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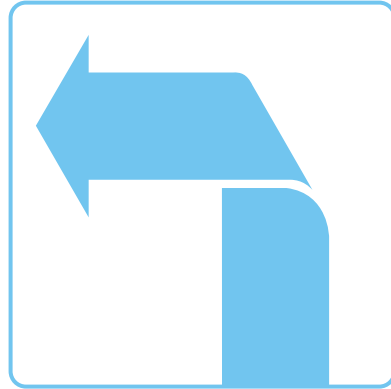
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The Fastest, Easiest Way to Develop Products Using an Explicit 3D Design Process.



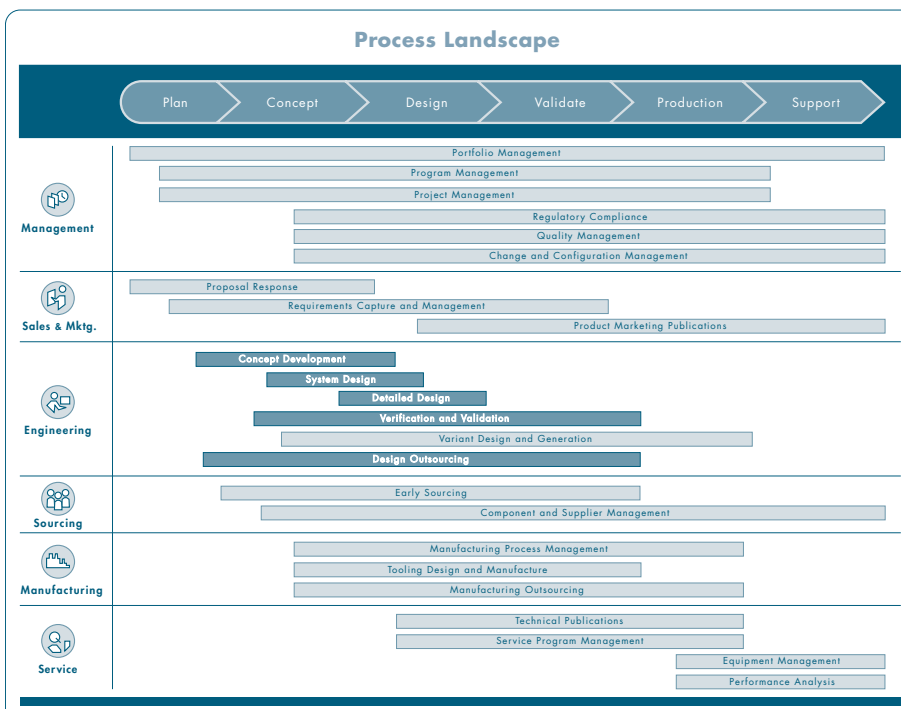
CoCreate is for innovative leaders in discrete manufacturing and other industries who are facing intense time-to-market pressure. Many of the world's best known product development companies depend on the CoCreate product family for an explicit 3D product development process in order to meet shorter design cycles, create one-off product designs quickly, and respond to unpredictable design requirement changes.

If you are looking for maximum ease and flexibility in creating one-off designs or radically repurposing designs, an “explicit modeling” approach to 3D design is the right choice. Most companies add 3D modeling to their product design process to overcome increased pressures in manufacturing, such as shortened time-to-market, customer demand for new products, and increasingly complex customer requirements. CoCreate addresses these challenges with explicit 3D CAD, product data management, and collaboration capabilities that provide the optimal level of design flexibility. The combination of CoCreate with PTC’s other software solutions delivers an integral Product Development System (PDS) – which enables manufacturers to optimize their product development processes.

Explicit Modeling – The Ultimate in Flexibility

CoCreate Modeling, the world’s #1 explicit 3D CAD system, is the easiest 3D CAD system to learn and use. The CoCreate product family provides a lightweight, yet flexible 3D design approach that can help you advance many of your engineering processes, including:

- › Concept Development
- › System Design
- › Detailed Design
- › Verification and Validation
- › Design Outsourcing



PTC's Process Landscape: A Comprehensive View of Critical Development Processes

Lightweight. Flexible. Fast.

