



Running CADfix in Batch Mode





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1. Introduction

CADfix can be run in a pure batch mode from the command line environment on both Windows and LINUX systems to provide an automatic point-to-point translator for different data exchange applications.

In batch mode no CADfix graphical user interface is seen and any process output is directed to the command window and session log files.

A CADfix batch run can process either a single file or multiple files.

This document provides instructions for running CADfix in the automatic batch mode.

2. Pre-requisites for Running CADfix in Batch Mode

A valid licensed installation of the CADfix data exchange product is required to run CADfix in batch mode. The CADfix licence file should include the required product import and export options.

Note that if CADfix is being supplied as part of a vendor application integration for an OEM program then a dedicated application specific installation CD may have been supplied.





3. Running CADfix in Batch on Windows

To run CADfix in batch mode from the MS-DOS prompt the following command can be used:

The above command will run the CADfix batch executable 'runcadfconsole.exe' and process the file 'cube.sat' using the CADfix Wizard settings specified in the CADfix Wizard Control (cwc) file 'wizard.cwc'.

In this case a single file 'cube.sat' is processed, but it is also possible to specify multiple CAD files on the **command line, for example:**

```
"c:\Program Files (x86)\CADfix 11\bin\runcadfconsole.exe" -wait
-BATCH -config wizard.cwc cube.sat test.igs housing.x t
```

will process the ACIS SAT file 'cube.sat', the IGES file 'test.igs', and the Parasolid file 'housing.x_t'. It is also possible to use the '-models' option (see section 5) to specify a text file containing a list of CAD files to process.

A full description of the command line options is provided in section 5 of this document.

The CADfix batch executable 'runcadfconsole.exe' is located in the 'bin' directory of the CADfix installation. The path to the CADfix batch executable should be changed according to the specific location of your CADfix installation. Quotation marks must be used as shown above if the path to the CADfix bin directory contains spaces.

The example shown assumes that the cwc file and CAD data file both exist in the directory from which the CADfix batch run is initiated. If this is not the case, then path names should be included in the command string as necessary.

When the CADfix batch command is executed you will see the progress messages displayed in the MS-DOS window from where the application was launched.

3.1. Windows BAT File Integration

For integration within a parent application the CADfix batch process could be initiated from within a Windows BAT file.

The following example is a simple Windows .BAT script called 'batchrun.bat' with only two required arguments; % 1 is the cwc file name and % 2 is the list of files to process.

The contents of the Windows batch run file are as follows:

```
rem set top level cadfix directory
set FEGS_TOP=c:\Program Files (x86)\CADfix 11
Running CAD translator in batch mode, Please wait...
"%FEGS_TOP%\bin\runcadfconsole.exe" -wait -BATCH -config %1 -models %2
```

The script would then be run as shown:

```
D:\users\data>batchrun.bat wizard.cwc files.list
```

The log files created (see section 7) and messages reported by the CADfix batch run can be captured and presented to the user as required by the parent application.





4. Running CADfix in Batch on LINUX

Before running CADfix in batch on a LINUX machine you need to make sure that your CADfix user environment is set up as it would be for a normal CADfix interactive run, i.e. the CADfix set-up script has been run using the command:

source cadfix setups (see CADfix installation guide for more information)

On a LINUX system the command to run CADfix in batch is:

```
cadfix -BATCH -config batch.cwc test.stp
```

This will run CADfix in batch using the Wizard control file 'batch.cwc' and will process the STEP file 'test.stp' in the launch directory. A full description of the command line options is given in section 5 of this document.

The user does not need to specify the path to the CADfix executable because the required environment variables have already been set if the 'cadfix-setups' file has been sourced correctly.

On the LINUX platform, instead of specifying an explicit filename in the command line, the user could use a wildcard character to process all files in the local directory, for example:

```
cadfix -BATCH -config batch.cwc *.igs
```

will process all files with the extension '.igs' in the local directory.

It is also possible to specify multiple CAD files on the command line, for example:

```
cadfix -BATCH -config batch.cwc cube.sat test.igs housing.x_t
```

will process the ACIS SAT file 'cube.sat', the IGES file 'test.igs', and the Parasolid file 'housing.x_t'. It is also possible to use the '-models' option (see section 5) to specify a text file containing a list of CAD files to process.

For integration within a parent application the CADfix batch process command can be run from within a LINUX shell script if required.





5. CADfix Batch Input Options

This section provides more information on the batch command line options. Please note that these options are case sensitive and should be used exactly as defined below

-wait	This should appear as the first command line option. The option is only valid on Windows and ensures that the command window DOS prompt will wait for the CADfix run to complete before becoming available for use. We recommend that this option is always used on Windows. This is not required on the LINUX platform because the command window will automatically wait for the process to complete (unless it is manually put into background).	
-BATCH	Always required for batch processing and should be specified in upper case as shown. Instructs CADfix to run in a pure batch mode with no user interface displayed. If this option is not included, then the CADfix Wizard GUI will appear on the screen and progress messages will be displayed within it.	
-config <cwc_file></cwc_file>	Identifies the CADfix Wizard control (.cwc) file that should be used to control the automatic model processing options and run parameters. The <cw c_file=""> argument is the name of the cwc file, for example w izard cw c. If the file does not exist in the directory location from which the CADfix run was invoked, then the full path name to the cwc file should be specified. More information on the cwc file is provided in section 6.</cw>	
-script <cw i_script_file=""></cw>	Identifies the CADfix Wizard Interface (.cwi) script file that should be executed as a replacement for the default Wizard process. The script file is written in the cwi scripting language (based on Tcl). Extensive documentation for the cwi scripting language can be found in the separate cwi documentation.	
-m odels <files.txt></files.txt>	This option allows the user to specify the name of a file containing a list of CAD files for batch processing. In this example files to used but any valid file name could be used, for example m odels dat The contents of files to should be a list of CAD file names, for example:	
	test.igs	
	lid.igs	
	casting.sat	
	bracket.stp	
	housing.igs	
	The full path name to the CAD files should be included if they do not exist in the local directory from which the CADfix run was started.	
-m erge <filenam e=""></filenam>	This option prepares CADfix for the merging of batch files into a single database on import. The <filenam e=""> is the name of an existing CADfix database into which all the import files will be merged or the name of a new database.</filenam>	
-exportfile <filenam e=""></filenam>	Optional argument to specify the name of the file to be exported. If not defined then CADfix will define the export filename from the imported model name with a suffix of _cf (configurable via the .cwc file) added. This option can only be used when processing one model at a time. This option does NOT work for CADDS export which creates a folder not a file.	
-workingdir <directory></directory>	Optional argument to specify the name of the working directory to be used to export model to. Exported models will be written to this directory and have the same name as the input file but with a suffix of _cf (configurable via the. cwc file) added.	
-dam em ory < num ber>	Optional argument to specify the memory used by CADfix during the batch processing. The value is given in Words, for example 16777216 for 64MB and 8388608 for 32MB. This is the same as setting the memory buffer using the CADfix Preferences window in interactive mode.	





-noresourcedb	Place at the end of the command line to ensure that the .CADfixNNN user configuration file found in the HOME directory is not used	
-xm læport	XML summary report. The command line switch controls whether an additional batch summary is written in XML format. This switch can be used as follows:	
	 a. '-xmlreport 1' (report will be written to the 'launch' folder, name "cadfixResults.xml") 	
	 b. '-xmlreport <path> (report will be written to the named file [if this file already exists then it will be backed up]</path> 	
-im portsystem <nam e=""></nam>	Where <name> is the name of the import system e.g. Step. The command line switch will be followed by a folder path.</name>	
-regressiontest1	This indicates a regression test is being run	





6. CADfix Wizard Control File (.cwc)

The cwc file controls the operation of the CADfix Wizard automatic processing during the batch run. Options exist for the CADfix Import, Repair, Transform, Prepare and Export processes.

The cwc file allows you to specify the operations that should be performed, set any fixed tolerances and processing options required, specify export options and export file names.

The individual stages of the CADfix translation process can be turned on or off. For example, the 'Prepare for Export' stage can be set ON:

```
prepare [0, 1] : 1
```

or turned OFF by changing the 1 to a 0:

```
prepare [0, 1]: 0
```

As well as controlling whether or not an individual process is run, the cwc file also gives access to the Wizard processing options for each stage. The following extract from a cwc file shows the Wizard options that are available for the Repair stage:

```
repair [0, 1] : 1

repair,maxTol [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT repair,buildOption [SOLIDS, FACES, SOLIDS+FACES, UNKNOWN] : UNKNOWN repair,boundUntrimmed [AUTO, ALWAYS, NEVER] : AUTO repair,approximateSurfaces [0, 1] : 0 repair,allowVoids [0, 1] : 0
```

A cwc file can be modified to customise the batch process for specific customer application requirements as necessary. For example, the batch process could be set to stop if a solid body is not constructed during the initial repair stage, or it may be set to continue to prepare and export regardless of the repair result.

It is not recommended that customers manually edit the cwc file.

A cwc file should be supplied by TranscenData to meet the specific model processing requirements as determined during discussions about your specific CADfix application and the desired integration. A series of cwc files may be supplied for use in different usage scenarios.

An example cwc file is included in appendix 1 of this document.

See Appendix 1: CADfix Batch CWC options.





7. Files Generated During a CADfix Batch Run

This section lists the files that are likely to be created during a CADfix batch run.

Batch Run Log - e.g. batch<pid>.log

Overall batch run log file giving a brief summary for each model processed during the run. This is the same text as normally appears in the command window during a batch run. A unique number <pid> is given for every log file generated based upon the machine process number of the batch run. The example in Appendix 3 shows the batch log file for the processing of a single CAD model.

Im portLog - e.g. test_IGESimport.log

Log file for the original CAD import process into CADfix. Relevant usually if problems or failures have been encountered during the file import stage. See example in Appendix 4.

IndividualModelProcessing Log - e.g. test_wizard.log

Detailed log file of the Wizard processing for an individual model. This is useful if a model fails to repair successfully and the user wants to review the processing undertaken. See example in Appendix 5.

CAD fix ModelDatabase File - e.g. test.fbm

CADfix binary database file for the model being processed. Could be deleted upon completion of a run or stored for opening in CADfix in a future batch run.

CAD fix ModelDatabase Backup File - e.g. test.fbm#1

Intermediate CADfix database backup file. This can usually be deleted after the run has been completed.

CAD fix Com m and LevelLog - e.g. test.fbl

CADfix command level log file. Sometimes useful information is contained in this file and would be used by TranscenData for debugging purposes, but in general this file can be deleted after the batch run is complete.

CAD fix Export/Translated File - e.g. test_cf.igs

Resulting file exported from CADfix. In this case an IGES file has been created. The file suffix "_cf" indicates that the file was written by CADfix. The suffix used can be controlled by a cwc file option.





8. Return codes generated by a CADfix Batch Run

This section lists the possible return codes that a batch run can return. A return code of 0 means a successful batch run. A non-zero return code has one of the following meanings:

1001	Configuration file not specified
1002	Could not open configuration file
1003	Error reading configuration file
1004	Export system not specified in configuration file
1005	Invalid import system specification
1006	Could not open file
1007	Model name(s) not specified or file does not exist
1008	Value is not an existing file nor refers to an existing directory
1009	Invalid directory specification
1010	Invalid command line argument. Executable for xxx is invalid:
1011	Incorrect value supplied for the -server option
1012	Invalid memory buffer specification
1013	Invalid merge model specification
1014	Model list is empty or resolved to an empty list
1015	Import system is not licensed
1016	Could not read script file
1017	Failed to start CADfix
1018	Failed to checkout license feature
1019	Failed to check-in license feature
1020	Failed to checkout any suitable license features for system
1021	Configuration file xxx contains an error:
1022	Model processing failed





Appendix 1: CADfix Batch CWC1 options

Item	Batch CWC options	Description
1	cwc,version	batch file format version number
2	preferredUnits	the default units to be used if none are specified
3	maxWizardTol	Processing will not use a tolerance greater than this value
4	workSet	optional working set name
5	workSet,last	++Not used for batch processing++
6	outputDirectory	++discontinued++
7	failDirectory	++discontinued++
8	continueOnError	specify whether the batch process continues when an error occurs
9	saveBetweenOps	save the CADfix database between wizard operations
10	saveOnExport	Save the CADfix database after export
11	pauseBetweenOps	specify if the batch process should pause at each major wizard stage
12	diagnosticCheck	Define at what condition a diagnostic check will be run
13	finish,save	save the CADfix database when the batch process is finished
14	preStartCommand	TCL script to be executed before the Wizard Repair processing starts
15	finish, diagnostics	++Discontinued++
16	qualityStandard	specify the quality standard to be used for a final diagnostic run at the end of the batch process
17	longNames	Will remove the 4-character name limit when on
18	licenceTimeOut	CADfix will check out all the features required at the start of a batch process. If any feature is not accessible, then the user may enter a number of seconds delay to the start of the batch run.
19	batchFeatures	List of additional licence features to be checked out at start of batch run
20	massProps,sagTol	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
21	massProps,turnTol	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
22	massProps,filename	Specify a filename for capturing the mass property calculations.
23	massProps,append	Specify whether subsequent mass property calculations are appended to the same file
24	massProps,format	A special file format for a specific system
25	import	switch the Wizard Import stage ON or OFF
26	import, system	++discontinued++
27	import,labels	if the CAD system has available label information should this be imported
28	import,colours	if the CAD system has available colour information should this be imported
29	import,layers	if the CAD system has available layer information should this be imported
30	import,userAttrs	if user attribute information is available such as material properties these can be input as assignments to geometry
31	import,blanked	Option to import or ignore blanked entities
32	import, groups	Groups parts with matching attributes on import
33	import,codePage	Code page number for non-unicode characters
34	import,assemblies,mode	choose the mode used to process an assembly: the complete assembly, each component in turn or selected components of the assembly
35	import,assemblies,subpartid	where the option is chosen select the identity of the assembly subpart to be processed

