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1 Introduction

Originating in the late 1970s, drawing files created with microcomputer-based computer-aided design software were saved with the .dwg extension. In the early 1980s, Autodesk® released AutoCAD® which eventually became the most used CAD software in the world and which used Autodesk's undocumented and proprietary DWGTM file format (using the .dwg extension).

The Open Design Specification for .dwg files serves AutoCAD's undocumented and proprietary DWG file format. This specification includes DWG file format versions 13 up to and including version 2013. Further, the Open Design Specification for .dwg files serves the Teigha® software development platform of the Open Design Alliance.

While our Open Design Specification for .dwg files is able to read and write .dwg files with excellent AutoCAD compatibility, we continue to work to improve our understanding of all the data in a .dwg file. If you find information which will help us to understand any unknown values, please contact us at http://www.opendesign.com/contact.

2 BIT CODES AND DATA DEFINITIONS

NOTE: Unless otherwise stated, all data in this manual is in little-endian order, with the least significant byte first.

Much of the data in the DWG file format versions 13/14/2000/2004/2007/2010 must be read at the bit level. Various parts of the drawing use data in compressed forms, which are explained below. Here are the abbreviations used in this document for the various compressed forms:

```
B : bit (1 or 0)
 BB : special 2 bit code (entmode in entities, for instance)
 3B : bit triplet (1-3 bits) (R24)
 BS : bitshort (16 bits)
 BL : bitlong (32 bits)
BLL : bitlonglong (64 bits) (R24)
BD : bitdouble
2BD : 2D point (2 bitdoubles)
3BD : 3D point (3 bitdoubles)
 RC : raw char (not compressed)
 RS : raw short (not compressed)
 RD : raw double (not compressed)
 RL : raw long (not compressed)
2RD : 2 raw doubles
3RD : 3 raw doubles
MC : modular char
 MS : modular short
  H : handle reference (see the HANDLE REFERENCES section)
 T : text (bitshort length, followed by the string).
 TU : Unicode text (bitshort character length, followed by Unicode string, 2 bytes per
      character). Unicode text is read from the "string stream" within the object data,
      see the main Object description section for details.
 TV : Variable text, T for 2004 and earlier files, TU for 2007+ files.
  X : special form
  U : unknown
 SN : 16 byte sentinel
 BE : BitExtrusion
 DD : BitDouble With Default
 BT : BitThickness
3DD : 3D point as 3 DD, needing 3 default values
```

```
CMC : CmColor value

TC : True Color: this is the same format as CMC in R2004+. OT : Object type
```

A "seeker" is an RL-type object which indicates either an absolute address in the file or an offset from some known address.

A "sentinel" is 16 bytes of data used for file recovery purposes.

Generally, the compressed forms are used to allow for compression of common data, usually values like 0.0 and 1.0 for doubles, 0 and 256 for shorts. The method for interpreting the code is to read the first two bits, which indicate either the size of the data to follow, or the actual value for the common values. Here are the compressed formats and some examples of how they appear in the file:

2.1 3B

This is a sequence of 1 to 3 bits. Keep reading bits until a zero bit is encountered or until the 3rd bit is read, whatever comes first. Each time a bit is read, shift the previously read bits to the left. The result is a number 0-7.

2.2 BITSHORT:

1st 2 bits : what it is

```
00 : A short (2 bytes) follows, little-endian order (LSB first)
01 : An unsigned char (1 byte) follows
10 : 0
11 : 256
```

The char size is used when positive shorts less than 256 are being stored. The short size is used when values <0 or >=256 are being stored. Obviously the special cases for 0 and 256 are used when those values are being stored.

Negative numbers use the short form, not the char form. That is, -1 is 00.11111111.11111111, not 01.11111111.

For instance, if we were known to be reading 5 shorts from the following stream of bits:

```
000000001000000011011010000111110
```

It would be parsed like this:

```
00 00000001 00000001 (short 257)
10 (0)
11 (256)
```

```
01 00001111 (15)
10 (0)
```

2.3 BITLONG:

1st 2 bits: what it is

```
00 : A long (4 bytes) follows, little-endian order (LSB first)
01 : An unsigned char (1 byte) follows
10 : 0
11 : not used
```

The char size is used when positive longs less than 256 are being stored. The long size is used when values <0 or >=256 are being stored. Obviously the special case for 0 is used when storing 0.

Negative numbers use the short form, not the char form. That is, -1 is

```
00.11111111.11111111.11111111.11111111, not 01.11111111.
```

For instance, if we were known to be reading 5 longs from the following stream of bits:

It would be parsed like this:

2.4 BITLONGLONG

The first 1-3 bits indicate the length *l* (see paragraph 2.1). Then *l* bytes follow, which represent the number (the least significant byte is first).

2.5 BITDOUBLE:

1st 2 bits: what it is

```
00 : A double follows
01 : 1.0
10 : 0.0
11 : not used
```

Doubles are eight byte IEEE standard floating point values.

2.6 MODULAR CHARS:

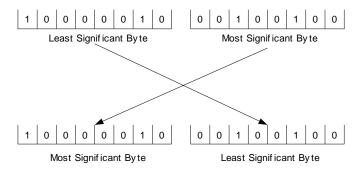
Modular characters are a method of storing compressed integer values. They are used in the object map to indicate both handle offsets and file location offsets. They consist of a stream of bytes, terminating when the high bit of the byte is 0.

In each byte, the high bit is a flag; when set, it indicates that another byte follows. The concept is not difficult to understand, but is a little difficult to explain. Let's look at an example.

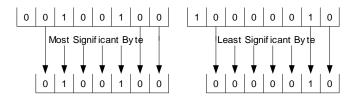
Assume the next two bytes in the file are:

```
10000010 00100100
```

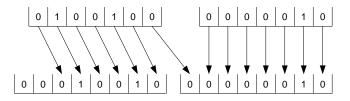
We read bytes until we reach a byte with a high bit of 0. Obviously the second byte meets that criterion. Since we are reading from least significant to most significant, let's reverse the order of the bytes so that they read MSB to LSB from left to right.



Now we drop the high order flag bits:



And then re-group the bits from right to left, padding on the left with 0's:

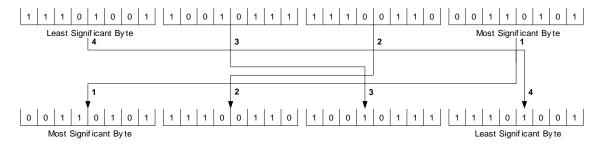


Result = 2 + 18*256 = 4610

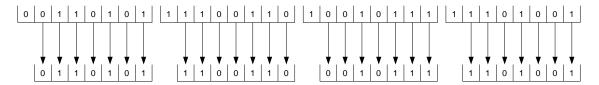
Here's another example using the basic form F1101001 F0010111 F1100110 00110101:

```
11101001 10010111 11100110 00110101
```

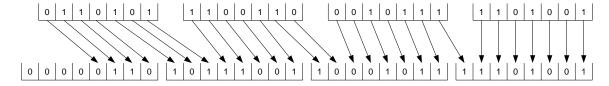
We read bytes until we reach a byte with a high bit of 0. Obviously the fourth byte meets that criterion. Since we are reading from least significant to most significant, let's reverse the order of the bytes so that they read MSB to LSB from left to right.



Now we drop the high order flag bits:



And then re-group the bits from right to left, padding on the left with 0's:

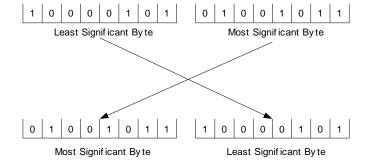


Result:233+139*256+185*256^2+6*256^3=112823273

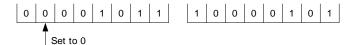
This process is further complicated by the fact that if the final byte (high bit 0) also has the 64 bit (0x40) set, this means to negate the number.

This is a negative number: 10000101 01001011

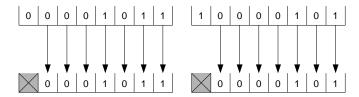
Since we are reading from least significant to most significant, let's reverse the order of the bytes so that they read MSB to LSB from left to right.



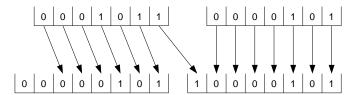
We then clear the bit that was used to represent the negative number, and note that the result must be negated:



Now we drop the high order flag bits:



And then re-group the bits from right to left, padding on the left with 0's:



Result: 133+5*256=1413, which we negate to get -1413

Modular chars are also used to store handle offsets in the object map. In this case there is no negation used; handles in the object map are always in increasing order.

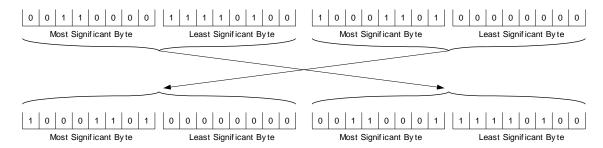
2.7 MODULAR SHORTS

Modular shorts work just like modular chars -- except that the base module is a short instead of a char.

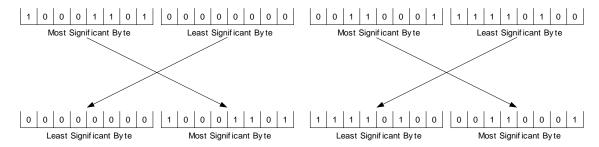
There are only two cases to worry about here (from a practical point of view), because, in the case of shorts, two modules make a long, and since these are used only to indicate object sizes, a maximum object size of 1 GB is probably correct.

00110001 11110100 10001101 00000000.

Reverse the order of the shorts:



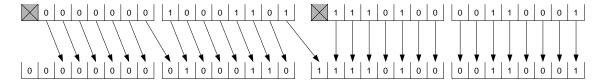
Reverse the order of the bytes in each short:



Drop the high order flag bit of each short:



And then re-group the bits from right to left, padding on the left with 0's:



Result: 62513+70*65536=4650033

2.8 Bit Extrusion

For R13-R14 this is 3BD. For R2000, this is a single bit, followed optionally by 3BD. If the single bit is 1, the extrusion value is assumed to be 0,0,1 and no explicit extrusion is stored. If the single bit is 0, then it will be followed by 3BD.

2.9 BitDouble With Default

This is a 2 bit opcode followed optionally by data, and it requires a default value. The different opcodes are described as follows:

- No more data present, use the value of the default double.
- 4 bytes of data are present. The result is the default double, with the 4 data bytes patched in replacing the first 4 bytes of the default double (assuming little endian).
- 6 bytes of data are present. The result is the default double, with the first 2 data bytes patched in replacing bytes 5 and 6 of the default double, and the last 4 data bytes patched in replacing the first 4 bytes of the default double (assuming little endian).

11 A full RD follows.

2.10 BitThickness

For R13-R14, this is a BD. For R2000+, this is a single bit followed optionally by a BD. If the bit is one, the thickness value is assumed to be 0.0. If the bit is 0, then a BD that represents the thickness follows.

2.11 CmColor

```
R15 and earlier: BS color index
R2004+: There are two types of color definitions, below named as CMC and ENC:
CMC:
           BS : color index (always 0)
           BL : RGB value
           RC : Color Byte (& 1 => color name follows (TV),
                            \&2 \Rightarrow book name follows (TV))
ENC: This color is used by entities: this definition may contain a DBCOLOR reference and optional
               transparency.
           BS : color number: flags + color index
                color flags: first byte of the bitshort.
                      0x8000: complex color (rgb).
                        Next value is a BS containing the RGB value (last 24 bits).
                       0x4000: has AcDbColor reference (0x8000 is also set in this case).
                         The handle to the color is written in the handle stream.
                       0x2000: color is followed by a transparency BL.
                         The first byte represents the transparency type:
                           0 = BYLAYER,
                           1 = BYBLOCK,
                           3 = the transparency value in the last byte.
               Color index: if no flags were set, the color is looked up by the color number (ACI
               color).
```

2.12 Object type

Until R2007, the object type was a bit short. In R2010 the object type changed:

A bit pair, followed by either 1 or 2 bytes, depending on the bit pair value:

Bit pair value	How to interpret following 1-2 bytes
0	Read the following byte
1	Read following byte and add 0x1f0.
2	Read the following two bytes (raw short)
3	The value 3 should never occur, but interpret the same as 2 nevertheless.

2.13 HANDLE REFERENCES:

All objects in R13+.dwg files are referred to by object handles. These handles are stored in the file in the following form:

```
|CODE (4 bits)|COUNTER (4 bits)|HANDLE or OFFSET|
```

In this document we write these as CODE.COUNTER.BYTE.BYTE..., such as 0101.0001.00001111 (the usual reference to LAYER 0 for drawings created under R13, which has handle F). In abbreviated form, we write 5.1.0F.

The CODE has different meanings depending on the handle. Certain object handles in AutoCAD have "ownership" relations with other objects. In these cases the code indicates the type of relation:

Code	Desciption
2	Soft ownership reference: the owner does not need the owned object. The owned object cannot exist by itself.
3	Hard ownership reference: the owner needs the owned object. The owned object cannot exist by itself.
4	Soft pointer reference: the referencing object does not need the referenced object and vice versa.
5	Hard pointer reference: the referencing object needs the referenced object, but both are owned by another object.

We will call these TYPEDOBJHANDLEs. Often their type is fixed to some value at all times; in other words, for instance in a certain position only a HARD_POINTER TYPEDOBJHANDLE would be allowed.

In other cases, the handle is stored as an offset from some other handle, and the code indicates how the offset is to be applied. These handles always represent a soft pointer reference. See the table below for the codes and their meaning:

Code: Action: 0x2, 0x3, 0x4, 0x5 none - just read offset and use it as the result 0x6 result is reference handle + 1 (length is 0 in this case) 0x8 result is reference handle - 1 (length is 0 in this case) 0xA result is reference handle plus offset 0xC result is reference handle minus offset

We will call these OFFSETOBJHANDLEs. These handles are described with (CODE X), where X indicates the code if the offset is an ABSOLUTE reference (0x2 - 0x5).

COUNTER tells how many bytes of HANDLE follow.

EXAMPLE: An entity on a layer whose handle is 5E7 has the following handle reference near the end of the entity data (its code being 5):

```
5 2 0 5 E 7
01010010 00000101 11100111 (0101.0010.00000101.11100111)
```

2.14 CRCS:

2.14.1 8-bit CRC

The AutoCAD DWG file format uses a modification of a standard cyclic redundancy check as an error detecting mechanism. The CRC ends up being 2 bytes long due to a lookup in a table containing 256 16-bit values, and are not stored in any sort of bit code form. They also always appear on byte boundaries; they are not embedded within the stream of bits. Thus there may be extra unused bits at the end of an object. For instance, consider an object containing one bitshort, as follows:

```
01000000 11100000 01010101 01010101
```

This parses as:

```
01 bitshort with one character
00000011 the value of the bitshort (3)
100000 unused bits
01010101 01010101 the CRC
```

The modification that is made to the CRC is that a starting value different from 0 is used. Autodesk also uses a method whereby the result of the CRC is XORed with a "magic number". This method is used extensively in pre-R13 files, but seems only to be used in the header for R13 and beyond.

Here is the CRC function we use; it is simply a standard 8 bit CRC calculation:

```
int crctable[256]= {
0x0000,0xC0C1,0xC181,0x0140,0xC301,0x03C0,0x0280,0xC241,
0xC601,0x06C0,0x0780,0xC741,0x0500,0xC5C1,0xC481,0x0440,
0xCC01,0x0CC0,0x0D80,0xCD41,0x0F00,0xCFC1,0xCE81,0x0E40,
0x0A00,0xCAC1,0xCB81,0x0B40,0xC901,0x09C0,0x0880,0xC841,
0xD801,0x18C0,0x1980,0xD941,0x1B00,0xDBC1,0xDA81,0x1A40,
0x1E00,0xDEC1,0xDF81,0x1F40,0xDD01,0x1DC0,0x1C80,0xDC41,
0x1400,0xD4C1,0xD581,0x1540,0xD701,0x17C0,0x1680,0xD641,
0xD201,0x12C0,0x1380,0xD341,0x1100,0xD1C1,0xD081,0x1040,
0xF001,0x30C0,0x3180,0xF141,0x3300,0xF3C1,0xF281,0x3240,
0x3600,0xF6C1,0xF781,0x3740,0xF501,0x35C0,0x3480,0xF441,
0x3C00,0xFCC1,0xFD81,0x3D40,0xFF01,0x3FC0,0x3E80,0xFE41,
0xFA01,0x3AC0,0x3B80,0xFB41,0x3900,0xF9C1,0xF881,0x3840,
0x2800,0xE8C1,0xE981,0x2940,0xEB01,0x2BC0,0x2A80,0xEA41,
0xEE01,0x2EC0,0x2F80,0xEF41,0x2D00,0xEDC1,0xEC81,0x2C40,
0xE401,0x24C0,0x2580,0xE541,0x2700,0xE7C1,0xE681,0x2640,
0x2200,0xE2C1,0xE381,0x2340,0xE101,0x21C0,0x2080,0xE041,
0xA001,0x60C0,0x6180,0xA141,0x6300,0xA3C1,0xA281,0x6240,
0x6600,0xA6C1,0xA781,0x6740,0xA501,0x65C0,0x6480,0xA441,
0x6C00,0xACC1,0xAD81,0x6D40,0xAF01,0x6FC0,0x6E80,0xAE41,
0xAA01,0x6AC0,0x6B80,0xAB41,0x6900,0xA9C1,0xA881,0x6840,
0x7800,0xB8C1,0xB981,0x7940,0xBB01,0x7BC0,0x7A80,0xBA41,
0xBE01,0x7EC0,0x7F80,0xBF41,0x7D00,0xBDC1,0xBC81,0x7C40,
0xB401,0x74C0,0x7580,0xB541,0x7700,0xB7C1,0xB681,0x7640,
0x7200,0xB2C1,0xB381,0x7340,0xB101,0x71C0,0x7080,0xB041,
0x5000,0x90C1,0x9181,0x5140,0x9301,0x53C0,0x5280,0x9241,
0x9601,0x56C0,0x5780,0x9741,0x5500,0x95C1,0x9481,0x5440,
0x9C01,0x5CC0,0x5D80,0x9D41,0x5F00,0x9FC1,0x9E81,0x5E40,
0x5A00,0x9AC1,0x9B81,0x5B40,0x9901,0x59C0,0x5880,0x9841,
0x8801,0x48C0,0x4980,0x8941,0x4B00,0x8BC1,0x8A81,0x4A40,
0x4E00,0x8EC1,0x8F81,0x4F40,0x8D01,0x4DC0,0x4C80,0x8C41,
0x4400,0x84C1,0x8581,0x4540,0x8701,0x47C0,0x4680,0x8641,
0x8201,0x42C0,0x4380,0x8341,0x4100,0x81C1,0x8081,0x4040 };
short crc8 (unsigned short dx, char *p, long n)
 register unsigned char al;
 while (n-- > 0) {
   al = (unsigned char)((*p) ^{(char)(dx \& 0xFF))};
   dx = (dx >> 8) \& 0xFF;
   dx = dx ^ crctable[al & 0xFF];
   p++;
 return(dx);
```

This function takes as its input an initial CRC value, a pointer to the data to be CRC'd, and the number of bytes of data. The return value is the new CRC. This function can be used to accumulate a CRC by running the first set of bytes with an initial value of 0 (or the "starting value" for this type of object), and subsequent calls with the initial value equal to the last returned CRC.

2.14.2 32-bit CRC

From R18 onwards a 32-bit CRC is used. The algorithm is similar to the 8-bit version, but uses a CRC lookup table containing 256 32-bit values.

```
OdUInt32 crc32Table[] =
  0x00000000, 0x77073096, 0xee0e612c, 0x990951ba,
  0x076dc419, 0x706af48f, 0xe963a535, 0x9e6495a3,
  0x0edb8832, 0x79dcb8a4, 0xe0d5e91e, 0x97d2d988,
  0x09b64c2b, 0x7eb17cbd, 0xe7b82d07, 0x90bf1d91,
  0x1db71064, 0x6ab020f2, 0xf3b97148, 0x84be41de,
  0x1adad47d, 0x6ddde4eb, 0xf4d4b551, 0x83d385c7,
  0x136c9856, 0x646ba8c0, 0xfd62f97a, 0x8a65c9ec,
  0x14015c4f, 0x63066cd9, 0xfa0f3d63, 0x8d080df5,
  0x3b6e20c8, 0x4c69105e, 0xd56041e4, 0xa2677172,
  0x3c03e4d1, 0x4b04d447, 0xd20d85fd, 0xa50ab56b,
  0x35b5a8fa, 0x42b2986c, 0xdbbbc9d6, 0xacbcf940,
  0x32d86ce3, 0x45df5c75, 0xdcd60dcf, 0xabd13d59,
  0x26d930ac, 0x51de003a, 0xc8d75180, 0xbfd06116,
  0x21b4f4b5, 0x56b3c423, 0xcfba9599, 0xb8bda50f,
  0x2802b89e, 0x5f058808, 0xc60cd9b2, 0xb10be924,
  0x2f6f7c87, 0x58684c11, 0xc1611dab, 0xb6662d3d,
  0x76dc4190, 0x01db7106, 0x98d220bc, 0xefd5102a,
  0x71b18589, 0x06b6b51f, 0x9fbfe4a5, 0xe8b8d433,
  0x7807c9a2, 0x0f00f934, 0x9609a88e, 0xe10e9818,
  0x7f6a0dbb, 0x086d3d2d, 0x91646c97, 0xe6635c01,
  0x6b6b51f4, 0x1c6c6162, 0x856530d8, 0xf262004e,
  0x6c0695ed, 0x1b01a57b, 0x8208f4c1, 0xf50fc457,
  0x65b0d9c6, 0x12b7e950, 0x8bbeb8ea, 0xfcb9887c,
  0x62dd1ddf, 0x15da2d49, 0x8cd37cf3, 0xfbd44c65,
  0x4db26158, 0x3ab551ce, 0xa3bc0074, 0xd4bb30e2,
  0x4adfa541, 0x3dd895d7, 0xa4d1c46d, 0xd3d6f4fb,
  0x4369e96a, 0x346ed9fc, 0xad678846, 0xda60b8d0,
  0x44042d73, 0x33031de5, 0xaa0a4c5f, 0xdd0d7cc9,
  0x5005713c, 0x270241aa, 0xbe0b1010, 0xc90c2086,
  0x5768b525, 0x206f85b3, 0xb966d409, 0xce61e49f,
  0x5edef90e, 0x29d9c998, 0xb0d09822, 0xc7d7a8b4,
  0x59b33d17, 0x2eb40d81, 0xb7bd5c3b, 0xc0ba6cad,
  0xedb88320, 0x9abfb3b6, 0x03b6e20c, 0x74b1d29a,
  0xead54739, 0x9dd277af, 0x04db2615, 0x73dc1683,
  0xe3630b12, 0x94643b84, 0x0d6d6a3e, 0x7a6a5aa8,
  0xe40ecf0b, 0x9309ff9d, 0x0a00ae27, 0x7d079eb1,
  0xf00f9344, 0x8708a3d2, 0x1e01f268, 0x6906c2fe,
  0xf762575d, 0x806567cb, 0x196c3671, 0x6e6b06e7,
  0xfed41b76, 0x89d32be0, 0x10da7a5a, 0x67dd4acc,
```

```
0xf9b9df6f, 0x8ebeeff9, 0x17b7be43, 0x60b08ed5,
  0xd6d6a3e8, 0xa1d1937e, 0x38d8c2c4, 0x4fdff252,
  0xd1bb67f1, 0xa6bc5767, 0x3fb506dd, 0x48b2364b,
  0xd80d2bda, 0xaf0a1b4c, 0x36034af6, 0x41047a60,
  0xdf60efc3, 0xa867df55, 0x316e8eef, 0x4669be79,
  0xcb61b38c, 0xbc66831a, 0x256fd2a0, 0x5268e236,
  0xcc0c7795, 0xbb0b4703, 0x220216b9, 0x5505262f,
  0xc5ba3bbe, 0xb2bd0b28, 0x2bb45a92, 0x5cb36a04,
  0xc2d7ffa7, 0xb5d0cf31, 0x2cd99e8b, 0x5bdeae1d,
  0x9b64c2b0, 0xec63f226, 0x756aa39c, 0x026d930a,
  0x9c0906a9, 0xeb0e363f, 0x72076785, 0x05005713,
  0x95bf4a82, 0xe2b87a14, 0x7bb12bae, 0x0cb61b38,
  0x92d28e9b, 0xe5d5be0d, 0x7cdcefb7, 0x0bdbdf21,
  0x86d3d2d4, 0xf1d4e242, 0x68ddb3f8, 0x1fda836e,
  0x81be16cd, 0xf6b9265b, 0x6fb077e1, 0x18b74777,
  0x88085ae6, 0xff0f6a70, 0x66063bca, 0x11010b5c,
  0x8f659eff, 0xf862ae69, 0x616bffd3, 0x166ccf45,
  0xa00ae278, 0xd70dd2ee, 0x4e048354, 0x3903b3c2,
  0xa7672661, 0xd06016f7, 0x4969474d, 0x3e6e77db,
  0xaed16a4a, 0xd9d65adc, 0x40df0b66, 0x37d83bf0,
  0xa9bcae53, 0xdebb9ec5, 0x47b2cf7f, 0x30b5ffe9,
  0xbdbdf21c, 0xcabac28a, 0x53b39330, 0x24b4a3a6,
  0xbad03605, 0xcdd70693, 0x54de5729, 0x23d967bf,
 0xb3667a2e, 0xc4614ab8, 0x5d681b02, 0x2a6f2b94,
  0xb40bbe37, 0xc30c8ea1, 0x5a05df1b, 0x2d02ef8d
};
 OdUInt32 crc(OdUInt8 *p, OdUInt32 n, OdUInt32 seed)
   OdUint32 invertedCrc = ~seed
   while (n--) {
     OdUInt8 byte = *p++;
     invertedCrc = (invertedCrc >> 8) ^ crc32Table[(invertedCrc ^ byte) & 0xff];
   return ~invertedCrc;
```

3 R13-R15 DWG FILE FORMAT ORGANIZATION

3.1 FILE STRUCTURE

The structure of the DWG file format changed between R13 C2 and R13 C3. Notations regarding C3 below indicate the differences.