CoCreate delivers speed, flexibility and responsiveness-to-change for customers pursuing a lightweight and flexible design strategy. As the pioneer and leading provider of explicit modeling, PTC and CoCreate provide you with unique flexibility throughout your entire product development process. When designing in 3D with CoCreate, your models stay lightweight and flexible through direct, on-the-fly geometry interactions. This flexibility allows you to quickly incorporate downstream 3D design changes and radically repurpose designs using Windows®-like characteristics—including cutting, copying and pasting geometry—which makes the initial training and overall learning curve on CoCreate products fast and easy.

Lightweight.

Intuitively Design Products Using Direct, On-the-Fly Interactions with Model Geometry.

CoCreate uniquely captures less model definition information, for a genuinely lightweight and flexible product design process. You intuitively interact with model geometry through direct, on-the-fly interactions. Product designs evolve freely without designers needing to anticipate downstream design changes or maintain embedded design logic such as tangency conditions. As a result, lightweight model geometry is central to the flexibility of your CoCreate explicit 3D CAD system. Consequently, your explicit modeling files are, on average, one-third the size of parametric modeling files, which makes your models easier to access, modify, archive and share.

Flexible.

Easily Address Unexpected and Radical Product Design Changes.

Since you're creating and modifying model geometry using direct, on-the-fly interactions, your initial training and ramp up on the software is much easier. But it also means that, when you're working with the CoCreate explicit 3D CAD system, you can easily pick up a design where others left off—much like the way you can open up and immediately continue working on an existing Microsoft Word® document. CoCreate Modeling provides flexibility in several other ways, by giving you the ability to address unexpected and radical changes to product designs, to respond to changes in design team composition, and to work easily with design data from any 3D or 2D CAD system as if it were native design data.

Fast.

Easy to Learn and Easy to Use, CoCreate Lets Engineers Shave Weeks – Even Months – from Project Schedules.

CoCreate Modeling, with its explicit approach to 3D design, is faster and easier to learn and use than other 3D CAD systems. Existing 2D designers can transfer their skills and quickly adopt 3D explicit modeling in a matter of weeks. CoCreate customer Carl Zeiss Meditec explains: "We just don't have time to spend worrying about our design tools, and with CoCreate Modeling, we don't have to. Anybody can pick it up and run with it." The speed of 3D design and the short learning curve of CoCreate Modeling enable Carl Zeiss Meditec to stay ahead of its competition and cut weeks—even months—from project schedules.

In a 2006 Aberdeen Group® study, companies that typically develop large, complex designs responded with their top five concerns or problems with their current CAD technology:

1. Learning unfamiliar software (63%)
2. Can't clearly identify the benefits of 3D modeling (50%)
3. Concerned about what to do with legacy 2D data after the adoption of 3D CAD (44%)
4. Difficulty in managing the complex CAD relationships associated with their large assemblies (39%)
5. Slow application performance (31%)

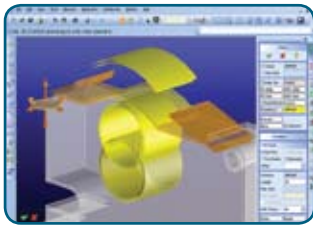
CoCreate and an explicit modeling approach can address these concerns for many organizations.



CoCreate Modeling – the World's #1 Explicit 3D CAD System

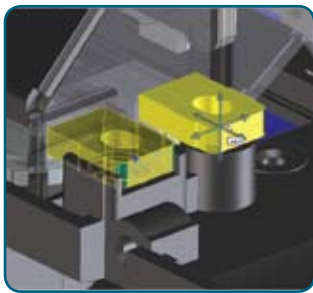
CoCreate Modeling, based on the explicit approach to 3D design, makes creating and modifying 3D designs fast, easy and flexible. CoCreate Modeling is packed with an extensive list of features for innovative customers who demand speed, flexibility and responsiveness-to-change.

Concept Design and 3D Modeling



Explicit Modeling

Quickly and easily create 3D designs through direct, on-the-fly interactions with model geometry. The explicit approach is flexible and easy to use, so it's ideal for companies that create one-off or highly customized products.



Easy-to-use 3D and 2D CoPilots

Graphically drive 2D and 3D design creation, modification and positioning commands with ease. CoPilots intuitively calculate snap conditions and geometric relationships on-the-fly, while users manage an adaptive, on-screen grid and quickly key-in values independent of menus.



Drag-and-drop Assembly Management

Manage parts and assemblies with Microsoft Windows Explorer-like capabilities. Simply drag and drop parts and assemblies to match the product structure of the bill-of-materials.