¹ Include all options to be switched off otherwise the default settings will be used



36	TechneGroup import,assemblies,explode	explode the assembly on import
37	import, assemblies, explode import, assemblies, emptyComponents	import empty components of the assembly or ignore
		them
38	import, assemblies, freeLines	to control the import of free lines in an assembly
39	import,assemblies,freeSurfs	to control the import of free surfaces in an assembly
40	import,assemblies,freeFaces	to control the import of free faces in an assembly
41	<pre>import,assemblies,freePartsName</pre>	Sets the naming of free parts
42	import,autoGroup,colour,apply	instruct CADfix to create sets of geometry entities based on colour attributes during import
43	import,autoGroup,colour,type	specify the geometry entities to be collected into sets
44	import, autoGroup, colour	
44	import, autogroup, colour	Single option to incorporate 32 and 33
45	import,autoGroup,layer,apply	instruct CADfix to create sets of geometry entities based on layer attributes during import
46	import,autoGroup,layer,type	specify the geometry entities to be collected into sets
47	import,autoGroup,layer,values	specify the layer numbers to be used for collecting geometry into sets
48	import,autoGroup,layer	Single option to incorporate 35, 36 and 37
49	import,autoGroup,label	Specify a part type, a label and the set name for
		processing during the transformation stage leave any temporary files used during the wizard
50	import, temporaryFiles	process
51	import,resolveDegenerateLines	Process degenerate lines during import
		A model that was originally part of an assembly may be
		positioned a relatively large distance from the origin
		when compared to the size of the model. In order to
52	import, recentreModel	obtain the highest computational accuracy during
		processing in CADfix, the model can be optionally re-
		centred about the origin on import.
53	import,convertUnits	convert the units on import
54	import,scaleModel	scale the model on import
55	Import, calcMassProps	Calculate mass properties after import operation
56	import,iges,useDefaults	If you have changed the import and repair options and wish to reset to the defaults
57	import,iges,definitionEntities	all entities flagged as "definition" entities are to be
		imported
58	import, iges, blankedEntities	all entities that are flagged as being blanked (e.g. hidden construction data) are to be imported
59	<pre>import,iges,freeLines</pre>	any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines or drawing border entities, are to be imported. The default value of this option is set automatically according to the content of the IGES file Some wireframe models contain a lot of lines that represent centrelines or dashed lines. Normally the IGES import reads all lines, making it hard to distinguish "real" lines from these construction-type lines. Wizard repair is thus confused by extra unwante construction lines and manual repair is difficult.
60	import,iges,freeLinesFont	Line Font filter attribute allows unwanted lines to be filtered out during the IGES read. The IGES line font filter gives a better starting point for repairing wirefram models. Existing CADfix tools can be used to build more faces successfully.
61	import,iges,constructionGeom	The data defining an IGES entity may contain a point to the geometry used in its construction. For instance, surface of revolution will be defined with reference to the curves used to sweep the surface. Check Import construction geometry if this geometry should also imported.
62	import,iges,linesAsNURBS	By default, all lines will be converted to NURBS on import. If arc lines with very large radius (when compared to the size of the model) are preserved, the this may affect the value of the default tolerance used to repair the model. Uncheck Import ALL lines as NURBS if straight lines and arc lines should not be converted to NURBS. Any arc line subtending an ang greater than 90 degrees will then be split into multiple arcs.





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63	import,iges,splitCreasedNURBS	The IGES file may contain NURBS edges and surfaces that need to be split on import. Check Split discontinuous or creased NURBS edges to split any edges that are found to be discontinuous
64	import,iges,turningAngle	minimum turn angle for the splitting of discontinuous edges is normally set to 20 degrees
65	import,iges,splitClosedNURBS	Check Split closed NURBS surfaces to split any closed NURBS surfaces that exist in the model.
66	import,iges,pcurves	The IGES standard allows trimmed surface entities to be defined with reference to the model space curves and / or the parameter space curves. The entity types to be referenced when the model is imported by default is set to "Model space curves" (PREF) to trim all parametric surfaces with the model space curves i.e. use IGES file preference flag to trim each surface according to the preference flag contained in the IGES file. Use GAPS for choosing P-curves for missing model curves if each surface should be trimmed with the model space curves, unless these curves are found to be missing or incorrectly defined, in which case the parameter space curves should be used. Use ON to choose "P-curves" to trim all parametric surfaces with the parameter space curves.
67	<pre>import,iges,calcGoodTol</pre>	The tolerance defined in the IGES file header may often be inaccurate. If the IGES file has been written by an ACIS or Parasolid based system, then the tolerance will often indicate the tolerance of the modelling kernel and may not actually bear any relation to the size of the model. Use to calculate the best tolerance to be used in processing the model. The value will be set with reference to the dimensions of the model and the tolerance specified in the IGES file.
68	import,iges,mergeDuplicates	to automatically merge duplicate points and edges at the model processing tolerance.
69	import,iges,boundUntrimmed	to create new edges around the boundary of any surfaces that are not currently trimmed
70	import, iges, completeBoundaries	to complete any face boundaries that contain gaps
71	import,iges,stitchFaces	to stitch the face boundaries together
72	import,iges,buildBodies	to automatically make solids from the model topology
73	import, iges, extraAttributes	Will assign to each CADfix entity created other attributes from the IGES file such as DE number, Form flag and IGES Entity type.
74	import,step,freeLines	Import free lines/points if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centre lines, are to be imported.
75	import,step,freeSurfs	free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported
76	import,step,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
77	import,step,splitDiscontinuous	The STEP file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
78	<pre>import,step,splitAngle</pre>	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
79	import, step, importPFID	Import the STEP PFID attribute
80	import,step,importPMI	Switch on the imposing of Product Manufacturing Information (PMI) from the STEP file. For viewing only
81	import,vdafs,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
82	import,vdafs,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported
83	import,vdafs,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported
84	import,vdafs,splitDiscontinuous	The VDAFS file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Check Split discontinuous NURBS edges to split any G1 discontinuous edges





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85	import,vdafs,splitAngle	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the Discontinuity split angle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees
86	import,stl,mergeVertices	By default, all duplicate vertices will be merged as the model is imported. Switch OFF if duplicate vertices should not be merged.
87	import,stl,facettedSurfaces	For quick viewing of the STL model this converts the STL facets to a CADfix entity type that appears and handles like a CAD surface. This reduces the volume of data transferred and increases the speed of import. The facetted representation subsequently held in CADfix can be roughly converted to geometry using an experimental interactive tool. The "Facetted surface" tool under the Integrity class of diagnostic problems can be used to identify areas of the model that can be subsequently trimmed (using Topology "Untrimmed surfaces") and converted to NURBS.
88	import,stl,traceShells	To trace shells in the model
89	import,stl,reorient	Option to re-orient all imported STL facets to be consistent, where possible
90	import,3ds,facettedSurfaces	For quick viewing of the 3DS model this converts facets to a CADfix entity type that appears and handles like a CAD surface.
91	import,acis,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported
92	import,acis,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
93	import,acis,freeFaces	free faces if any unused faces are to be imported
94	import,acis,splitDiscontinuous	The ACIS file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
95	import,acis,splitAngle	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
96	import,acis,labelAttributeName	Name of CADfix XASG to be used to define the ACIS entity label value, default is LABEL
97	import,acis,layerAttributeName	Name of CADfix XASG to be used to define the ACIS entity layer value, default is LAYE R
98	import,acis,splitPeriodics	Option to split periodic surfaces
99	import, dxf, freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
100	import, dxf, freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
101	import, dxf, freeFaces	free faces if any unused faces are to be imported
102	import, dxf, importBlanked	Import or ignore blanked entities
103	import, dxf, importProxy	Option to control import of DXF proxy entities
104	import, dxf, facetsToFaces	Option to import DXF facets as BRep faces
105	import, dxf, splitDiscontinuous	The DXF/DWG file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
106	import,dxf,splitAngle	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
107	import,dxf,splitPeriodics	Option to split periodic surfaces
108	import,parasolid,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported
109	import,parasolid,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
110	import,parasolid,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
111	import,parasolid,units	The Parasolid unit of length is meters. If it is known that the original design intent was to define the model using a different unit of length, then this parameter can be used to scale the model on import as appropriate.
112	import,parasolid,splitClosedNURBS	to control the splitting of closed NURBS during the import of a Parasolid file



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113	import,parasolid,Seamless	to control the splitting of seamless faces during the import of a Parasolid file
114	import,parasolid,splitDiscontinuous	The Parasolid file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
115	<pre>import,parasolid,splitAngle</pre>	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
116	import,parasolid,explodeAssembly	Parasolid assemblies can be exploded on import
117	import,cadds,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
118	import,cadds,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
119	import, cadds, importBlanked	Import or ignore blanked entities
120	<pre>import,cadds,pointTol</pre>	The CADDS file may contain coincident points and to distinguish these from points to be merged a Point coincidence tolerance may be applied.
121	import,cadds,nameByPart	assembly components labelled by part name
122	<pre>import, catia, importNoShows</pre>	A model can be constructed in CATIA with model entities on a SHOW or NOSHOW layer. Typically, the NOSHOW layer will be used for model construction entities. The use of this option depends largely on the source of the native CATIA files, and the CAD practices adopted by the designer. It has been found in some cases that the NOSHOW data is required to enable a valid model to be built within CADfix. Uncheck this option if it is found that a large amount of unwanted construction data is imported which is impairing the repair process.
123	<pre>import, catia, importNoPicks</pre>	The decision to classify modelling entities as either PICK or NOPICK also depends on the practices adopted by the CAD designer. By default, entities classified as NOPICK entities are not imported into CADfix.
124	import,catia,importOnlyRoot	use this option if problems are encountered when importing models from a particular supplier.
125	<pre>import, catia, importOnlyMasterWorkspace</pre>	Entities in a CATIA model can reside in different workspaces, but normally only the master workspace is required. Uncheck this option if problems are being encountered when importing models from a particular supplier.
126	import,catia,dittosAsAssembly	Import CATIA DITTO assemblies. This requires a special version of the translator based on Spatial's InterOp for which there is a royalty payment
127	import,catia,solidmAsFacets	Process CATIA mock-up solids or SOLIDM parts as facets
128	import,catia,importPipes	Import CATIA V4 piping entities (*PIP)
129	import,catia,layerFilter	option controls whether to use the user-specified layer filter while translating CATIA V4 file
130	import,catia,layerLayerFilter	Import the CATIA V4 layer filter attribute
131	import,catia,useAnalyticSurfs	The CATIA model can contain both NURBS and analytic representations of the same surface. This option is used to control which of these surface forms are imported into CADfix. If analytic surface representations are imported in preference to NURBS then this will result in a smaller CADfix database, but this often affects the reliability of the import process.
132	import,catia,3DCurveRegen	option controls the regeneration of 3D curves
133	import,catia,3DCurvePref	option sets the preference to be used while generating trimmed curves for a surface
134	import,catia,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
135	import,catia,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
136	import,catia,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
137	import,catia,splitDiscontinuous	The CATIA file may contain NURBS edges that need to