The general arrangement of data in an R13/R14/R15 file is as follows:

```
HEADER
  FILE HEADER
  DWG HEADER VARIABLES
  CRC
CLASS DEFINITIONS
TEMPLATE (R13 only, optional)
PADDING (R13C3 AND LATER, 200 bytes, minutes the template section above if present)
IMAGE DATA (PRE-R13C3)
OBJECT DATA
 All entities, table entries, dictionary entries, etc. go in this
  section.
OBJECT MAP
OBJECT FREE SPACE (optional)
TEMPLATE (R14-R15, optional)
SECOND HEADER
IMAGE DATA (R13C3 AND LATER)
```

3.2 FILE HEADER

3.2.1 VERSION ID:

The first 6 bytes are:

The first o bytes are.	
Bytes (ascii encoded)	Version
AC1012	R13
AC1014	R14
AC1015	R2000
AC1018	R2004
AC1021	R2007
AC1024	R2010
AC1027	R2013
AC1032	R2018

The next 7 starting at offset 0x06 are to be six bytes of 0 (in R14, 5 0's and the ACADMAINTVER variable) and a byte of 1. We have occasionally seen other values here but their meaning (and importance) is unclear.

3.2.2 IMAGE SEEKER:

At 0x0D is a seeker (4 byte long absolute address) for the beginning sentinel of the image data.

3.2.3 OBJECT FREE SPACE

TODO.

3.2.4 TEMPLATE

This section is optional, see chapter 22.

3.2.5 DWGCODEPAGE:

Bytes at 0x13 and 0x14 are a raw short indicating the value of the code page for this drawing file.

3.2.6 SECTION-LOCATOR RECORDS:

At 0x15 is a long that tells how many sets of recno/seeker/length records follow. Each record has the following format:

```
Record number (raw byte) | Seeker (raw long) | Size (raw long)
```

The records are as follows:

- 0 : Header variables (covers beginning and ending sentinels).
- 1 : Class section.
- 2 : Object map.
- 3 : (C3 and later.) A special table (no sentinels). See unknown section (R13 C3 and later). The presence of the 4th record (3) indicates that the C3 file format applies. Just look at the long at 21; if it's 4 or greater, it's the C3-and-later format.
- 4 : In R13-R15, points to a location where there may be data stored. Currently we have seen only the MEASUREMENT variable stored here. See chapter 22. This section is optional.

Remarks:

We have seen files with up to 6 sets in this section; the meaning of the sixth one is unknown. The Open Design Toolkit emits files with the first 5 sets only.

RS : CRC for BOF to this point. Use 0 for the initial value, and depending on the number of sets of section-locators, XOR the result with one of the following:

3 : 0xA598

4 : 0x8101
5 : 0x3CC4
6 : 0x8461

The following 16 byte sentinel appears after the CRC:

0x95,0xA0,0x4E,0x28,0x99,0x82,0x1A,0xE5,0x5E,0x41,0xE0,0x5F,0x9D,0x3A,0x4D,0x00

4 R2004 DWG FILE FORMAT ORGANIZATION

4.1 R2004 File Header

Address	Length	Description			
Address	Length	Description			
0x00	6	"AC1018" version string			
0x06	5	5 bytes of 0x00			
0x0B	1	Maintenance release version			
0x0C	1	Byte 0x00, 0x01, or 0x03			
0x0D	4	Preview address (long), points to the image page + page header size (0x20).			
0x11	1	Application version (Acad version that writes the file)			
0x12	1	Application maintenance release version (Acad maintenance version that writes the file)			
0x13	2	Codepage			
0x15	3	3 0x00 bytes			
0x18	4	Security flags, default value is 0 (long)			
		0x0001 = encrypt data (used for all data sections except AcDb:Preview and AcDb:SummaryInfo)			
		0x0002 = encrypt properties (used for sections AcDb:Preview and AcDb:SummaryInfo)			
		0x0010 = sign data			
		0x0020 = add timestamp			
0x1C	4	Unknown long (ODA writes 0)			
0x20	4	Summary info Address, points to summary info page + page header size (0x20)			

0x24	4	VDA Project Address (Ontional write 0 if not present)
0X24	4	VBA Project Address (Optional, write 0 if not present)
0x28	4	0x0000080
0x2C	0x54	0x00 bytes
0x80	0x6C	Encrypted Data (see below)

The encrypted data at 0x80 can be decrypted by exclusive or'ing the 0x6c bytes of data from the file with the following magic number sequence:

29 23 BE 84 E1 6C D6 AE 52 90 49 F1 F1 BB E9 EB

B3 A6 DB 3C 87 0C 3E 99 24 5E 0D 1C 06 B7 47 DE

B3 12 4D C8 43 BB 8B A6 1F 03 5A 7D 09 38 25 1F

5D D4 CB FC 96 F5 45 3B 13 0D 89 0A 1C DB AE 32

20 9A 50 EE 40 78 36 FD 12 49 32 F6 9E 7D 49 DC

AD 4F 14 F2 44 40 66 D0 6B C4 30 B7

This magic sequence can be generated by the following code, which generates the sequence and stores it in the data vector:

```
OdUInt8* p = data.asArrayPtr();
OdUInt32 sz = 0x6c;
int randseed = 1;
while (sz--)
{
  randseed *= 0x343fd;
  randseed += 0x269ec3;
  *p++ = (OdUInt8) (randseed >> 0x10);
```

Once decrypted, this sequence of bytes consists of the following data (we will call this data the 2004 File Header Data throughout the remainder of this document). The file header data is repeated at the end of the file (this is the second header data).

Address (from start of 0x6c byte	Length	Description
sequence)		

0x00	12	"AcFssFcAJMB" file ID string
0x0C	4	0x00 (long)
0x10	4	0x6c (long)
0x14	4	0x04 (long)
0x18	4	Root tree node gap
0x1C	4	Lowermost left tree node gap
0x20	4	Lowermost right tree node gap
0x24	4	Unknown long (ODA writes 1)
0x28	4	Last section page Id
0x2C	8	Last section page end address
0x34	8	Second header data address pointing to the repeated header data at the end of the file
0x3C	4	Gap amount
0x40	4	Section page amount
0x44	4	0x20 (long)
0x48	4	0x80 (long)
0x4C	4	0x40 (long)
0x50	4	Section Page Map Id
0x54	8	Section Page Map address (add 0x100 to this value)
0x5C	4	Section Map Id
0x60	4	Section page array size
0x64	4	Gap array size
0x68	4	CRC32 (long). See paragraph 2.14.2 for the 32-bit CRC calculation, the seed is zero. Note that the CRC calculation is done including the 4 CRC bytes that are initially zero! So the CRC calculation takes into account all of the 0x6c bytes of the data in this table.

The next 0x14 bytes will be copied from the magic number sequence, starting at 0x100 - 0x14. These 0x14 bytes are present in the file header at the beginning of the file, but not at the copy at the end of the file.

The remaining data in the file is broken up into sections. There are 2 types of sections, System Sections and Data Sections. A data section consists of 1 or more section pages, a system section consists of just 1 section page. System sections contain maps to navigate through the data sections and pages. System and data section pages have different page headers.

4.2 Section page checksum

The following function (pseudocode) is used to calculate system and data page checksums as stored in the page header (note that system and data page headers are different).

```
OdUInt32 checksum(OdUInt32 seed, OdUInt8* data, OdUInt32 size)
{
   OdUInt32 sum1 = seed & Oxffff;
   OdUInt32 sum2 = seed >> 0x10;
   while (size != 0)
   {
      OdUInt32 chunkSize = min(0x15b0, size);
      size -= chunkSize;
      for (int i = 0; i < chunkSize; i++)
      {
        sum1 += *data++;
        sum2 += sum1;
      }
      sum1 %= 0xFFF1;
      sum2 %= 0xFFF1;
   }
   return (sum2 << 0x10) | (sum1 & 0xffff);
}</pre>
```

4.3 System section page

A System Section page starts with of the following 0x14 bytes of header data:

Address (from start of section)	Length	Description
0x00	4	Section page type:
		Section page map: 0x41630e3b

		Section map: 0x4163003b
0x04	4	Decompressed size of the data that follows
0x08	4	Compressed size of the data that follows (CompDataSize)
0x0C	4	Compression type (0x02)
0x10	4	Section page checksum

Immediately following this data, there will be CompDataSize bytes of compressed data, which is the actual data for the section. See the Compression section later in this document for details on the compression algorithm used. After the compressed data there is second header chunk, but fields decompressed size, compressed size and checksum are set to zero.

The section page checksum is calculated in two stages. First the checksum (using the data page checksum function) is calculated from the header data, using a seed of 0. The header data's checksum being 0 at this stage, but all other fields should be filled. In the second stage the final checksum is calculated from the compressed data, using the first checksum as the seed.

Each section page must start on a 0x20 byte boundary of the raw data stream. The empty bytes between the start of this section and then end of the previous section are filled with as many bytes as needed from the magic number sequence.

System Sections includeSection page map and Section map. These 2 sections serve as a table of contents for the remaining sections of the file and their pages. Once these 2 sections have been processed, all other sections in the file can be accessed randomly.

4.4 2004 Section page map

The uncompressed (global) section page map contains the following data:

Offset	Length	Description
0x00	4	Section page number, starts at 1, page numbers are unique per file.
0x04	4	Section size

This repeats, with one number and size for each section page in the file, until the end of the section page map. Note that this map also contains a reference to the section map, which is a system section. All other pages are data section pages. The address of each section can be calculated as 0x100 for the first section, and for each subsequent section the address is the previous section address plus the previous section size.

If the section number is negative, this represents a gap in the sections (unused data). For a negative section number, the following data will be present after the section size:

Offset	Length	Description			
0x00	4	Parent			
0x04	4	Left			
0x08	4	Right			
0x0C	4	0x00			

Taken together, these units of file section information form a vector (1 indexed) of all sections in the file, and this vector will be referred to as the SectionPageMap throughout the remainder of this document.

Section pages are numbered consecutively. The system section pages are the last pages, with a gap of 1 between the page numbers for the data sections and system sections.

4.5 2004 Data section map

The data section map is a map for locating all data sections (i.e. system sections are not present in this map).

The uncompressed Section Info section contains the following data:

Offset	Length	Description
0x00	4	Number of section descriptions (NumDescriptions)
0x04	4	0x02 (long)
0x08	4	0x00007400 (long)
0x0C	4	0x00 (long)
OXOC		over (iong)
0x10	4	Unknown (long), ODA writes NumDescriptions here.

Next, the following data is repeated NumDescriptions times:

Offset	Length	Description
0x00	8	Size of section (OdUInt64)

0x08	4	Page count (PageCount). Note that there can be more pages than PageCount, as PageCount is just the number of pages written to file. If a page contains zeroes only, that page is not written to file. These "zero pages" can be detected by checking if the page's start offset is bigger than it should be based on the sum of previously read pages decompressed size (including zero pages). After reading all pages, if the total decompressed size of the pages is not equal to the section's size, add more zero pages to the section until this condition is met.	
0x0C	4	Max Decompressed Size of a section page of this type (normally 0x7400)	
0x10	4	Unknown (long)	
0x14	4	Compressed $(1 = no, 2 = yes, normally 2)$	
0x18	4	Section Id (starts at 0). The first section (empty section) is numbered 0, consecutive sections are numbered descending from (the number of sections – 1) down to 1.	
0x1C	4	Encrypted ($0 = \text{no}$, $1 = \text{yes}$, $2 = \text{unknown}$)	
0x20	64	Section Name (string)	

Following this, the following (local) section page map data will be present, repeated PageCount times:

Offset	Length	Description
0x00	4	Page number (index into SectionPageMap), starts at 1
0x04	4	Data size for this page (compressed size).
0x08	8	Start offset for this page (OdUInt64). If this start offset is smaller than the
		sum of the decompressed size of all previous pages, then this page is to be
		preceded by zero pages until this condition is met.

Maximum section page size appears to be 0x7400 bytes in the normal case. If a logical section of the file (the database objects, for example) exceeds this size, then it is broken up into pages of size 0x7400. In this case, the PageCount value above will contain the number of 0x7400 byte pages, and the data from the pages can be appended together in order and treated as a single logical section.

Section Types seen so far in 2004 files include (sections are present in the section map in this order):

Section Name	Description	Compressed?	Page size
	Empty section	Yes	0x7400

AcDb:Security	Contains information regarding password and data encryption. This section is optional.	no	0x7400
AcDb:FileDepList	Contains file dependencies (e.g. IMAGE files, or fonts used by STYLE).	no	0x80
AcDb:VBAProject	Contains VBA Project data for this drawing (optional section)	no	Data size + 0x80 + padding size
AcDb:AppInfo	Contains information about the application that wrote the .dwg file (encrypted = 2).	no	0x80
AcDb:Preview	Bitmap preview for this drawing.	no	0x400
AcDb:SummaryInfo	Contains fields like Title, Subject, Author.	no	0x100
AcDb:RevHistory	Revision history	yes	0x7400
AcDb:AcDbObjects	Database objects	yes	0x7400
AcDb:ObjFreeSpace		yes	0x7400
AcDb:Template	Template (Contains the MEASUREMENT system variable only.)	yes	0x7400
AcDb:Handles	Handle list with offsets into the AcDb:AcDbObjects section	yes	0x7400
AcDb:Classes	Custom classes section	yes	0x7400
AcDb:AuxHeader		yes	0x7400
AcDb:Header	Contains drawing header variables	yes	0x7400
AcDb:Signature	Not written by ODA		

The section order in the stream is different than the order in the section map. The order in the stream is as follows:

Section:
File header
Empty section
AcDb:SummaryInfo

AcDb:Preview
AcDb:VBAProject
AcDb:AppInfo
AcDb:FileDepList
AcDb:RevHistory
AcDb:Security
AcDb:AcDbObjects
AcDb:ObjFreeSpace
AcDb:Template
AcDb:Handles
AcDb:Classes
AcDb:AuxHeader
AcDb:Header
Section map
Section page map

4.6 Encrypted Data Section Page Headers

Data section pages in the file start with a 32 byte encrypted section header. This encrypted header can be decrypted using the following algorithm (assume that the raw section page header data is stored in the hdrData array):

```
OdUInt32 secMask = 0x4164536b ^ offset;
OdUInt32* pHdr = (OdUInt32*)hdrData.asArrayPtr();
For (int j = 0; j < 8; j++)
  *pHdr++ ^= secMask;</pre>
```

The decrypted section page header data consists of the following:

Offset	Length	Description	
0x00	4	Section page type, since it's always a data section: 0x4163043b	
0x04	4	Section number	
0x08	4	Data size (compressed)	
		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
0x0C	4	Page Size (decompressed)	
0x10	4	Start Offset (in the decompressed buffer)	
0x14	4	Page header Checksum (section page checksum calculated from unencoded	
		header bytes, with the data checksum as seed)	
0x18	4	Data Checksum (section page checksum calculated from compressed data bytes, with seed 0)	
0x1C	4	Unknown (ODA writes a 0)	

Each section page must start on a 0x20 byte boundary of the raw data stream. The empty bytes between the start of this section and then end of the previous section are filled with as many bytes as needed from the magic number sequence.-

4.7 Compression

The DWG file format version 2004 compression is a variation on the LZ77 compression algorithm. LZ77 is a sliding window algorithm that stores references (offset + length) to previous data. Note that length might be greater than the offset, which is an important feature of this algorithm. The different opcodes are explained below. Compression is a bit more difficult to implement than decompression. The bottleneck with compression is finding a match. The simplest approach would be a brute force approach, the ODA uses hashing for speed, sacrificing some compression.

A compressed section starts with a Literal Length (see below), which indicates the length of the first sequence of uncompressed or literal data.

Following the first literal run, there will be a set of compression opcodes that define 3 values:

compressedBytes – Number of "compressed" bytes that are to be copied to this location from a previous location in the uncompressed data stream.

compOffset – Offset backwards from the current location in the decompressed data stream, where the "compressed" bytes should be copied from.

litCount – Number of uncompressed or literal bytes to be copied from the input stream, following the addition of the compressed bytes.

After copying the specified compressed data and literal bytes, there will be another set of compression opcodes that should be processed in a similar manner.

Each set of compression opcodes starts with a single byte, call it opcode1, which can have the following values:

0x00 - 0x0F: Not used, because this would be mistaken for a Literal Length in some situations.

0x10:

- compressedBytes is read as the next Long Compression Offset (see format below), with 9 added.
- compOffset is read as the next Two Byte Offset (see format below), with 0x3FFF added.
- If the litCount obtained from the Two Byte Offset is 0, then litCount is read as the next Literal Length (see format below). Otherwise use the litCount value from the Two Byte Offset (0-3).

0x11: Terminates the input stream.

0x12 - 0x1F:

- compressedBytes = (opcode1 & 0x0F) + 2
- compOffset is read as the next Two Byte Offset (see format below), with 0x3FFF added.
- If the litCount obtained from the Two Byte Offset is 0, then litCount is read as the next Literal Length (see format below). Otherwise use the litCount value from the Two Byte Offset (0-3).

0x20:

- compressedBytes is read as the next Long Compression Offset (see format below) + 0x21.
- compOffset is read as the next Two Byte Offset (see format below).
- If the litCount obtained from the Two Byte Offset is 0, then litCount is read as the next Literal Length (see format below). Otherwise use the litCount value from the Two Byte Offset (0-3).

0x21 - 0x3F:

- compressedBytes = opcode1 0x1E.
- compOffset is read as the next Two Byte Offset (see format below).

• If the litCount obtained from the Two Byte Offset is 0, then litCount is read as the next Literal Length (see format below). Otherwise use the litCount value from the Two Byte Offset (0-3).

0x40 - 0xFF:

- compressedBytes = ((opcode1 & 0xF0) >> 4) 1
- Read the next byte (call it opcode2):
- compOffset = (opcode2 $\lt \lt 2$) | ((opcode1 & 0x0C) $\gt \gt 2$)
- The value of litCount is set based on the value of (opcode1 & 0x03):
 - o 0x00 : litCount is read as the next Literal Length (see format below)
 - \circ 0x01 : litCount = 1
 - \circ 0x02 : litCount = 2
 - \circ 0x03 : litCount = 3

Literal Length

```
0x01 - 0x0E : 4 - 0x12 (add 3 to the actual value)
```

0xF0: any bit set in the high nibble indicates that the literal length is 0, and this byte is actually the next compression opcode (opcode1).

0x00: Set the running total to 0x0F, and read the next byte. From this point on, a 0x00 byte adds 0xFF to the running total, and a non-zero byte adds that value to the running total and terminates the process. Add 3 to the final result.

Examples:

```
0x05:0x08
```

 $0x00\ 0x02:0x14\ (0x0F+2+3)$

Two Byte Offset

```
firstByte = readByte()
offset = (firstByte >> 2) | (readByte() << 6))
litCount = (firstByte & 0x03)
```

Long Compression Offset

0x01 - 0xFF: Use this value as is.

0x00: Set the running total to 0xFF, and read the next byte. For each 0x00 byte read, add 0xFF to the running total. When a non-zero byte is encountered, add this value to the running total, and terminate the process.

Examples:

0xDD: 0xDD

 $0x00\ 0x00\ 0x34:0x232\ (0xFF+0xFF+0x34)$

5 R2007 DWG FILE FORMAT ORGANIZATION

5.1 Sections and pages overview

Like the R18 format the R21 format has sections and pages. There are system sections and data sections. The system sections contain information about where the data sections and their pages are in the stream. A system section only has a single page, while a data section can have multiple pages. The page map contains information about where each data page is in the file stream. The section map has information about which pages belong to which section. The file header, which is at the beginning of the file, just after the meta data, contains the stream locations of the page map and section map.

The following table shows the section and page order in the stream:

Section/page	Size	Description
Meta data	0x80	Mate data (coming in Casta)
Meta data	0880	Meta data (version info etc)
File header	0x400	File header, contains page/section map addresses, sizes, CRC's etc.
Page map 1	0x400	The data page map
	or more	
Page map 2	0x400	A copy of the data page map
	or more	
AcDb:SummaryInfo		
AcDb:Preview		
AcDb:VBAProject		
AcDb:AppInfo		
AcDb:FileDepList		
•		
AcDb:RevHistory		
-		
AcDb:Security		
-		
AcDb:AcDbObjects		

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AcDb:ObjFreeSpace	
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AcDb:Template	
AcDb:Handles	
AcDb:Classes	
AcDb:AuxHeader	
AcDb:Header	
Section map 1	The section map.
Detroit map 1	The beatter map.
Section map 2	A copy of the section map.
beetion map 2	11 copy of the section map.