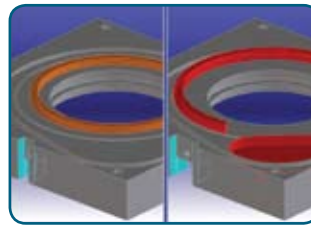
Assembly Handling

Easily design in context of the assembly—even with products containing hundreds of thousands of parts. Expand physical memory and boost performance with 64-bit computing and lightweight graphic representations on the Microsoft® Windows® operating system.

Annotation

Create 3D-to-2D associative drawings that are synchronized with the master 3D part or assembly. 3D modifications automatically carry over to dimensioned drawings, eliminating common 2D drafting errors.

3D Design



Clash and Part Comparison Analysis

Reduce time and cost by using digital product development capabilities. Locate assembly conflicts in advance of physical prototypes and understand the differences between two similar parts by using color-code visual analysis.



Photorealistic Rendering

Create photorealistic-rendered images of your product designs with a complete catalogue of real-world materials, textures, light sources, and rendering schemes.

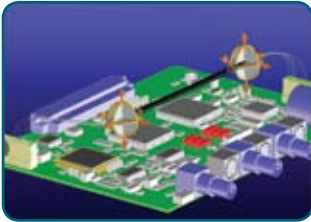
Design in Cross-section

Dive into the heart of a design, especially for symmetrical assemblies. Drive 3D cross-sectional modifications as if you were designing in 2D.

GD&T and Product Manufacturing Information (PMI)

Capture and pass design intent and PMI through complete 3D geometric dimensions and tolerances (GD&T), manufacturing symbols, notes, and tool containers for parts and assemblies.

Extend 3D to the Entire Design Team



MCAD-ECAD Collaboration

Improve collaboration between mechanical and electronic designers with a two-way interface between CoCreate Modeling, Mentor Graphics®, Cadence® and other ECAD systems.



Standard Data Exchange and 3D Viewing Formats

Share data with other departments and suppliers using industry standard data exchange formats such as STEP, IGES, DXF, DWG and ASIC®. 3D viewing formats include 3D PDF and VRML, as well as optionally available eDrawings and XVL.



Native and Neutral CAM Formats

Save manufacturing time by exporting native CAM data to third-party partners GoElan®, OPEN MIND HyperFact® and HyperMill®. Export CAM-neutral data files that can be easily loaded into Pro/TOOLMAKER™, GibbsCAM® or Mastercam® software.

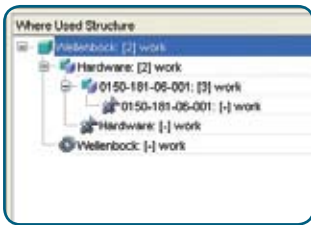
Key Benefits of CoCreate Modeling

- Optimize concept development, detailed design and system design processes
 - Quickly create and modify 3D parts and assemblies
 - Shave time off design cycles by repurposing—or radically transforming—existing designs into new and completely different products
 - Accommodate major, unexpected design changes at any stage of development while keeping the transition to manufacturing on schedule
- Increase engineering productivity by eliminating resource bottlenecks and project delays via flexible design teams and better support for design outsourcing processes
- Directly leverage multi-source CAD data from suppliers and subcontractors in the design process
- Easily move from 2D to 3D, and easily switch from other 3D CAD systems, confident in knowing that all legacy 2D and 3D CAD data carries forward in CoCreate Modeling

CoCreate Model Manager and CoCreate Drawing Manager – Integrated 3D and 2D Product Data Management

Integrating your 3D and 2D product data management (PDM) is simple with CoCreate Model Manager and CoCreate Drawing Manager. You can effectively orchestrate team design processes and manage associated product design data within a central database. Plus, with a fast, intuitive installation, you can immediately benefit from a preconfigured, best-practice data management solution.

Team Productivity



Search Where-used, Load and Store

Quickly find and reuse design data, using where-used or database attribute criteria. Save the “search”, and watch it dynamically update with the latest results.



Ownership, Revision and State Control

Manage data and provide increasing levels of control to ensure design data integrity throughout each phase of the design process.

Status Updates and Notifications

Never work on the wrong revision of design data again. With real-time status alerts and pop-up notifications, you instantly know about updates and new revisions in the database.