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		be split on import. Check Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
138	import,catia,splitAngle	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
139	import,catia,importer	Refers to different CATIA translator options: GSSL, INTEROP_GENERIC and INTEROP_ACIS. Some of these require extra royalty payments.
140	import,catia5,importHidden	Import hidden entities if entities tagged as hidden are to be imported.
141	import,catia5,importCGR	Import of CATIA V5 .cgr facet data
142	import,catia5,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
143	import,catia5,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
144	import,catia5,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
145	import,catia5,importer	Refers to different CATIA translator options: INTEROP_GENERIC and INTEROP_ACIS. These require extra royalty payments.
146	<pre>import,catia5,labelType</pre>	When reading labels from a CATIA V5 file the type can be set to ELEMENT or PUBLICATION . Alternatively, BOTH types of labels can be read.
147	import,catia5,units	Specify the CATIA V5 units
148	import,ug,importHidden	Import hidden entities if entities tagged as hidden are to be imported.
149	import,ug,importNonVisibleLayers	Import non-visible layers if layer entities tagged as non-visible are to be imported.
150	import,ug,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
151	import,ug,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
152	import,ug,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
153	import,ug,units	If it is known that the original design intent was to define the model using a different unit of length, then this parameter can be used to scale the model on import as appropriate.
154	import,ug,importer	Refers to different CATIA translator options: INTEROP_GENERIC and INTEROP_ACIS. These require extra royalty payments.
155	import,ug,splitClosedNURBS	to control whether closed NURBS from a NX file are split during import
156	import,ug,splitSeamless	To control whether seamless faces from a NX file are split during import
157	import,ug,assemblyPathPref	Assembly path preference
158	import,inventor,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
159	import,inventor,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
160	import, inventor, freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
161	<pre>import,inventor,assemblyPathPref</pre>	Select assembly path preference
162	import, inventor, importUnfolded	Import unfolded bodies
163 164	<pre>import,inventor,importer import,sw,freeLines</pre>	Fix/stitch polyshells Import free lines if any entities that are not connected
165	import,sw,freeSurfs	to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported. Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces
166	import,sw,freeFaces	are to be imported. Import free faces if any unused faces are to be
167	import,sw,importHidden	imported. Import hidden instances if any hidden components are to be imported
168	import,sw,importSuppressed	Import suppressed instances if any suppressed components are to be imported
169	import,sw,splitClosedNURBS	Splitting of closed NURBS during import of SolidWorks data
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170	import,sw,splitSeamless	To control whether seamless faces from a SolidWorks file are split during import
171	import,sw,assemblyPathPref	Select assembly path preference
172	import,sw,importer	Refers to different Inventor translator options: GSSL, INTEROP_GENERIC and INTEROP_ACIS. Some of these require extra royalty payments.
173	import,proe,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
174	import,proe,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
175	import,proe,freeFaces	Import free faces if any unused faces are to be imported.
176	import,proe,facets	Import of Pro/E facet data
177	import,proe,importBlanked	Import of Pro/E blanked data
178	<pre>import,proe,vertexTol</pre>	this is used to overcome the problem of unclosed loops in the Pro/Engineer data and permits the merging of vertices to be attempted during import to a tolerance specified
179	import,proe,importer	Refers to different Inventor translator options: GSSL, INTEROP_GENERIC and INTEROP_ACIS. Some of these require extra royalty payments.
180	import,ansys,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
181	import,ansys,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
182	import,ansys,splitDiscontinuous	The ANSYS file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
183	import,ansys,splitAngle	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
184	import,agps,freeLines	Import free lines if any entities that are not connected to a face, such as centrelines, are to be imported.
185	import,agps,freeSurfs	Import free surfaces if any unused or free surfaces are to be imported.
186	import,agps,splitDiscontinuous	The AGPS file may contain NURBS edges that need to be split on import. Use to split any G1 discontinuous edges.
187	<pre>import,agps,splitAngle</pre>	G1 discontinuous NURBS edges will only be split where the subtended angle at the discontinuity exceeds the splitAngle . This angle defaults to 20 degrees.
188	<pre>import,agps,keepTempEntities</pre>	Import construction geometry
189	import,agps,pcurveToXYZTol	tolerance used to map pcurves to model space curves
190	import,sc03,userAttrs	if user attribute information is available these can be input as assignments to geometry
191	import,sc03,strictPMPLUS	Choose between the formats SC03 PM or PM+
192	import,sc03,buildFacesIf2D	Where the SC03 import only contains 2D data faces will be built
193	import,sc03,flatten2D	CADfix will flatten the SC03 data to a 2D plane at the zero axis point
194	<pre>import,sc03,ignoreCurveTrimming</pre>	Option to ignore the SC03 curve trimming values and use full extent of curve
195	import,sc03,importCL	Import hole centre lines
196	import,sc03,vertexTol	Tolerance used to determine when two SC03 vertices are coincident. Used when building faces from 2D data.
197	import,jt,freeLines	Import of JTOpen free lines
198	import,jt,freeSurfs	Import of JTOpen free surfaces
199	import,jt,freeFaces	Import of JTOpen free faces
200	import,jt,splitClosedNURBS	Splitting of closed NURBS during import of JTOpen data
201	<pre>import,jt,splitSeamless</pre>	Splitting of seamless faces during import of JTOpen data
202	import, jt, onlyFacets	Import of only JTOpen facet data
203	<pre>import,jt,facetLOD import,jt,importPMI</pre>	LOD control for imported JTOpen facetted data Switch on the imposing of Product Manufacturing
		Information (PMI) from the JTOpen file.
205	import,jt,stitchPolyshells	Stitches the facets on import when selected



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206	import,prc,freeLines	Import of Hoops PRC free lines		
207	import,prc,freeSurfs	Import of Hoops PRC free surfaces		
208	import,prc,freeFaces	Import of Hoops PRC free faces		
209	import,prc,onlyFacets	Import of only Hoops PRC facet data		
210	import,pdf,freeLines	Import of 3D PDF free lines		
211	import,pdf,freeSurfs	Import of 3D PDF free surfaces		
212	import,pdf,freeFaces	Import of 3D PDF free faces		
213	import,pdf,onlyFacets	Import of only 3D PDF facet data		
214	import,flite,kntred	Option to enable the removal of knots from Flite NURBS		
215	import,flite,kntredtol	Tolerance used to reduce the complexity of Flite NURBS surfaces by removing knots.		
216	Import, solar, kntred	Option to enable the removal of knots from solar NURBS		
217	import, solar, kntredtol	Tolerance used to reduce the complexity of solar NURBS surfaces by removing knots.		
218	repair	Switch the Wizard Repair stage ON or OFF		
219	repair, maxTol	The Wizard will attempt to resolve any model connectivity problems by merging duplicate points and edges at successively higher tolerances. The maximum tolerance at which entities will be merged can be set using this parameter. The default maximum merge tolerance is dependent on the model dimensions and the original source of the model. Prior to importing the model these factors are unknown and so the maximum merge tolerance is set to the word DEFAULT, implying that the actual value used will be the default value for the model.		
220	repair, buildOption	The type of model required at the end of the fixing process can be specified. The value of this option is also used to judge the success or failure of the fixing operation. If the selected option is not achieved, then the Wizard processing will end and an interactive session will be started. Choose SOLIDS if one or more bodies are expected and any unused faces that remain signify a failure of the repair process. Choose SOLIDS+FACES if one or more bodies are expected together with any unused faces. Choose FACES if no bodies are expected to exist after the repair stage. Choose UNKNOWN if the type of model required is not known. In this case no unused entities will be deleted from the model.		
221	repair, boundUntrimmed	If any surfaces remain untrimmed after the model has been imported, then new edges can be created around the boundaries of these surfaces. Choose Auto if the decision to bound untrimmed surfaces is to be taken automatically by the Wizard depending on the original source of the CAD data and the poorly repaired state of the model. For instance, CADfix will choose not to bound untrimmed surfaces in IGES files from Pro/Engineer or CATIA but will if the IGES data is from NX. Choose Always if untrimmed surfaces should always be bounded. Choose Never if untrimmed surfaces should never be bounded.		
222	repair,wireframe	Make allowance for wireframe within the imported geometry and repair		
223	repair,approximateSurfaces	In those cases, where the model has missing surface geometry it may be possible to repair the model by creating new surface geometry. Use to create new surface geometry wherever possible. If the surfaces created are not planar then the new surfaces will only be an approximation of the original design intent.		
224	repair,allowVoids	By default, any voids that exist in a model will be automatically removed. If the removal of these voids is found to be impairing the repair process or changing the original design intent, then use this so that the faces defining the voids are retained in the model. This feature is now redundant and has been replaced		



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		with the option below.
		The user has the option to Delete , Remove or Keep
225	repair, voids	any voids found in the solid model during the repair
		process
226	repair,deleteWireframe	Delete redundant wireframe geometry
		During the repair process any remaining unused
227	repair, keepUnused	entities would normally be removed as part of the
221	repair, keeponasea	cleaning and tidying up process unless switched on
		here
228	repair,preserveKernels	Preserve kernels in cellular bodies with shared topology
		Under some circumstances you may wish to Delete
229	repair, deleteUnusedFaces	unused faces during the repair process that may only
		require bodies.
230	repair,calcMassProps	Calculate the mass properties after the Repair process
200	repair, caremacorrepo	is complete
231	repair, customCommand	TCL script to be executed instead of the standard
	-	Wizard Repair
232	transform	Switch the Wizard Transform stage ON or OFF
233	transform, joinBodies, apply	to automatically search and replace groups of bodies
		with a single body
234	transform, joinBodies, tol	Tolerance used for touching bodies
235	transform, joinBodies, mode	Create a manifold or non-manifold bodies
236	transform, joinBodies, allowVoids	Allow voids in the final joined body
237	transform, joinFragmented, apply	Join faces with fragmented surfaces
238	transform, joinFragmented, tol	Tolerance used for joining faces with fragmented
	. 5	surfaces
239	transform, joinFaces, apply	to automatically search and replace groups of faces
	73 711 1	with a single face.
240	transform, joinFaces, type	Choose to join all faces or just slivers to their
0.11		neighbours
241	transform, joinFaces, width	Set the maximum width of the sliver
0.40	turn from inin Dance and law	Set a value which is used to specify the aspect ratio of
242	transform, joinFaces, quadlar	4-sided faces respectively when assessing which faces
		are to be joined. Set a value which is used to specify the aspect ratio of
243	transform, joinFaces, trilar	3-sided faces respectively when assessing which faces
240	cransform, joinfaces, critiar	are to be joined.
244	transform, joinFaces, splits	Allow narrow face splits
	oranororm, jorni acce, aprica	The user can set a bias or Quality control for the join
245	transform, joinFaces, quality	decision making process and weight the joining of faces
	, 5, 1,	towards; Any , Mesh or Geom etry
246	transform, joinFaces, faceangle	Set maximum face angle deviation
247	transform, joinFaces, edgeangle	Set maximum edge angle deviation
		The tangency angle may be used to control how faces
248	transform, joinFaces, angle	are collected into groups
249	transform, joinFaces, filtermultiloop	Exclude multi-loop faces from the face joining
250	transform, joinFaces, filterlarge	Exclude relatively large faces from the face joining
251	transform, joinFaces, filtermultisided	Exclude multi-sided faces from the face joining
252	transform, joinFaces, rejectthreesided	Reject from the face joining three-sided faces
050		Reject from the face joining multi-sided faces or those
253	transform, joinFaces, rejectmultisided	greater than four-sided
254	transform, joinFaces, matchlayers	Make use of matching layer in forming groups
255	transform, joinFaces, matchcolours	Make use of matching colours when joining groups
		The Resolution option controls the density of the
256	transform, joinFaces, resolution	sampling points used to calculate the new embedding
230	cranstorm, joinfaces, resolution	surface. The higher the resolution, the closer the new
		surface will match the original surfaces.
		the Maximum change in displacement between the
257	transform, joinFaces, change	original surfaces and the final surface may be used as
		the acceptance criteria.
258	transform, joinEdges, apply	to automatically search for chains of edges and replace
230	oranororm, jornbages, appry	them with a single NURB edge
		The tangency angle between any two edges may be
259	transform, joinEdges, angle	used to control the process of joining chains of edges.
		Default angle = 1.0
260	transform, collapse, apply	to automatically collapse or remove any parts that are
200	,	less than the Minimum feature size – see below





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261	transform,collapse,type	Choose EDGES to only remove those edges that are shorter than the minimum feature size. Choose FACES if both faces and edges should be removed from the model. In this case, any `sliver' faces whose vertices and edges intersect according to the T-junction principle will be collapsed.
262	transform, collapseOption	Collapse FACES or EDGES
263	transform, collapse, length	The Minimum feature size specifies the size of the smallest feature that will be retained in the model. The default value is dependent on the model dimensions and the original source of the model. Prior to importing the model these factors are unknown and so the minimum feature size is set to the word DEFAULT, implying that the actual value used will be the default value for the model.
264	transform,pinch,apply	Check for and pinch sharp edge or corner angles in the model
265	transform,pinch,angle	Set the angle for the sharp edge angle test
266	transform, pinch, tol	Set the bridging length at which to pinch
267	transform, narrow, apply	Check for narrow regions
268	transform, narrow, width	Minimum width defining a narrow region can be given as an embedded tolerance or a user supplied value
269	transform, narrow, type	The type of narrow region can be Necks , Tapers or Both
270	transform, narrow, fixaction	Split or Pinch are the type of fix choices
271	transform, holes, removeHoles	to automatically remove any holes whose radius is smaller than the Max. diameter – see below
272	transform, holes, plugHoles	Create bodies from holes
273	transform, holes, drillTips	Look for conical drill tip features in the model and remove them
274	transform, holes, centrelines	Generate centre lines for holes
275	transform, holes, type	Choose BLIND to remove only those holes that pass part way through the model. Choose THROUGH to remove only those holes that pass through the model. Choose COMPLEX to remove counter-sunk or counter-bored holes that pass through the model. Choose ALL to remove all types of hole.
276	transform, holes, blind	Blind holes remove only those holes that pass part way through the model.
277	transform, holes, through	Through holes remove only those holes that pass through the model
278	transform, holes, complex	Complex holes (three or more openings) remove holes that have three or more openings.
279	transform, holes, searchMode	The Cross-section mode
280	transform, holes, check2dSize	Check exit size parameter is used to check the 2D bounding box (or diameter) of the edges defining the hole exit.
281	transform, holes, check3dSize	Check feature size defines the 3D bounding box of the whole hole.
282	transform, holes, checkSize	this is a No size limit option to look for all the selected hole types in the model regardless of size.
283	transform, holes, size2d	The actual check exit size value
284	transform, holes, size3d	The actual check feature size value
285	transform, holes, size	setting the Maximum Diameter specifies the diameter above which holes will not be found.
286	transform, holes, tol	The loops defining the start and end of the hole do not have to be defined by circular arc lines. If only circular holes are to be removed, then this tolerance is used to judge whether any NURBS lines meet this criterion.
287	transform, holes, xsect	By default, the Holes tool will search for simple holes that are circular in NON-CIRC. Uncheck CIRC by choosing ANY if this restriction should not be applied.
288	transform, holes, delete	when creating bodies from holes delete the original body
289	transform, protrusions, remove	to automatically remove any protrusions whose radius is smaller than the Max. diameter – see below
290	transform,protrusions,check2dSize	Check exit size parameter is used to check the 2D