5.2 R2007 Meta Data

Address	Length	Description
0x00	6	"AC1021" version string
0x06	5	5 bytes of 0x00
0x0B	1	Maintenance release version
0x0C	1	Byte 0x00, 0x01, or 0x03
0x0D	4	Preview address (long)
0x11	1	Dwg version (Acad version that writes the file)
0x12	1	Maintenance release version (Acad maintenance version that writes the file)
0x13	2	Codepage
0x15	3	Unknown (ODA writes zeroes)
0x18	4	SecurityType (long), see R2004 meta data, the definition is the same, paragraph 4.1.
0x1C	4	Unknown long

0x20	4	Summary info Address in stream
0x24	4	VBA Project Addr (0 if not present)
0x28	4	0x00000080
0x2C	4	Application Info Addr

At offset 0x80 there is a 0x400 byte section. The last 0x28 bytes of this section consists of check data, containing 5 Int64 values representing CRC's and related numbers (starting from 0x3D8 until the end). The first 0x3D8 bytes should be decoded using Reed-Solomon (255, 239) decoding, with a factor of 3. The format of this decoded data is:

Address	Langth	Description
Address	Length	Description
0x00	8	CRC
0x08	8	Unknown key
0x10	8	Compressed Data CRC
0x18	4	ComprLen
0x1C	4	Length2
0x20	ComprLen	Compressed Data

Note that if ComprLen is negative, then Data is not compressed (and data length is ComprLen). If ComprLen is positive, the ComprLen bytes of data are compressed, and should be decompressed using the OdDwgR21Compressor::decompress() function, where the decompressed size is a fixed 0x110. The decompressed data is in the following format:

Address	Length	Description
	3.	
0x00	8	Header size (normally 0x70)
0x08	8	File size
0x10	8	PagesMapCrcCompressed
0x18	8	PagesMapCorrectionFactor
0x20	8	PagesMapCrcSeed

0x28	8	Pages map2offset (relative to data page map 1, add 0x480 to get stream position)
0x30	8	Pages map2Id
0x38	8	PagesMapOffset (relative to data page map 1, add 0x480 to get stream position)
0x40	8	PagesMapId
0x48	8	Header2offset (relative to page map 1 address, add 0x480 to get stream position)
0x50	8	PagesMapSizeCompressed
0x58	8	PagesMapSizeUncompressed
0x60	8	PagesAmount
0x68	8	PagesMaxId
0x70	8	Unknown (normally 0x20)
0x78	8	Unknown (normally 0x40)
0x80	8	PagesMapCrcUncompressed
0x88	8	Unknown (normally 0xf800)
0x90	8	Unknown (normally 4)
0x98	8	Unknown (normally 1)
0xA0	8	SectionsAmount (number of sections + 1)
0xA8	8	SectionsMapCrcUncompressed
0xB0	8	SectionsMapSizeCompressed
0xB8	8	SectionsMap2Id
0xC0	8	SectionsMapId
0xC8	8	SectionsMapSizeUncompressed
0xD0	8	SectionsMapCrcCompressed
0xD8	8	SectionsMapCorrectionFactor

0xE0	8	SectionsMapCrcSeed
0xE8	8	StreamVersion (normally 0x60100)
0xF0	8	CrcSeed
0xF8	8	CrcSeedEncoded
0x100	8	RandomSeed
0x108	8	Header CRC64

This section will be referred to as the **File Header** throughout the remainder of this document.

The page map is stored in a single system section page. The page size of this system section page depends on how much data is stored in it. One page should be able to fit ((dataSectionPageCount + 5) * 16) bytes. PagesMapOffset indicates the starting address of the Page Map section of the file, PagesMapSizeCompressed is the compressed size of this section, PagesMapSizeUncompressed is the uncompressed size, PagesMapCorrectionFactor is the correction factor used, and PagesMapCrcCompressed and PagesMapCrcUncompressed are the compressed and uncompressed CRC values, respectively. The data at PagesMapOffset is in the following format (to be referred to as "System Page" format throughout the remainder of this document) should be decoded and optionally decompressed using the OdDwgR21FileController::loadSysPage function. The resulting pages map data consists of a sequence of pairs, where each pair consists of an Int64 SIZE value, and an Int64 ID value. This sequence creates a set of pages where each. These values create a pages map using the following algorithm:

```
OdInt64 offset = 0;
while (!pStream->isEof())
{
    size = OdPlatformStreamer::rdInt64(*pStream);
    id = OdPlatformStreamer::rdInt64(*pStream);
    ind = id > 0 ? id : -id;

    m_pages[ind].m_id = id;
    m_pages[ind].m_size = size;
    m_pages[ind].m_offset = offset;
    offset += size;
}
```

The **File Header** value PagesMaxId indicates the largest index that will be used for the m pages array.

Next, the Section Map should be loaded. The offset of the section map data is the m_offset value of the page with index SectionsMapId in the Page Map of the file. The File Header values SectionsMapSizeCompressed, SectionsMapCrcCompressed, SectionsMapCrcCompressed, SectionsMapCrcUncompressed, and SectionsMapCorrectionFactor make of the remainder of the arguments to pass to the OdDwgR21FileController::loadSysPage function (see paragraph 5.3) for

decoding and decompression of the Section Map data. The decoded and decompressed Section Map data consists of the following attributes for each section in the file:

Address	Length	Description
Address	Lengui	Description
0x00	8	Data size
0x08	8	Max size
0x10	8	Encryption
0x18	8	HashCode
0x20	8	SectionNameLength
0.120		Section with Dongth
0x28	8	Unknown
0x30	8	Encoding
0x38	8	NumPages. This is the number of pages present in the file for the section, but this does not include pages that contain zeroes only. A page that contains zeroes only is not written to file. If a page's data offset is smaller than the sum of the decompressed size of all previous pages, then it is to be preceded by a zero page with a size that is equal to the
		difference between these two numbers.
0x40	SectionNameLength x 2 [+ 2]	Unicode Section Name (2 bytes per character, followed by 2 zero bytes if name length > 0)
Repeat NumPages times:		
	8	Page data offset. If a page's data offset is smaller than the sum of the decompressed size of all previous pages, then it is to be preceded by a zero page with a size that is equal to the difference between these two numbers.
	0	Page Sige
	8	Page Size
	8	Page ID
	8	Page Uncompressed Size
	8	Page Compressed Size

8	Page Checksum
8	Page CRC

This data repeats until the decoded & decompressed Section Map data is exhausted, giving a set of Sections, where each section can contain data for an arbitrary number of pages. The data from all pages together forms a section in the file. Each page may be optionally RS encoded, compressed, or encrypted. The OdR21PagedStream class implements RS decoding, decompression, and decryption of the page data within a section (see OdDwgR21FileSection::read() for sample code to set up an OdR21PagedStream object).

The section map may contain the following sections (in this order, the order in the file stream is different):

Section Name	Description	Property	Value
AcDb:Security	Contains information regarding password and	hashcode	0x4a0204ea
	data encryption. This section is optional.	pagesize	0xf800
		encryption	0
		encoding	1
AcDb:FileDepList	Contains file dependencies (e.g. IMAGE files,	hashcode	0x6c4205ca
	or fonts used by STYLE).	pagesize	If no entries, 0x100, otherwise 0x80 * (countEntries + (countEntries >> 1))
		encryption	2
		encoding	1
AcDb:VBAProject	Contains VBA Project data for this drawing	hashcode	0x586e0544
	(optional section)	pagesize	VBA data size + 0x80 rounded to the next 0x20.
		encryption	2
		encoding	1
AcDb:AppInfo	Contains information about the application	hashcode	0x3fa0043e

	that wrote the .dwg file (encrypted = 2).		
		pagesize	0x300
		encryption	0
		encoding	1
AcDb:Preview	Bitmap preview for this drawing.	hashcode	0x40aa0473
		pagesize	Default 0x400, if image is written, preview size rounded to the next 0x20 bytes.
		encryption	1 if properties are encrypted, 0 otherwise
		encoding	1
AcDb:SummaryInfo	Contains fields like Title, Subject, Author.	hashcode	0x717a060f
		pagesize	0x80
		encryption	1 if properties are encrypted, 0 otherwise
		encoding	1
AcDb:RevHistory	Revision history	hashcode	0x60a205b3
		pagesize	0x1000
		encryption	0
		encoding	4
		compressed	true
AcDb:AcDbObjects	Database objects	hashcode	0x674c05a9
		pagesize	0xf800
		encryption	1 if data is encrypted, 0 otherwise

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		encoding	4
		compressed	true
AcDb:ObjFreeSpace		hashcode	0x77e2061f
		pagesize	0xf800
		encryption	0
		encoding	4
		compressed	true
AcDb:Template	Template (Contains the MEASUREMENT	hashcode	0x4a1404ce
	system variable only.)	pagesize	0x400
		encryption	0
		encoding	4
		compressed	true
AcDb:Handles	Handle list with offsets into the	hashcode	0x3f6e0450
	AcDb:AcDbObjects section	pagesize	0xf800
		encryption	1 if data is encrypted, 0 otherwise
		encoding	4
		compressed	true
AcDb:Classes	Custom classes section	hashcode	0x3f54045f
		pagesize	0xf800
		encryption	1 if data is encrypted, 0 otherwise
		encoding	4
		compressed	true

AcDb:AuxHeader		hashcode	0x54f0050a
			0x800
		pagesize	UX800
		encryption	0
		encoding	4
		compressed	true
AcDb:Header	Contains drawing header variables	hashcode	0x32b803d9
		pagesize	0x800
		encryption	1 if data is encrypted, 0 otherwise
		encoding	4
		compressed	True
AcDb:Signature	Not written by ODA		

By default data/properties are not encrypted. Encryption still needs to be described.

5.2.1 File header creation

Creating the R21 file header is very complex:

Compute and set all the file header fields. In this process also compute CRC's and generate check data, derived from a CRC seed value (paragraph 5.2.1.1).

Write the file header data to a buffer and calculate/write the 64-bit CRC (paragraph 5.2.1.2).

Compress the file header data and calculate the 64-bit CRC (paragraph 5.2.1.3).

Create a checking sequence and calculate a CRC over this sequence data (paragraph 5.2.1.4).

Create a buffer in preparation of Reed-Solomon encoding (Pre-Reed-Solomon encoded data). This contains checking sequence, compressed CRC, compressed size, compressed data and random data (as padding) (paragraph 5.2.1.5).

Encode the data using Reed-Solomon (for error correction).

Write the encoded data, followed by the check data from the first step.

5.2.1.1 Calculating the file header CRC's and check data

The file header data consists of regular data fields and CRC values and check data to verify the data's correctness. All fields pertaining to the file header's correctness are discussed in more detail in the following paragraphs. Note that the order of CRC calculation is important, so the order of the following paragraphs should be used.

5.2.1.1.1 *RandomSeed*

Is filled with the CRC random encoding's seed (see paragraph 5.11).

5.2.1.1.2 CrcSeed

The ODA always initializes this with value 0.

5.2.1.1.3 SectionsMapCrcSeed

Is filled with crcSeed initially. Then it's encoded using the CRC random encoding as described in paragraph 5.11.

5.2.1.1.4 PagesMapCrcSeed

Is filled with crcSeed initially. Then it's encoded using the CRC random encoding as described in paragraph 5.11.

5.2.1.1.5 Check data

The check data for the file header page is present at the end of the header page at location 0x3d8. It contains data generated based on the CrcSeed and the current state of the CRC random encoder. The check data contains the following UInt64 fields (computed in this order):

Random value 1 (third value in stream)

Random value 2 (fourth value in stream)

Encoded CRC Seed (fifth value in stream)

Normal 64-bit CRC (first value in stream)

Mirrored 64-bit CRC (second value in stream)

Random value 1 is set to the CRC random encoder's next random value.

Random value 2 is set to the CRC random encoder's next random value.

The Encoded CRC seed is gotten by letting the CRC random encoder encode the CRC seed.

The normal 64-bit CRC value is calculated as follows. A buffer of 8 UInt64 values is created and initialized with zeroes. The values are encoded using the Encode function below:

```
UInt64 Encode(UInt64 value, UInt64 control) {
    Int32 shift = (Int32)(control & 0x1f);
    if (shift != 0) {
       value = (value << shift) | (value >> (64 - shift));
    }
    return value;
}
```

The buffer is initialized by encoding several values. Later this buffer becomes the input to a normal 64-bit CRC calculation:

```
UInt64 CalculateNormalCrc() {
   UInt64[] buffer = new UInt64[8];
   buffer[0] = Encode(random1, random2);
   buffer[1] = Encode(buffer[0], buffer[0]);
   buffer[2] = Encode(random2, buffer[1]);
   buffer[3] = Encode(buff[2], buffer[2]);
   buffer[4] = Encode(random1, buffer[3]);
   buffer[5] = Encode(buffer[4], buffer[4]);
   buffer[6] = Encode(buffer[5], buffer[5]);
   buffer[7] = Encode(buffer[6], buffer[6]);

// Convert each UInt64 in the buffer from big-endian to little-endian if
   // the machine is big-endian.
...

UInt64 normalCrc = CalculateNormalCrc64(buffer, 64, ~random2);
   return normalCrc;
}
```

Similarly the mirrored CRC value is calculated:

```
UInt64 CalculateMirroredCrc() {
   UInt64[] buffer = new UInt64[8];
   buffer[0] = Encode(random1, random2);
   buffer[1] = Encode(normalCrc, buffer[0]);
   buffer[2] = Encode(random2, buffer[1]);
   buffer[3] = Encode(normalCrc, buffer[2]);
```

```
buffer[4] = Encode(random1, buffer[3]);
buffer[5] = Encode(normalCrc, buffer[4]);
buffer[6] = Encode(random2, buffer[5]);
buffer[7] = Encode(buffer[6], buffer[6]);

// Convert each UInt64 in the buffer from big-endian to little-endian if
// the machine is big-endian.
...

UInt64 mirroredCrc = CalculateMirroredCrc64(buffer, 64, ~random1);
return mirroredCrc;
}
```

5.2.1.1.6 CrcSeedEncoded

Encoded value of CrcSeed, using the CRC random encoding as described in paragraph 5.11.

5.2.1.2 Calculate file header data 64-bit CRC (decompressed)

The last field in the file header is a normal 64-bit CRC (see paragraph 5.12) which is the CRC calculated from the file header data, including the 64-bit CRC with value zero. The CRC seed value is 0, and then updated with method UpdateSeed2 before calling UpdateCrc (see again paragraph 5.12). The initial CRC value of 0 is replaced with the calculated value.

5.2.1.3 Compress and calculate 64-bit CRC (compressed)

The file header data is compressed. If the compressed data is not shorter than the uncompressed data, then the uncompressed data itself is used. Another normal 64-bit CRC value is calculated from the resulting data (see paragraph 5.12).

5.2.1.4 Create checking sequence and 64-bit CRC

Another checking sequence of 2 UInt64 values is created, very similar to the check data in paragraph 5.2.1.1.5. The first value is filled with the next value from the random encoder (see paragraph 5.11). The second value is calculated using the check data's Encode function, with the first sequence value passed as first (value) and second (control) parameter. The sequence bytes are then converted to little endian format. The last step is calculating a normal 64-bit CRC value (see paragraph 5.12). The CRC seed value is 0, updated by method UpdateSeed1.

5.2.1.5 Create a buffer in preparation of Reed-Solomon encoding

In preparation of the next step, which is Reed-Solomon (RS) encoding, a buffer is created which is going to be encoded. The size of this buffer is 3 x 239 bytes (239 is the RS data size for a block (k) used for system pages, see paragraph 5.13). First a block is created, of which the size is a multiple of 8 bytes:

Position	Size	Description
0	8	Checking sequence CRC (paragraph 5.2.1.4)
8	8	Checking sequence first UInt64 value (paragraph 5.2.1.4)
16	8	Compressed data CRC (paragraph 5.2.1.3)
24	8	Compressed data size. In case the compressed data size is larger than the uncompressed data size, then the negated uncompressed data size is written.
32	n	Compressed data in case the size is smaller than the uncompressed data size. Otherwise the uncompressed data.
32 + n	m	Padding so the block size is a multiple of 8 bytes. The padding bytes are gotten from the CRC random encoding, see paragraph 5.11.

This block is repeated as many times as possible within the buffer. The remaining bytes are filled using random padding data from the CRC random encoding (see paragraph 5.11).

5.2.1.6 Encode the data using Reed-Solomon

In this step the header data is encoded using the Reed-Solomon (RS) encoding for interleaved system pages (see paragraph 5.13). The encoded size is 3 x 255 bytes. The remaining bytes of the page (of total size 0x400) are filled using random padding data from the CRC random encoding (see paragraph 5.11).

5.2.1.7 Add check data at the end of the page

The last 0x20 bytes of the page should be overwritten using the check data, calculated in paragraph 5.2.1.1.5. The page size remains 0x400 bytes.

5.2.1.8 Write the file header to the file stream

The file header is written to position 0x80 and to the end of the file stream.

5.3 System section page

The system section page is used by the data section map and the section page map.

Inputs for writing a system section page are:

- The data.
- The 64-bit CRC seed.

• The page size (minimum 0x400). The page size is determined from the decompressed data size as described in paragraph 5.3.1.

Outputs are:

- Compressed and Reed-Solomon (RS) encoded data.
- Derived properties of the (compressed/encoded) data: compressed 64-bit CRC, decompressed 64-bit CRC, data repeat count (or data factor). These derived properties are written in the file header (see paragraph 5.2).

First the 64-bit CRC of the decompressed data is calculated, using the mirrored 64-bit CRC calculation (see paragraph 5.12). This uses the Update Seed 1 method to update the CRC seed before entering the CRC computation.

Next step is compression. If the compressed data isn't shorter than the original data, then the original data is used instead of the compressed data.

Of the resulting data (either compressed or not), another 64-bit CRC is computed (similarly to described above).

The resulting data is padded with zeroes so the length is a multiple of the CRC block size (8).

Now the resulting data is repeated as many times as possible within the page, RS encoded (see paragraph 5.13) and padded. The maximum RS block count (integer) is the page size divided by the RS codeword size (255). The maximum RS pre-encoded size is the maximum RS block count times the k-value of the RS system page encoding (239). So the data repeat count is the maximum RS pre-encoded size divided by the resulting (padded) data length. Next a buffer is created, with the resulting (padded) data repeated (data repeat count times). This buffer is encoded using RS encoding for system pages, interleaved. Note that the actual RS block count is less than or equal to the maximum RS block count calculated above. The encoded size is the RS block count times 255. The final step is to add padding using random data from the random encoding to fill the remainder of the page, see paragraph 5.11.

5.3.1 System section page size calculation

The data stored in a system section is first padded until its size is a multiple of the CRC block size (8). This is called the aligned size. The Reed-Solomon encoded aligned data should fit the system section at least two times. The minimimum page size is 0x400 bytes.

The system section page size can be calculated from the uncompressed data size in bytes as shown in the following pseudo code (function GetSystemPageSize):

```
const Int32 CrcBlockSize = 8;
const Int32 PageAlignSize = 0x20;
const Int32 ReedSolomonDataBlockSize = 239;
const Int32 ReedSolomonCodewordSize = 255;
```

```
public static UInt64 GetAlignedPageSize(UInt64 pageSize) {
    UInt64 result = (UInt64)((Int64)(pageSize + PageAlignSize - 1) & (Int64)(-PageAlignSize));
    return result;
}

public static UInt64 GetSystemPageSize(UInt64 dataSize) {
    UInt64 alignedSize = (UInt64)((Int64)(dataSize + CrcBlockSize - 1) & (Int64)(-CrcBlockSize));
    // The page should fit the data at least 2 times.
    UInt64 filePageSize = ((alignedSize * 2) + ReedSolomonDataBlockSize - 1) /
        ReedSolomonDataBlockSize * ReedSolomonCodewordSize;
    if (filePageSize < 0x400) {
        filePageSize = 0x400;
    } else {
        filePageSize = GetAlignedPageSize(filePageSize);
    }
    return filePageSize;
}</pre>
```

5.4 Data section page

Data sections are used for all sections except the data section map and the section page map. The section's data is partitioned into pages, each of Max size length, except for the last page which may be of size less than Max size. The following steps are taken when writing data page.

First a 32-bit data checksum of the page's data is calculated. The pseudo code for this calculation is presented in paragraph 5.4.1.

Next the page data is optionally compressed (depending on the section). If the compressed data isn't shorter than the original data, then this page's data is not compressed.

If the file is encrypted, the page is encrypted (to be described).

The page's 64-bit CRC is calculated (mirrored CRC, see paragraph 5.12). The page CRC seed is the file's CRC seed updated using UpdateSeed1 (see again paragraph 5.12).

Pad the data with zero bytes so the size becomes a multiple of the CRC block size (0x8).

The data is Reed-Solomon encoded (see paragraph 5.13). Depending on the section encoding, the data is either interleaved (value 4) or not (value 1).

The page start position should be aligned on a 0x20 byte boundary (if all is well nothing has to be done at this point to achieve this). The data is written and padded with zero bytes so the stream position is again at a 0x20 byte boundary.

Finally the current page ID is incremented.

5.4.1 Data section page checksum

The function below shows how to calculate the 32-bit data page checksum:

```
UInt32 GetCheckSum(UInt64 seed, byte[] data, UInt32 start, UInt32 length) {
    seed = (seed + length) * 0x343fd + 0x269ec3;
   UInt32 sum1 = (UInt32) (seed & 0xffff);
   UInt32 sum2 = (UInt32) ((seed \gg 0x10) & 0xffff);
   fixed (byte* dataStartPtr = data) {
       byte* dataPtr = dataStartPtr + start;
        while (length != 0) {
            UInt32 bigChunkLength = System.Math.Min(0x15b0, length);
            length -= bigChunkLength;
            // Process small chunks of 8 bytes each.
            UInt32 smallChunkCount = bigChunkLength >> 3;
            while (smallChunkCount-- > 0) {
                UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 6, sum1, sum2);
                UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 4, sum1, sum2);
                UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 2, sum1, sum2);
                UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                dataPtr += 8;
            // Processing remaining 0..7 bytes.
            UInt32 smallChunkRemaining = bigChunkLength & 7;
            if (smallChunkRemaining > 0) {
                switch (smallChunkRemaining) {
                    case 1:
                        UpdateSums1Byte(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        break;
                    case 2:
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        break;
                    case 3:
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums1Byte(dataPtr + 2, sum1, sum2);
                        break:
                    case 4:
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 2, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        break;
                    case 5:
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 2, sum1, sum2);
```

```
UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums1Byte(dataPtr + 4, sum1, sum2);
                        break;
                    case 6:
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 2, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 4, sum1, sum2);
                        break;
                    case 7:
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 2, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 0, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums2Bytes(dataPtr + 4, sum1, sum2);
                        UpdateSums1Byte(dataPtr + 6, sum1, sum2);
                        break;
                dataPtr += smallChunkRemaining;
            }
            sum1 %= 0xfff1;
            sum2 %= 0xfff1;
        }
    }
   return (sum2 << 0x10) | (sum1 & 0xffff);
private static unsafe void UpdateSums1Byte(byte* p, UInt32& sum1, UInt32& sum2) {
   sum1 += *p;
   sum2 += sum1;
private static unsafe void UpdateSums2Bytes(byte* p, UInt32& sum1, UInt32& sum2) {
   UpdateSums1Byte(p, sum1, sum2);
   UpdateSums1Byte(p + 1, sum1, sum2);
```

5.5 AcDb:Security Section

The AcDb:Security section is optional in the file—it is present if the file was saved with a password. The data in this section is in the same format as in the R2004 format, 2 unknown 32-bit integers, a 32-bit integer with value 0xABCDABCD, etc.

5.6 AcDb:AuxHeader Section

This section is in the same format as in R2004. See details in chapter 27.

5.7 AcDb:Handles Section

This section is in the same format as in R2004.