Manage Product Design Data

Orchestrate teamwork with effective management of part comparisons, engineering-related documents for co-located or distributed teams, and 3D to 2D associativity, specifically for CoCreate Modeling.

Assembly Management

Type	Revision	Modeled Qty	Desc
Modified	1	1	0150-
	1	1	0150-
Deleted	1	2	2105-
	1	1	BO_H
Added	1	1	Hard
Added	1	2	2105-
Added	1	5	Weld
Deleted	1	5	Weld

Compare Product Assembly Structures

Compare different revisions of product assembly structures in the same way you compare different versions of a Microsoft Word document, by clearly highlighting the additions, deletions and modifications.

Lightweight Graphics

Free-up computing resources in the design of large and complex products, including partial assembly structures. Automatically switch parts and assemblies from lightweight graphics to full geometry modeling in CoCreate Modeling.

Database Administration

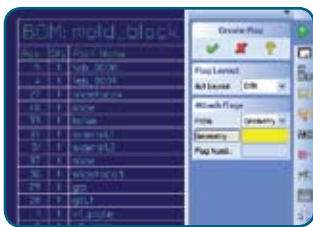
Company Standards

Adhere to company standards with automated, time-saving database options such as rolling part number generators, drawing title block attribute updates, and associative 2D drawing Adobe PDF documents (with optional watermarks).

The New Standard for “Out-of-the-box” Implementations

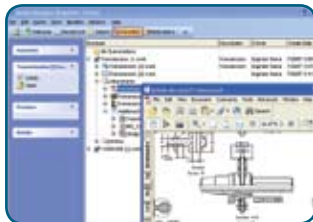
Install CoCreate in 15 minutes, with just six button clicks, and using zero consultants—for a solution that’s already preconfigured with industry best practices.

Add-on Productivity



CoCreate BOM Editor

Reuse 3D and 2D design data and assembly structures from CoCreate Modeling and CoCreate Drafting to speed the process of creating manufacturing BOM reports. BOM reports stay up-to-date as designs change, ensuring accurate information for downstream applications.



CoCreate Task Agent

Automate your daily tasks without disrupting your daily design work. CoCreate Task Agent provides the capabilities to schedule both one-time and recurring processes. Clash analysis, drawing translations and print/plot tasks are automated to run in the background on assigned hardware.

Stand-alone Client

Extend the access of product design data well beyond 3D and 2D CAD software users, using the stand-alone client. Product managers, CAD designers, and non-engineering departments all gain controlled access to the most up-to-date product design and BOM manufacturing information.

CoCreate 3D and 2D Access

Share and edit both 2D and 3D design data with other team members in native, neutral, or other 3D CAD system formats. Provide 2D and 3D CAD visualization both for the design team and extended supply chains.

Key Benefits for 3D and 2D Product Data Management

- **Speed Development and Cut Costs** – Cut engineering time, and drive down manufacturing costs, by managing multiple product configurations with high cross-leverage, and by reusing shared parts and assemblies across product platforms.
- **System of Record** – Use CoCreate Model Manager as your centralized workgroup database, and share released design data with other enterprise systems (such as ERP). This flexibility can support a broad range of enterprise data management strategies and systems.
- **Data Management You Will Not Outgrow** – CoCreate Model Manager scales from the global enterprise down to the single-person shop. Any size company can easily move beyond 3D CAD into an orchestrated 3D product development and lifecycle management process.
- **Streamline Processes** – Eliminate the time and expense of manual data management processes. Ensure design integrity and work with up-to-date revisions of design data across the development team, with safeguards against accidental data loss.

Extended Capabilities for 3D Productivity

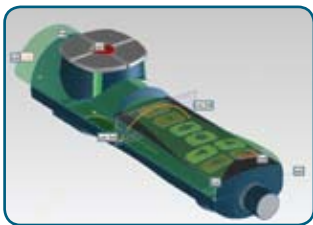
The CoCreate product family provides key 3D productivity-enhancing capabilities for users in specific lines of business and industries. Easily extend the use of 3D throughout your design projects and organization with these fully integrated capabilities, as you quickly develop products from concept to manufacturing.