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		bounding box (or diameter) of the edges defining the protrusion.
291	transform, protrusions, check3dSize	Check feature size defines the 3D bounding box of the whole protrusion.
292	transform, protrusions, size2d	The actual check exit size value
293	transform, protrusions, size3d	The actual check feature size value
294	transform, protrusions, tol	The loops defining the start and end of the protrusion do not have to be defined by circular arc lines. If only circular protrusions are to be removed, then this tolerance is used to judge whether any NURBS lines meet this criterion.
295	transform, protrusions, checkSize	this is a No size limit option to look for all the selected protrusions types in the model regardless of size.
296	transform, protrusions, size	setting the Maximum Diameter specifies the diameter above which protrusions will not be found.
297	transform, protrusions, xsect	By default, the Protrusions tool will search for simple protrusions that are circular in NON-CIRC. Uncheck CIRC by choosing ANY if this restriction should not be applied.
298	transform, removeSeams, apply	A seamless face is a face that is embedded in a cylindrical or conical surface, for instance, and is defined by just one or two circular edge loops without a seam running along its length. Use to make a seamless face.
299	transform, removeSeams, tol	tolerance used for evaluating the seamless face
300	transform, removeSeams, pln	applies to planes
301	transform, removeSeams, cyl	applies to cylinders
302	transform, removeSeams, con	applies to cones
303	transform, removeSeams, sph	applies to spheres
304	transform, removeSeams, tor	applies to toroids
305	transform, deleteFillets, apply	to automatically remove fillets
306	transform, deleteFillets, radmax transform, deleteFillets, radmin	A maximum radius may be set to define the radius If a minimum radius is used only groups of fillets falling between the two figures will be chosen. For variable fillets the program tests for radii along the fillet and only fillets that fall between the two values will be selected.
308	transform, deleteFillets, radtol	This value is used to control how accurately the fillet face chosen is defined. In other words, whether or not the radius around the curve of the face is constant or to within what value can it be defined as constant.
309	transform, deleteFillets, tol	This value is used to control accuracy of the operation.
310	transform, deleteFillets, type	The check button for CONST defines whether the fillet radius remains constant from one end of the face to the other. If VARY is chosen, then the radius may vary from one end of the face to the other.
311	transform, deleteFillets, angtol	Is used to determine when adjacent surfaces are considered parallel (default = 3 degrees).
312	transform, deleteFillets, joinedges	After removing fillets join edges to remove old vertices
313	transform, deleteFillets, facemod	Redundant as scars are always left
314	transform, deleteChamfers, apply	To automatically remove chamfers from the model
315	transform, deleteChamfers, d1	The upper distance from the dihedral angle corner to the start of the chamfer. Use this setting to avoid large slopping faces being picked up. The default upper corner angle (A1) of the chamfer will be 90 degrees.
316	transform, deleteChamfers, angl	The upper corner angle of the chamfer.
317	transform, deleteChamfers, d2	The distance from the dihedral angle corner to down the side of the chamfer.
318	transform, deleteChamfers, ang2	The smallest dihedral angle between chamfer faces.
319	transform, deleteChamfers, tol	This value is used to control accuracy of the operation.
320	transform, deleteChamfers, angtol	Is used to determine when adjacent surfaces are considered parallel (default = 3 degrees).
321	transform, deleteChamfers, joinedges	Chains of edges left after the process will also be removed.
322	transform, deleteChamfers, facemod	++Not used for batch processing++
323	transform, deleteFeatures, apply	to automatically remove features
324	transform, deleteFeatures, tol	tolerance used for evaluating the features
325	transform, deleteFeatures, joinedges	Scan for multiple continuous edges between vertices





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		and join into a single edge
326	transform, deleteFeatures, facemod	Redundant as scars are always left
327	transform, deleteFeatures, set	to specify a set name
328	transform,imprintEdges,apply	Set the program to imprint edges that coincide or overlap
329	transform,imprintEdges,tol	Set tolerance for edge imprinting
330	transform,imprintBodies,apply	Set the program to imprint faces of bodies. The bodies must touch along co-incident/overlapping faces. Intersecting bodies will not be imprinted. Imprinting bodies separated by large gaps can introduce accuracy problems
331	transform, imprintBodies, tol	Tolerance used for body imprinting
332	transform, deleteBodies, apply	Automatically delete bodies from the model using either a volume or a bounding box dimension
333	transform, deleteBodies, method	Specify whether volume or bounding box is to be used
334	transform, deleteBodies, size	Specify a value for the volume or bounding box diagonal dimension
335	transform, externalFilter, apply	Selection of only external model data activated
336	transform, externalFilter, tol	Set the tolerance for the removal of internal detail
337	transform,externalFilter,maxgap	Maximum gap to be ignored during the internal detail removal
338	transform, externalFilter, mode	Option to switch on aggressive filtering
339	transform, externalFilter, perf	Option controlling performance cost of aggressive filtering,1 is fast/low accuracy, 10 is fast/accuracy
340	transform, externalFilter, level	Set the level of data removal to faces, bodies or instances
341	transform,wrap,apply	Automatically create a shrink wrap of the model
342	transform,wrap,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
343	transform,wrap,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
344	transform,wrap,facetSize	Specify the typical facet size to be used for shrink wrapping
345	transform,decimate,apply	Decimate the shrink wrap model by making planar areas coarse
346	transform, decimate, tol	Specify the tolerance to which the decimate function will work
347	transform, unfacet, apply	Option to enable/disable the unfacet action
348	transform,unfacet,edge_vertextol	Max expected difference between a vertex of a facetted edge and the original edge the facets were made from
349	transform,unfacet,edge_sagtol	Max expected difference between a centre of a facetted edge and the original curve the facets were made from
350	transform,unfacet,face_vertextol	Max expected difference between a vertex of a facetted face and the original face the facets were made from
351	transform,unfacet,face_sagtol	Max expected difference between centroid of a facetted face and the original face the facets were made from
352	transform,unfacet,face_normtol	Max expected difference between facetted face normal and the original face the facets were made from
353	transform,unfacet,no_unclosed	Option to reject any faceted bodies that are not closed shells after unfaceting
354	transform, deform, apply	Switch on deforming of CAD geometry to match deformed mesh
355	transform, deform, fitMethod	Select a fit method from either position only or position plus derivatives
356	transform, deform, edgeTol	Target tolerance when fitting new NURBS to deformed edges. Default is smaller than interior fit tolerance so as to bias the fit to produce minimal edge sloppiness. A successful fit will produce a NURBS that is within this tolerance of the deformed edges.
357	transform, deform, interiorTol	Target tolerance for fitting the interior of a deformed face. A successful fit will produce a NURBS that is within this tolerance of the deformed mesh nodal positions.
358	transform, deform, normalTol	When fitting with derivatives this option controls the





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		quality of the fit to the deformed normal's. A successful fit will produce a NURBS with surface normal's within this angular tolerance of the normal's from the deformed mesh.
359	transform, deform, keepBad	Enable this option to keep fits that do not meet the target tolerances. A warning will be displayed if any fits triggering this condition. If disabled, then out-of-fit results will be discarded and the deformed surface will not be embedded in a NURBS surface.
360	transform, deform, delete	Enable this option to automatically delete the original surfaces following an acceptable refit.
361	Transform, calcMassProps	Calculate the mass properties after the transform operations finish
362	transform, customCommand	TCL script to be executed instead of the standard Wizard Transform
363	prepare	Switch the Wizard Prepare stage ON or OFF
364	prepare, system	specifies the prepare target system if different from the export system
365	prepare, debug	Use to print values without performing prepare for export
366	prepare, customCommand	TCL script to be executed instead of the standard Wizard Prepare
367	'Overlapping curves,R-CU-EM:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Check for whether a curve lies wholly within or partially overlaps another curve
368	<pre>'Short edges',R-ED-TI:{{apply value}{tol value}}</pre>	to automatically remove any short edges that occur in a chain of edges. Any edge that forms part of a chain and whose length is shorter than the user-specified value will be removed, either by collapsing the end-points to their average position, or by collapsing one end-point to the other, as appropriate.
369	'Tiny faces',R-FA-TI:{{apply value}{areamin value}}	faces smaller than 1.0e-03 times the model diameter or whatever value is provided by the user are removed
370	'Narrow faces',R-FA-NA:{{apply value} {widthmin value:mm} {onlysimple value} {twosided value}}	faces that are smaller than the value given along their whole length are removed
371	<pre>'Surface simplification',R-SU- SIM :{{apply value}{tol value}{type value}}</pre>	Check Surfaces to find and replace any NURBS entities that can be represented by a simple (primitive) entity within the specified tolerance. For instance, an analytic plane will replace any NURBS surface that can be considered to be planar within the specified tolerance.
372	<pre>'Edge simplification',R-CU-SIM:{{apply value}{tol value}}</pre>	Check Edges to find and replace any NURBS entities that can be represented by a simple (primitive) entity within the specified tolerance. For instance, any NURBS edge that is effectively straight within the specified tolerance will be replaced by a straight edge.
373	'Non-NURBS surfaces',R-FA-AN:{{apply 1} {tor 1} {sph 1} {con 0} {cyl 0} {pln 0}}	Check surfaces to convert any non-NURBS surfaces to NURBS entities
374	'Non-NURBS edges', R-ED-AN: {{apply value}}	Check edges to convert any non-NURBS edges to NURBS entities
375	'Rational NURBS surfaces',R-SU- RAT :{{apply value}{tol value}}	Some target systems do not support rational NURBS surfaces. Use to convert any rational NURBS surface to an equivalent degree 3 non-rational NURBS within the specified tolerance.
376	'Rational NURBS curves', R-CU- RAT:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Some target systems do not support rational NURBS edges. Use to convert any rational NURBS edges to an equivalent degree 3 non-rational NURBS within the specified tolerance.
377	'Low-degree surfaces', R-SU-LDG: {{apply value}{degree value}{ignoredegr 1}}	Increase the NURBS degree of surfaces to a user defined value. By default, surfaces of degree 1 are ignored
378	'Low-degree curves',R-CU-LDG:{{apply value}{degree value}{ignoredegr 1}}	Increase the NURBS degree of curves to a user defined value. By default, curves of degree 1 are ignored



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379	'High-degree surfaces',R-SU-HD:{{apply value}{tol value}{degree value}}	Some target systems, such as I-DEAS and Pro/ENGINEER, do not support high degree NURBS. Use to reduce the maximum NURBS order to the value specified.
380	'High-degree curves',R-CU-HD:{{apply value}{tol value}{degree value}}	Some target systems, such as I-DEAS and Pro/ENGINEER, do not support high degree NURBS. Use to reduce the maximum NURBS order to the value specified.
381	'Dense NURBS surface definition',R-SU-KNT:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Some CAD systems create overly complex NURBS definitions with a high number of knots. Use to find any NURBS entities that can be redefined using a lower number of knots (and control points) such that the replacement NURBS is within the specified tolerance of the original NURBS.
382	'Dense NURBS curve definition',R-CU- KNT:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Some CAD systems create overly complex NURBS definitions with a high number of knots. Use to find any NURBS entities that can be redefined using a lower number of knots (and control points) such that the replacement NURBS is within the specified tolerance of the original NURBS.
383	'Non-tangent patches',R-SU-NT:{{apply value}{tol value}{angle value}{factor value}}	Use to fix any NURBS surfaces that are G1 discontinuous (non-tangent). The prepare process will attempt to fix the discontinuity by removing a row of control points or by splitting the surface along the line of discontinuity. A row of control points will only be removed if the subsequent movement of the surface is less than the specified tolerance.
384	'Non-tangent segments',R-CU-NT:{{apply value}{tol value}{angle value}}	Use to fix any NURBS edges that are G1 discontinuous (non-tangent). The prepare process will attempt to fix the discontinuity by removing knot points or by splitting the edge at the point of discontinuity. A knot point will only be removed if the subsequent movement of the edge is less than the specified tolerance.
385	'Non-smooth patches',R-SU-NS:{{apply value}{ratio value}}	Use to fix any NURBS edges that are G2 discontinuous (non-smooth). The prepare process will attempt to remove the discontinuity by moving knot points so that the curvature change between adjacent knots is less than the specified Curvature ratio
386	'Non-smooth segments',R-CU-NS:{{apply value}{ratio value}}	Use to fix any NURBS surfaces that are G2 discontinuous (non-smooth). The prepare process will attempt to remove the discontinuity by moving knot points so that the curvature change between adjacent knots is less than the specified Curvature ratio .
387	'Surface parameterisation',R-SU-PCN:{{apply value}{condition value}{rate value}{tol value}}	This option looks for knots with negative values and shifts all the knots so that the first one is zero. Also knots ranges from [0,1] are found and then CADfix shifts the knots start to zero and then scales them to end at 1. In a parametric surface such as a NURBS a unit step (dP) in the U or V direction space corresponds to a given distance in model space (dX). The ratio dP/dX is the derivative or rate of the parameter space. Some geometric processes can become upset if this derivative is very different from unity. Parametric conditioning will attempt to address this issue for surfaces scaling them to be approximately the same size as the model space it occupies. This scaling does not affect the shape of the parametric surface. The Speed rate for surfaces ensures the change in parametric speed over a given range does not exceed a threshold. CADfix will try and refit the surface to provide an improved but not necessarily fully fixed result.
388	'Curve parameterisation',R-CU-PCN:{{apply value}{condition value}{rate value}{tol value}}	The differences in parametric speed along an edge are smoothed by the various parameters given
389	'Curve knot hyper-multiplicities',R-CU-HMK:{{apply value}{condition	NURBS curve knot hyper-multiplicity adjustment
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	<pre>value}{rate value}{tol value}}</pre>	
390	'Surface knot hyper-multiplicities',R-SU-HMK:{{apply value}{condition value}{rate value}{tol value}}	NURBS surface knot hyper-multiplicity adjustment
391	'Folded curves',R-CU-FO:{{apply value}{tol value}}	to find and fix any NURBS edges where the angle between the normal at each successive edge segment changes by more than 90 degrees.
392	'Oversize surfaces',R-FA-TRM:{{apply value}{percent value}}	to trim the size of any NURBS surfaces to the size of the dependant face. Any NURBS surface whose area exceeds the area of the dependant face by more than the specified Oversize factor will be trimmed.
393	<pre>'Closed surfaces',R-SU-CL:{{apply value}{tol value}}</pre>	Some target systems, such as Pro/ENGINEER and ANSYS, do not adequately support closed NURBS surfaces. Use to fix any closed NURBS that are found to be closed within the specified tolerance.
394	'Degenerate surfaces',R-SU-DC:{{apply value} {tol value} {simplify value} {split value} {flare value} {refit value} {trimback value:mm}}	to fix any NURBS surfaces that are found to be degenerate. A degenerate NURBS surface is typically one in which the iso-parameter lines, in either the U or V directions, converge to a single point. The NURBS surface will be; simplified, flared, split, trimmed and refitted depending on the users choice.
395	'Degenerate surface corners',R-SU-DP:{{apply 1} {angmin 5.0} {angtype FLAT}}	A corner of a NURBS surface forms a tangential (~180) or very sharp (~0) angle.
396	'Large edge-surface gap',R-FA- EG:{{apply value}{tol value}{lock value}}	The gap between the edge of a face and the underlying surface known also as sloppiness is adjusted to be within the value given
397	'Smooth surfaces',R-SU-SMO:{{apply value}{maxChange value}}	A new smooth (C1/C2) cubic NURBS is fitted to replace the original surface within the tolerance. The fitted NURBS has the same shape as the original.
398	'Undersize surfaces',R-FA-XTN:{{apply value}{undersize value}}	to ensure that any surface whose area is smaller than the dependant face is extended to match the size of that face.
399	'Seamless faces',R-FA-SEA:{{apply value}}	Some target systems, such as Pro/ENGINEER, do not support seamless faces. A seamless face is a face that is embedded in a cylindrical or conical surface, for example, that does not have a seam edge running along its length. Use to split the face and create a new seam edge.
400	'Missing surfaces',R-FA-EMD:{{apply value}{tol value}}	New surfaces are created for any missing ones by using the edges that form the closed loop defining the face. The new internal "blend" surfaces is converted to s NURBS.
401	'Sharp edge angle',R-LO-SA:{{apply value}{angle value}}	removes sliver faces where the join between two adjacent edges in a loop forms a very sharp angle
402	<pre>'Sharp corner angle',R-LO-SA : {{apply 0} {angle 5.0} {tol DEFAULT} {filletsonly 0} {fixaction MERGE}}</pre>	The joint between two adjacent edges in a loop forms a sharp angle.
403	'Zero-area faces,R-FA-ZAR:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Check for zero area faces
404	'Refit faces,R-FA-RPL:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Apply the face refitting algorithm to create new embedded surfaces
405	'Degenerate tangent,R-CU-G1D:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Check for degenerate tangents
406	'Join short edges,R-ED-JOI:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Join short edges in model to neighbours. Look for edges less than the minimum length supplied and join to an appropriate neighbouring edge if the default tangent angle criteria of 1 degree is not exceeded.
407	'Sloppy surface singularity,R-FA-VFS:{{apply value}{tol value}}	Heal surfaces with singularities (i.e. to translate the shape until a vertex of the face coincides with the singularity) using a solid-body transformation. For each singular surface if there is a dependent face with vertices within a given threshold of the singularity, the shape will be translated and rotated to heal the singularities to the vertices