5.8 AcDb:Classes Section

This section contains the defined classes for the drawing. It contains a new string stream for unicode string—see the Objects Section for a description of how to extract the string stream from an object.

```
SN : 0x8D 0xAl 0xC4 0xB8 0xC4 0xA9 0xF8 0xC5 0xC0 0xDC 0xF4 0x5F 0xE7 0xCF 0xB6 0x8A.

RL : size of class data area in bytes

RL : total size in bits

BL : Maxiumum class number

B : bool value

: Class Data (format described below)

X : String stream data

B : bool value (true if string stream data is present).
```

Class data (repeating):

```
BS : classnum
BS : proxy flags:
     Erase allowed = 1,
     transform allowed = 2,
     color change allowed = 4,
     layer change allowed = 8,
     line type change allowed = 16,
     line type scale change allowed = 32,
     visibility change allowed = 64,
     cloning allowed = 128,
     Lineweight change allowed = 256,
     Plot Style Name change allowed = 512,
     Disables proxy warning dialog = 1024,
     is R13 format proxy= 32768
TU : appname
TU : cplusplusclassname
TU : classdxfname
B : wasazombie
BS : itemclassid -- 0x1F2 for classes which produce entities, 0x1F3 for classes which
     produce objects.
```

```
BL : Number of objects created of this type in the current DB (DXF 91).

BL : Dwg Version

BL : Maintenance release version.

BL : Unknown

BL : Unknown (normally 0L)
```

We read sets of these until we exhaust the data.

5.9 AcDb:Header Section

This section contains the "DWG Header Variables" data in a similar format as R15 files (see details in the DWG HEADER VARIABLES section of this document), except that string data is separated out into a string stream. See the Objects Section for details about string stream location within an object. Also, the handles are separated out into a separate stream at the end of the header, in the same manner as is done for Objects.

5.10 Decompression

The compression uses another variant of the LZ77 algorithm, different from the one used in R18. Like the R18 compression, the compressed stream (source buffer) contains opcodes, offsets and lengths of byte chunks to be copied from either compressed or decompressed buffer.

An opcode consists of a single byte. The first byte contains the first opcode. If the first opcode's high nibble equals a 2, then:

- the source buffer pointer is advanced 2 bytes, and a *length* is read from the next byte, bitwise and-ed with 0x07
- the pointer is advanced another byte (3 bytes in total).

Next the decompression enters a loop. A byte chunk from the compressed stream is followed by one or more byte chunks from the decompressed stream. The last chunk may be a compressed chunk.

5.10.1 Copying a compressed chunk

If the *length* was zero, it is read from the source buffer. The following pseudo function reads the length:

```
UInt32 ReadLiteralLength(byte[] buffer) {
   UInt32 length = opCode + 8;
   if (length == 0x17) {
      UInt32 n = buffer[sourceIndex++];
      length += n;
      if (n == 0xff) {
         do {
```

```
n = buffer[sourceIndex++];
n |= (Uint32)(buffer[sourceIndex++] << 8);
length += n;
} while (n == 0xffff);
}
}</pre>
```

Next *length* bytes are copied from the source buffer and the source buffer pointer is advanced to one after the copied bytes. The order of bytes in source and target buffer are different. The copying happens in chunks of 32 bytes, and the remainder is copied using a specific copy function for each number of bytes (so 31 separate copy functions). For copying 1-32 bytes, a combination of sub byte blocks is made, according to the following table (the smallest block is 1 byte):

Byte count	Byte count [source array index]
1	1 [0]
2	1 [1], 1[0]
3	1 [2], 1[1], 1[0]
4	1 [0], 1 [1], 1 [2], 1 [3]
5	1 [4], 4 [0]
6	1 [5], 4 [1], 1 [0]
7	2 [5], 4 [1], 1 [0]
8	4 [0], 4[4]
9	1 [8], 8 [0]
10	1 [9], 8 [1], 1 [0]
11	2 [9], 8 [1], 1 [0]
12	4 [8], 8 [0]
13	1 [12], 4 [8], 8 [0]
14	1 [13], 4 [9], 8 [1], 1[0]

F	_
15	2 [13], 4 [9], 8 [1], 1[0]
16	8 [8], 8 [0]
17	8 [9], 1 [8], 8 [0]
18	1 [17], 16 [1], 1 [0]
19	3 [16], 16 [0]
20	4 [16], 16 [0]
21	1 [20], 4 [16], 16 [0]
22	2 [20], 4 [16], 16 [0]
23	3 [20], 4 [16], 16 [0]
24	8 [16], 16 [0]
25	8 [17], 1 [16], 16 [0]
26	1 [25], 8 [17], 1 [16], 16 [0]
27	2 [25], 8 [17], 1 [16], 16 [0]
28	4 [24], 8 [16], 16 [0]
29	1 [28], 4 [24], 8 [16], 16 [0]
30	2 [28], 4 [24], 8 [16], 16 [0]
31	1 [30], 4 [26], 8 [18], 16 [2], 2 [0]
32	16 [16], 16 [0]

To copy any number of bytes, first blocks of 32 bytes are copied. The remainder (1-31) is copied using one of the other 31 byte block copy functions as outlined in the table above.

5.10.2 Copying decompressed chunks

After copying a compressed chunk, one or more decompressed chunks are copied (unless the compressed chunk was the last chunk). First an opcode byte is read. Depending on the opcode the source buffer offset, length and next opcode are read.

```
private void ReadInstructions(
    byte[] srcBuf,
    UInt32 srcIndex,
    ref byte opCode,
    out UInt32 sourceOffset,
    out UInt32 length
) {
    switch ((opCode >> 4)) {
        case 0:
            length = (opCode \& 0xf) + 0x13;
            sourceOffset = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
            opCode = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
            length = ((opCode >> 3) & 0x10) + length;
            sourceOffset = ((opCode & 0x78) << 5) + 1 + sourceOffset;
            break;
        case 1:
            length = (opCode \& 0xf) + 3;
            sourceOffset = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
            opCode = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
            sourceOffset = ((opCode & 0xf8) << 5) + 1 + sourceOffset;</pre>
            break;
        case 2:
            sourceOffset = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
            sourceOffset = ((srcBuf[srcIndex++] << 8) & 0xff00) | sourceOffset;</pre>
            length = opCode & 7;
            if ((opCode & 8) == 0) {
                opCode = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
                length = (opCode & 0xf8) + length;
            } else {
                sourceOffset++;
                length = (srcBuf[srcIndex++] << 3) + length;</pre>
                opCode = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
                length = (((opCode & 0xf8) << 8) + length) + 0x100;
            }
            break;
        default:
            length = opCode >> 4;
            sourceOffset = opCode & 15;
            opCode = srcBuf[srcIndex++];
            sourceOffset = (((opCode & 0xf8) << 1) + sourceOffset) + 1;</pre>
            break;
```

```
}
```

Below is the pseudocode for the decompressed chunk copy loop:

```
private UInt32 CopyDecompressedChunks(
    byte[] srcBuf,
    UInt32 srcIndex,
    UInt32 compressedEndIndexPlusOne,
    byte[] dstBuf,
   UInt32 outputIndex
    UInt32 length = 0;
    byte opCode = srcBuf[inputIndex++];
    inputIndex++;
    UInt32 sourceOffset;
   ReadInstructions(srcBuf, srcIndex, ref opCode, out sourceOffset, out length);
        CopyBytes(dstBuf, outputIndex, length, sourceOffset);
        outputIndex += length;
        length = opCode & 7;
        if ((length != 0) || (inputIndex >= compressedEndIndexPlusOne)) {
            break;
        opCode = srcBuf[inputIndex];
        inputIndex++;
        if ((opCode >> 4) == 0) {
            break;
        if ((opCode >> 4) == 15) {
            opCode &= 15;
        ReadInstructions(srcBuf, srcIndex, ref opCode, out sourceOffset, out length);
    return outputIndex;
```

5.11 CRC random encoding

Some CRC values are encoded by taking 10 bits from an UInt16 and adding bits from a pseudo random encoding table to form a UInt64 result. The decoding does the opposite, it takes an encoded UInt64, and extracts the 10 data bits from it and returns the result in an UInt16. The pseudo random encoding table holds 0x270 UInt32 values and is generated from a single UInt64 seed value. An index points to an entry into this table. As values are encoded, this index loops through this table. When the counter reaches 0x270 it is reset to 0 again.

From the encoding table a padding data table is calculated. This padding data is used to add padding bytes until the proper byte alignment is achieved in the main file stream. The byte order of the padding bytes in memory has to be little endian, so the encoding table is also stored in little endian format. Whenever retrieving data as a UInt32 from the encoding table, the original endianness of the bytes must restored (depending on the machine the 4 bytes are thus reversed or not).

The following pseudocode shows how to generate the pseudo random encoding table and the padding table:

```
public void Init(UInt64 seed) {
    encodingTable = new UInt32[0x270];
    this.seed = seed;
    index = 0;
    encodingTable[0] = ((UInt32) \text{ seed * } 0x343fd) + 0x269ec3;
    encodingTable[1] = ((UInt32) (seed >> 32) * 0x343fd) + 0x269ec3;
    UInt32 value = encodingTable[1];
    encodingTable[0] = PlatformUtil.ToLittleEndian(encodingTable[0]);
    encodingTable[1] = PlatformUtil.ToLittleEndian(encodingTable[1]);
    for (UInt32 i = 2; i < 0x270; i++) {
        value = (((value >> 0x1e) ^ value) * 0x6c078965) + i;
        encodingTable[i] = PlatformUtil.ToLittleEndian(value);
    }
    InitPadding();
}
private void InitPadding() {
    padding = new UInt32[0x80];
    for (int i = 0; i < 0x80; i++) {
        UpdateIndex();
        padding[i] = encodingTable[index];
        index++;
}
private void UpdateIndex() {
    if (index >= 0x270) {
       index = 0;
    }
```

The encoding method takes a UInt16 argument, and encodes the 10 least significant bits into a UInt64 (spread evenly), and uses values from the encoding table to fill the remaining 54 bits. Below is the pseudocode for encoding:

```
public UInt64 Encode(UInt32 value) {
   UInt64 random = GetNextUInt64();
   UInt32 hi = (UInt32) ((random \gg 32) & 0x0f7df7df7);
   if ((value & 0x200) != 0) {
       10 \mid = 0x20;
   if ((value & 0x100) != 0) {
       10 \mid = 0x800;
   if ((value & 0x80) != 0) {
       lo |= 0x20000;
   if ((value & 0x40) != 0) {
       lo |= 0x800000;
   if ((value & 0x20) != 0) {
       10 | = 0x200000000;
   }
   if ((value & 0x10) != 0) {
       hi |= 0x08;
   if ((value & 0x8) != 0) {
       hi |= 0x200;
   if ((value & 0x4) != 0) {
       hi |= 0x8000;
   if ((value & 0x2) != 0) {
       hi |= 0x200000;
   if ((value & 0x1) != 0) {
       hi |= 0x8000000;
   return lo | ((UInt64)hi << 32);</pre>
}
public UInt64 GetNextUInt64() {
   index += 2;
   UpdateIndex();
   UInt32 low = PlatformUtil.FromLittleEndian(encodingTable[index]);
   UInt32 hi = PlatformUtil.FromLittleEndian(encodingTable[index + 1]);
```

```
UInt64 result = low | (hi << 32);
return result;
}</pre>
```

The decoding does the opposite: it takes an encoded UInt64 and extracts the 10 data bits from it:

```
public UInt32 Decode(UInt64 value) {
   UInt32 result = 0;
   UInt32 hi = (UInt32) (value >> 32);
   if ((hi & 0x8000000) != 0) {
       result |= 0x01;
   if ((hi & 0x200000) != 0) {
       result |= 0x02;
   if ((hi & 0x8000) != 0) {
       result |= 0x04;
   if ((hi & 0x200) != 0) {
       result |= 0x08;
   if ((hi & 0x8) != 0) {
       result |= 0x10;
   }
   UInt32 lo = (UInt32) value;
   if ((lo & 0x20000000) != 0) {
       result |= 0x20;
   if ((lo & 0x800000) != 0) {
       result |= 0x40;
   if ((lo & 0x20000) != 0) {
       result |= 0x80;
   if ((lo & 0x800) != 0) {
       result |= 0x100;
   if ((lo & 0x20) != 0) {
       result \mid= 0x200;
```

return result;

}

5.1264-bit CRC calculation

DWG file format version 2007 uses 64-bit CRC values in the file header. The calculation uses a CRC lookup table with 256 64-bit values. There are two flavors of 64-bit CRC's:

normal (see ECMA-182: http://www.ecma-international.org/publications/standards/Ecma-182.htm),

mirrored, where the actual CRC computation is shifting bits the other way around.

Also the CRC tables used are different for these two versions. The way the CRC is computed for an array of bytes is the same for both CRC flavors. Only the way the CRC for a single byte is calculated is different (function CalculateCrcFor1Byte). For byte counts 1-8 the CRC calculation is ordered as follows:

Byte count	Sequence of blocks byte counts [source offset for each block]
1	1 [0]
2	1 [0], 1 [1]
3	2 [0], 1 [2]
4	2 [2], 2 [0]
5	4 [0], 1 [4]
6	
	4 [0], 2 [4]
7	4 [0], 3 [4]
8	4 [4], 4 [0]

For byte counts greater than 8, first blocks of 8 bytes each are processed. The remainder is processed according to the table above.

At the end of the CRC calculation the CRC value is inverted (bitwise not) for the normal CRC (not the mirrored CRC).

In addition to the CRC calculation itself there are two CRC initialization functions, called before calculating the CRC. Which one is used depends on the context.

```
UInt3264 UpdateSeed1(UInt3264 seed, UInt32 dataLength) {
    seed = (seed + dataLength) * 0x343fdUL + 0x269ec3UL;
    seed |= seed * (0x343fdUL << 32) + (0x269ec3UL << 32);
    seed = ~seed;
    return seed;
}

UInt3264 UpdateSeed2(UInt3264 seed, UInt32 dataLength) {
    seed = (seed + dataLength) * 0x343fdUL + 0x269ec3UL;
    seed = seed * ((1UL << 32) + 0x343fdUL) + (dataLength + 0x269ec3UL);
    seed = ~seed;
    return seed;
}</pre>
```

5.12.1 Normal CRC

The CRC for a single byte is calculated as follows:

```
UInt8 CalculateCrcFor1Byte(UInt8 data, UInt64 crc) {
   return crcTable[(data ^ (crc >> 56)) & 0xff] ^ (crc << 8);
}</pre>
```

The CRC table is initialized with the following values:

```
0x000000000000000, 0x42f0e1eba9ea3693, 0x85e1c3d753d46d26, 0xc711223cfa3e5bb5,
0x493366450e42ecdf, 0x0bc387aea7a8da4c, 0xccd2a5925d9681f9, 0x8e224479f47cb76a,
0x9266cc8a1c85d9be, 0xd0962d61b56fef2d, 0x17870f5d4f51b498, 0x5577eeb6e6bb820b,
0xdb55aacf12c73561, 0x99a54b24bb2d03f2, 0x5eb4691841135847, 0x1c4488f3e8f96ed4,
0x663d78ff90e185ef, 0x24cd9914390bb37c, 0xe3dcbb28c335e8c9, 0xa12c5ac36adfde5a,
0x2f0e1eba9ea36930, 0x6dfeff5137495fa3, 0xaaefdd6dcd770416, 0xe81f3c86649d3285,
0xf45bb4758c645c51, 0xb6ab559e258e6ac2, 0x71ba77a2dfb03177, 0x334a9649765a07e4,
0xbd68d2308226b08e, 0xff9833db2bcc861d, 0x388911e7d1f2dda8, 0x7a79f00c7818eb3b,
0xcc7af1ff21c30bde, 0x8e8a101488293d4d, 0x499b3228721766f8, 0x0b6bd3c3dbfd506b,
0x854997ba2f81e701, 0xc7b97651866bd192, 0x00a8546d7c558a27, 0x4258b586d5bfbcb4,
0x5e1c3d753d46d260, 0x1cecdc9e94ace4f3, 0xdbfdfea26e92bf46, 0x990d1f49c77889d5,
0x172f5b3033043ebf, 0x55dfbadb9aee082c, 0x92ce98e760d05399, 0xd03e790cc93a650a,
0xaa478900b1228e31, 0xe8b768eb18c8b8a2, 0x2fa64ad7e2f6e317, 0x6d56ab3c4b1cd584,
0xe374ef45bf6062ee, 0xa1840eae168a547d, 0x66952c92ecb40fc8, 0x2465cd79455e395b,
0x3821458aada7578f, 0x7ad1a461044d611c, 0xbdc0865dfe733aa9, 0xff3067b657990c3a,
0x711223cfa3e5bb50, 0x33e2c2240a0f8dc3, 0xf4f3e018f031d676, 0xb60301f359dbe0e5,
0xda050215ea6c212f, 0x98f5e3fe438617bc, 0x5fe4c1c2b9b84c09, 0x1d14202910527a9a,
0x93366450e42ecdf0, 0xd1c685bb4dc4fb63, 0x16d7a787b7faa0d6, 0x5427466c1e109645,
```

0x4863ce9ff6e9f891,	0x0a932f745f03ce02,	0xcd820d48a53d95b7,	0x8f72eca30cd7a324,
0x0150a8daf8ab144e,	0x43a04931514122dd,	0x84b16b0dab7f7968,	0xc6418ae602954ffb,
0xbc387aea7a8da4c0,	0xfec89b01d3679253,	0x39d9b93d2959c9e6,	0x7b2958d680b3ff75,
0xf50b1caf74cf481f,	0xb7fbfd44dd257e8c,	0x70eadf78271b2539,	0x321a3e938ef113aa,
0x2e5eb66066087d7e,	0x6cae578bcfe24bed,	0xabbf75b735dc1058,	0xe94f945c9c3626cb,
0x676dd025684a91a1,	0x259d31cec1a0a732,	0xe28c13f23b9efc87,	0xa07cf2199274ca14,
0x167ff3eacbaf2af1,	0x548f120162451c62,	0x939e303d987b47d7,	0xd16ed1d631917144,
0x5f4c95afc5edc62e,	0x1dbc74446c07f0bd,	0xdaad56789639ab08,	0x985db7933fd39d9b,
0x84193f60d72af34f,	0xc6e9de8b7ec0c5dc,	0x01f8fcb784fe9e69,	0x43081d5c2d14a8fa,
0xcd2a5925d9681f90,	0x8fdab8ce70822903,	0x48cb9af28abc72b6,	0x0a3b7b1923564425,
0x70428b155b4eaf1e,	0x32b26afef2a4998d,	0xf5a348c2089ac238,	0xb753a929a170f4ab,
0x3971ed50550c43c1,	0x7b810cbbfce67552,	0xbc902e8706d82ee7,	0xfe60cf6caf321874,
0xe224479f47cb76a0,	0xa0d4a674ee214033,	0x67c58448141f1b86,	0x253565a3bdf52d15,
0xab1721da49899a7f,	0xe9e7c031e063acec,	0x2ef6e20d1a5df759,	0x6c0603e6b3b7c1ca,
0xf6fae5c07d3274cd,	0xb40a042bd4d8425e,	0x731b26172ee619eb,	0x31ebc7fc870c2f78,
0xbfc9838573709812,	0xfd39626eda9aae81,	0x3a28405220a4f534,	0x78d8a1b9894ec3a7,
0x649c294a61b7ad73,	0x266cc8a1c85d9be0,	0xe17dea9d3263c055,	0xa38d0b769b89f6c6,
0x2daf4f0f6ff541ac,	0x6f5faee4c61f773f,	0xa84e8cd83c212c8a,	0xeabe6d3395cb1a19,
0x90c79d3fedd3f122,	0xd2377cd44439c7b1,	0x15265ee8be079c04,	0x57d6bf0317edaa97,
0xd9f4fb7ae3911dfd,	0x9b041a914a7b2b6e,	0x5c1538adb04570db,	0x1ee5d94619af4648,
0x02a151b5f156289c,	0x4051b05e58bc1e0f,	0x87409262a28245ba,	0xc5b073890b687329,
0x4b9237f0ff14c443,	0x0962d61b56fef2d0,	0xce73f427acc0a965,	0x8c8315cc052a9ff6,
0x3a80143f5cf17f13,	0x7870f5d4f51b4980,	0xbf61d7e80f251235,	0xfd913603a6cf24a6,
0x73b3727a52b393cc,	0x31439391fb59a55f,	0xf652b1ad0167feea,	0xb4a25046a88dc879,
0xa8e6d8b54074a6ad,	0xea16395ee99e903e,	0x2d071b6213a0cb8b,	0x6ff7fa89ba4afd18,
0xe1d5bef04e364a72,	0xa3255f1be7dc7ce1,	0x64347d271de22754,	0x26c49cccb40811c7,
0x5cbd6cc0cc10fafc,	0x1e4d8d2b65facc6f,	0xd95caf179fc497da,	0x9bac4efc362ea149,
0x158e0a85c2521623,	0x577eeb6e6bb820b0,	0x906fc95291867b05,	0xd29f28b9386c4d96,
0xcedba04ad0952342,	0x8c2b41a1797f15d1,	0x4b3a639d83414e64,	0x09ca82762aab78f7,
0x87e8c60fded7cf9d,	0xc51827e4773df90e,	0x020905d88d03a2bb,	0x40f9e43324e99428,
0x2cffe7d5975e55e2,	0x6e0f063e3eb46371,	0xa91e2402c48a38c4,	0xebeec5e96d600e57,
0x65cc8190991cb93d,	0x273c607b30f68fae,	0xe02d4247cac8d41b,	0xa2dda3ac6322e288,
0xbe992b5f8bdb8c5c,	0xfc69cab42231bacf,	0x3b78e888d80fe17a,	0x7988096371e5d7e9,
0xf7aa4d1a85996083,	0xb55aacf12c735610,	0x724b8ecdd64d0da5,	0x30bb6f267fa73b36,
0x4ac29f2a07bfd00d,	0x08327ec1ae55e69e,	0xcf235cfd546bbd2b,	0x8dd3bd16fd818bb8,
0x03f1f96f09fd3cd2,	0x41011884a0170a41,	0x86103ab85a2951f4,	0xc4e0db53f3c36767,
0xd8a453a01b3a09b3,	0x9a54b24bb2d03f20,	0x5d45907748ee6495,	0x1fb5719ce1045206,
0x919735e51578e56c,	0xd367d40ebc92d3ff,	0x1476f63246ac884a,	0x568617d9ef46bed9,
0xe085162ab69d5e3c,	0xa275f7c11f7768af,	0x6564d5fde549331a,	0x279434164ca30589,
0xa9b6706fb8dfb2e3,	0xeb46918411358470,	0x2c57b3b8eb0bdfc5,	0x6ea7525342e1e956,
0x72e3daa0aa188782,	0x30133b4b03f2b111,	0xf7021977f9cceaa4,	0xb5f2f89c5026dc37,
0x3bd0bce5a45a6b5d,	0x79205d0e0db05dce,	0xbe317f32f78e067b,	0xfcc19ed95e6430e8,
0x86b86ed5267cdbd3,	0xc4488f3e8f96ed40,	0x0359ad0275a8b6f5,	0x41a94ce9dc428066,
0xcf8b0890283e370c,	0x8d7be97b81d4019f,	0x4a6acb477bea5a2a,	0x089a2aacd2006cb9,
0x14dea25f3af9026d,	0x562e43b4931334fe,	0x913f6188692d6f4b,	0xd3cf8063c0c759d8,

0x5dedc41a34bbeeb2, 0x1f1d25f19d51d821, 0xd80c07cd676f8394, 0x9afce626ce85b507

5.12.2 Mirrored CRC

The CRC for a single byte is calculated as follows:

```
UInt8 CalculateCrcFor1Byte(UInt8 data, UInt64 crc) {
   return crcTable[(crc ^ data) & 0xff] ^ (crc >> 8);
}
```