Design Productivity



Sheet Metal Design

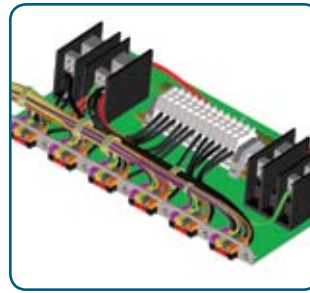
Satisfy the needs of even the most demanding sheet metal designer. With CoCreate Sheet Metal, build design and manufacturing advice into sheet metal parts, and simulate design and manufacturing behaviors.



Industrial Design

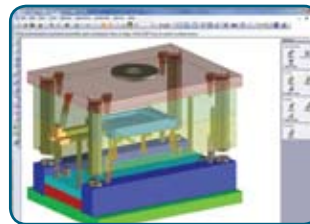
Designed for companies and industrial designers who want to create appealing and ergonomic products, CoCreate Surfacing is the perfect combination of freeform surfacing and solid modeling in one environment. It offers unlimited flexibility to use a mix of core surfacing and 3D functionality to produce innovative product designs.

Manufacturing Productivity



Cable and Harness Design

Unite your electrical and mechanical disciplines to automate the design and manufacture of routed wiring and cable harnesses. Create cables, harnesses, and bill-of-materials documentation with CoCreate Cabling, including drawings for electrical cables, harness routes, and nail boards.



Mold Base Design

Simplify the tedious tasks necessary to create mold bases and injection components. Fully integrated with CoCreate Modeling, CoCreate Mold Base reduces the effort of designing plastic injection molds through its highly interactive and intelligent tooling.

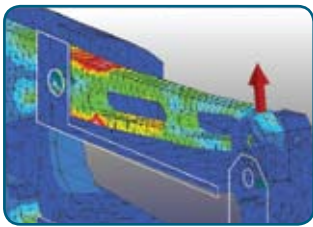
Plastic Design

Speed-up the design of plastic parts by using streamlined, parameter-driven features and core and cavity commands. Automatically create mold cavities and cores, and use digital prototyping to detect undercuts and constant wall thickness.

Parametric Capabilities

Generate and drive part and assembly design variants with parametric relationships and constraints on top of an explicit 3D model inside CoCreate Modeling.

Simulation and Verification Productivity



Structural and Thermal Analysis

Analyze real-world design conditions to deliver higher-quality products at lower cost. With the simulation and digital prototyping capabilities of CoCreate Finite Element Analysis, you can validate your product designs to meet your customer's physical demands, and streamline your verification and validation processes.

Key Benefits of Extending CoCreate Modeling

Customers that have chosen CoCreate Modeling, the world's #1 explicit 3D CAD system, can easily build upon its core 3D modeling capabilities through additional modules within the CoCreate product family. The numerous, specialized add-on design modules provide an unparalleled breadth of advanced explicit modeling and analysis capabilities to help you:

- **Accelerate Time-to-market** – CoCreate add-on modules give you more capabilities to:
 - Increase the number of product ideas conceptualized
 - Enable you to build robust, appealing products faster
 - Reduce engineering change order frequency
 - Streamline design and manufacturing outsourcing processes
- **Reduce Cost** – Leverage an expanded, explicit modeling platform to:
 - Eliminate physical prototypes
 - Minimize component and tooling costs

Extend 3D Design to External Teams



Data Exchange Interfaces

Improve the quality of transferring design data between 3D CAD systems in ways not possible using neutral 3D IGES or STEP. Interfaces include CATIA®, I-deas®, Inventor®, NX™, Pro/ENGINEER®, Solid Edge, and SolidWorks®.



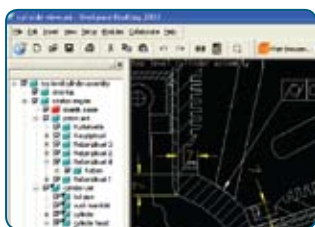
Third-party Applications

Combine CoCreate products with the latest applications in diverse sectors, including CAM, CAE and Mechatronics. Easily add to and customize your 3D design solution to meet your specific product development process needs.

CoCreate Drafting – for Professional 2D CAD Design and Drafting

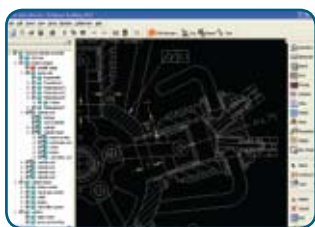
Companies that use a 2D CAD system for conceptual, visual and detailed design processes can leverage CoCreate Drafting. Exclusively developed for mechanical engineers and designers, CoCreate Drafting helps you achieve new levels of productivity with innovative part and assembly capabilities, and powerful 2D commands.

