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ADVERTISEMENT What is AutoCAD? What is AutoCAD? AutoCAD is a computer-aided design (CAD) and drafting software application. Developed and marketed by Autodesk, AutoCAD was first released in December 1982 as a desktop app running on microcomputers with internal graphics controllers. Before AutoCAD was introduced,

most commercial CAD programs ran on mainframe computers or minicomputers, with each CAD operator (user) working at a separate graphics terminal.

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students. The tool has a broad range of capabilities that can be used by anyone. AutoCAD is ideal for architects and designers. Professionals can use AutoCAD to draw the detailed plans for construction projects. Students can use AutoCAD to practice architecture, engineering, and drafting skills. What can I do with AutoCAD? AutoCAD's 3D modeling allows you to: Draw complex three-dimensional (3D) shapes and models. Using AutoCAD's modeling tools, you

can easily draw freehand objects, surfaces, and solids. You can extrude and hollow out objects, and sculpt them using Boolean operations. You can combine solids to make complex objects. With the 3D modeling tools in AutoCAD, you can draw models in the plane, on the x- and y-axes, and in 3D space. Using AutoCAD's modeling tools, you can easily draw freehand objects, surfaces, and solids. Using AutoCAD's modeling tools, you can

AutoCAD DXF (Drafting Exchange Format) has also been widely adopted by many software packages, including other CAD packages, Windows programs, and all current versions of AutoCAD. It has many file extensions, such as dwg, dxf, dgn, dxf2, dgn2, and dxf3. It has become the standard for exchange of most CAD formats. History AutoCAD was developed by Autodesk starting in 1981. At the time of its initial

release, AutoCAD was considered a commercial application, which cost US\$3,000 (US\$10,000 for a later version). AutoCAD was one of the first CAD applications to be developed for MS-DOS and IBM PC compatible computers. Initially, early versions of AutoCAD were written in assembly language and ran on DOS. The Windows version was introduced in 1983, and was able to utilize Graphical Device Interface (GDI) for display. The first menu-based version of

AutoCAD, Version 2, was introduced in 1987, which was the first to make full use of Windows API. AutoCAD was included in the first volume of a series of books titled "PowerBuilder for Autodesk Products", with a preface written by the AutoCAD developers and other members of the Autodesk team. In the preface, they stated that the name of the software was not part of the branding strategy and "might be confusing". In October 1990, the final version of AutoCAD was

released. It was the first version of AutoCAD to use the AutoCAD native drawing engine to provide high speed and graphical improvement. As a result of its release, the AutoCAD drawing engine was referred to as Native. The name Native originated from the speed and quality the Native engine offered. However, due to a lack of marketing, Native did not become as popular as other Autodesk products. In March 1992, in response to the Microsoft Windows 3.0 being released,

AutoCAD was again re-branded as AutoCAD 2000. The release of AutoCAD 2000 was a major re-write of the software. It was the first version of AutoCAD to support 3D modeling. This version also supported Graphical User Interface (GUI) and 3D graphics. In order to make the system more stable and maintain the quality of the product, some features of the previous releases were not added. In 1992, the re-write of Auto

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Open Autocad by clicking the Start button. Autocad automatically opens and shows the Launchpad. Click the Autocad icon in the Launchpad. Right-click in the left pane and select Split Workbench Window. Drag the right pane to the right so you can see the ribbon bar at the bottom of the left pane. Click the vertical tab on the ribbon bar, then click Sign Up. How to sign up Fill in the Sign Up form: Click the Continue button. Fill in

your name and email address, then click the Register button. Click the Continue button. Enter your aaa password in the password field, then click the Enter Password button. Enter your new password in the password field, then click the Enter Password button. Click the Continue button. Enter your new user name in the User Name field, then click the OK button. Enter your new password in the password field, then click the OK button. Click the Continue button. Click the Ok button in the middle

of the page. Enter your AutoCAD password in the User Name field and your new password in the password field. Click the Ok button. Click the Continue button. Click the Sign In button in the center of the bottom pane. How to create a new account Click the Sign Up button, and then follow the steps in the section "How to sign up". Autocad > Security > Choose a privacy setting Click the Display a dialog box to select the location and the privacy setting that you want to use. Autocad >

Security > Users This displays a list of users, such as the active user and the guest user. When you're finished creating and using users, choose Close to close the dialog box. How to share work Click the Share button. How to save your work In the Document Menu, click Save. In the dialog box that appears, click Save As, and then follow the prompts. AutoCAD Tips The comments shown below may help you in your work: What: A display of the current mode of the program is shown here. You

can: A description of the different commands that are displayed here is shown here. How: Instructions on how to use an individual command are shown here. View menu options You can view the menu options by

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Add a layer to make annotations on the drawing and have them update as the model changes. Easily work in a team environment. Markup Assist lets

your team review your draft and make comments using the drawing directly. All edits you make will appear in your drawing as quickly as you make them. Enhanced Text Tools: Reverse the flow of text, with a single click. Position your mouse cursor over any text to change the direction of any paragraph. Choose from a variety of column widths and spacing to fit your drawing. Add easily accessible markers and comments to your model. Add dimension, node, text, and annotation lines

with a single click. Grouping: Group objects in the drawing and update them all at once. Create project folders and organize drawings into folders, as well as add new versions and change the folder structure at any time. Organize your design using groups, where you can select multiple drawings to be edited together. Easily navigate and edit your drawing with a workspace. Define your preferred way to work. New project: Create a new project in a folder or create new

projects in existing folders.

Improved Scene Tools: Apply a scene fill or light to the model. Can also add shading to the surface or select multiple surfaces and fill them. Switch between different surfaces and apply updates. Update the view, edit the scene, or edit the scene template. Edit scene properties, such as rotation, scale, or colour. Copy a scene to another location in your drawing. Make a scene that copies the model, but remains locked so you don't need to edit it. Link an object or scene

to a separate layer or group. Easily swap between the view and model with a click. Layers: Easily apply colour or image fills. You can change the colour of the fill and apply the new colour to all the surfaces of your model. Apply a quick sketch to your model. Lock and unlock layers and groups. Group layers for easier manipulation. Sketch any portion of your model. Move it around and combine it with other layers to quickly build complex models. Markups: View and edit

System Requirements For AutoCAD:

**PC: OS: Windows XP or later
Processor: Intel Pentium III 1GHz
(1GHz recommended), AMD
Athlon XP, or AMD Phenom
(1GHz recommended) RAM:
1.5GB Hard Drive: 8GB available
space Video Card: DirectX
9-compatible, 1024x768 minimum
resolution Input Devices:
Keyboard and mouse Mac: OS:
Mac OS X 10.5.5 or later
Processor: Intel Core Duo RAM:
1GB Hard Drive: 8GB available**

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