The CRC table is initialized with the following values:

```
0x00000000000000, 0x7ad870c830358979, 0xf5b0e190606b12f2, 0x8f689158505e9b8b,
0xc038e5739841b68f, 0xbae095bba8743ff6, 0x358804e3f82aa47d, 0x4f50742bc81f2d04,
0xab28ecb46814fe75, 0xd1f09c7c5821770c, 0x5e980d24087fec87, 0x24407dec384a65fe,
0x6b1009c7f05548fa, 0x11c8790fc060c183, 0x9ea0e857903e5a08, 0xe478989fa00bd371,
0x7d08ff3b88be6f81, 0x07d08ff3b88be6f8, 0x88b81eabe8d57d73, 0xf2606e63d8e0f40a,
0xbd301a4810ffd90e, 0xc7e86a8020ca5077, 0x4880fbd87094cbfc, 0x32588b1040a14285,
0xd620138fe0aa91f4, 0xacf86347d09f188d, 0x2390f21f80c18306, 0x594882d7b0f40a7f,
0x1618f6fc78eb277b, 0x6cc0863448deae02, 0xe3a8176c18803589, 0x997067a428b5bcf0,
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0x513912c379682177, 0x2be1620b495da80e, 0xa489f35319033385, 0xde51839b2936bafc,
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0x8aeeace74e645255, 0xf036dc2f7e51db2c, 0x7f5e4d772e0f40a7, 0x05863dbf1e3ac9de,
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5.13 Reed-Solomon encoding

R21 uses Reed-Solomon (RS) encoding to add error correction. Error correction codes are typically used in telecommunication to correct errors during transmittion or on media to correct e.g. errors caused by a scratch on a CD. RS coding takes considerably study to master, and books on the subject require at least some mathematical base knowledge on academic level. For this reason it's recommended to use an existing RS implementation, rather than to build one from scratch. When choosing to learn about the subject, a good book on the subject is "Error Control Coding, Second Edition", by Shu Lin and Daniel J. Costello, Jr. This book is taught over two semesters, to give an idea of the depth of the subject. RS coding is treated in Chapter 7 out of 22, to have a full understanding of the subject chapters 1-7 should be read.

An open source RS implementation is available from http://www.eccpage.com/, item "Reed-Solomon (RS) codes", by Simon Rockliff, 1989. This implementation uses Berlekamp-Masssey for decoding. Note that there are many ways to encode and decode, the implementation above is just one example. Though only 404 lines of code, the math involved is very sophisticated.

DWG file format version R21 uses two configurations of RS coding:

- Data pages: use a (n, k) of (255, 251), the primitive polynomial coefficients being (1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0). This configuration can correct (255 251) / 2 = 2 error bytes per block of 255 bytes. For each 251 data bytes (k), 4 parity bytes are added to form a 255 byte (code word) block.
- System pages: use a (n, k) of (255, 239), the primitive polynomial coefficients being (1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0). This configuration can correct (255 239) / 2 = 8 error bytes per block of 255 bytes. For each 239 data bytes (k), 16 parity bytes are added to form a 255 byte (code word) block.

In the RS implementation by Simon Rockliff the primitive polynomial coefficients are stored in variable pp. From these coefficients the lookup tables for Galois field math and the generator polynomial coefficients are created.

The encoded bytes may be interleaved depending on the context. Some data/system pages are interleaved, some are not.

5.13.1 Non-interleaved

All original data blocks are followed by the parity byte blocks (i.e. the first parity block follows the last data block).

When the last block is not entirely filled, then random bytes are added from the random encoding (see paragraph 5.11) to fill the block to have size k.

5.13.2 Interleaved

When more than 1 block of data is encoded, the encoded block data is interleaved. E.g. when there are 3 blocks to be encoded, then the data bytes and parity bytes of the first block are written to positions 3 x i (where i is an integer \geq 0). The encoded bytes of the second block are written to positions 3 x i + 1 and of the third block to positions 3 x i + 2.

When the last block is not entirely filled, then random bytes are added from the random encoding (see paragraph 5.11) to fill the block to have size k.

6 R2010 DWG FILE FORMAT ORGANIZATION

The 2010 format is based mostly on the 2004 format and somewhat on the 2007 format. The file header, page map, section map, compression are the same as in R2004. The bit coding is the same as in R2007 (see chapter 2), with the exception of the Object Type being encoded differently (see paragraph 2.12). Like the R2007 format, the data, strings and handles are separated in header and objects sections.

7 R2013 DWG FILE FORMAT ORGANIZATION

The 2013 format is based mostly on the 2010 format. The file header, summary info, page map, section map, compression are the same as in R2004. The bit coding is the same as in R2010. Like the R2007 format, the data, strings and handles are separated in header and objects sections. The changes in the Header section are minor (only 2 added fields).

A new data section was introduced, the data storage section (AcDb:AcDsPrototype_1b). At this moment (December 2012), this sections contains information about Acis data (regions, solids). See chapter 24 for more details about this section.

Note that at the point of writing (22 March 2013) known valid values for acad maintenance version are 6 and 8. The ODA currently writes value 8.

8 R2018 DWG FILE FORMAT ORGANIZATION

The AutoCAD 2018 format is almost identical to the 2013 format. Structurally they are identical.

Below is a summary of the changes:

- Three shorts (int16) with value zero have been added to end of the auxiliary file header (see chapter 27).
- In the AcDb:Header nothing changed, but note that the unknown 32-bit int at the start, directly following the section size that was present for R2010/R2013 for acad maintenance version greater than 3, is also present for R2018 (see chapter 9).
- Additions/changes in the following entities:
 - ACAD_PROXY_ENTITY (paragraph 20.4.90),
 - o ATTRIB (paragraph 20.4.4),
 - o ATTDEF (paragraph 20.4.5),
 - o MTEXT (see paragraph 20.4.46).
- Object MLINESTYLE (paragraph 20.4.73) references line types in its element by their handle rather than by index.

9 Data section AcDb:Header (HEADER VARIABLES)

The header contains all header (system) variables, except the MEASUREMENT variable, which is present in the AcDb:Template section, see chapter 22.

The header variables section indicated by section-locator 0 has the following form:

```
Beginning sentinel
Size of the section (a 4 byte long)
R2010/R2013 (only present if the maintenance version is greater than 3!) or R2018+:
   Unknown (4 byte long), might be part of a 64-bit size.
Data (system variables and possibly other data at the beginning)
CRC (covers the stepper and the data)
Ending sentinel
```

This data section appear as one long stream, with no gaps. Most are bit coded. (See the BIT CODES section.) The header is padded with random bits to the next byte boundary.

The following 16 byte sentinel introduces this section:

```
0xCF, 0x7B, 0x1F, 0x23, 0xFD, 0xDE, 0x38, 0xA9, 0x5F, 0x7C, 0x68, 0xB8, 0x4E, 0x6D, 0x33, 0x5F RL : Size of the section.
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Next come the data items, as listed below:

TYPE DESCRIPTION

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R2007 Only:
         RL : Size in bits
R2013+:
        BLL: Variabele REQUIREDVERSIONS, default value 0, read only.
Common:
         BD: Unknown, default value 412148564080.0
         BD : Unknown, default value 1.0
         BD : Unknown, default value 1.0
         BD : Unknown, default value 1.0
         TV : Unknown text string, default ""
         BL : Unknown long, default value 24L
         BL : Unknown long, default value OL;
R13-R14 Only:
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BS : Unknown short, default value 0
Pre-2004 Only:
         H : Handle of the current viewport entity header (hard pointer)
Common:
         B : DIMASO
         B : DIMSHO
R13-R14 Only:
         B : DIMSAV Undocumented.
Common:
         B : PLINEGEN
         B : ORTHOMODE
         B : REGENMODE
         B : FILLMODE
         B : QTEXTMODE
         B : PSLTSCALE
         B : LIMCHECK
R13-R14 Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards):
         B : BLIPMODE
R2004+:
         B : Undocumented
Common:
         B : USRTIMER (User timer on/off).
         B : SKPOLY
          B : ANGDIR
          B : SPLFRAME
R13-R14 Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards):
         B : ATTREQ
         B : ATTDIA
Common:
        B : MIRRTEXT
         B : WORLDVIEW
R13-R14 Only:
         B : WIREFRAME Undocumented.
Common:
         B : TILEMODE
          B : PLIMCHECK
         B : VISRETAIN
R13-R14 Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards):
         B : DELOBJ
Common:
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B : DISPSILH B : PELLIPSE (not present in DXF) BS : PROXYGRAPHICS R13-R14 Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards): BS : DRAGMODE Common: BS : TREEDEPTH BS : LUNITS BS : LUPREC BS : AUNITS BS : AUPREC R13-R14 Only Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards): BS : OSMODE Common: BS : ATTMODE R13-R14 Only Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards): BS : COORDS Common: BS : PDMODE R13-R14 Only Only (stored in registry from R15 onwards): BS : PICKSTYLE R2004+: BL : Unknown BL: Unknown BL : Unknown Common: BS : USERI1 BS : USERI2 BS : USERI3 BS : USERI4 BS : USERI5 BS : SPLINESEGS BS : SURFU BS : SURFV BS : SURFTYPE BS : SURFTAB1 BS : SURFTAB2 BS : SPLINETYPE BS : SHADEDGE BS : SHADEDIF

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BS : UNITMODE
        BS : MAXACTVP
        BS : ISOLINES
        BS : CMLJUST
        BS : TEXTQLTY
        BD : LTSCALE
        BD : TEXTSIZE
        BD : TRACEWID
        BD : SKETCHINC
        BD : FILLETRAD
        BD : THICKNESS
        BD : ANGBASE
        BD : PDSIZE
        BD : PLINEWID
        BD : USERR1
        BD : USERR2
        BD : USERR3
        BD : USERR4
        BD : USERR5
        BD : CHAMFERA
        BD : CHAMFERB
        BD : CHAMFERC
        BD : CHAMFERD
        BD : FACETRES
        BD : CMLSCALE
        BD : CELTSCALE
R13-R18:
        TV : MENUNAME
Common:
        BL : TDCREATE (Julian day)
        BL : TDCREATE (Milliseconds into the day)
        BL : TDUPDATE (Julian day)
        BL : TDUPDATE (Milliseconds into the day)
R2004+:
        BL : Unknown
        BL : Unknown
        BL : Unknown
Common:
        BL : TDINDWG
                      (Days)
        BL : TDINDWG (Milliseconds into the day)
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3BD : EXTMAX

BL : TDUSRTIMER (Days) BL : TDUSRTIMER (Milliseconds into the day) CMC : CECOLOR H : HANDSEED The next handle, with an 8-bit length specifier preceding the handle bytes (standard hex handle form) (code 0). The HANDSEED is not part of the handle stream, but of the normal data stream (relevant for R21 and later). H : CLAYER (hard pointer) H : TEXTSTYLE (hard pointer) H : CELTYPE (hard pointer) R2007+ Only: H : CMATERIAL (hard pointer) Common: H : DIMSTYLE (hard pointer) H : CMLSTYLE (hard pointer) R2000+ Only: BD : PSVPSCALE Common: 3BD : INSBASE (PSPACE) 3BD : EXTMIN (PSPACE) 3BD : EXTMAX (PSPACE) 2RD : LIMMIN (PSPACE) 2RD : LIMMAX (PSPACE) BD : ELEVATION (PSPACE) 3BD : UCSORG (PSPACE) 3BD : UCSXDIR (PSPACE) 3BD : UCSYDIR (PSPACE) H : UCSNAME (PSPACE) (hard pointer) R2000+ Only: H : PUCSORTHOREF (hard pointer) BS : PUCSORTHOVIEW H : PUCSBASE (hard pointer) 3BD : PUCSORGTOP 3BD : PUCSORGBOTTOM 3BD : PUCSORGLEFT 3BD : PUCSORGRIGHT 3BD : PUCSORGFRONT 3BD : PUCSORGBACK Common: 3BD : INSBASE (MSPACE) 3BD : EXTMIN (MSPACE)

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(MSPACE) (hard pointer)

2RD	:	LIMMIN
2RD	:	LIMMAX
BD	:	ELEVATION
3BD	:	UCSORG
3BD	:	UCSXDIR
3BD	:	UCSYDIR
Н	:	UCSNAME
R2000+ Only:		
Н	:	UCSORTHOREF (hard pointer)
BS	:	UCSORTHOVIEW
Н	:	UCSBASE (hard pointer)
3BD	:	UCSORGTOP
3BD	:	UCSORGBOTTOM
3BD	:	UCSORGLEFT
3BD	:	UCSORGRIGHT
3BD	:	UCSORGFRONT
3BD	:	UCSORGBACK
TV	:	DIMPOST
TV	:	DIMAPOST
R13-R14 Only	:	
В	:	DIMTOL
В	:	DIMLIM
В	:	DIMTIH
В	:	DIMTOH
В	:	DIMSE1
В	:	DIMSE2
В	:	DIMALT
В	:	DIMTOFL
В	:	DIMSAH
В	:	DIMTIX
В	:	DIMSOXD
RC	:	DIMALTD
RC	:	DIMZIN
В	:	DIMSD1
В	:	DIMSD2
RC	:	DIMTOLJ
RC	:	DIMJUST
RC	:	DIMFIT
В	:	DIMUPT

RC : DIMTZIN

RC : DIMALTZ RC : DIMALTTZ RC : DIMTAD BS : DIMUNIT BS : DIMAUNIT BS : DIMDEC BS : DIMTDEC BS : DIMALTU BS : DIMALTTD H : DIMTXSTY (hard pointer) Common: BD : DIMSCALE BD : DIMASZ BD : DIMEXO BD : DIMDLI BD : DIMEXE BD : DIMRND BD : DIMDLE BD : DIMTP BD : DIMTM R2007+ Only: BD : DIMFXL BD : DIMJOGANG BS : DIMTFILL CMC : DIMTFILLCLR R2000+ Only: B : DIMTOL B : DIMLIM B : DIMTIH B : DIMTOH B : DIMSE1 B : DIMSE2 BS : DIMTAD BS : DIMZIN BS : DIMAZIN R2007+ Only: BS : DIMARCSYM Common:

BD : DIMTXT
BD : DIMCEN

BD : DIMTSZ

BD : DIMALTF

BD : DIMLFAC

BD : DIMTVP

BD : DIMTFAC

BD : DIMGAP

R13-R14 Only:

T : DIMPOST

T : DIMAPOST

T : DIMBLK

T : DIMBLK1

T : DIMBLK2

R2000+ Only:

BD : DIMALTRND

B : DIMALT

BS : DIMALTD

B : DIMTOFL

B : DIMSAH

B : DIMTIX

B : DIMSOXD

Common:

CMC : DIMCLRD

CMC : DIMCLRE

CMC : DIMCLRT

R2000+ Only:

BS : DIMADEC

BS : DIMDEC

BS : DIMTDEC

BS : DIMALTU

BS : DIMALTTD

BS : DIMAUNIT

BS : DIMFRAC

BS : DIMLUNIT

BS : DIMDSEP

BS : DIMTMOVE

BS : DIMJUST

B : DIMSD1

B : DIMSD2

BS : DIMTOLJ

BS : DIMTZIN

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BS : DIMALTZ
         BS : DIMALTTZ
         B : DIMUPT
         BS : DIMATFIT
R2007+ Only:
          B : DIMFXLON
R2010+ Only:
          B : DIMTXTDIRECTION
         BD : DIMALTMZF
         T : DIMALTMZS
         BD : DIMMZF
          T : DIMMZS
R2000+ Only:
          H : DIMTXSTY (hard pointer)
          H : DIMLDRBLK (hard pointer)
          H : DIMBLK (hard pointer)
          H : DIMBLK1 (hard pointer)
          H : DIMBLK2 (hard pointer)
R2007+ Only:
          H : DIMLTYPE (hard pointer)
          H : DIMLTEX1 (hard pointer)
          H : DIMLTEX2 (hard pointer)
R2000+ Only:
         BS : DIMLWD
         BS : DIMLWE
Common:
          H : BLOCK CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : LAYER CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : STYLE CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : LINETYPE CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : VIEW CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : UCS CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : VPORT CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : APPID CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
          H : DIMSTYLE CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
R13-R15 Only:
         H : VIEWPORT ENTITY HEADER CONTROL OBJECT (hard owner)
Common:
          H : DICTIONARY (ACAD GROUP) (hard pointer)
          H : DICTIONARY (ACAD MLINESTYLE) (hard pointer)
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H : DICTIONARY (NAMED OBJECTS) (hard owner)
R2000+ Only:
         BS : TSTACKALIGN, default = 1 (not present in DXF)
         BS : TSTACKSIZE, default = 70 (not present in DXF)
         TV : HYPERLINKBASE
         TV : STYLESHEET
         H : DICTIONARY (LAYOUTS) (hard pointer)
         H : DICTIONARY (PLOTSETTINGS) (hard pointer)
         H : DICTIONARY (PLOTSTYLES) (hard pointer)
R2004+:
         H : DICTIONARY (MATERIALS) (hard pointer)
         H : DICTIONARY (COLORS) (hard pointer)
R2007+:
         H : DICTIONARY (VISUALSTYLE) (hard pointer)
R2013+:
         H : UNKNOWN (hard pointer)
R2000+:
        BL : Flags:
                     CELWEIGHT Flags & 0x001F
                     ENDCAPS Flags & 0x0060
                                  Flags & 0x0180
                     JOINSTYLE
                     LWDISPLAY
                                  !(Flags & 0x0200)
                     XEDIT
                                  !(Flags & 0x0400)
                     EXTNAMES
                                  Flags & 0x0800
                     PSTYLEMODE
                                  Flags & 0x2000
                     OLESTARTUP Flags & 0x4000
         BS : INSUNITS
         BS : CEPSNTYPE
         H : CPSNID (present only if CEPSNTYPE == 3) (hard pointer)
         TV : FINGERPRINTGUID
        TV : VERSIONGUID
R2004+:
        RC : SORTENTS
        RC : INDEXCTL
        RC : HIDETEXT
         RC : XCLIPFRAME, before R2010 the value can be 0 or 1 only.
         RC : DIMASSOC
         RC : HALOGAP
         BS : OBSCUREDCOLOR
         BS : INTERSECTIONCOLOR
         RC : OBSCUREDLTYPE
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RC : INTERSECTIONDISPLAY

TV : PROJECTNAME

Common:

H : BLOCK_RECORD (*PAPER_SPACE) (hard pointer)

H : BLOCK RECORD (*MODEL SPACE) (hard pointer)

H : LTYPE (BYLAYER) (hard pointer)

H : LTYPE (BYBLOCK) (hard pointer)

H : LTYPE (CONTINUOUS) (hard pointer)

R2007+:

B : CAMERADISPLAY

BL : unknown

BL : unknown

BD : unknown

BD : STEPSPERSEC

BD : STEPSIZE

BD : 3DDWFPREC

BD : LENSLENGTH

BD : CAMERAHEIGHT

RC : SOLIDHIST

RC : SHOWHIST

BD : PSOLWIDTH

BD : PSOLHEIGHT

BD : LOFTANG1

BD : LOFTANG2

BD : LOFTMAG1

BD : LOFTMAG2

BS : LOFTPARAM

RC : LOFTNORMALS

BD : LATITUDE

BD : LONGITUDE

BD : NORTHDIRECTION

BL : TIMEZONE

RC : LIGHTGLYPHDISPLAY

RC : TILEMODELIGHTSYNCH

RC : DWFFRAME

RC : DGNFRAME

B : unknown

CMC : INTERFERECOLOR

H : INTERFEREOBJVS (hard pointer)

H : INTERFEREVPVS (hard pointer)

```
H: DRAGVS (hard pointer)

RC: CSHADOW

BD: unknown

R14+:

BS: unknown short (type 5/6 only) these do not seem to be required,

BS: unknown short (type 5/6 only) even for type 5.

BS: unknown short (type 5/6 only)

BS: unknown short (type 5/6 only)

Common:

RS: CRC for the data section, starting after the sentinel. Use 0xCOC1 for the initial
```

This following 16-byte sentinel appears after the CRC:

 $0 \times 30, 0 \times 84, 0 \times E0, 0 \times DC, 0 \times 02, 0 \times 21, 0 \times C7, 0 \times 56, 0 \times A0, 0 \times 83, 0 \times 97, 0 \times 47, 0 \times B1, 0 \times 92, 0 \times CC, 0 \times A0, 0 \times B1, 0 \times$

Here is a dump of a complete R14 header:

```
empty14.dwg 02/24/98 11:40:03
    0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7
 00000 41 43 31 30 31 34 00 00 Ac1014.. 0100 0001 0100 0011 0011 0001 0011 0000 0011 0001 0011 0100 0000 0000 0000
 00018 00 00 58 00 00 00 ED 01 ...... 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1110 1101 1000 0001
 00020 00 00 01 45 02 00 00 26 ...E...& 0000 0000 0000 0000 0001 0100 0101 0000 0010 0000 0000 0000 0010 0110
 00048 95 A0 4E 28 99 82 1A E5 ..N(.... 1001 0101 1010 0000 0100 1110 0010 1001 1001 1001 1000 0010 0011 1010 1110 0101
 00050 5E 41 E0 5F 9D 3A 4D 00 ^A._.:M. 0101 1110 0100 0001 1110 0000 0101 1111 1001 1101 0011 1010 0100 1101 0000 0000
 00058 CF 7B 1F 23 FD DE 38 A9 . (.#...8. 1100 1111 0111 1011 0001 1111 0010 0011 1111 1101 1101 1110 0011 1000 1010 1001
 00060 5F 7C 68 B8 4E 6D 33 5F _[h.Nm3_ 0101 1111 0111 1100 0110 1001 1011 1000 0100 1110 0110 1101 0110 1011 0101 1111
 00070 1F BF 55 DO 95 40 5B 6A ..U..@[j 0001 1111 1011 1111 0101 0101 1101 0000 1001 0101 0100 0000 0101 1011 0110 1010
 00078 51 A9 43 1A 65 AC 40 50 Q.C.e.@P 0101 0001 1010 1001 0100 0011 0001 1010 0110 0101 0100 1100 0100 0100 0000 0101
```

00090 90	64	19	06	40	D4	69	30	.d@.i0	1001	0000	0110	0100	0001	1001	0000	0110	0100	0000	1101	0100	0110	1001	0011	0000
00098 41	. 24	С9	26	A6	66	66	66	A\$.&.fff	0100	0001	0010	0100	1100	1001	0010	0110	1010	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110
000A0 66	72	4F	С9	A9	99	99	99	fr0	0110	0110	0111	0010	0100	1111	1100	1001	1010	1001	1001	1001	1001	1001	1001	1001
000A8 99	9A	93	F2	6A	66	66	66	jfff	1001	1001	1001	1010	1001	0011	1111	0010	0110	1010	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110
000B0 66	66	E4	FC	00	00	00	00	ff	0110	0110	0110	0110	1110	0100	1111	1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
000B8 00	00	ΕO	3F	AA	AA	80	00	?	0000	0000	0000	0000	1110	0000	0011	1111	1010	1010	1010	1010	1000	0000	0000	0000
	1																							
000C0 00	00	00	00	0E	03	F0	00	•••••	0000															
000C8 00	00	00	00	03	80	FD	80		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0011	1000	0000	1111	1101	1000	0000
00000000	00	00	00	00	0E	03	F5		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1110	0000	0011	1111	0101
000D8 40	4B	8B	56	52	50	02	D1	@K.VRP	0100	0000	0100	1011	1000	1011	0101	0110	0101	0010	0101	0000	0000	0010	1101	0001
000E0 A6	00	80	В5	65	25	00	20	e%.	1010	0110	0000	0000	0000	1000	1011	0101	0110	0101	0010	0101	0000	0000	0010	0000
000E8 29	E0	00	A3	30	F4	00	02)0	0010	1001	1110	0000	0000	0000	1010	0011	0011	0000	1111	0100	0000	0000	0000	0010
000F0 33	0F	40	00	30	14	D5	10	3.0.0	0011	0011	0000	1111	0100	0000	0000	0000	0011	0000	0001	0100	1101	0101	0001	0000
000F8 F5	11	05	11	45	11	D5	11	E	1111	0101	0001	0001	0000	0101	0001	0001	0100	0101	0001	0001	1101	0101	0001	0001
0 00100 CA	1 84							W	1100	1010	1000	0100	0000	1000	1100	1011	0101	0111	1000	0001	1101	1010	1111	0001
00108 54									0101															
00110 55									0101															
00118 15								.D.#-^.k																
00120 C5								.qW															1101	
00128 F1								.\A.2v																
00130 BC	57	10	00	00	00	00	00	.W	1011	1100	0101	0111	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
00138 00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
00140 00	00	_	-		-	-	7 00		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
00148 00) A1	00	00	00	00	00	00		0000	0000	1010	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
00150 00	89	02	A9	A9	94	2A	10	*.	0000	0000	1000	1001	0000	0010	1010	1001	1010	1001	1001	0100	0010	1010	0001	0000
00158 23	3 2D	5E	07	6B	C5	51	04	#-^.k.Q.	0010	0011	0010	1101	0101	1110	0000	0111	0110	1011	1100	0101	0101	0001	0000	0100
00160 08	CB	57	81	DA	F1	54	41	WTA	0000	1000	1100	1011	0101	0111	1000	0001	1101	1010	1111	0001	0101	0100	0100	0001
00168 02	32	D5	E0	76	ВC	55	10	.2v.U.	0000	0010	0011	0010	1101	0101	1110	0000	0111	0110	1011	1100	0101	0101	0001	0000
00170 40																								
00178 10								.#-^.k.q																
																0			5			0 _		