Concept and 2D Design



Part and Assembly Structure

Design the way mechanical engineers think, with an innovative part and assembly structure for managing your bill-of-materials (BOM) the correct way.



Drag-and-drop Assembly Management

Manage parts and assemblies with Microsoft Windows Explorer®-like capabilities. Simply drag and drop parts and assemblies to match the product structure of the bill-of-materials.



Intuitive Drawing Creation with 2D CoPilot

Improve speed and accuracy during creation and modification commands with 2D CoPilot snap points, lines and handles. Easily create and modify geometry using industry standard drawing creation and modification capabilities.

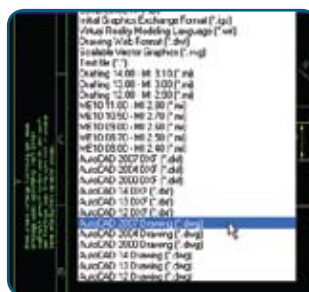
Parametric Capabilities in 2D

Capture powerful parametric relationships and constraint features within the 2D drawings. Use numerical values to modify drawings, or specify geometric properties and relationships between drawing entities.

Compare Drawings

Compare different versions of drawings in the same way you compare different versions of a Microsoft Word® document, by clearly highlighting the additions, deletions and modifications.

Extend 2D to the Entire Design Team



Industry 2D Data Exchange

Import and export 2D data using Autodesk® DWG™ and DXF™ formats (including both modelspace and paperspace) in addition to 2D IGES. Additional export options are available for Adobe® PDF, TIFF, JPG, PNG or BMP file formats.

Key Benefits of CoCreate Drafting

- Satisfies the 2D needs of designers and mechanical engineers in product development
- Applies an innovative part and assembly structure that matches how engineers design and manufacture products—making 2D product development fast and easy
- Automates development processes, and is customizable and programmable, so it can be tailored to fit company-specific needs
- Offers an easy migration path to CoCreate Modeling, the industry's #1 explicit 3D modeling software

Explicit CAD, PDM & Collaboration Software

The CoCreate product family is a complete design environment, offering 3D CAD and 2D CAD, integrated product data management (PDM), and collaboration software.

For more information on the major capabilities of CoCreate, please visit:

www.PTC.com/products/cocreate/modeling

www.PTC.com/products/cocreate/drafting



The Power of PTC

PTC provides leading Product Lifecycle Management (PLM) solutions to more than 50,000 customers worldwide.

Software Products

- Broadest integral suite of solutions that enable companies to:
 - Create product information
 - Collaborate in a globally distributed environment
 - Control product development processes
 - Configure product content
 - Communicate product information to multiple systems and audiences
- Rigorous testing to ensure that products work together—and work for you
- Designed for incremental deployment to ensure successful adoption

Product Development Processes and Initiatives

- Unique process-oriented approach to product development to deliver maximum value
- Technology-enabled process optimization to advance defined customer business initiatives
- Product Development System supports end-to-end processes to accelerate deployment time and reduce cost

Industry Solutions

- Extensive expertise across a broad range of industries
- Demonstrated customer success in providing tailored solutions for specific industry needs
- Solutions support industry-specific business processes both within the enterprise and across the supply chain

Services & Support

- Product development consulting to define and develop best-in-class processes
- Assessments and implementation services to deploy technology with minimum disruption
- Education curricula to accelerate adoption and boost productivity
- Global maintenance support that delivers the right team, tools and technology—available anytime, anywhere you need them for product development success

To learn how CoCreate helps generate value for some of the world's most innovative manufacturers, please visit our website at:

www.PTC.com/products/cocreate

Complete Product Development System

PTC's integral Product Development System delivers the key capabilities manufacturers need to realize more value from product development. And our proven, incremental implementation approach can help companies of any size accelerate adoption, minimize risk, and speed time-to-value.



CoCreate®

Explicit CAD, PDM & Collaboration Software

Windchill®

Content and Process Management Software

Arbortext®

Product Information Delivery Software

Mathcad®

Engineering Calculation Software

ProductView™

Visual Collaboration Software

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