

Customization Features	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Status Bar customization	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1)
Right Click Delay	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Partial Custom Menu	-	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.Net Support	-	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ribbon Toolbar	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-	-
Action Recorder	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-	-
CUix File Format	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-
CUlx File Format	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-
Online License Transfer	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-
Introductory 3D Modeling Workspace	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-
Online License Transfer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-
Migration Reset	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-
Multiple Plot File Search Paths	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-
Migration Reset	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-
Multiple Plot File Search Paths	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-	-
Customization and Support File Sync	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-
AutoCAD® Apps on Autodesk® Exchange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	-
Windows 8 Touchscreen Support	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N

<i>The following Still need verification - assistance welcomed.</i>											
Solids—Create and Edit	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Layer Groups	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Data Extraction (Block Attributes and Objects)	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Layer Isolate (LAYISO)	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dynamic Dimensioning	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
QuickCalc Calculator	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Photo-Real Rendering	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lights (Photometric)	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Materials	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Autodesk® Buzzsaw® Integration	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribute Transmittal Sets	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Standards Manager	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Communication Center	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manage DWF™ Markups	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Workspaces	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Layouts	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nonrectangular Viewports	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lineweights	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shaded/Rendered Plotted Output	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plot in the Background	?	?	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geometry Measurement Tools	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	-	-	-	-
Parametric Constraints	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	-	-	-	-
Solid Modeling	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	-	-	-	-
Mesh Modeling	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	-	-	-	-

Notes:

1. Although there does not seem to be many "new" features in this release, there are a multitude of enhancements - in particular in the areas of social media and Autodesk's 360 cloud based services. Check out these links for more detailed info.

- <http://www.autodesk.com/products/autodesk-autocad/features.view-list>
- <http://cadablog.blogspot.com/2013/03/whats-new-in-autocad-2014.html>

**** DISCLAIMER**

"This list is not 100% accurate, but is hopefully pretty close to the actual new features introduced for each release of AutoCAD. This list was composed from various Autodesk's release comparison matrices, blog posts and websites that discussed each release as they came out. The Autodesk matrices were not consistent as to how the products were indicated as new and improved and each Matrix release had an inconsistent set of categories, so the mergers of features may be off.

Although I started out showing which features were improved with each version, that become very cumbersome so I removed it. AutoCAD gets improvements on a regular basis, so the most exciting thing is when a completely new feature gets implemented.

To get more information on the listed features, Google Autocad ## (version number) and the feature name.

This is meant to be a living document that will be updated as new versions come out and corrections brought to light. If you are aware of any discrepancies or are aware of an Autodesk version or other source that has created a more comprehensive version of this list, I would love to hear about it".

WES

Send comments and/or corrections to: walt@functionsense.com