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7																	
00180	04	8 0	CB	57	81	DA	F1	5C	W\	0000	0100	0000	1000	1100	1011	0101	0111	1000	0001	1101	1010	1111	0001	0101	1100
00188	40	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	@	0100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
00190	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
00198	00	00	00	00	00	00	02	84		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	1000	0100
001A0	00	00	00	00	00	00	02	24	\$	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	0010	0100
001A8	0A .	A6 .	A6	50	30	00	40	00	P0.@.	0000	1010	1010	0110	1010	0110	0101	0000	0011	0000	0000	0000	0100	0000	0000	0000
001B0	08	00	18	00	00	00	01	02		0000	1000	0000	0000	0001	1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0010
001B8	90	44	11	02	40	94	44	10	.D@.D.	1001	0000	0100	0100	0001	0001	0000	0010	0100	0000	1001	0100	0100	0100	0001	0000
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7																	
00100	2в	5E	8D	C0	F4	2B	1C	FC	+^+	0010	1011	0101	1110	1000	1101	1100	0000	1111	0100	0010	1011	0001	1100	1111	1100
001C8	00	00	00	00	00	00	вО	3F	?	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1011	0000	0011	1111
001D0	14	ΑE	07.	A1	7A	D4	76	0F	z.v.	0001	0100	1010	1110	0000	0111	1010	0001	0111	1010	1101	0100	0111	0110	0000	1111
001D8	C0 .	AD	7A	37	03	D0	AC	73	z7s	1100	0000	1010	1101	0111	1010	0011	0111	0000	0011	1101	0000	1010	1100	0111	0011
001E0	FA .	A0	2B	5E	8D	C0	F4	2B	+^+	1111	1010	1010	0000	0010	1011	0101	1110	1000	1101	1100	0000	1111	0100	0010	1011
001E8	1C	FC	0A	D7 .	АЗ	70	3 D	0 A	p=.	0001	1100	1111	1100	0000	1010	1101	0111	1010	0011	0111	0000	0011	1101	0000	1010
001F0	в7	3F	86	66	66	66	66	66	.?.fffff	1011	0111	0011	1111	1000	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110
001F8	63	94	06	40 .	AD	7A	37	03	c@.z7.	0110	0011	1001	0100	0000	0110	0100	0000	1010	1101	0111	1010	0011	0111	0000	0011
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7																	
00200	D0 .	AB	73	FA.	AA	A3	10	13	s	1101	0000	1010	1011	0111	0011	1111	1010	1010	1010	1010	0011	0001	0000	0001	0011
00208	10	23	10	33	10	53	10	63	.#.3.S.c	0001	0000	0010	0011	0001	0000	0011	0011	0001	0000	0101	0011	0001	0000	0110	0011
00210	10	73	10	83	10	93	10	A3	.s	0001	0000	0111	0011	0001	0000	1000	0011	0001	0000	1001	0011	0001	0000	1010	0011
00218	10	В5	10	D5	10	E3	10	C5		0001	0000	1011	0101	0001	0000	1101	0101	0001	0000	1110	0011	0001	0000	1100	0101
00220	11	65	11	95	11	45	11	35	.eE.5	0001	0001	0110	0101	0001	0001	1001	0101	0001	0001	0100	0101	0001	0001	0011	0101
00228	11	51	D5	58	D4	A0	34	26	.Q.X4&	0001	0001	0101	0001	1101	0101	0101	1000	1101	0100	1010	0000	0011	0100	0010	0110
00230	4B	76	ΕO	5B	27	30	84	ΕO	Kv.['0	0100	1011	0111	0110	1110	0000	0101	1011	0010	0111	0011	0000	1000	0100	1110	0000
00238	DC	02	21	C7	56	A0	83	97	!.⊽	1101	1100	0000	0010	0010	0001	1100	0111	0101	0110	1010	0000	1000	0011	1001	0111
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7																	
00240	47	В1	92	cc .	A0				G	0100	0111	1011	0001	1001	0010	1100	1100	1010	0000						

10 Data section AcDb:Classes

10.1 R13-R15

This section contains the defined classes for the drawing.

```
SN : 0x8D 0xA1 0xC4 0xB8 0xC4 0xA9 0xF8 0xC5 0xC0 0xDC 0xF4 0x5F 0xE7 0xCF 0xB6 0x8A.

RL : size of class data area.
```

Then follows the class data:

```
BS : classnum
```

BS : version - in R14, becomes a flag indicating whether objects can be moved, edited, etc. We are still examining this.

TV : appname

TV : cplusplusclassname

TV : classdxfname

B : wasazombie

BS : itemclassid -- 0x1F2 for classes which produce entities, 0x1F3 for classes which produce objects.

We read sets of these until we exhaust the data.

```
RS : CRC
```

This following 16-byte sentinel appears after the CRC:

```
0x72,0x5E,0x3B,0x47,0x3B,0x56,0x07,0x3A,0x3F,0x23,0x0B,0xA0,0x18,0x30,0x49,0x75
For R18 and later 8 unknown bytes follow. The ODA writes 0 bytes.
```

10.2R18+

This section is compressed and contains the standard 32 byte section header.

This section contains the defined classes for the drawing.

```
SN : 0x8D 0xAl 0xC4 0xB8 0xC4 0xA9 0xF8 0xC5 0xC0 0xDC 0xF4 0x5F 0xE7 0xCF 0xB6 0x8A.

RL : size of class data area.

R2010+ (only present if the maintenance version is greater than 3!)

RL : unknown, possibly the high 32 bits of a 64-bit size?

R2004+

BS : Maxiumum class number

RC : 0x00

RC : 0x00

B : true
```

Then follows the class data (note that strings are in the string stream for R2007+):

```
BS : classnum
BS : Proxy flags:
     Erase allowed = 1,
     transform allowed = 2,
     color change allowed = 4,
     layer change allowed = 8,
     line type change allowed = 16,
     line type scale change allowed = 32,
     visibility change allowed = 64,
     cloning allowed = 128,
     Lineweight change allowed = 256,
     Plot Style Name change allowed = 512,
     Disables proxy warning dialog = 1024,
     is R13 format proxy= 32768
TV : appname
TV : cplusplusclassname
TV : classdxfname
B : wasazombie
BS : itemclassid -- 0x1F2 for classes which produce entities, 0x1F3 for classes which
     produce objects.
BL : Number of objects created of this type in the current DB (DXF 91).
BS : Dwg Version
BS : Maintenance release version.
BL : Unknown (normally OL)
BL : Unknown (normally OL)
```

We read sets of these until we exhaust the data.

```
RS : CRC
```

This following 16-byte sentinel appears after the CRC:

 $0 \times 72, 0 \times 5 \\ E, 0 \times 3 \\ B, 0 \times 47, 0 \times 3 \\ B, 0 \times 56, 0 \times 07, 0 \times 3 \\ A, 0 \times 3 \\ F, 0 \times 23, 0 \times 0 \\ B, 0 \times A0, 0 \times 18, 0 \times 30, 0 \times 49, 0 \times 75$

11 PADDING (R13C3 AND LATER)

0x200 bytes of padding. Can be ignored. When writing, the Open Design Toolkit writes all 0s. Occasionally AutoCAD will use the first 4 bytes of this area to store the value of the "measurement" variable. This padding was evidently required to allow pre-R13C3 versions of AutoCAD to read files produced by R13C3 and later.

12 Data section: ""

The empty data section was introduced in R18. This section contains no data.

Section property	Value
Name	(0)
Section ID	Always 0
Compressed	2
Page size	0x7400
Encrypted	0

13 Data section AcDb:SummaryInfo Section

Section property	Value
Section property	Tarac
Name	AcDb:SummaryInfo
Compressed	1
Encrypted	0 if not encrypted, 1 if encrypted.
Page size	0x100

This section contains summary information about the drawing. Strings are encoded as a 16-bit length, followed by the character bytes (0-terminated).

Туре	Length	Description
- 7 P V		
String	2 + n	Title
String	2 + n	Subject
String	2 + n	Author
String	2 + n	Keywords
Sums	2 1 11	Tiey words
String	2 + n	Comments
String	2 + n	Last saved by
String	2 + n	Revision number
String	2 + n	Hyperlink base
?	8	Total editing time (ODA writes two zero Int32's)
Julian date	8	Create date time
Julian date	8	Modified date time
banan date		Troumed date time
Int16	2 + 2 * (2 +	Property count, followed by PropertyCount key/value string pairs.

	n)	
Int32	4	Unknown (write 0)
Int32	4	Unknown (write 0)

14 Data section AcDb:Preview

14.1 PRE-R13C3

Section property	Value
Section property	Yaruc
Name	AcDb:Preview
Compressed	1
Encrypted	0 if not encrypted, 1 if encrypted.
Page size	If a thumbnail image is present, then header + image data size + sentinels and size
	info (0x40 bytes) + section alignment padding
	If no thumbnail image is present, the value is 0x400.

The BMP (or, sometimes, WMF) image of this file, if any. Only stored here for pre-R13C3 files. Later files place the data at the end. The format of this data is discussed in the section illustrating where R13C4 and beyond store it.

14.2R13C3 AND LATER

Start sentinel

```
 \{ \texttt{0x1F}, \texttt{0x25}, \texttt{0x6D}, \texttt{0x07}, \texttt{0xD4}, \texttt{0x36}, \texttt{0x28}, \texttt{0x28}, \texttt{0x9D}, \texttt{0x57}, \texttt{0xCA}, \texttt{0x3F}, \texttt{0x9D}, \texttt{0x44}, \texttt{0x10}, \texttt{0x2B} \ \} 
          overall size
                                        RT.
                                                             overall size of image area
                                                            counter indicating what is present here
          imagespresent
                                        RC
Repeat imagespresent times {
          Code
                                        RC
                                                             code indicating what follows
  if (code==1) {
          header data start
                                                             start of header data
                                        RL
          header data size
                                                             size of header data
                                        RL
  if (code == 2) {
          start of bmp
                                        RL
                                                             start of bmp data
          size of bmp
                                        RL
                                                             size of bmp data
  if (code == 3) {
```

15 Data section AcDb: VBAProject Section

The VBA project section is optional.

Section property Value

Name AcDb:VBAProject

Compressed 1

Encrypted 2 (meaning unknown).

Page size Project data size + 0x80 + section alignment padding

The contents are currently unknown. The ODA reads and writes the contents of this section as is:

Туре	Length	Description
byte	16	0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x1c, 0x00, 0x00, 0x19, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00
byte	n	The VBA project data
Int32	4	0

16 Data section AcDb:AppInfo

Contains information about the application that wrote the .dwg file. This section is optional.

Section property Value

Name AcDb:AppInfo

Compressed 1

Encrypted 0

Page size 0x80

The AppInfo format depends on the application version (Acad version that wrote the file) in the file header. So a R18 .dwg file might have an R21 AppInfo section.

16.1 R18

In R18 the app info section consists of the following fields. Strings are encoded as a 16-bit length, followed by the character bytes (0-terminated).

Туре	Length	Description
String	2 + n	App info name, ODA writes "AppInfoDataList"
UInt32	4	Unknown, ODA writes 2
String	2 + n	Unknown, ODA writes "4001"
String	2 + n	App info product XML element, e.g. ODA writes " <productinformation build_version="0.0" install_id_string="ODA" name="Teigha" registry_localeid="1033" registry_version="3.3"></productinformation> "
String	2 + n	App info version, e.g. ODA writes "2.7.2.0".

16.2R21-27

In R21 (and also R24, R27) the app info section consists of the following fields. Strings are encoded as a 16-bit length, followed by the character bytes (0-terminated), using unicode encoding (2 bytes per character).

Character).		,
Туре	Length	Description
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 2)
String	2 + 2 * n + 2	App info name, ODA writes "AppInfoDataList"
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 3)
Byte[]	16	Version data (checksum, ODA writes zeroes)
String	2 + 2 * n + 2	Version
Byte[]	16	Comment data (checksum, ODA writes zeroes)
String	2 + 2 * n +	Comment
Byte[]	16	Product data (checksum, ODA writes zeroes)
String	2 + 2 * n + 2	Product
String	2 + n	App info version, e.g. ODA writes "2.7.2.0".

17 Data section AcDb:FileDepList

Contains file dependencies (e.g. IMAGE files, or fonts used by STYLE).

Section property Value

Name AcDb:FileDepList

Compressed 1

Encrypted 2 (meaning unknown)

Page size 0x80 if number of entries is 0 or 1. If more than 1, then 0x80 x number of

entries.

In R18 the app info section consists of the following fields. Strings are encoded as a 32-bit length,

followed by the character bytes (without trailing 0).

Туре	Length	Description
1) 0	24118411	2 404
Int32	4	Feature count (ftc)
String32	ftc * (4 + n)	Feature name list. A feature name is one of the following:
		"Acad:XRef" (for block table record)
		"Acad:Image" (for image definition)
		"Acad:PlotConfig" (for plotsetting)
		"Acad:Text" (for text style)
Int32	4	File count

Then follows an array of features (repeated file count times). The feature name + the full filename constitute the lookup key of a file dependency:

Type	Length	Description
String32	4 + n	Full filename
String32	4 + n	Found path, path at which file was found

String32	4 + n	Fingerprint GUID (applies to xref's only)
8-		<i>g</i> -p (<i>n</i> p
String32	4+n	Version GUID (applies to xref's only)
Int32	4	Feature index in the feature list above.
IIIt32	'	Teature mack in the reactive list above.
Int32	4	Timestamp (Seconds since 1/1/1980)
Int32	4	Filesize
111132	4	FILESIZE
Int16	2	Affects graphics $(1 = \text{true}, 0 = \text{false})$
		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
1 ,22		D. C.
Int32	4	Reference count

18 Data section AcDb:RevHistory

Section property Value

Name AcDb:RevHistory

Compressed 2

Encrypted 0

Page size 0x7400

The contents of this section are unknown. In the following paragraphs is described what the ODA writes in this section.

18.1 R18

Туре	Length	Description
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0)
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0)
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0)

More unknown bytes may follow.

18.2R21

Туре	Length	Description
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0)
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0)
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 1)
UInt32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0)

More unknown bytes may follow.

19 Data section AcDb:Security

Section property Value

Name AcDb:Security

Compressed 1

Encrypted 0

Page size 0x7400

This section was introduced in R18. The AcDb:Security section is optional in the file—it is present if the file was saved with a password.

R18: The section is present in the file if the SecurityType entry at location 0x18 in the file is greater than 0.

Strings are prefixed with a 32-bit length (not zero terminated).

Туре	Length	Description
Int32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0x0c)
Int32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0x0)
Int32	4	Unknown (ODA writes 0xabcdabcd)
UInt32	4	Cryptographic provider ID
String32	4 + n	Croptographic provider name
UInt32	4	Algorithm ID
UInt32	4	Encryption key length
Int32	4	Buffer size of following buffer
Byte[]	n	Encrypted string "SamirBajajSamirB"

Using the indicated provider and algorithm (and password obtained from the client for this drawing), the encryption password can be verified by decrypting the Test Encrypted Sequence. If the result is

"SamirBajajSamirB" (0x53, 0x61, 0x6d, 0x69, 0x72, 0x42, 0x61, 0x6a, 0x61, 0x6a, 0x53, 0x61, 0x6d, 0x69, 0x72, 0x42), then the password is correct.

The algorithm is RC4 (this is a symmetric encryption algorithm). The algorithm is used in DWG file format version 2004 and 2007.

Parameters are:

- Password (provided by user).
- Provider id: e.g. 0x0d.
- Provider name: e.g. "Microsoft Base DSS and Diffie-Hellman Cryptographic Provider".
- Key length: default value is 40.
- Flags: no salt.

The password bytes (convert unicode password string to bytes, 2 bytes per character) are hashed (using MD5). A session key is derived from the password hash (using no salt). This session key is then used for both encryption and decryption.

20 Data section AcDb:AcDbObjects

Section property Value

Name AcDb:AcDbObjects

Compressed 2

Encrypted 0 if not encrypted, 1 if encrypted

Page size 0x7400

This region holds the actual objects in the drawing. These can be entities, table entries, dictionary entries, and objects. This second use of objects is somewhat confusing; all items stored in the file are "objects", but only some of them are object objects. Others are entities, table entries, etc. The objects in this section can appear in any order.

Not all objects present in the file are actually used. All used objects can eventually be traced back to handle references in the Header section. So the proper way to read a file is to start reading the header and then tracing all references from there until all references have been followed. Very occasionally a file contains e.g. two APPID objects with the same name, of which one is used, and the other is not. Reading both would be incorrect due to a name clash. To complicate matters more, files also exist with table records with duplicate names. This is incorrect, and the software should rename the record to be unique upon reading.

For R18 and later the section data (right after the page header) starts with a RL value of 0x0dca (meaning unknown).

20.1 Common non-entity object format

Objects (non-entities) have the following general format:

Version	Field type	DXF grou p	Description
	MS		Size in bytes of object, not including the CRC
R2010+			
	MC		Size in bits of the handle stream (unsigned, 0x40 is not interpreted as sign). This includes the padding bits at the end of the handle stream (the padding bits make sure the object stream ends on a byte boundary).
Commmo	n		
	OT		Object type
R2000-R2	2007		
	RL		Size of object data in bits (number of bits before the handles), or the "endbit" of the pre-handles section.
Common:			·

	Н	5	Object's handle
	BS		Size of extended object data, if any
	X		Extended object data, if any. See EED section, chapter 28.
R13-R14			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	RL		Size of object data in bits
	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this object
R2004+			
	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise
			XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
R2013+			
	В		Indicates whether the object has associated binary data in the data store
			section (see chapter 24 for more details about this section).
Common	<u>'</u>		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	X		Object data (varies by type of object)
R2007+			<u> </u>
	X		String data (optional)
	В		String stream present bit (last bit in pre-handles section). If 1, then the "endbit" location should be decremented by 16 bytes, and a short should be read at location endbit – 128 (bits), call this short strDataSize. If this short has the 0x8000 bit set, then decrement endbit by an additional 16 bytes, strip the 0x8000 bit off of strDataSize, and read the short at this new location, calling it hiSize. Then set strDataSize to (strDataSize (hiSize << 15)). "endbit" should then be decremented by this final strDataSize value, and this bit location marks the start of the "string stream" within this object. All unicode strings in this object are located in the "string stream", and should be read from this stream, even though the location of the TV type fields in the object descriptions list these fields in among the normal object data.
Common			J J
			Below begins the handles stream, this begins at offset specified by number of bits before handles above
	Н		Parent handle (soft pointer)
	Н		[Reactors (soft pointer)], repeated as many times as specified by the
			number of persistent reactors
	Н		xdictionary (hard owner), present if the has xdictionary flag is true
	X		Object specific handles
	B*		Padding bits are added until the next byte boundary is reached.
	RS		CRC

The CRC includes the size bytes.

20.2 Common entity format

Drawing entities, which are of course objects, have the same format as objects, with some additional standard items:

```
R2010+:
         {
m MC} : Size in bits of the handle stream (unsigned, 0{
m x40} is not interpreted as sign).
Commmon:
         OT : Object type
R2000+ Only:
         RL : Size of object data in bits
Common:
          H : Object's handle
         BS : Size of extended object data, if any
          X : Extended object data, if any
          B : Flag indicating presence of graphic image.
               if (graphicimageflag is 1) {
R13-R007:
                RL: Size of graphic image in bytes
R2010+:
                 BLL: Size of graphic image in bytes
Common:
                 X: The graphic image
               }
R13-R14 Only:
         RL : Size of object data in bits
         6B : Flags
         6B : Common parameters
R2000+ Only:
          B : 0 if the previous and next linkers are present; 1 if they are BOTH defaults (1
               back and 1 forward).
        ENC : Entity color
         BD : Linetype Scale
         BB : Line type flags
               00 - BYLAYER linetype
               01 - BYBLOCK linetype
               10 - CONTINUOUS linetype
               11 - Indicates that a linetype handle will be stored in the handles section of the
               entity.
         BB : Plotstyle flags:
               00 - BYLAYER plotstyle
               01 - BYBLOCK plotstyle
               10 - CONTINUOUS plotstyle
               11 - Indicates that a plotstyle handle will be stored in the handles section of
               the entity.
R2007+:
```

```
BB : Material flags:
              00 - BYLAYER material
              01 - BYBLOCK material
              10 - global material?
               11 - Indicates that a material handle will be stored in the handles section of the
               entity.
         RC : Shadow flags
R2010+:
          B : Has full visual style
          B : Has face visual style
          B : Has edge visual style
Common:
         BS : Invisible flag (bit 0: 0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
R2000+:
         RC : Entity lineweight flag
Common:
          X : Object data (varies by type of object)
          X : Handles associated with this object
         B* : Padding bits are added until the next byte boundary is reached.
         RS : CRC
```

The R13-R14 FLAGS area (6 bits) indicates which handle references are present in the HANDLE REFS area. They are as follows:

FEDCBA

```
FE : Entity mode (entmode). Generally, this indicates whether or not the owner
     relative handle reference is present. The values go as follows:
     00 : The owner relative handle reference is present.
          Applies to the following:
             VERTEX, ATTRIB, and SEQEND.
             BLOCK, ENDBLK, and the defining entities in all
             block defs except *MODEL SPACE and *PAPER SPACE.
     01 : PSPACE entity without a owner relative handle ref.
     10 : MSPACE entity without a owner relative handle ref.
     11 : Not used.
DC : This is the number of reactors attached to an entity as a bitshort. This feature
     may have been dormant in R13, but it appears in R14, and in files saved as R13 by
     R14.
B : 0 if a linetype reference is present; 1 if it's not (the default being BYLAYER --
     even though there IS a BYLAYER linetype entity and it has a handle).
A : 0 if the previous and next linkers are present; 1 if they are BOTH defaults (1
     back and 1 forward).
```

The COMMON PARAMETERS (6 bits):

CCSSII

```
CC : Color bitshort
SS : Linetype scale bitdouble
II : "Invisible" flag bitshort (bit 0: 0 = visible, 1 = invisible).
```

The ENTITY-SPECIFIC PARAMETERS area is coded with bitcodes. Each entity has its own parameter prescription. Some parameters ALWAYS appear in raw form -- even if bitcode abbreviations could be used (the 10 and 11 points in TEXT, for example). Generally the raw form is used in conditions wherein it cannot reasonably be assumed that the likely value for the particular parameter is one of the compressible values.

