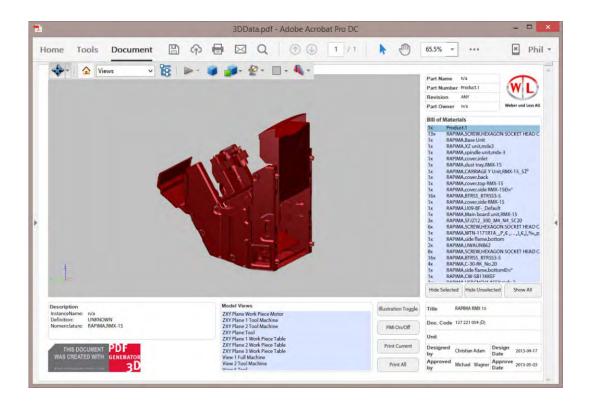
- Use ISO Standards for Model Data
 - PRC (ISO 14739) for visualization
 - Workflows that require a precise
 CAD model, such as CAM, should
 attach an 3D definition of the model
 in an open format (i.e. STEP, X3D, JT, IFC, ...)
 - Recommend using STEP AP 242 (ISO 10303:242) for manufacturing documents







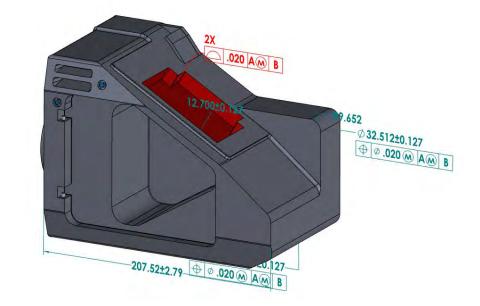
- Ensure Your Document Is Portable
 - Poster Images
 - Watermarks
 - Embedded Fonts
 - Compression







- Use JavaScript to support Annotation Query
 - The Adobe Acrobat Reader, as yet, does not support some of the behaviors necessary to be compliant with CAD standards such as ASME Y14.41, "Digital Product Definition Data Practices."
 - In most cases, it is possible to satisfy ASME Y14.41 requirements by attaching custom JavaScript to a 3D annotation when creating a PDF file.





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