



WHAT'S NEW IN SOLIDWORKS® 2026-ECAD

These enhancements apply to SOLIDWORKS Electrical Schematic Professional Augmented and SOLIDWORKS Electrical Schematic Professional unless stated otherwise.



Assigning Accessory Parts to Specific Terminals or Circuits

- · Speed up drawing creation with AI-powered views and hole callouts, as well as automated dimensioning, detailing, sheet format selection, and scaling.
- · Create a full 2D electrical structure without modeling accessory components.

Benefits

Create complete BOM documentation in 2D for electrical designs with components and accessories.



Improved Flexibility in PDF Export From Electrical

- Customize PDF exports with flexible options like organizing by project, book, or page and auto-adjusting page orientation.
- Speed up the setup of new PDF output settings using a new more intuitive interface.

Benefits

Quickly organize and output ultra clear PDF production documentation.



Streamlined Manufacturer Part and Cable Reference Import

- · Accelerate library creation and improve data accuracy with faster import of manufacturer parts and cable references from Microsoft® Excel.
- · Simplify data entry for multiple items like circuits, terminals,

Benefits

Improve speed and accuracy when creating electrical component and wire/cable libraries



Load and Reload Feature in 3DEXPERIENCE® Libraries*

- Simplify electrical library management with load and reload capabilities from the 3DEXPERIENCE platform, ensuring team-wide design consistency.
- Speed up electrical library management with a streamlined interface that consolidates all comments into a single, easy-to-access toolbar.

Benefits

Improve design consistency by simplifying electrical library management.



Saving Local Libraries to 3DEXPERIENCE*

- · Enable users to contribute local electrical content to a central library on the 3DEXPERIENCE platform.
- · Reuse output from electrical content creators to eliminate duplicate work and ensure consistent results across the team.

Save local electrical libraries to the 3DEXPERIENCE platform to centralize











Benefits

^{*}Applies to SOLIDWORKS Design Electrical Schematic Professional Augmented

NEW role: SOLIDWORKS Electrical 3D Augmented

- Provide a direct, two-way connection between 3D CAD and SOLIDWORKS Electrical Schematic Professional Augmented.
- · Place electrical components in 3D, auto-route wires and cables using rules, and generate accurate production documentation like wire lengths and harness drawings.

Benefits

Streamline workflows with integrated electrical design and routing on the 3DEXPERIENCE platform.



Route Wires Property Manager Enhancement**

- Simplify harness design by routing selected wires directly through the Route Wires property manager, enhancing control and efficiency.
- Focus routing on a specific wire or a set of wires, just like with cables, for greater precision and flexibility in harness design.

Benefits

Accelerate 3D electrical workflows by routing specific wires.

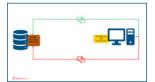


Dynamic Connector Insertion Improvements

- Simplify connector insertion with direct symbol access and a new, detailed circuit selection dialog for faster, more accurate design choices.
- Improve circuit list layout, sorting, filtering, and limit controls for faster, easier navigation.

Benefits

Streamline connector insertion with improved access, circuit selection, filtering, and control options.



Collaborative Server Enhancement**

- · Enhance compatibility with modern IT environments through optimized client-to-server connections for more reliable performance.
- Initiate all communication from the client to eliminate server-to-client connections, reduce firewall complexity, and enhance network security.

Benefits

Boost IT security and compatibility with client initiated connections and no client-side firewall changes.



Enhancements to ECAD-MCAD Collaboration Using IDX 3.0***

- · Enhance IDX 3.0 collaboration by tracking parent-child relationships for precise synchronization of Keep-in, Keep-out, PTH, and NPTH data.
- Overwrite previous pushes, review and reverse MCAD changes before ECAD updates to cut errors, rework, and design cycle time.

Benefits

Strengthen ECAD-MCAD collaboration through data tracking, change control, and faster design cycles.

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