One method for loading these objects is to follow the object map. Doing so will cause each object to be loaded once and only once. Alternatively one can try to scan the objects as they are found, and replace objects with duplicated object handles with the ones found later in the file. The Teigha Classic for .dwg files Toolkit uses a hybrid approach, loading the control objects first, then the objects they contain.

20.3 Object types

Some object types have fixed values, others have values which vary with the drawing. Here are the fixed values:

UNUSED	0	RAY	0x28
TEXT	1	XLINE	0x29
ATTRIB	2	DICTIONARY	0x2A
ATTDEF	3	OLEFRAME	0x2B
BLOCK	4	MTEXT	0x2C
ENDBLK	5	LEADER	0x2D
SEQEND	6	TOLERANCE	0x2E
INSERT	7	MLINE	0x2F
MINSERT	8	BLOCK CONTROL OBJ	0x30
	9	BLOCK HEADER	0x31
VERTEX (2D)	0x0A	LAYER CONTROL OBJ	0x32
VERTEX (3D)	0x0B	LAYER	0x33
VERTEX (MESH)	0x0C	STYLE CONTROL OBJ	0x34
VERTEX (PFACE)	0x0D	STYLE	0x35
VERTEX (PFACE FACE)	0x0E		0x36
POLYLINE (2D)	0x0F		0x37
POLYLINE (3D)	0x10	LTYPE CONTROL OBJ	0x38
ARC	0x11	LTYPE	0x39

CIRCLE	0x12		0x3A
LINE	0x13		0x3B
DIMENSION (ORDINATE)	0x14	VIEW CONTROL OBJ	0x3C
DIMENSION (LINEAR)	0x15	VIEW	0x3D
DIMENSION (ALIGNED)	0x16	UCS CONTROL OBJ	0x3E
DIMENSION (ANG 3-Pt)	0x17	UCS	0x3F
DIMENSION (ANG 2-Ln)	0x18	VPORT CONTROL OBJ	0x40
DIMENSION (RADIUS)	0x19	VPORT	0x41
DIMENSION (DIAMETER)	0x1A	APPID CONTROL OBJ	0x42
POINT	0x1B	APPID	0x43
3DFACE	0x1C	DIMSTYLE CONTROL OBJ	0x44
POLYLINE (PFACE)	0x1D	DIMSTYLE	0x45
POLYLINE (MESH)	0x1E	VP ENT HDR CTRL OBJ	0x46
SOLID	0x1F	VP ENT HDR	0x47
TRACE	0x20	GROUP	0x48
SHAPE	0x21	MLINESTYLE	0x49
VIEWPORT	0x22	OLE2FRAME	0x4A
ELLIPSE	0x23	(DUMMY)	0x4B
SPLINE	0x24	LONG_TRANSACTION	0x4C
REGION	0x25	LWPOLYLINE	0x4D
3DSOLID	0x26	HATCH	0x4E
BODY	0x27	XRECORD	0x4F
		ACDBPLACEHOLDER	0x50
		VBA_PROJECT	0x51
		LAYOUT	0x52
		ACAD_PROXY_ENTITY	0x1f2
		ACAD_PROXY_OBJECT	0x1f3

There are a number of objects with non-fixed values. These are:

ACAD_TABLE
CELLSTYLEMAP
DBCOLOR
DICTIONARYVAR
DICTIONARYWDFLT
FIELD
GROUP
HATCH
IDBUFFER
IMAGE
IMAGEDEF
IMAGEDEF
IMAGEDEFREACTOR
LAYER_INDEX
LAYOUT
LWPLINE

MATERIAL

MLEADER MLEADERSTYLE OLE2FRAME PLACEHOLDER PLOTSETTINGS RASTERVARIABLES SCALE SORTENTSTABLE SPATIAL FILTER SPATIAL INDEX TABLEGEOMETRY TABLESTYLES VBA PROJECT VISUALSTYLE WIPEOUTVARIABLE XRECORD

For objects with non-fixed values, taking the object type minus 500 gives an index into the class list, which then determines the type of object. For instance, an object type of 501 means that this object is of the class which is second in the class list; the **classdxfname** field determines the type of the object.

See the sections on EED a description of that areas.

20.4 OBJECT PRESCRIPTIONS

The object prescriptions are given in the following form:

```
ITEM TYPE-CODE DXF-CODE DESCRIPTION
```

See the top of this document for the key to the data types used here.

20.4.1 Common Entity Data

The following data appears at the beginning of each entity in the file, and will be referred to as Common Entity Data in the subsequent entity descriptions.

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	1 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	code 0, length followed by the handle bytes.
	EED size	BS		size of extended entity data, if any
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
	Graphic present Flag	В		1 if a graphic is present
	Graphics	X		if graphicpresentflag is 1, the graphic goes here.

				See the section on Proxy Entity Graphics for the format of this section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Entmode	BB		entity mode
	Numreactors	BL		number of persistent reactors attached to this object
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
R2013+	:			
	Has DS binary data	В		If 1 then this object has associated binary data stored in the data store. See for more details chapter 24.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Isbylayerlt	В		1 if bylayer linetype, else 0
Common	:			
	Nolinks	В		1 if major links are assumed +1, -1, else 0
				For R2004+ this always has value 1
				(links are not used)
	Color	CMC(B)	62	
	Ltype scale	BD	48	
R2000+	:			
	Ltype flags	BB		00 = bylayer, 01 = byblock, 10 = continous, 11 = linetype handle present at end of object
	Plotstyle flags	BB		00 = bylayer, 01 = byblock, 11 = plotstyle handle present at end of object
R2007+	:			
	Material flags	BB		00 = bylayer, 01 = byblock, 11 = material handle present at end of object
	Shadow flags	RC		
Common	:			
	Invisibility	BS	60	
R2000+	:			
	Lineweight	RC	370	

20.4.2 Common Entity Handle Data

The following data appears in the handles section of each entity, and will be referred to as Common Entity Handle Data in the subsequent entity descriptions.

Handle refs

```
[Owner ref handle (soft pointer)]
              [Reactors (soft pointer)]
              xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
R13-R14 Only:
           8 LAYER (hard pointer)
           6 [LTYPE (hard pointer)] (present if Isbylayerlt is 0)
R13-R2000 Only:
              previous/next handles present if Nolinks is 0
              [PREVIOUS ENTITY (relative soft pointer)]
              [NEXT ENTITY (relative soft pointer)]
R2004+:
              [Color book color handle (hard pointer)]
R2000+ Only:
           8 LAYER (hard pointer)
           6 [LTYPE (hard pointer)] present if linetype flags
              were 11
R2007+:
             MATERIAL present if material flags were 11
R2000+:
              PLOTSTYLE (hard pointer) present if plotstyle flags
              were 11
R2010+:
              If has full visual style, the full visual style handle (hard pointer).
              If has face visual style, the face visual style handle (hard pointer).
              If has edge visual style, the full visual style handle (hard pointer).
```

20.4.3 TEXT (1)

Common Entity Data

R13-14 Only:

Elevation	BD	
Insertion pt	2RD	10
Alignment pt	2RD	11
Extrusion	3BD	210
Thickness	BD	39
Oblique ang	BD	51
Rotation ang	BD	50
Height	BD	40
Width factor	BD	41
Text value	TV	1

	Generation	BS	71	
	Horiz align.	BS	72	
	Vert align.	BS	73	
R2000+	Only:			
	DataFlags	RC		Used to determine presence of subsquent data
	Elevation	RD		present if !(DataFlags & 0x01)
	Insertion pt	2RD	10	
	Alignment pt	2DD	11	present if !(DataFlags & $0x02$), use 10 & 20 values for 2 default values.
	Extrusion	BE	210	
	Thickness	BT	39	
	Oblique ang	RD	51	present if !(DataFlags & 0x04)
	Rotation ang	RD	50	present if !(DataFlags & 0x08)
	Height	RD	40	
	Width factor	RD	41	present if !(DataFlags & 0x10)
	Text value	TV	1	
	Generation	BS	71	present if !(DataFlags & 0x20)
	Horiz align.	BS	72	present if !(DataFlags & 0x40)
	Vert align.	BS	73	present if !(DataFlags & 0x80)
Common	1:			
	Common Entity Handle	e Data		
		Н	7	STYLE (hard pointer)
	CRC	Х		

20.4.3.1 R14 Example:

```
OBJECT: text (1H), len 49H (73), handle: 4C 00559 49 00
                                       I.
                                            0100 1001 0000 0000
 0055B 40 40 53 20 58 10 00 05 @@8 x... 0100 0000 0100 0000 0101 0010 0000 0101 1000 0001 1000 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101
 00573 08 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
                 00583 00 14 D4 4D 4C CC CC CC ...ML... 0000 0000 0001 0100 1101 0100 1101 0100 1100 1100 1100 1100 1100 1100 1100 1100
 0058B CC E4 9F A8 63 A3 43 4B ....c.CK 1100 1100 1110 0100 1001 1111 1010 1000 0110 0011 1010 0011 0100 0011 0100 1011
 0059B A5 46 0A 21 E8 08 0A 22 ...F.!..." 1010 0101 0100 0110 0000 1010 0001 1110 1000 0000 1000 0000 1010 0010
 005A3 00
                       0000 0000
 005A4 C9 72
                 crc
ENDOBJECT
```

20.4.4 ATTRIB (2)

```
Common TEXT Entity Data  \begin{tabular}{ll} R2010+: & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & &
```

R2018+:

	Attribute type	RC	71	<pre>1 = Single line,</pre>
				2 = Multi line (ATTRIB),
				4 = Multie line (ATTDEF)
IF Att	ribute type is multi l	ine		
	MTEXT fields			Here all fields of an embedded MTEXT object
				are written, starting from the Entmode
				(entity mode). The owner handle can be 0 .
				For DXF this is marked with <101, Embedded Object>,
				Followed by the MTEXT fields, starting with the
				Insertion point (group 10).
	Annotative data size	BS		
IF Ann	otative data size grea	ter th	an zero	
	Annotative data byte	s RC		Byte array with length Annotative data size.
	Registered applicati	on H		Hard pointer.
	Unknown	BS	72?	Value 0.
END IF	1			
	Tag string	VT	2	
	Unknown	BS	73?	Value 0
	Flags	RC	70	0 = None,
				<pre>1 = Invisible,</pre>
				2 = Constant,
				4 = Input verification required,
				8 = Preset
	Lock position	В	280	
END IF	,			
Common	:			
IF Att	ribute type is single	line		
	Tag	TV	2	
	Field length	BS	73	unused
	Flags	RC	70	NOT bit-pair-coded.
R2007+	:			
	Lock position flag	В	280	
END IF	' (single line)			
Common	:			
	CRC	Х		

20.4.4.1 R14 Example:

```
00614 58 00
               0101 1000 0000 0000
0064E FF FD E7 E8 5B 6B CB 0B ....[k..
               1111 1111 1111 1101 1110 0111 1110 1000 0101 1011 0110 1011 1100 1011 0000 1011
               1010 0011 1010 0001 0000 0011 1011 0011 0000 1011 0110 0011 1010 1011 0010 1101
00656 A3 A1 03 B3 0B 63 AB 2D
           ....c.-
0065E 48 2A 6A CA 0A A2 A4 01 H*j..... 0100 1000 0010 1010 0110 1100 1010 0000 1010 1010 0010 1010 0100 0000 0001
00666 00 60 A2 1E 80 80 A2 21 .....! 0000 0000 0110 0000 1010 0001 1110 1000 0000 1000 0000 1010 0010 0001
0066E 6F A6
```

20.4.5 ATTDEF (3)

Common ATTRIB Entity Data

R2010+:

Version RC ?

Common:

Prompt TV 3

CRC X ---

20.4.5.1 R14 Example:

```
spec3.dwg
OBJECT: attdef (3H), len 50H (80), handle: 4C
               P.
 00559 50 00
                   0101 0000 0000 0000
 0058B CC E4 9F B5 48 2A 6A CA ....H*j. 1100 1100 1110 0100 1001 1111 1011 0101 0100 1000 0010 1010 0110 1010 1100 1010
 00593 0A A2 A4 00 85 A2 B7 3A ....... 0000 1010 1010 0010 1010 0100 0000 0000 1000 0101 1010 0010 1011 0111 0111 0111 1010
 0059B 32 B9 10 36 BC B0 BA 3A 2..6...: 0011 0010 1011 1001 0001 0000 0011 0110 1011 1100 1011 0000 1011 1010 0011 1010
 005A3 18 28 87 A0 20 28 88 00 .(.. (.. 0001 1000 0010 1000 1000 0111 1010 0000 0010 0000 0010 1000 1000 1000 0000
 005AB 78 53
               crc
```

20.4.6 BLOCK (4)

Common Entity Data

```
Block name TV 2

Common Entity Handle Data

CRC X ---
```

20.4.6.1 Example:

NOTES: The BLOCK_RECORD entity seems to have all the goodies that show up in a BLOCK entget - except for the common parameters. The actual BLOCK entity seems to be almost a dummy.

20.4.7 ENDBLK (5)

```
Common Entity Data

Common Entity Handle Data

CRC X ---
```

20.4.7.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: endblk (5H), len FH (15), handle: 1B

00685 0F 00

.. 0000 1111 0000 0000

00687 41 40 46 E2 48 00 00 05 A@F.H... 0100 0001 0100 0000 0110 1110 0010 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101

0068F 5B 18 28 87 A0 20 20

[.(.. 0101 1011 0001 1000 0101 1000 0111 1010 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0100 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101

00696 2E 8B crc
```

20.4.8 **SEQEND (6)**

```
Common Entity Data

Common Entity Handle Data

CRC X ---
```

20.4.8.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: seqend (6H), len 11H (17), handle: 53

00670 11 00 ... 0001 0001 0000 0000

00672 41 80 54 E2 48 00 00 01 A.T.H... 0100 0001 1000 0000 0101 0100 1110 0010 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0001

0067A 5B 60 81 18 28 87 A0 20 [`..(... 0101 1011 0110 0000 1000 1000 0011 1000 0100 1000 0111 1010 0000 0100 0000

00682 08 ... 0000 1000

00683 88 C7 crc
```

20.4.9 INSERT (7)

```
Common Entity Data
Ins pt 3BD 10
R13-R14 Only:
X Scale BD 41
Y Scale BD 42
```

	Z Scale	BD	43				
R2000+	R2000+ Only:						
	Data flags	ВВ					
	Scale Data			Varies with Data flags:			
				11 - scale is (1.0, 1.0, 1.0), no data stored.			
				01 - 41 value is 1.0, 2 DD's are present, each using 1.0 as the default value, representing the 42 and 43 values.			
				10 - 41 value stored as a RD, and 42 $\&$ 43 values are not stored, assumed equal to 41 value.			
				00 - 41 value stored as a RD, followed by a 42 value stored as DD (use 41 for default value), and a 43 value stored as a DD (use 41 value for default value).			
Common	:						
	Rotation	BD	50				
	Extrusion	3BD	210				
	Has ATTRIBs	В	66	Single bit; 1 if ATTRIBs follow.			
R2004+	:						
	Owned Object Count	BL		Number of objects owned by this object.			
Common	:						
	Common Entity Handle	Data					
		Н	2	BLOCK HEADER (hard pointer)			
R13-R2	00:						
		Н		[1st ATTRIB (soft pointer)] if 66 bit set; can be NULL			
		Н		<pre>[last ATTRIB](soft pointer)] if 66 bit set; can be NULL</pre>			
R2004:							
		Н		[ATTRIB (hard owner)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" times.			
Common	:						
		Н		[SEQEND (hard owner)] if 66 bit set			
	CRC	Х					

20.4.9.1 R14 Example:

20.4.10 MINSERT (8)

	Common Entity Data			
	Ins pt	3BD	10	
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	X Scale	BD	41	
	Y Scale	BD	42	
	Z Scale	BD	43	
R2000+	Only:			
	Data flags	ВВ		
	Scale Data			Varies with Data flags:
				11 - scale is (1.0, 1.0, 1.0), no data stored.
				01 - 41 value is 1.0, 2 DD's are present, each using 1.0 as the default value, representing the 42 and 43 values.
				10 - 41 value stored as a RD, and 42 & 43 values are not stored, assumed equal to 41 value.
				00 - 41 value stored as a RD, followed by a 42 value stored as DD (use 41 for default value), and a 43 value stored as a DD (use 41 value for default value).
Common	:			
	Rotation	BD	50	
	Extrusion	3BD	210	
	Has ATTRIBs	В	66	Single bit; 1 if ATTRIBs follow.
R2004+	:			
	Owned Object Count	BL		Number of objects owned by this object.
Common	:			
	Numcols	BS	70	
	Numrows	BS	71	
	Col spacing	BD	44	
	Row spacing	BD	45	
	Common Entity Handle	Data		
		Н	2	BLOCK HEADER (hard pointer)
R13-R2	000:			
		Н		[1st ATTRIB (soft pointer)] if 66 bit set; can be NULL
		Н		<pre>[last ATTRIB](soft pointer)] if 66 bit set; can be NULL</pre>
R2004+	:			
		Н		[ATTRIB (soft pointer)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" times.
Common	:			
		Н		[SEQEND (hard owner)] if 66 bit set

CRC X ---

20.4.10.1 R14 Example:

20.4.11 VERTEX (2D) (10)

	Common Entity Data			
	Flags	EC	70	NOT bit-pair-coded.
	Point	3BD	10	NOTE THAT THE Z SEEMS TO ALWAYS BE 0.0! The Z must be taken from the 2D POLYLINE elevation.
	Start width	BD	40	If it's negative, use the abs val for start AND end widths (and note that no end width will be present). This is a compression trick for cases where the start and end widths are identical and non-0.
	End width	BD	41	Not present if the start width is < 0.0; see above.
	Bulge	BD	42	
R2010+:	:			
	Vertex ID	BL	91	
Common:	:			
	Tangent dir	BD	50	
	Common Entity Handle	Data		
	CRC	X		

20.4.11.1 **Example:**

NOTES: Neither elevation nor thickness are present in the 2D VERTEX data. Both should be taken from the 2D POLYLINE entity (15).

20.4.12 VERTEX (3D) (11)

```
Common Entity Data

Flags EC 70 NOT bit-pair-coded.

Point 3BD 10

Common Entity Handle Data

CRC X ---
```

20.4.12.1 Example:

20.4.13 VERTEX (MESH) (12)

```
Same as VERTEX (3D) (11) except for type code.
```

20.4.13.1 Example:

20.4.14 VERTEX (PFACE) (13)

```
Same as VERTEX (3D) (11) except for type code.
```

R13 .dwg files seem to have color and linetype data for all PFACE VERTEXs (both types), but R12 and SAVEASR12 seem to omit color and linetype when writing out the location VERTEXs.

20.4.14.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: pface pt (DH), len 21H (33), handle: 56

00BDD 21 00 !. 0010 0001 0000 0000
```

20.4.15 VERTEX (PFACE FACE) (14)

Common Entity Data	ì		
Vert index	BS	71	1-based vertex index (see DXF doc)
Vert index	BS	72	1-based vertex index (see DXF doc)
Vert index	BS	73	1-based vertex index (see DXF doc)
Vert index	BS	74	1-based vertex index (see DXF doc)
Common Entity Hand	dle Data		
CRC	Х		

20.4.15.1 Example:

20.4.16 2D POLYLINE (15)

Common Entity Handle Data

	Common Entity Data			
	Flags	BS	70	
	Curve type	BS	75	Curve and smooth surface type.
	Start width	BD	40	Default start width
	End width	BD	41	Default end width
	Thickness	BT	39	
	Elevation	BD	10	The 10-pt is (0,0,elev)
	Extrusion	BE	210	
R2004+	:			
	Owned Object Count	BL		Number of objects owned by this object.
Common	:			

R13-R2000:

H 1st VERTEX (soft pointer)

H last VERTEX (soft pointer)

R2004+:

H [VERTEX (hard owner)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" times.

Common:

H SEQEND (hard owner)

20.4.16.1 R14 Example:

20.4.17 3D POLYLINE (16)

