

2.6 Container Concepts

A container file is a read-only Revit project used as a centralized repository of Revit System Families (i.e. Annotations, Partitions, Stairs and Railings). It is accessible to all users in a common shared server location. Each container file has dedicated views displaying an arrayed distribution of the standard content.

To access the content in container files, open the container file, select in the needed content and copy/paste them into the project.

A container file is editable only by the SFO Revit Standard Working Group to facilitate the uniform creation, maintenance and distribution of content.

Container files are also used to standardize system families. For system families and other settings, use the Transfer Project Standards tool to transfer information into the project file.