



# SolidView 2021.0 Release Notes

## 1. Windows 8 and older End Of Service

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SolidView is fully compatible with Windows 10, and therefore can be installed and used in computers that have Windows 10. Beginning with our 2021 release, Windows 8 and older will no longer be supported.

## 2. Updated CAD Interface Support

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We have updated our CAD interfaces to their latest versions. These updates also include bug fixes and enhancements. Some of the CAD interfaces we have updated are:

- ACIS - R1 – 2021 1.0
- CATIA - V5 R8 to V5–6 R2021
- CATIA (exported) - V6 R2021x
- Autodesk Inventor - 2021
- JT - 10.5
- NX (Unigraphics/UG) NX - 1926
- Parasolid - 33.0
- Pro/E - Creo - 7.0
- SolidEdge - 2021
- SolidWorks Display List - 2021
- SolidWorks Geometry - 2021

## 3. End-Of-Life Notice

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### CAD Interface Support

Beginning with SolidView 2019, the following file formats will no longer be supported:

- AutoCAD DXF/DWG
- SDRC Web Access (mca, idi files)

### Supported Operative Systems

Beginning with SolidView 2021, Windows 8 and older is no longer supported. Only the following Operative Systems are currently supported:

- Windows 10 x64

## 4. Downloading and Auto Updating

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SolidView can be obtained directly from the SolidView website<sup>2</sup>:

<http://www.solidview.com/Support/Download>

2. Please note, a login is required.

Another upgrade option is through the SolidView help menu → Help ? | Web | Check for updates

## 5. Installing, Uninstalling, and Upgrade Notes

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During your installation you can choose between TYPICAL or CUSTOM installation types<sup>3</sup>:

- COMPLETE installation installs all CAD interfaces (only purchased interfaces are usable)
- CUSTOM installation allows you to choose which CAD interfaces to install

3. This applies to SolidView/Pro and SolidView/Pro RP versions only, SolidView/Lite and SolidView do not have optional CAD interfaces available.

## Recent Bug Fixes

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There have been several modifications to SolidView to enhance performance, improve functionality, and fix issues.