408	'Shared topology', R-MO-POP: {{apply	Where two or more bodies are connected by shared
400	0}}	faces or edges or vertex they are separated
409	export	Switch the Wizard Export stage ON or OFF
410	export, system	specify the export CAD system to be used
411	export,fileSuffix	The Wizard automatically sets the export file name. The file name is generated by appending the characters a suffix given here to the original model name. Otherwise _cf will be used.
412	export, fileExtension	The file name extension will be set here
440	aumant aluana	CADfix will always continue to the end, even if errors
413	export, always	are encountered during Repair or Prepare stage
414	export,restoreModel	If the model was re-centred on import, then it is generally necessary to restore the model to its original position when the output file is generated. Uncheck this option if the model should not be restored to its original position.
415	export,assemblies,explode	Explode any assemblies on export
416	export, sendLabels	This parameter controls the data written to the export file as a label. Choose NAME to write the name assigned by CADfix to each entity. Choose XASG to write the actual label assigned to an entity, where this exists. This is the default option. Choose TYPART to write the label data as a combination of the CADfix entity type and database instance number. Choose COMBO to write the label data as a combination of all of the above options. Choose OFF to prevent any label data being written to the export file.
417	export, sendColours	By default, any colour attributes assigned to the model entities will also be written to the export file. Set OFF if the export of these attributes is not required
418	export, sendLayers	By default, any layer attributes assigned to the model entities will also be written to the export file. Set OFF if the export of these attributes is not required
419	export, sendUserAttrs	if user attribute information is available such as materia properties these can be exported as assignments on the geometry
420	export,customCommand	TCL script to be executed instead of the standard Wizard Export
421	export, sendGeomForm	NURBS surface conversion gives the ability to get NURBS surfaces converted back to surfaces-of-revolution (SoR) during the export stage. Apart from OFF, the option can be set to convert NURBS back to SoR's if that's what the NURBS was originally imported from, or to auto-detect all NURBS to see if they match a SoR, regardless of their original form.
422	export,exportSet	Allows the user to specify the export set as different from the working set
423	export,textNoteEnabled	CATIA specific option
424	export,textNoteChars	Text Note characters
425	export,textNotePosX	Text Note X position
426	export,textNotePosY	Text Note Y position
427	export,textNotePosZ	Text Note Z position
428	export,textNoteSize	Text Note size
429	export,textNoteColour	Text Note colour
430	export,textNoteLayer	Text Note layer
431	export,textNotePlane	Text Note plane (e.g. yz)
432	export,textNoteAngle	Text Note angle
433	export, checkEmpty	will not write the output file if you have an empty model Calculate the mass properties at the end of the batch
434	export, calcMassProps export, iges, minres	process This parameter indicates the smallest distance, in model space units, that is considered as discernible by the downstream system. Any coordinate locations in th output file that are separated by a distance smaller that the minimum resolution will be considered to be coincident. When the IGES file is flavoured for I-DEAS





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		default minimum resolution is set according to the size of the model, unless the IGES file is being flavoured for CATIA, in which case the value defaults to 0.02.
436	export,iges,mode	In an IGES file a solid model can be defined in one of three ways. Choose TRIM surfaces to define the faces of each solid using trimmed surface entities. Choose BOUND surfaces to define the faces of each solid as bounded surfaces. Choose BREP solids if the downstream system supports this IGES entity type.
437	export,iges,pcurves	A trimmed surface can be defined with reference to the model space curves and / or the parameter space curves. Choose MDUMMY if trimmed surface entities are to be defined with reference to the model space curves only. Choose PDUMMY if trimmed surface entities are to be defined with reference to the parameter space curves only. Choose ONLY if trimmed surface entities are to be defined with reference to the model space curves and the parameter space curves. Choosing this option will increase the size of the file generated.
438	export,iges,pcurvefit	This parameter controls the degree of the P-curves written to the IGES file. Choose LINEAR to write degree '1' P-curves. Choose CUBIC to write degree '3' P-curves. Choose BEST to write degree '5' P-curves wherever possible.
439	export,iges,form	A form flag will be assigned to every NURBS surfaces defined in the IGES file. The form flag is used by some systems to determine the use of these entities. For instance, if a cylindrical NURBS surface is flagged as a surface of revolution, I-DEAS will interpret that surface to display the centreline. Choose OFF to flag the NURBS surface form as "unspecified". Choose ANA to flag any surface that could be replaced by an analytic surface as "analytic". Choose SOR to flag any cylindrical or conical surfaces as "surfaces of revolution".
440	export,iges,shapeTrim	Use if NURBS surface entities are to be trimmed to fit the size of the dependant face.
441	export,iges,defColour	Specify the default entity colour from a range given
442	export,iges,dirLabel	Use the export label in the 8-character directory section "label" field
443	export,iges,perBodyLayers	Put each body on own layer
444	export, step, lengthTol	This parameter indicates the smallest distance in model space units that is considered as discernible by the downstream system. Any coordinate locations in the output file that are separated by a distance smaller than the length uncertainty tolerance will be considered to be coincident.
445	export,step,protocol	Select the appropriate STEP protocol for the downstream system.
446	export,step,merge	A component that has been selectively imported from a STEP assembly can be merged back into that assembly. Use to update the content of an existing STEP file so that it uses the new component definition. If this option is chosen, then the STEP file must already exist. None of the other components in the assembly will be affected by this operation.
447	export,step,singlepart	for exporting models with multiple bodies. When this is not checked then each body has its own product definition section in the STEP file. For some CAD systems, e.g. UG, this will produce multiple part files when the STEP file is read. If you want all the bodies in a single part file then check this option and the STEP file will only have one product definition, and CAD systems will create one-part file with multiple solids in it.
448	export, step, nonmanshells	A non-manifold shell is a collection of connected faces containing an edge that is shared by more than 2 faces, e.g. a T-junction of faces. This can be used to





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		automatically split up the shells along their non- manifold edges. The default setting would normally be OFF as most systems do not accept non-manifold shells. For STEP the default is ON.
449	export,step,polyshells	An option for the stitching of polyshells during import
450	export, step, description	To populate the user definable fields in the STEP spec
451	export, step, name	To populate the user definable fields in the STEP spec
452	export, step, author	To populate the user definable fields in the STEP spec
453	export, step, organisation	To populate the user definable fields in the STEP spec
454	export, step, authorisation	To populate the user definable fields in the STEP spec
455	export, step, codePage	Code page number for non-Unicode characters
456	export,stl,method	Two methods can be used to control the quality of the facetted model. The method used to generate the STL file can produce markedly different results. Choose CURVATURE to generate an STL file containing the minimum number of facets. The facets created may have large aspect ratios and may be unsuitable for some downstream applications. Choose QUALITY to create facets that are as regular as possible within the constraints set by the faceting parameters.
457	export,stl,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
458	export,stl,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
459	export,stl,facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th times the overall model diameter.
460	export,stl,expandRate	An expansion rate is used for the generation of quality triangular facets. The rate will control how facets sizes will increase as they move away from the edge of a face. A number between 1.0 and 3.0 and represents the expansion factor for facets. A bigger factor means that you will get larger elements in the middle of faces while a factor of 1.0 means the elements will not grow much away from the boundary.
461	export,stl,minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
462	export,stl,minThrough	This parameter is designed to refine the facets in narrow regions giving the user specified number of facets between opposite edges in a narrow face or part of a face.
463	export,stl,smooth	The triangular faceting for quality STL will be further processed to smooth the facet shapes towards the ideal of equal edge lengths
464	export,stl,useSources	Make use of on any FLITE3D sources when generating the STL faceted model
465	export,stl,openShells	By default, a model can only be exported to STL if the faces define one or more solid bodies. Use to allow any unclosed shells to be exported to STL.
466	export,stl,multiSolids	multiple solid (or body) models can be written into an STL file as separately grouped entities
467	export,stl,perBodyMultiSolids	When selecting the STL facets for each CADfix body are grouped into separate STL "solid" entities in the STL ASCII export file. Each solid group would also carry the assigned label as a tag.
468	export,stl,multiFiles	Multiple STL files are generated on export based on a number of criteria from separate bodies to colours to labels.
469	export,stl,sharedFaces	Used when exporting multiple bodies. Rather than creating duplicate sets of facets on shared faces just a single shared set of facets are used.





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470	export,stl,zones	When creating the STL facets for exporting respect any zones that exist within the model. This means that internal geometry edges in the zones will be ignored during the STL faceting.
471	export,stl,explode	Explode STL of an assembly model into separate files
472	export,stl,wraps	Export STL result of a shrink wrap
473	export,stl,format	Select either ASCII or Binary STL export file type
	export,3ds,method	Two methods can be used to control the quality of the
474		facetted model. The method used to generate the 3DS file can produce markedly different results. Choose CURVATURE to generate an 3DS file containing the minimum number of facets. The facets created may have large aspect ratios and may be unsuitable for some downstream applications. Choose QUALITY to create facets that are as regular as possible within the constraints set by the faceting parameters.
	export,3ds,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable
475		distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
476	export,3ds,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
	export,3ds,facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in
477		model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th times the overall model diameter.
	export,3ds,expandRate	An expansion rate is used for the generation of quality
478		triangular facets. The rate will control how facets sizes will increase as they move away from the edge of a face. A number between 1.0 and 3.0 and represents the expansion factor for facets. A bigger factor means that you will get larger elements in the middle of faces while a factor of 1.0 means the elements will not grow much away from the boundary.
479	export,3ds,minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
480	export,3ds,minThrough	This parameter is designed to refine the facets in narrow regions giving the user specified number of facets between opposite edges in a narrow face or part of a face.
481	export,3ds,smooth	The triangular faceting for quality 3DS will be further processed to smooth the facet shapes towards the ideal of equal edge lengths
482	export,3ds,openShells	By default, a model can only be exported to 3DS if the faces define one or more solid bodies. Use to allow any unclosed shells to be exported to 3DS.
483	export,3ds,zones	When creating the 3DS facets for exporting respect any zones that exist within the model. This means that internal geometry edges in the zones will be ignored during the 3DS faceting.
484	export,3ds,wraps	Export 3DS result of a shrink wrap
485	export,acis,resabs	This parameter indicates the modelling tolerance used by the target system and defaults to 1.0E-06.
486	export,acis,tolerant	To define every geometric entity in the ACIS file with reference to a tolerance.
487	export,acis,bodyChecker	To check the validity of the ACIS file.
488	export,acis,checkerLevel	The Checker level export options are available to control the complexity level of the body checker. The level can be: 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60 or 70. The default is 20 . The higher the level the more checking that is done and the slower the export.
489	export,acis,version	specify the export ACIS version number
490	export, acis, nonmanshells	Non manifold shells can be exported to ACIS
491	export, TecnomatixMLP, resabs	
491	export, rechomatixmir, resaus	This parameter indicates the modelling tolerance used



