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TETRA <sup>4D</sup>

CONVERTER

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# CONVERT. VISUALIZE. COLLABORATE.

Tetra4D<sup>®</sup> Converter is the world's leading solution for converting native 3D CAD data into rich, interactive 3D PDF documents, including full support for accurate BREP geometry and PMI. Only Tetra4D Converter and Adobe<sup>®</sup> Acrobat<sup>®</sup> together allow you to control whether recipients of your 3D PDFs can measure, section, comment or export 3D data from both Acrobat and the free Adobe Reader<sup>®</sup>.

# **KEY CAPABILITIES**

## SHARE CAD DATA WITH ANYONE

No need to own or learn to use expensive 3D CAD systems. With Tetra4D Converter you can accurately convert 3D data from the latest versions of CATIA<sup>®</sup>, Pro/E, SOLIDWORKS, Inventor<sup>®</sup>, and all other major CAD applications to 3D PDF directly inside Adobe Acrobat.

## **TRANSLATE CAD DATA**

Export precise geometric 3D CAD data to STEP, IGES, JT, STL and Parasolid<sup>®</sup> from all major CAD formats for use in downstream applications.

## **ALWAYS WORKS IN ADOBE READER**

Tetra4D Converter is built using the native technology found in all Acrobat products ensuring 3D content is displayed accurately every time it is opened with Adobe Reader.

## **TRANSITION FROM MBD TO MBE**

Tetra4D Converter provides the tools you need to share Model Based Designs with suppliers, with full support for import of PMI data such as dimensions, tolerances, annotations and intelligent PMI view states.

## **COLLABORATE WITH YOUR TEAM**

Given the ubiquity of Adobe Reader, 3D PDF files can be viewed, commented on and shared by virtually anyone. Creation of views, measurements and sectioning functions make collaboration simple and efficient.

# FULL REPRESENTATION OF CAD DATA IN A COMPRESSED FILE

3D PDF's are up to 97% smaller than the original CAD model enabling easy electronic sharing.

# **SECURITY OPTIONS**

Ensure your intellectual property is only opened by the intended recipient with Adobe Acrobat's password security. Control access to views, and user ability to mark up and export files.



As we learned more about 3D PDF, it was clear to us that implementing a fully integrated 3D PDF solution would create more efficiency for us and our customers.

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# **3D File Formats Supported for Import**

File Format	Version**	
ACIS (SAT)	Up to 2021	
Autodesk AutoCAD (3D only)	Up to v2019	
Autodesk DWF	Any	
Autodesk Inventor	Up to <b>2023</b>	
CATIA V4	Up to V4.2.5	
CATIA V5	Up to V5-6R2022	
CATIA V6	Up to V5-6 R2019 (R29)	
FBX	ASCII: 7100 to 7400. Binary: all	
GL Transmission Format	2.0	
I-deas	Up to 13.x (NX 5), NX I-deas 6	
IFC (Industry Foundation Classes)	IFC2x Editions 2,3 and 4	
IGES	5.1, 5.2, 5.3	
TL	Up to <b>V10.6</b>	
Parasolid (X_T)	Up to v34.1	
PRC	All versions	
PTC Creo	Pro/Engineer 19.0 to Creo 9.0	
PTC Pro/ENGINEER	Up to Wildfire 5	
REVIT	2015 to 2022	
Rhino	4,5 , 6, 7	
Siemens PLM Software NX	V11.0 to NX 12, and up to NX 2206	
Solid Edge	V19, V20, ST to ST10 - up to 2022	
SolidWorks	Up to 2022	
STEP	AP 203 E1/E2, AP 214, AP 242	
STEP XML	All versions	
STL (Stereo Lithography)	All versions	
U3D (Universal 3D	ECMA-363, (1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup> editions)	
VDA-FS	V1.0, V2.0	
VRML	V1.0, V2.0	
Wavefront (Obj)	Any	
3MF	1.2.3	



# **3D File Formats Supported for Export**

File Format**	<b>File Extension</b>	
3MF	3MF	
ACIS	SAT, SAB	
FBX	FBX	
gITF	GLTF, GLB	
IGES	IGS, IGES	
TL	JT	
Parasolid	X_T	
PRC	PRC	
STEP	STP, STEP, STP.Z	
STL (Stereo Lithography)	STL	
U3D (Universal 3D)	U3D	
VRML	WRL, VRML	
Wavefront	OBJ	

# **Supported 2D File formats**

File Format	File Extension	
AutoCAD*	2008 - 2011	
Autodesk DWF*	2008 - 2011	
Autodesk DXF*	2008 - 2011	
CATIA V5 Drawings	Up to R19	
HP Graphics Library		
PostScript	PostScript	
Siemens NX - 2D	Up to NX 6	

\*Supported natively by Acrobat Pro DC

## Supported Languages

English	Japanese	Italian
French	Korean	Spanish
German	Portuguese	Chinease

#### \*\*) Updated: Mai 2022 / Oct 2022

# SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

1.5GHz or faster processor

Adobe Acrobat Pro (32 bit) DC 2015; Acrobat 2017/2020 Pro or Acrobat 2022 Pro (64 bit) Microsoft Windows Operating System: Microsoft® Windows 7 (32 and 64 bit); Windows 8.1 (32 bit and 64 bit); Windows Server® 2008 R2 (64 bit) or higher and Windows 10 (32 and 64 bit) or Windows 11 (64 bit) 1 GB of RAM | 200MB of available hard-disk space | 1024×768 (minimum) screen resolution



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