



# 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

- Assign fuses to fuse blocks, pins, sockets, seals, and plugs directly to terminals or circuits; clarify manufacturing steps; and ensure correct assembly.
- 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, and cable cores.

#### **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.

#### **Benefits**

Save local electrical libraries to the **3D**EXPERIENCE platform to centralize valuable content.



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### 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 **3D**EXPERIENCE platform.

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### Route Wires Property Manager Enhancement\*\*

- Simplify harness design by routing selected wires directly through the Route Wires property manager, enhancing control and efficiencu.
- 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.



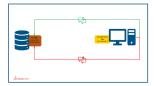
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### Dynamic Connector Insertion Improvements

- 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 clientinitiated connections and no client-side firewall changes.



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# 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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<sup>\*\*</sup> Applies to SOLIDWORKS Electrical 3D and SOLIDWORKS Electrical Schematic Professional

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