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		by the target system and defaults to 1.0E-06.
492	export, TecnomatixMLP, tolerant	To define every geometric entity in the
432		TechnomatixMPL file with reference to a tolerance.
493	export, TecnomatixMLP, bodyChecker	To check the validity of the TechnomatixMPL file.
	export, TecnomatixMLP, checkerLevel	The Checker level export options are available to
404		control the complexity level of the body checker. The
494		level can be: 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60 or 70. The default is
		20. The higher the level the more checking that is done
495	export, TecnomatixMLP, centrelines	and the slower the export. Create hole centrelines
496	export, parasolid, version	specify the export Parasolid version number
		to define every edge in the model with reference to a
497	export, parasolid, tolerant	tolerance
498	export,parasolid,bodyChecker	to check the validity of the Parasolid file
		Every edge defined in a Parasolid model has a
499	ownert paragolid odgetel Type	tolerance associated with it. By default, AUTO would be selected. Choose LOC to set the edge tolerances
499	export,parasolid,edgetolType	locally for each edge, or GLOB to assign the same
		tolerance value to every edge in the model.
		If the edge tolerances are to be set locally for each
1		edge, then the tolerance . parameter indicates the
500	ownert paragolid odgetol	minimum tolerance that will be assigned to a particular
300	export,parasolid,edgetol	edge, otherwise tolerance should be set with reference
1		to the modelling tolerance used by the downstream
		system.
1		The Parasolid unit of length is meters. If the model was
501	export,parasolid,scalef	originally defined using a different unit of length this
		parameter can be used to scale the model on export, as appropriate.
		Choose an appropriate value for Maximum errors to
502	export,parasolid,maxerr	report
E00	ownert removed debat Dedica	Open shells as individual faces permit the export of
503	export,parasolid,sheetBodies	mixed models.
504	export,parasolid,multibodyasasm	Create and export an assembly for multiple geometry
	1 1,1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	models
505		There are three output format options; ASCII, a
505	export,parasolid,format	machine dependent BINARY format and a machine independent binary or NEUTRAL format.
506	export,parasolid,colhier	Default is ANY CHILD PARENT
	empere, paracerra, cornicr	This parameter indicates the smallest distance, in
		model space units, that is considered as discernible by
507	ownert cadds nointTol	the downstream system. Any coordinate locations in the
307	export, cadds, pointTol	output file that are separated by a distance smaller than
1		the point coincidence tolerance will be considered to be
<u> </u>		coincident.
508	export,cadds,saveAs	The user can choose to save in the CADDS older 4X or newer 5X format
		This is the work space used by CATIA affecting the
		tolerance of internal operations such as; projections,
500		identical curves, closing of volumes and infinity within
509	export, catia, modelDimension	the model. All being calculated as a function of the
		model dimension. The model dimension settings is in millimetres and if not set will default within CATIA to
1		10000.
		CADfix bodies maybe exported to CATIA v4 as *SOL or
1		*VOL entities. The default is to export bodies as *SOL
1		and open shells as *VOL. If the set being exported is a
510	export,catia,exportSOLIDE	mixture of bodies and open shells then all the bodies
		and open shells will be exported according to the body
		preference, i.e. we can't export bodies as *SOL and
		open shells as *VOL in the same export.
511	export,catia,solidmPipes	Option to convert original CATIA V4 pipe bodies in to SOLIDM bodies on export to V4
		Open shells maybe exported as either *VOL or *FAC
540		entities. The open shell *VOL are strictly invalid in
512	export,catia,shellsAsVols	CATIA V4, but as we can't export skins (*SKN) it is the
		next best thing as it actually preserves the topology





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		between the faces. CATIA V4 users can "extract" *SKN entities from these. Exporting skins as *FAC produces unconnected faces in V4. If the set being exported is a mixture of bodies and open shells then all the bodies and open shells will be exported according to the body preference, i.e. we can't export bodies as *SOL and open shells as *VOL in the same export.
513	export,catia,mirrorKeepOriginal	Option to keep original parts affected by a mirror transform when the transform is removed on export
514	export,catia,mirrorPlane	Option to enable the auto-generation of a mirrored copy of the model during export
515	export,catia,assemblyAsDittos	Option to convert assembly models to CATIA V4 dittos entities
516	export,catia,exportLayerFilters	Option to export layer filter definitions to CATIA V4
517	export,catia,exporter	CATIA export interface
518	export,catia,solidmSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface when generating SOLIDM bodies in CATIA V4 export.
519	export,catia,solidmTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that a facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined, when generating SOLIDM bodies in CATIA V4 export
520	export,catia,InterOpAPI	choose Interop option either legacy or connect
521	export,catia5,saveVersion	Option to identify the version of CATIA V5 to write, e.g. CATIA5R24
522	export,catia5,hybrid	Option to create hybrid PartBody entities during V5 export. If disabled, then Geometric Set will be generated.
523	export,catia5,promoteGeomNodes	Promote any (geometry) nodes in the top-level assembly node to be full blown components
524	export,catia5,singleCATProduct	++discontinued++
525	export,catia5,allCGR	Convert all parts to CGR on exporting to V5
526	export,catia5,exporter	Option to set the CATIA V5 export method <deprecated></deprecated>
527	export,catia5,cgrSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface when generating CGR facets
528	export,catia5,cgrTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined, when generating CGR facets
529	export,catia5,asmFileNames	Controls the file names used when exporting an assembly to V5. If set to FILENAME, then the original (as imported) filename will be re-used on export. If set to PARTNAME then the assigned label on the assembly node will be used instead. If you want to preserve the same file structure when import/exporting a V5 assembly, then select FILENAME.
530	export,catia5,InterOpAPI	choose Interop option either legacy or connect
531	export,catia5,mkshells	map the exported CATIA V5 entities to shells rather than solids
532	export,catia5,promoteGeomNodes	An option that only affects hybrid assemblies where the top-level node has a "(geometry)" node in it. When this option is enabled then each part in the (geometry) set will be exported as a separate component referenced by the top-level node.
533	export,proe,tolerance	tolerance used for the export of Pro/E data
534	export,proe,tolType	Choose Rel to specify the tolerance as a factor of the model size. Choose Abs to specify the tolerance as an absolute value.
535	export,proe,version	specify the export CREO version number
536	export,proe,names	Use original component names
537	export,proe,eachInTurn	++Not used for batch processing++
538	export,proe,asFacets	Export CREO model as facets
539	export,proe,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the



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		size of the model.
540	export, dxf, version	specify DXF version number
541	export,dxf,bodyChecker	The ACIS body checker maybe run on the exported data.
542	export, dxf, tolerant	As the ACIS format forms the basis of a DXF export this is used to define every geometric entity in the file with reference to a tolerance.
543	export,dxf,explodeFacetted	Explode facetted surfaces
544	export,ansys,btol	This parameter sets the tolerance to be used by ANSYS when a Boolean operation is performed on the model. Set the value to OFF if Boolean operations are not to be performed in ANSYS.
545	export,femgv,modelTol	This parameter sets the geometric modelling tolerance to be used in the downstream system
546	export,femgv,workspace	This parameter indicates the default size of the workspace buffer when opening the model in FEMGV
547	export,femgv,lineDIV	Use this parameter to indicate the required number of divisions on each edge in the model
548	export,femgv,history	A log file recording the commands generated during the FEMGV import process can be automatically created by checking this option
549	export,sc03,geomis2d	Option to flag the SC03 export as being 2D
550	export,sc03,tessellate	controls whether the tessellation data is written to an export file
551	export,sc03,TT	Thin and thick subdivided geometry is export
552	export,sc03,ftol	facet tolerance for the tessellation
553	export,sc03,PROX2D	Included in the export is proximity 2D data
554	export,sc03,content	Option to control whether geometry, mesh or both are exported to SC03
555	export,sc03,bodiesOnly	Option to export only solid bodies to SC03
556	export,sc03,edgeTags	edge labels maybe passed to the SC03 model export file
557	export,sc03,imprintEdges	Edge Imprinting may be carried out on the fly during export.
558	export,sc03,imprintEdgesTol	Used to select the imprinting Maximum gap
559	export,sc03,imprintBodies	Body Imprinting may be carried out on the fly during export.
560	export,sc03,imprintBodiesTol	Used to select the imprinting Maximum gap
561	export,sc03,imprintBodiesAng	Used to select the imprinting Maximum draft angle
562	export,sc03,matchPairs	Match existing face pairs during imprinting
563	export,sc03,uniqueNames	Option to ensure all SC03 parts are given unique names
564	export,gridpro,method	Three methods can be used to control the quality of the facetted model. The method used to generate the GridPro file can produce markedly different results. Quality is the default and used to create facets that are as regular as possible within the constraints set by the faceting parameters. Choose Curvature to generate a GridPro file containing the minimum number of facets. The facets created may have large aspect ratios and may be unsuitable for some downstream applications. Choose Mesh to generate a GridPro file using an existing mesh. An existing mesh could only exist if some external TCL script run during the batch process had generated it.
565	export,gridpro,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
566	export,gridpro,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
567	export,gridpro,facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size, then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th



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		times the overall model diameter.
568	export,gridpro,expandRate	An expansion rate is used for the generation of quality triangular facets. The rate will control how facets sizes will increase as they move away from the edge of a face. A number between 1.0 and 3.0 and represents the expansion factor for facets. A bigger factor means that you will get larger elements in the middle of faces while a factor of 1.0 means the elements will not grow much away from the boundary.
569	export,gridpro,minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
570	export,gridpro,minThrough	This parameter is designed to refine the facets in narrow regions giving the user specified number of facets between opposite edges in a narrow face or part of a face.
571	export,gridpro,smooth	The triangular faceting for quality will be further processed to smooth the facet shapes towards the ideal of equal edge lengths
572	export,gridpro,useSources	Make use of on any mesh division control sources when generating the faceted model
573	export,gridpro,zones	When creating the GridPro facets for exporting respect any zones that exist within the model. This means that internal geometry edges in the zones will be ignored during the GridPro faceting.
574	export, dem, method	Two methods can be used to control the quality of the facetted model. The method used to generate the DEM file can produce markedly different results. Choose Curvature to generate a DEM file containing the minimum number of facets. The facets created may have large aspect ratios and may be unsuitable for some downstream applications. Choose Quality to create facets that are as regular as possible within the constraints set by the faceting parameters.
575	export, dem, facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
576	export,dem,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
577	export, dem, facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size, then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th times the overall model diameter.
578	export,dem,expandRate	An expansion rate is used for the generation of quality triangular facets. The rate will control how facets sizes will increase as they move away from the edge of a face. A number between 1.0 and 3.0 and represents the expansion factor for facets. A bigger factor means that you will get larger elements in the middle of faces while a factor of 1.0 means the elements will not grow much away from the boundary.
579	export,dem,minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
580	export,dem,minThrough	This parameter is designed to refine the facets in narrow regions giving the user specified number of facets between opposite edges in a narrow face or part of a face.
581	export, dem, smooth	The triangular faceting for quality will be further processed to smooth the facet shapes towards the ideal of equal edge lengths
582	export, dem, useSources	Make use of on any mesh division control sources when generating the faceted model
583	export, dem, zones	When creating the DEM facets for exporting respect any zones that exist within the model. This means that internal geometry edges in the zones will be ignored





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		during the DEM faceting.
584	export,xpatch,method	Two methods can be used to control the quality of the facetted model. The method used to generate the Xpatch file can produce markedly different results. Choose Curvature to generate a Xpatch file containing the minimum number of facets. The facets created may have large aspect ratios and may be unsuitable for some downstream applications. Choose Quality to create facets that are as regular as possible within the constraints set by the faceting parameters.
585	export,xpatch,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
586	export,xpatch,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
587	export, xpatch, facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size, then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th times the overall model diameter.
588	export,xpatch,expandRate	An expansion rate is used for the generation of quality triangular facets. The rate will control how facets sizes will increase as they move away from the edge of a face. A number between 1.0 and 3.0 and represents the expansion factor for facets. A bigger factor means that you will get larger elements in the middle of faces while a factor of 1.0 means the elements will not grow much away from the boundary.
589	export,xpatch,minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
590	export,xpatch,minThrough	This parameter is designed to refine the facets in narrow regions giving the user specified number of facets between opposite edges in a narrow face or part of a face.
591	export, xpatch, smooth	The triangular faceting for quality will be further processed to smooth the facet shapes towards the ideal of equal edge lengths
592	export, xpatch, useSources	Make use of on any mesh division control sources when generating the faceted model
593	export, xpatch, zones	When creating the Xpatch facets for exporting respect any zones that exist within the model. This means that internal geometry edges in the zones will be ignored during the Xpatch faceting.
594	export,centaur,tol	The Spline fit tolerance
595	export,centaur,tangType	end tangency type
596	export,centaur,surfEndCond	Controls surface end conditions
597	export, centaur, tangTol	End tangency fitting tolerance in degrees
598	export, centaur, equalSpacedEdges	set the knot spacing to be equal
600	export, centaur, aspectRatio export, centaur, growthRatio	Maximum patch aspect ratio in degrees When using the Adaptive option for surface splines the surfaces splines are controlled with a Max. growth rate option
601	export,centaur,equalSpacedSurfs	Surface splines can be controlled by setting Equal spaced
602	export,centaur,scalef	The local spline export scale factor tolerance
603	export,centaur,gridU	Number of patches for surfaces in the U direction
604	export,centaur,gridV	Number of patches for surfaces in the V direction
605	export,centaur,gridT	Number of segments for curves T
606	export,centaur,mindiv	Set the minimum division
607	export,centaur,maxdiv	Set the maximum division
608	export,centaur,initgrid	Set the initial grid parameters
609	export, centaur, maxgrid	St the maximum grid size (UxV)
610	export, flite3d, tol	The Spline fit tolerance
611	export,flite3d,tangType	end tangency type



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612	export,flite3d,surfEndCond	Controls surface end conditions
613	export,flite3d,tangTol	End tangency fitting tolerance in degrees
614	export,flite3d,equalSpacedEdges	set the knot spacing to be equal
615	export, flite3d, aspectRatio	Maximum patch aspect ratio in degrees
616	export,flite3d,growthRatio	When using the Adaptive option for surface splines the surfaces splines are controlled with a Max. growth rate option
617	export,flite3d,equalSpacedSurfs	Surface splines can be controlled by setting Equal spaced
618	export,flite3d,scalef	The local spline fit parameter tolerance
619	export,flite3d,gridU	Number of patches for surfaces in the U direction
620	export,flite3d,gridV	Number of patches for surfaces in the V direction
621	export,flite3d,gridT	Number of segments for curves T
622	export,flite3d,mindiv	Set the minimum division
623	export,flite3d,maxdiv	Set the maximum division
624	export,flite3d,initgrid	Set the initial value
625	export,flite3d,maxgrid	St the maximum growth value
626	export, solar, tol	The Spline fit tolerance
627	export,solar,tangType	end tangency type
628	export,solar,surfEndCond	Controls surface end conditions
629	export,solar,tangTol	End tangency fitting tolerance in degrees
630	export,solar,equalSpacedEdges	set the knot spacing to be equal
631	export, solar, aspectRatio	Maximum patch aspect ratio in degrees
632	export, solar, growthRatio	When using the Adaptive option for surface splines the surfaces splines are controlled with a Max. growth rate option
633	export,solar,equalSpacedSurfs	Surface splines can be controlled by setting Equal spaced
634	export, solar, scalef	The local spline fit parameter tolerance
635	export,solar,gridU	Number of patches for surfaces in the U direction
636	export, solar, gridV	Number of patches for surfaces in the V direction
637	export,solar,gridT	Number of segments for curves T
638	export, solar, mindiv	Set the minimum division
639	export,solar,maxdiv	Set the maximum division
640	export,solar,initgrid	Set the initial value
641	export, solar, maxgrid	St the maximum growth value
642	export,cadoe,modelDimension	This is the work space used by CADOE affecting the tolerance of internal operations
643	export,jt,fileFormat	The versions supported
644	export,jt,fileStructure	Per part - All assembly nodes in a product structure hierarchy are stored in a single JT file, and each part node in the hierarchy is stored in an individual JT file in a subdirectory that is of the same name as the assembly JT file. Fully shattered - Each product structure node in the hierarchy is stored in an individual JT file. Monolithic - All product structure is stored in a single JT file.
645	export,jt,includeBrep	Whether to include the BREP in the file
646	export,jt,includeMassProps	Mass properties are included with the export file
647	export,jt,numLODs	Level Of Detail values are used for creating multiple tessellations data sets. There are three options: 1, 2 or 3 defining different levels of model faceting.
648	export,jt,multiSolidsAsAsm	Whether to define multi-solids models as an assembly
649	export,jt,useConfigFile	Specifying whether an external configuration file is to be used.
650	export,jt,configFile	Path defining the configuration file for externally control supporting functions in a deployed application
651	export,pdf,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
652	export,pdf,facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
653	export,pdf,useTemplateFile	User defined PDF template definition to be user
053	export, par, userempraterire	User defined PDF template definition to be usef



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654	export,pdf,templateFile	PDF template file path
655	export,pdf,viewBox	PDF template definition
656	export,pdf,pagesize	PDF template page size
657	export,pdf,orientation	PDF template document orientation
658	export,pdf,title	PDF template document title
659	export,pdf,author	PDF template document author
660	export,pdf,subject	PDF template document subject
661	export,pdf,creator	PDF template document creator
662	export,pdf,LOD	PDF template level of detail
663	export,pdf,chordHeightRatio	
664	export,pdf,minimalTriAngle	PDF template definition PDF template definition
	export,pdf,lineWidth	PDF template document thickness of line
665		
666	export, agps, pcurveTol	tolerance for control pcurve projection
667	export, agps, createCSC	create surface connections
668	export,matlab,facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
669	export, matlab, facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
670	export, matlab, facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size, then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th times the overall model diameter.
671	export, matlab, minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
672	export, mesh, type	Export of mesh maybe from three sources: free triangular Delaunay meshing created using the Parameter settings, quad meshing using a combination of PAVE mesh and mapped mesh using the Parameter settings, or from any existing mesh that may have been created with the Mesh Manager.
673	export, mesh, method	Two methods can be used to control the quality of the triangular elements (not relevant to Quad meshing). Choose Minimum number to generate a mesh file containing the minimum number of triangular elements. The facets created may have large aspect ratios and may be unsuitable for some downstream applications. Choose Quality facets to create triangular mesh elements that are as regular as possible within the constraints set by the faceting parameters.
674	export, mesh, format	A Format of either FME (CADfix's own mesh file format) or NASTRAN (bulk data deck) may be chosen
675	export, mesh, facetSag	This parameter specifies the maximum allowable distance between a facet and its underlying surface. The default maximum facet sag is set according to the size of the model.
676	export, mesh, facetTurn	This parameter specifies the maximum angle that an edge facet can turn through before it is too large and must be refined.
677	export, mesh, facetLength	This parameter specifies the maximum facet size in model space units based on edge length. If no restriction is to be placed on the maximum facet size, then this parameter can be left unspecified. CADfix will calculate the facet length as approximately 1/100 th times the overall model diameter.
678	export, mesh, expandRate	An expansion rate is used for the generation of quality triangular facets. The rate will control how facets sizes will increase as they move away from the edge of a face. A number between 1.0 and 3.0 and represents the expansion factor for facets. A bigger factor means that you will get larger elements in the middle of faces while a factor of 1.0 means the elements will not grow much away from the boundary.





679	export, mesh, minFacets	This parameter specifies the minimum number of faces to be created on each edge.
680	export, mesh, minThrough	This parameter is designed to refine the facets in narrow regions giving the user specified number of facets between opposite edges in a narrow face or part of a face.
681	export, mesh, smooth	The triangular faceting for quality will be further processed to smooth the facet shapes towards the ideal of equal edge lengths
682	export, mesh, useSources	Make use of on any mesh division control sources when generating the faceted model
683	export, mesh, zones	When creating the mesh facets for exporting respect any zones that exist within the model. This means that internal geometry edges in the zones will be ignored during the mesh faceting.



Appendix 2: Example CADfix CWC File

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cwc, version
                                                          : 1100
 preferredUnits
                                  [MM, CM, M, INCH, FOOT] : MM
 maxWizardTol
                                             [OFF, value] : OFF
                                             [ALL, value] : ALL
 workSet
 continueOnError
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
 saveBetweenOps
                                                   [0, 1] : 0
[0, 1] : 0
 saveOnExport
                                    [ALWAYS, FAIL, NEVER] : FAIL
 diagnosticCheck
 qualityStandard
                               [nocheck, jama45, jamaALL] : nocheck
                                          [DEFAULT, 0, 1] : DEFAULT
 longNames
import
                                                     [1]:1
                                  [IGES, STEP, STL, ACIS] : IGES
  import, system
 import, colours
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
 import, layers
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
  import, labels
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
  import,userAttrs
                                                   [0, 1] : 0
  import, assemblies, mode
                               [COMPLETE, EACH, SELECTED] : COMPLETE
                                            [NULL, value] : NULL
 import, assemblies, subpartid
  import, assemblies, explode
                                                   [0, 1] : 0
  import, assemblies, emptyComponents
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
  import,assemblies,freeLines
                                                   [0, 1] : 1
  import,assemblies,freeSurfs
 import,assemblies,freeFaces
                                                   [0, 1]:1
  import,assemblies,freePartsName
                                            [NULL, value] : NULL
  import, autoGroup, colour
                                                           {{apply 0} {type {}}}
                                                          : {{apply 0} {type {}} {value ANY}}
 import, autoGroup, layer
 import,temporaryFiles
                                                   [0, 1]:1
                                          [ALWAYS, NEVER] : ALWAYS
  import,resolveDegenerateLines
 import,convertUnits
                             [OFF, MM, CM, M, INCH, FOOT] : OFF
 import, scaleModel
                                             [OFF, value] : OFF
  ############### IGES Import parameters ###############
 import, iges, useDefaults
                                                [OFF, ON] : ON
 import,iges,definitionEntities
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
  import, iges, blankedEntities
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
 import,iges,freeLines
  import,iges,freeLinesFont
                                       [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5] : DEFAULT
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
  import,iges,constructionGeom
 import,iges,linesAsNURBS
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
 import,iges,splitCreasedNURBS
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
  import,iges,turningAngle
                                                  [value] : DEFAULT
  import,iges,splitClosedNURBS
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
                                    [PREF, GAPS, ON, OFF] : DEFAULT
  import, iges, pcurves
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
 import,iges,calcGoodTol
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
  import,iges,mergeDuplicates
  import, iges, boundUntrimmed
                                                [OFF, ON]
                                                         : DEFAULT
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
  import, iges, completeBoundaries
 import,iges,stitchFaces
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
 import, iges, buildBodies
  import,iges,extraAttributes
                                                [OFF, ON]
                                                         : DEFAULT
  ############## STEP Import parameters ##################
 import, step, freeLines
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
  import, step, freeSurfs
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
  import, step, freeFaces
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
 import,step,splitDiscontinuous
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                                  [value] : DEFAULT
  import, step, splitAngle
 ############## VDAFS Import parameters ###############
 import, vdafs, freeLines
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
  import, vdafs, freeSurfs
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
  import, vdafs, freeFaces
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
 import, vdafs, splitDiscontinuous
                                                   [0, 1] : DEFAULT
  import, vdafs, splitAngle
                                                  [value] : DEFAULT
  ############### STL Import parameters #################
                                                [NO, YES] : DEFAULT
 import, stl.mergeVertices
                                                [NO, YES] : YES
 import,stl,facettedSurfaces
  import, stl, traceShells
                                                [OFF, ON] : DEFAULT
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[0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,acis,freeLines
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, acis, freeSurfs
import, acis, freeFaces
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,acis,splitDiscontinuous
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,acis,splitAngle
                                           [value] : DEFAULT
############# DXF/DWG Import parameters ##############
import,dxf,freeLines
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, dxf, freeSurfs
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, dxf, freeFaces
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, dxf, splitDiscontinuous
                                           [value] : DEFAULT
import.dxf.splitAngle
########### Parasolid Import parameters #############
import, parasolid, freeLines
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,parasolid,freeSurfs
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,parasolid,freeFaces
import, parasolid, units
                             [MM, CM, M, INCH, FOOT] : MM
import, parasolid, splitDiscontinuous
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,parasolid,splitAngle
                                           [value] : DEFAULT
import, parasolid, explodeAssembly
                                            [0, 1] : 0
import, parasolid, splitClosedNURBS
                                            [0, 1] : 1
import, parasolid, splitSeamless
                                            [0, 1]:1
############## CADDS Import parameters ################
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, cadds, freeLines
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, cadds, freeSurfs
                                           [value] : DEFAULT
import,cadds,pointTol
import, cadds, nameByPart
                                            [0, 1] : 1
############## CATIA4 Import parameters ##############
import, catia, importNoShows
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia, importNoPicks
import, catia, importOnlyRoot
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia, importOnlyMasterWorkspace
import, catia, dittosAsAssembly
                                            [0, 1] : 1
import, catia, solidmAsFacets
                                            [0, 1] : 0
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia, importPipes
                                   [-, LAYCUR, ALL] : ALL
import,catia,layerFilter
import, catia, useAnalyticSurfs
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,catia,3DCurveRegen
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia, 3DCurvePref
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : 0
import, catia, freeLines
import, catia, freeSurfs
                                            [0, 1] : 0
import, catia, freeFaces
                                            [0, 1] : 1
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia, splitDiscontinuous
import, catia, splitAngle
                                           [value] : DEFAULT
                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
import, catia, importer
############## CATIA5 Import parameters ##############
import, catia5, importHidden
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia5, importCGR
import,catia5,freeLines
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia5, freeSurfs
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, catia5, freeFaces
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
import, catia5, importer
import,catia5,labelType
                                           [value] : ELEMENT
################# UG Import parameters #################
import,ug,importHidden
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import, ug, freeLines
                                            [0, 1] : DEFAULT
import,ug,freeSurfs
                             [0, 1] : DEFAULT [MM, CM, M, INCH, FOOT] : MM
import,ug,freeFaces
import, ug, units
import,ug,importer
                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
import,uq,splitClosedNURBS
                                            [0, 1] : 1
                                            [0, 1] : 1
import,ug,splitSeamless
```



International TechneGroup import,inventor,freeLines [0, 1] : DEFAULT [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,inventor,freeSurfs import,inventor,freeFaces [0, 1] : DEFAULT [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT import, inventor, importer ################# SW Import parameters ################# [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,sw,freeLines import, sw, freeSurfs [0, 1] : DEFAULT [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, sw, freeFaces [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, sw, importHidden import,sw,importSuppressed [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,sw,splitClosedNURBS [0, 1]:1import, sw, splitSeamless [0, 1] : 1[DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT import.sw.importer ############## ProE Import parameters ############### import,proe,freeLines [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, proe, freeSurfs [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, proe, freeFaces [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,proe,vertexTol [value] : DEFAULT [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,proe,facets import,proe,importBlanked [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,proe,importer [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT ############## ANSYS Import parameters ################ import,ansys,freeLines [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, ansys, freeSurfs [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, ansys, splitDiscontinuous [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,ansys,splitAngle [value] : DEFAULT ############### AGPS Import parameters ############### import,agps,freeLines [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,agps,freeSurfs [0, 1] : DEFAULT import, agps, splitDiscontinuous [0, 1] : DEFAULT [value] : DEFAULT import,agps,splitAngle [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,agps,keepTempEntities [value] : DEFAULT import,agps,pcurveToXYZTol ############### SC03 Import parameters ################ [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,sc03,userAttrs import,sc03,strictPMPLUS [0, 1] : DEFAULT [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,jt,freeLines import, jt, freeSurfs [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,jt,freeFaces [0, 1] : DEFAULT [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,jt,splitClosedNURBS [0, 1] : DEFAULT import,jt,splitSeamless import,jt,onlyFacets [0, 1] : DEFAULT repair [0, 1] : 1[DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT repair, buildOption [SOLIDS, FACES, SOLIDS+FACES, UNKNOWN] : SOLIDS [AUTO, ALWAYS, NEVER] : AUTO repair, boundUntrimmed repair, approximateSurfaces [0, 1] : 0repair, voids [Delete, Remove, Keep] : Delete [0, 1] : 0repair, keepUnused repair, deleteUnusedFaces [0, 1] : 0transform [0, 1] : 0transform, joinBodies, apply [0, 1] : 0[DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT [UNITE, SHARE] : UNITE transform, joinBodies, tol transform, joinBodies, mode [0, 1] : 0[0, 1] : 0transform,joinBodies,allowVoids transform, joinFragmented, apply [value] : DEFAULT transform,joinFragmented,tol [0, 1] : 0 [SLIVERS, ALL] : SLIVERS transform, joinFaces, apply transform, joinFaces, type

transform, joinFaces, width

[DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT



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       transform, joinFaces, faceangle
                                                             [value] : 1.0
                                                             [value] : 5.0
       transform, joinFaces, edgeangle
        transform, joinFaces, filtermultiloop
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
[0, 1] : 1
        transform, joinFaces, filterlarge
        transform, joinFaces, filtermultisided
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
        transform, joinFaces, rejectthreesided
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        transform, joinFaces, rejectmultisided
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, joinFaces, matchlayers
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        transform, joinFaces, matchcolours
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
                                                             [value] : 50
       transform, joinFaces, resolution
                                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, joinFaces, change
        transform, joinEdges, apply
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, joinEdges, angle
                                                             [value] : 1.0
                                                      [0, 1] : 0
[FACES, EDGES] : EDGES
        transform, collapse, apply
       transform, collapse, type
        transform, collapse, length
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, pinch, apply
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
       transform, pinch, angle
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, pinch, tol
       transform, holes, removeHoles
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, holes, plugHoles
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, holes, drillTips
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
                                     [ALL, THROUGH, BLIND, COMPLEX] : THROUGH
       transform, holes, type
        transform, holes, checkSize
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, holes, size
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, holes, tol
                                                         [CIRC, ANY] : CIRC
        transform, holes, xsect
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
        transform, holes, delete
        transform, protrusions, remove
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
                                                              [0, 1]:1
        transform, protrusions, checkSize
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, protrusions, size
                                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT [CIRC, ANY] : CIRC
        transform, protrusions, tol
       transform, protrusions, xsect
        transform, removeSeams, apply
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
                                                              [0, 1]: 0
        transform, removeSeams, pln
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
        transform, removeSeams, cvl
        transform, removeSeams, con
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
        transform, removeSeams, sph
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                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, removeSeams, tor
                                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT [0, 1] : 0
        transform, removeSeams, tol
       transform, deleteFillets, apply
        transform, deleteFillets, radmax
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, deleteFillets, radtol
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
                                                     [CONST, VARY] : VARY
        transform, deleteFillets, type
        transform, deleteFillets, joinedges
                                                              [0, 1] : 1
        transform,imprintEdges,apply
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, imprintEdges, tol
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, imprintBodies, apply
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, imprintBodies, tol
       transform, externalFilter, apply
                                                              [0, 1] : 0
        transform, externalFilter, tol
                                                    [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
        transform, externalFilter, maxgap
                                                   [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT
       transform, externalFilter, level [INSTANCES, BODIES, FACES] : BODIES
                                                              [0, 1]:1
        ########### GenericIGES Prepare parameters ###########
        'Overlapping curves'
                                           , R-CU-EM : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}
                                            , R-ED-TI
        'Short edges'
                                                         : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}
                                            , R-FA-NA
        'Narrow faces'
                                                        : {{apply 0} {widthmin DEFAULT}}
                                            , R-SU-CL
                                                        : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT}}
: {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT} {simplify 1} {flare 0}
        'Closed surfaces'
        'Degenerate surfaces'
                                             . R-SU-DC
      {refit 0}}
        'Degenerate surface corners'
                                             , R-SU-DP : {{apply 0} {angmin 5.0} {angtype BOTH}}
                                             , R-SU-SMO : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}
        'Smooth surfaces'
        'Surface parameterisation'
                                             , R-SU-PCN : {{apply 0} {condition SPEED} {rate:local 3}
      {rate:global 5} {tol DEFAULT}}
        'Curve parameterisation'
                                             , R-CU-PCN : {{apply 0} {condition SPEED} {rate 3} {tol
      DEFAULT } }
```

'Folded curves'

'Missing surfaces'
'Undersize surfaces'

'Zero-area faces'

'Non-NURBS edges'

'Surface simplification'

'Edge simplification'
'Non-NURBS surfaces'

'Refit faces'

, R-ED-AN : {{apply 1}}

, R-CU-FO : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT}}

, R-FA-ZAR : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT}}

, R-FA-RPL : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}

, R-CU-SIM : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}

, R-FA-AN : {{apply 1} {keepplanes 0}}

, R-FA-EMD : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}
, R-FA-XTN : {{apply 1} {undersize 0.9999}}

, R-SU-SIM : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT} {type all}}



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, R-CU-RAT : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}} 'Rational NURBS surfaces' 'Rational NURBS curves' 'Low-degree surfaces' , R-SU-LDG : {{apply 0} {degree 3} {ignoredegr1 1}} , R-CU-LDG : {{apply 0} {degree 3} {ignoredegr1 1}}
, R-SU-HD : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT} {degree 5}} 'Low-degree curves' 'High-degree surfaces' 'High-degree curves' , R-CU-HD : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT} {degree 5}} Curve knot hyper-multiplicities', R-CU-HMK : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}

'Curve knot hyper-multiplicities', R-CU-HMK : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}}

'Surface knot how 'Dense NURBS surface definition' , R-SU-KNT : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}} 'Curve knot hyper-multiplicities' , R-CU-HMK : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT} {maxmult 1}} 'Surface knot hyper-multiplicities', R-SU-HMK : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT} {maxmult 1}} 'Seamless faces' , R-FA-SEA : {{apply 1}} 'Oversize surfaces' , R-FA-TRM : {{apply 1} {percent 5}} 'Non-tangent patches' , R-SU-NT : {{apply 1} {test G1} {angle 0.1} {c1mode REL} {c1tol 1.0E-03} {tol DEFAULT} {factor 3}} , R-CU-NT : {{apply 1} {test G1} {angle 0.1} {c1mode REL} 'Non-tangent segments' {c1tol 1.0E-03} {tol DEFAULT}} , R-SU-NS : {{apply 0} {ratio 1.0E-03}}
, R-CU-NS : {{apply 0} {ratio 1.0E-03}} 'Non-smooth patches' 'Non-smooth segments' 'Degenerate tangent' , R-CU-G1D : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}} 'Join short edges' , R-ED-JOI : {{apply 0} {tol DEFAULT}} , R-MO-POP : {{apply 0}} 'Unshare' , R-FA-EG : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT} {lock NOlock}} 'Large edge-surface gap' 'Sloppy surface singularity' , R-FA-VFS : {{apply 1} {tol DEFAULT}} export [0, 1]:1[GenericIGES, IGESforIDEAS12...] : GenericIGES export, system [value] : _cf
[DEFAULT, value] : igs export,fileSuffix export, fileExtension export, always [0, 1] : 0 export, restoreModel [0, 1] : 1 [0, 1] : 0 export, assemblies, explode export, sendLabels [OFF, NAME, XASG, TYPART, COMBO] : XASG [OFF, ON] : ON export, sendColours export, sendLayers [OFF, ON] : ON [OFF, ON] : ON export, sendUserAttrs export, sendGeomForm [OFF, XASG, AUTO] : OFF [0, 1]: 0 export, textNoteEnabled ########## GenericIGES Export parameters ############# export, iges, minres [DEFAULT, value] : DEFAULT export, iges, mode [TRIM, BOUND, BREP] : BOUND [ON, OFF, ONLY] : OFF export, iges, pcurves [LINEAR, CUBIC, BEST] : CUBIC export,iges,pcurvefit

[OFF, ANA, SOR] : OFF

[OFF, K, B, G, C, R, M, Y, W] : OFF

[OFF, ON] : OFF

[OFF, ON] : OFF

export, iges, form

export, iges, shapeTrim

export, iges, defColour

export, iges, dirLabel





Appendix 3: Example of a CADfix Batch Log File

```
## Record of batch job started at 12:27 23 Feb 2016
\#\,\#
## Batch files:
    c:/data/cube.igs
##
##
*********************************
Error reading configuration file:
 c:/data/test.cwc
Importing model:
 c:/data/cube.iqs
Processing model:
 c:/Data/cube.fbm
Repairing...
Preparing...
Exporting geometry (IGESforIDEAS12)...
Geometry exported to file:
 c:/Data/cube cf.igs
Log file written to:
 c:/Data/cube wizard.log
Model processing complete
Total elapsed time: 00:00:05
## Batch job completed at 12:27
##
*************************************
```





Appendix 4: Example of CADfix IGES Import Log File

```
THE FILE CONTAINS IGES DATA
  * Message * SET - Y1 created
 ------ THE START SECTION : ---
 NUMBER OF DIRECTORY ENTRIES READ :
                                            34
 NUMBER OF PARAMETER DATA RECORDS PROCESSED :
                                                       210
                27 forward pointer references
 Resolving
 DELETING TEMPORARY GEOMETRY
 IGES FILE TRANSLATION COMPLETE
 REPAIRING IGES MODEL
 Completing loops, gaps: 8.7E-03, on shape: 1.7E-01
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V1 between: Q1 and Q4
  * Message * Merged gap (0.000000) in V1 between: Q3 and Q6 \,
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V1 between: Q5 and Q8
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V1 between: Q7 and Q2
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V2 between: Q5 and Q9 * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V2 between: Q10 and Q12
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V2 between: Q11 and Q14
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V2 between: Q13 and Q7
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V3 between: Q3 and Q15
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V3 between: Q16 and Q18 * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V3 between: Q17 and Q10
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V4 between: Q1 and Q19
  * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V4 between: Q20 and Q22 * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V4 between: Q21 and Q16
 * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V5 between: Q11 and Q24 * Message * Merged gap (0.0000000) in V5 between: Q23 and Q20
 Healing NURBS lines
 Orienting surfaces
 \dotsoriented surface V1
 ...oriented surface V2
 ...oriented surface V3
 ...oriented surface V4
 ...oriented surface V5
  ..oriented surface V6
 REPAIRING COMPLETE
   Filename>
 15 points packed
 5 general property assignments packed
  entities in this model:
P L S B SE SH T CS Z TX SQ SB CL OB XA
```





Appendix 5: Example of Individual Model Wizard Log File

```
##
## Wizard summary log file for model:
      c:/Data/cube.fbm
##
##
## Requested operations:
##
      Repair :
##
      Transform :
                 NO
                                 (Target system - IGESforIDEAS12)
##
      Prepare :
                  YES
                                 (Target system - IGESforIDEAS12)
##
      Export :
                 YES
##
      PDQ check :
                 NO
                 Version 11 (26993/17870) UBID: cadfix1100fcs.6e9ak9g5
Importing model from IGES (0.023Mb)...
Deleting construction geometry
Validating face definitions
Orienting faces
Writing model database...
Import log written to file:
 c:/Data/cube_IGESimport.log
Opening model (0.055Mb)...
Assessing model status... DONE
Unknown model units. Units assumed to be Millimeters.
Elapsed time: 00:00:03
TOPOLOGICAL REPAIR
Re-assessing model size
Splitting closed NURBS surfaces
new surfaces created: 0
Checking edge connectivity
poorly connected edges found: 0
degenerate edges found: 0
Checking for unembedded faces
unembedded faces found: 0
Checking face integrity
   Healing sloppy edges
   Normalising NURBS surfaces
   Splitting closed NURBS surfaces
   new surfaces created: 0
   surfaces that failed: 0
   Fixing partially collapsed faces
   partially collapsed faces fixed: 0 (unfixed: 0)
   Fixing unclosed loops
   Orienting faces
   Checking for non-finite-area faces
   non-finite-area faces found: 0
Completed face integrity checks
Checking integrity of existing solid bodies
```

Checking for voids

Orienting existing solid bodies

Building new solid bodies Failed to build any new solid bodies

Removing all unused parts

Model successfully repaired

TOPOLOGICAL REPAIR COMPLETED

Elapsed time: 00:00:01

PREPARE FOR EXPORT (IGESforIDEAS12)

Fixing closed NURBS surfaces

Trimming back NURBS surfaces

Attempting to simplify poorly defined NURBS surfaces

Fixing discontinuous NURBS surfaces

Fixing degenerate NURBS surfaces

Healing sloppy faces

Checking model integrity

Orienting faces

Checking for failures... DONE

Model successfully prepared

PREPARE FOR EXPORT COMPLETED

Elapsed time: 00:00:01

EXPORT (IGESforIDEAS12)

Exporting geometry...

Geometry exported to file: c:/Data/cube cf.igs

EXPORT COMPLETED

Elapsed time: 00:00:00

MODEL c:/Data/cube.fbm

STATUS SUCCESS

IMPORT SUCCESS - Model imported from c:/data/cube.igs

SUCCESS - Model successfully repaired NONE - Not requested REPAIR

TRANSFORM

PREPARE SUCCESS - Model successfully prepared
EXPORT SUCCESS - Geometry exported to file: c:/Data/cube_cf.igs

NONE - Not requested