```
Common Entity Data
                              RC
                                            NOT DIRECTLY THE 75. Bit-coded (76543210):
       Flags
                                     70
                                     75
                                             0 : Splined (75 value is 5)
                                             1 : Splined (75 value is 6)
                                             (If either is set, set 70 bit 2 (4) to indicate
                                             splined.)
                                             NOT DIRECTLY THE 70. Bit-coded (76543210):
       Flags
                              RC
                                     70
                                             0 : Closed (70 bit 0 (1))
                                             (Set 70 bit 3 (8) because this is a 3D POLYLINE.)
R2004+:
       Owned Object Count
                           BL
                                             Number of objects owned by this object.
Common:
       Common Entity Handle Data
R13-R2000:
                                             first VERTEX (soft pointer)
                                             last VERTEX (soft pointer)
R2004+:
                                             [VERTEX (hard owner)] Repeats "Owned Object Count"
Common:
```

SEQEND (hard owner)

CRC X ---

20.4.17.1 Example:

OBJECT: 3d poly start (10H), len 19H (25), handle: 5E

OCCDA 19 00 ... 0001 1001 0000 0000

OCCDC 44 00 57 A2 C8 00 00 05 D.W..... 0100 0100 0000 0000 0101 0111 1010 0010 1100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101

OCCE4 5B 00 00 18 28 87 E0 84 [...(... 0101 1011 0000 0000 0000 0001 1000 0101 1000 1000 0111 1110 0000 1000 0100

OCCEC D0 83 20 AF A0 B1 18 B1 1101 0000 1000 0011 0010 0100 1111 1010 0000 1011 0001 1000 1011 0001

OCCF4 80 ... 1000 0000

20.4.18 ARC (17)

Common Entity Data

Center 3BD 10 Radius BD 40 Thickness BT 39 Extrusion ΒE 210 Start angle BD 50 End angle ВD 51 Common Entity Handle Data

20.4.18.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: arc (11H), len 3AH (58), handle: 64

20.4.19 ARC_DIMENSION

Class properties:

App name	ObjectDBX Classes
Class number	Dynamic (>= 500)
DWG version	R18
Maintenance version	0
Class proxy flags	0x401
C++ class name	AcDbArcDimension
DXF name	ARC_DIMENSION

The arc length dimension was introduced in AutoCAD 2004. The DXF format is slightly different from the other dimension entities. The entity type in DXF is $ARC_DIMENSION$, rather than DIMENSION.

Common Entity Data			
Common Dimension Data			See paragraph 20.4.22.
Common:			
Dim line arc point	3BD	10	
Extension line 1 point	3BD	13	
Extension line 2 point	3BD	14	
Arc center	3BD	15	
Is partial?	В	70	
Start angle (radians)	BD	40	
End angle (radians)	BD	41	
Has leader?	В	71	
Leader point 1	3BD	16	
Leader point 2	3BD	17	
Common Entity Handle Data			
	Н	3	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
	Н	2	anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)
CRC	Х		

20.4.20 CIRCLE (18)

Common Entity Data			
Center	3BD	10	
Radius	BD	40	
Thickness	BT	39	
Extrusion	BE	210	
Common Entity Handle	Data		
CRC	Х		

20.4.20.1 R14 Example:

0154E 2B	00		+.	0010	1011	0000	0000												
01550 44	80 64 A0 C8 08 00	05	D.d	0100	0100	1000	0000	0110	0100	1010	0000	1100	1000	0000	1000	0000	0000	0000	0101
01558 5B	0A 88 A1 BF 90 3E	С3	[?.	0101	1011	0000	1010	1000	1000	1010	0001	1011	1111	1001	0000	0011	1111	1100	0011
01560 48	00 45 2D C2 C7 6E	28	H.Eo(0100	1000	0000	0000	0100	0101	0010	1101	1100	0010	1100	0111	0110	1111	0010	1000
01568 FA	04 6A 9D CD 75 A2	1A	ju	1111	1010	0000	0100	0110	1010	1001	1101	1100	1101	0111	0101	1010	0010	0001	1010
01570 72	9F D4 98 28 87 E0	96	r(0111	0010	1001	1111	1101	0100	1001	1000	0010	1000	1000	0111	1110	0000	1001	0110
01578 50	86 6D		P.m	0101	0000	1000	0110	0110	1101										
0157B 36	1C		crc																

20.4.21 LINE (19)

Common Entity Data

R13-R14 Only:

Start pt 3BD 10 End pt 3BD 11

R2000+:

 $\mathbf{Z's}$ are zero bit \mathbf{B}

Start Point x RD 10

End Point x DD 11 Use 10 value for default

Start Point y RD 20

End Point y $\,$ DD $\,$ 21 $\,$ Use 20 value for default

Start Point z RD 30 Present only if "Z's are zero bit" is 0

End Point z DD 31 Present only if "Z's are zero bit" is 0, use 30

value for default.

Common:

Thickness BT 39 Extrusion BE 210

Common Entity Handle Data

CRC X ---

20.4.21.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: line (13H), len 35H (53), handle: CC $\,$

004CF 03 E8 15 4E 08 11 82 88 0000 0011 1110 1000 0001 0010 0100 1111 1111 0111 1111 0110 1101 1000 1000 1000 0010 7A 88 9A 03 06 0111 1010 1000 1000 1001 1010 0000 0011 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110 0000 0110

20.4.22	COMMON DIMEN	ISION	DATA	
R2010:				
	Version	RC	280	0 = R2010
Common	:			
	Extrusion	3BD	210	
	Text midpt	2RD	11	See DXF documentation.
	Elevation	BD	11	Z-coord for the ECS points (11, 12, 16).
			12	(The 16 remains $(0,0,0)$ in entgets of this entity, since the 16 is not used in this type of dimension and is not present in the binary form here.)
	Flags 1	RC	70	Non-bit-pair-coded. NOT the 70 group, but helps define it. Apparently only the two lowest bit are used:
				76543210:
				Bit 0 : The OPPOSITE of bit 7 (128) of 70.
				Bit 1 : Same as bit 5 (32) of the 70 (but 32 is not doc'd by ACAD).
				The actual 70-group value comes from 3 things:
				6 for being an ordinate DIMENSION, plus whatever bits "Flags 1" and "Flags 2" specify.
	User text	TV	1	
	Text rot	BD	53	See DXF documentation.
	Horiz dir	BD	51	See DXF documentation.
	Ins X-scale	BD	41	Undoc'd. These apply to the insertion of the
	Ins Y-scale	BD	42	anonymous block. None of them can be
	Ins Z-scale	BD	43	dealt with via entget/entmake/entmod.
	Ins rotation	BD	54	The last 2 (43 and 54) are reported by DXFOUT (when not default values). ALL OF THEM can be set via DXFIN, however.
R2000+	:			
	Attachment Point	BS	71	
	Linespacing Style	BS	72	
	Linespacing Factor	BD	41	
	Actual Measurement	BD	42	
R2007+	:			
	Unknown	В	73	
	Flip arrow1	В	74	

Flip arrow2	В	75	
Common:			
12-pt	2RD	12	See DXF documentation.

20.4.23 DIMENSION (ORDINATE) (20)

	Common Entity Data			
	Common Dimension Data	a		See paragraph 20.4.22.
Common	:			
	10-pt	3BD	10	See DXF documentation.
	13-pt	3BD	13	See DXF documentation.
	14-pt	3BD	14	See DXF documentation.
	Flags 2	RC	70	Non-bit-pair-coded. NOT the 70 group, but helps define it. Apparently only the lowest bit is used; it's bit 6 (64) of the 70 group.
	Common Entity Handle	Data		
		Н	3	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
		Н	2	anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)
	CRC	X		

20.4.23.1 R14 Example:

```
OBJECT: dim ordinate (14H), len 5CH (92), handle: 9E
  0157D 5C 00
                  \.
                        0101 1100 0000 0000
  0157F 45 00 67 A4 08 10 00 05 E.g..... 0100 0101 0000 0000 0110 0111 1010 0100 0000 1000 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101
  01587 5B 52 6B 24 C2 1F B9 8C [Rk$.... 0101 1011 0101 0010 0110 1011 0010 0100 1100 0000 1101 1011 1011 1011 1001 1000
  01597 F0 7F 05 D4 AC 00 00 00 ....... 1111 0000 0111 1111 0000 0101 1101 0100 1010 1100 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
  015AF 7F 51 B7 94 26 80 2C 78 .Q...... 0111 1111 0101 0001 1011 0111 1000 0100 0110 1000 0000 0010 1100 0111 1000
  015C7 6E 4C 98 C7 73 F0 7F 00    nL.s...    0110 1110 0100 1100 1001 1000 1110 0111 0111 0011 1111 0000 0111 1111 0000 0000
  015CF 18 28 87 EO 86 50 87 28 .(...P.( 0001 1000 0010 1000 0111 1110 0000 1000 0110 0101 0000 1000 0111 0010 1000
  015D7 8E A8 C9 80
                        1000 1110 1010 1000 1100 1001 1000 0000
  015DB 8E 48
                  crc
```

20.4.24 DIMENSION (LINEAR) (21)

	Common Entity Data			
	Common Dimension Data	a		See paragraph 20.4.22.
Common	:			
	13-pt	3BD	13	See DXF documentation.
	14-pt	3BD	14	See DXF documentation.
	10-pt	3BD	10	See DXF documentation.
	Ext ln rot	BD	52	Extension line rotation; see DXF documentation.
	Dim rot	BD	50	Linear dimension rotation; see DXF documentation.
	Common Entity Handle	Data		
		Н	3	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
		Н	2	anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)
	CRC	X		

20.4.24.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: dim linear (15H), len 6BH	(107), hand	le: AC
015DD 6B 00	k.	0110 1011 0000 0000
015DF 45 40 6B 27 E8 10 00 05	E@k'	0100 0101 0100 0000 0110 1011 0010 0111 1110 1000 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101
015E7 5B 52 A8 5F BD 44 3D 70	[RD=p	0101 1011 0101 0010 1010 1000 0101 1111 1011 1101 0100 0100 0011 1101 0111 0000
015EF 3C 80 80 18 62 E8 57 62	<b.wb< td=""><td>0011 1100 1000 0000 1000 0000 0001 1000 0110 0010 1110 1000 0101 0111 0110 0010</td></b.wb<>	0011 1100 1000 0000 1000 0000 0001 1000 0110 0010 1110 1000 0101 0111 0110 0010
015F7 24 81 05 D4 AC 00 00 00	\$	0010 0100 1000 0001 0000 0101 1101 0100 1010 1100 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
015FF 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
01607 00 00 00 00 00 72 6E 2A	rn*	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
0160F 01 C0 D2 8D 20 09 11 EC		0000 0001 1100 0000 1101 0010 1000 1101 0010 0000 0000 1001 0001 0001 1110 1100
01617 04 B1 82 01 48 11 C5 80	н	0000 0100 1011 0001 1000 0010 0000 0001 0100 1000 0001 0001 1100 0101 1000 0000
0161F 66 42 BC CA 42 80 5C 7C	fBB.\	0110 0110 0100 0010 1011 1100 1100 1010 0100 0010 1000 0000 0101 1100 0111 1100
01627 B9 38 1C BB 05 20 47 16	.8 G.	1011 1001 0011 1000 0001 1100 1011 1011 0000 0101 0010 0000 0100 0111 0001 0110
0162F 01 99 0A F3 29 0A 00 80)	0000 0001 1001 1001 0000 1010 1111 0011 0010 1001 0000 1010 0000 0000 1000 0000
01637 18 62 E8 57 62 24 81 51	.b.Wb\$.Q	0001 1000 0110 0010 1110 1000 0101 0111 0110 0010 0010 0100 1000 0001 0101 0001
0163F 82 88 7E 08 75 08 72 88	~.u.r.	1000 0010 1000 1000 0111 1110 0000 1000 0111 0101 0000 1000 0111 0010 1000 1000
01647 EA 8C FB		1110 1010 1000 1100 1111 1011
0164A 48 DA	crc	

20.4.25 DIMENSION (ALIGNED) (22)

Common Entity Data

Common Dimension Data

See paragraph 20.4.22.

Common	:			
	13-pt	3BD	13	See DXF documentation.
	14-pt	3BD	14	See DXF documentation.
	10-pt	3BD	10	See DXF documentation.
	Ext ln rot	BD	52	Extension line rotation; see DXF documentation.
	Common Entity Handle	Data		
		Н	3	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
		Н	2	anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)
	CRC	X		

20.4.25.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: dim aligned (16H), len 6BH (107), handle: BA

0164C 6B 00	k.	0110 1011 0000 0000
0164E 45 80 6E A7 D8 10 00 05	E.n	0100 0101 1000 0000 0110 1110 1010 0111 1101 1000 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101
01656 5B 53 B7 92 B9 9A CA CA	[S	0101 1011 0101 0011 1011 0111 1001 0010 1011 1001 1001 1010 1100 1010 1100
0165E 1C 81 55 6D 19 67 3E 90	Um.g>.	0001 1100 1000 0001 0101 0101 0110 1101 0001 1001 0110 0111 0011 1110 1001 0000
01666 28 81 05 D4 AC 00 00 00	(0010 1000 1000 0001 0000 0101 1101 0100 1010 1100 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
0166E 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
01676 00 00 00 00 00 2A 41 59	*AY	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
0167E E6 59 20 09 20 04 E7 DE	.y	1110 0110 0101 1001 0010 0000 0000 1001 0010 0000 0000 0100 1110 0111 1101 1110
01686 65 A9 1D 81 E8 11 E8 B7	e	0110 0101 1010 1001 0001 1101 1000 0001 1110 1000 0001 0001 1110 1000 1011 0111
0168E 57 AB F5 B4 22 80 6E 48	W".nH	0101 0111 1010 1011 1111 0101 1011 0100 0010 0010 1000 0000 0110 1110 0100 1000
01696 CB DF EC 81 08 20 46 F7	F.	1100 1011 1101 1111 1110 1100 1000 0001 0000 1000 0010 0000 0100 0110 1111 0111
0169E 1E 19 C7 7A E8 92 00 60	z`	0001 1110 0001 1001 1100 0111 0111 1010 1110 1000 1001 0010 0000 0000 0110 0000
016A6 DD 30 19 D6 34 28 81 46	.04(.F	1101 1101 0011 0000 0001 1001 1101 0110 0011 0100 0010 1000 1000 0001 0100 0110
016AE 0A 21 F8 21 D4 21 EA 23	.!.!.#	0000 1010 0010 0001 1111 1000 0010 0001 1101 0100 0010 0001 1110 1010 0010 0011
016B6 AA 35 BB	.5.	1010 1010 0011 0101 1011 1011
016B9 EA 25	crc	

20.4.26 DIMENSION (ANGULAR, 3-PT) (23)

Common Entity Data
Common Dimension Data
See paragraph 20.4.22.

Common:

10-pt 3BD 10 See DXF documentation.
13-pt 3BD 13 See DXF documentation.
14-pt 3BD 14 See DXF documentation.

15-pt	3BD	15	See DX	IF documentation.
Common Entity Handle	Data			
	Н		3	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
	Н		2	anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)
CRC	X			

20.4.26.1 R14 Example:

```
OBJECT: dim angular (17H), len 7BH (123), handle: C9
                       {.
                              0111 1011 0000 0000
  016C5 5B 53 DC 3A 57 CD 05 40 [S.:W..@ 0101 1011 0101 0011 1101 1100 0011 1010 0101 0111 1100 1101 0100 0100 0101
  016CD 2E 80 CO 5E B2 D6 6F 22 ...^... 0010 1110 1000 0000 1100 0000 0101 1110 1011 0010 1101 0110 0110 1111 0010 0010
  016ED 7C 2C 5E 0C A0 11 CO E9 |,^..... 0111 1100 0010 1100 0101 1110 0000 1100 1010 0000 0001 0001 1100 0000 1110 1001
  016F5 18 9D 34 04 28 10 D2 BA ..4.(... 0001 1000 1001 1101 0010 0100 0000 0100 0010 1000 0001 1000 0101 1011 0101
  016FD AD A6 B9 2C 3A 80 61 CA ....: a. 1010 1101 1010 0110 1011 1001 0100 0110 1010 1010 1010 1000 0000 0110 0001 1100 1010
  01705 13 3A 13 1C 90 20 45 65 ..... Ee 0001 0011 0011 1010 0001 0011 1000 1001 0000 0010 0000 0100 0101 0101 0101
  0170D 3A 06 5E 80 38 EA 00 D8 :.^.8... 0011 1010 0000 0110 0101 1110 1000 0000 0011 1000 1110 1010 0000 0000 1101 1000
  01715 3B 7A 98 A2 88 3A 81 0A ;z..... 0011 1011 1011 1010 1001 1000 1010 1000 1000 0011 1010 1000 0001 0000 1010
  0171D 88 A1 BF 90 3F C3 48 00 ....?.H. 1000 1010 1010 0001 1011 1111 1001 0000 0011 1111 1100 0011 0100 1000 0000
  0172D 60 A2 1F 82 1F 42 18 A2 `....B.. 0110 0000 1010 0010 0001 1111 1000 0010 1011 0101 0010 1010 0010
  01735 3A A3 76
                              0011 1010 1010 0011 0111 0110
                      :.v
  01738 42 38
```

20.4.27 DIMENSION (ANGULAR, 2-LINE) (24)

Common Entity Data Common Dimension Data See paragraph 20.4.22. Common: 16-pt 2RD 16 See DXF documentation. 13-pt 3BD 13 See DXF documentation. 14-pt 3BD See DXF documentation. 15-pt 3BD 15 See DXF documentation. 10-pt 3BD See DXF documentation. Common Entity Handle Data

H 3 DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)

H 2 anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)

CRC X ---

20.4.28 **DIMENSION** (RADIUS) (25)

Common Entity Data Common Dimension Data See paragraph 20.4.22. Common: 10-pt 3BD 1.0 See DXF documentation. 15-pt 3BD 1.5 See DXF documentation. Leader len D 40 Leader length. Common Entity Handle Data 3 DIMSTYLE (hard pointer) 2 anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer) CRC

20.4.28.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: dim radial (19H), len 71H (113), handle: D5

017AC 94 . 1001 0100

017AD EA 1E cro

20.4.29 DIMENSION (DIAMETER) (26)

Common Entity Data Common Dimension Data See paragraph 20.4.22. Common: 15-pt 3BD 15 See DXF documentation. 10-pt 3BD 10 See DXF documentation. Leader len 40 Leader length. Common Entity Handle Data 3 DIMSTYLE (hard pointer) Н 2 anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer) CRC Χ

20.4.29.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: dim diameter (1AH), len 70H (112), handle: El

0111 0000 0000 0000 017B1 46 80 78 51 45 11 10 00 F.xoE... 0100 0110 1000 0000 0111 1000 0101 0001 0101 0001 0001 0001 0001 0000 0000 017B9 60 01 E4 45 35 45 94 C4 `..E5E.. 0110 0000 0000 0001 1110 0100 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101 0100 0100 017C9 00 20 18 5E 06 00 01 56 ..^...V 0000 0000 0010 0000 1000 1100 0101 1110 0000 0110 0000 0000 0000 0001 0101 0110 017D1 D4 AE 72 3A F7 9A B2 10 1101 0100 1010 1110 0111 0010 0011 1010 1111 0111 1010 1010 1010 1010 0001 017D9 A0 4A 92 A4 03 41 DC 0E .J...A.. 1010 0000 0100 1010 1001 0010 1010 0100 0000 0011 0100 0001 1101 1100 0000 1110 017F9 4E 85 E3 A8 06 3F D6 3A N....?: 0100 1110 1000 0101 1110 0011 1010 1000 0000 0110 0011 1111 1101 0110 0011 1010 01801 B1 4B 40 F2 04 65 89 57 .K@..e.W 1011 0001 0100 1011 0100 0000 1111 0010 0000 0100 0110 0101 1000 1001 0101 0111 01809 1E C7 E6 8C 20 14 94 EA 0001 1110 1100 0111 1110 0110 1000 1100 0010 0000 0001 0100 1001 0100 1110 1010 01819 1F 82 18 CO A2 3A A3 AD 0001 1111 1000 0010 0001 1000 1100 0000 1010 0010 0011 1010 1010 1010 1010 01821 37 B4

20.4.30 LARGE_RADIAL_DIMENSION

Class properties:

App name	ObjectDBX Classes

Class number	Dynamic (>= 500)
DWG version	R18
Maintenance version	0
Class proxy flags	0x401
C++ class name	AcDbRadialDimensionLarge
DXF name	LARGE_RADIAL_DIMENSION

The large radial dimension was introduced in AutoCAD 2004. The DXF format is slightly different from the other dimension entities. The entity type in DXF is <code>LARGE_RADIAL_DIMENSION</code>, rather than <code>DIMENSION</code>.

CRC	Х		
	Н	2	anonymous BLOCK (hard pointer)
	Н	3	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
Common Entity Handle Data			
Jog point	3BD	15	
Override center	3BD	14	
Unknown	BD	40	Value 0
Chord point	3BD	13	
Center point	3BD	10	
Common:			
Common Dimension Data			See paragraph 20.4.22.
Common Entity Data			

20.4.31 POINT (27)

```
Common Entity Data

Point 3BD 10

Thickness BT 39

Extrusion BE 210

X-axis ang BD 50 See DXF documentation

Common Entity Handle Data

CRC X ----
```

20.4.31.1 R14 Example:

20.4.32 3DFACE (28)

Common Entity Data

R13-R14 Only:

 1st corner
 3BD
 10

 2nd corner
 3BD
 11

 3rd corner
 3BD
 12

 4th corner
 3BD
 13

Invis flags BS 70 Invisible edge flags

R2000+:

Has no flag ind. В Z is zero bit В $1^{\rm st}$ corner x 10 RD 1st corner y RD 20 Present only if "Z is zero bit" is 0. 1st corner z RD 30 2nd corner 3DD 11 Use 10 value as default point 3rd corner 3DD 12 Use 11 value as default point 4th corner 3DD 13 Use 12 value as default point Invis flags BS 70 Present it "Has no flag ind." is 0.

Common:

Common Entity Handle Data

20.4.32.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: 3d face (1CH), len 50H (80), handle: E3

20.4.33 POLYLINE (PFACE) (29)

Common Entity Data Numverts BS 71 Number of vertices in the mesh. Numfaces BS 72 Number of faces R2004+: Owned Object Count Number of objects owned by this object. $_{\mathrm{BL}}$ Common: Common Entity Handle Data R13-R2000: Η first VERTEX (soft pointer) last VERTEX (soft pointer) Η R2004+: [VERTEX (soft pointer)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" Η

times.

Н

Χ

SEQEND (hard owner)

20.4.33.1 Example:

CRC

Common:

20.4.34 POLYLINE (MESH) (30)

Common Entity Data Flags BS 70 Curve type BS 75 Curve and smooth surface type. M vert count BS 71 M vertex count N vert count BS 72 N vertex count M density BS 73 M vertex count N density BS 74 N vertex count R2004+: Owned Object Count Number of objects owned by this object. ВL Common: Common Entity Handle Data

R13-R2000:		
	Н	FIRST VERTEX (soft pointer)
	Н	LAST VERTEX (soft pointer)
R2004+:		
	Н	[VERTEX (soft pointer)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" times.
Common:		
	Н	SEQEND (CODE 3)
CRC	Х	

20.4.34.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: 3d surf sol st (1EH), len 1AH (26), handle: 66

ODE18 1A 00 ... OD01 1010 0000 0000

ODE1A 47 80 59 A3 68 00 00 05 G.Y.h... 0100 0111 1000 0000 0101 1001 0110 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0101

ODE22 5B 22 32 0C 83 D1 82 88 ["2..... 0101 1011 0010 0010 0011 0100 0000 1100 1000 0011 1101 0001 1000 0010 1000

ODE2A 7C 05 09 62 0B 3A 0C 81 |...b.... 0111 1100 0000 0101 0000 1001 0110 0010 0010 1011 0011 1010 0000 1100 0001

ODE32 8C 8C ... 1000 1100 1000 1100

ODE34 3C E7 crc
```

20.4.35 SOLID (31)

```
Common Entity Data
Thickness
                   BT
                           39
                                Z for 10 - 13.
Elevation
                   BD
1st corner
                   2RD
                           10
2nd corner
                   2RD
                           11
3rd corner
                   2RD
                           12
                    2RD
4th corner
                           1.3
Extrusion
                    BE
                          210
Common Entity Handle Data
                     Χ
```

20.4.35.1 R14 Example:

20.4.36 TRACE (32)

Common Entity Data

Thickness	BT	39	
Elevation	BD		Z for 10 - 13.
1st corner	2RD	10	
2nd corner	2RD	11	
3rd corner	2RD	12	
4th corner	2RD	13	
Extrusion	BE	210	
Common Entity Hand	le Data		
CRC	Х		

20.4.36.1 R14 Example:

01941 1A

OBJECT: trace (20H), len 51H (81), handle: E7

0001 1010

01942 7E C2 crc

20.4.37 SHAPE (33)

iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see	С	Co	ommon Entity Data			
Rotation BD 50 Rotation in radians, default value 0. Width factor BD 41 Width factor, default value 1. Oblique BD 51 Oblique angle in radians, default value 0. Thickness BD 39 Shapeno BS 2 This is the shape index. In DXF the shape name is stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contain a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until the one with the matching name is found. Extrusion 3BD 210	Ι	Ιr	ns pt	3BD	10	
Width factor BD 41 Width factor, default value 1. Oblique BD 51 Oblique angle in radians, default value 0. Thickness BD 39 Shapeno BS 2 This is the shape index. In DXF the shape name is stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contain a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until the one with the matching name is found. Extrusion 3BD 210	S	Sc	cale	BD	40	Scale factor, default value 1.
Oblique BD 51 Oblique angle in radians, default value 0. Thickness BD 39 Shapeno BS 2 This is the shape index. In DXF the shape name is stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contain a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until the one with the matching name is found. Extrusion 3BD 210	R	Ro	otation	BD	50	Rotation in radians, default value 0.
Thickness BD 39 Shapeno BS 2 This is the shape index. In DXF the shape name is stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contain a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until the one with the matching name is found. Extrusion 3BD 210	W	Wi	idth factor	BD	41	Width factor, default value 1.
Shapeno BS 2 This is the shape index. In DXF the shape name is stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contain a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until the one with the matching name is found. Extrusion 3BD 210	0	Ok	blique	BD	51	Oblique angle in radians, default value 0.
stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contain a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until the one with the matching name is found. Extrusion 3BD 210	Т	Tł	hickness	BD	39	
	S	Sì	hapeno	BS	2	stored. When reading from DXF, the shape is found by iterating over all the text styles (SHAPEFILE, see paragraph 20.4.56) and when the text style contains a shape file, iterating over all the shapes until
Common Entity Handle Data	Ε	ΕΣ	xtrusion	3BD	210	
	С	С	ommon Entity Handl	e Data		
H SHAPEFILE (hard pointer)				Н		SHAPEFILE (hard pointer)
CRC X	С	CF	RC	X		

20.4.37.1 **Example**:

20.4.38 VIEWPORT ENTITY (34)

	Common Entity Data		
	Center	3BD	10
	Width	BD	40
	Height	BD	41
R2000+:			
	View Target	3BD	17
	View Direction	3BD	16
	View Twist Angle	BD	51

View Height	BD	45	
Lens Length	BD	42	
Front Clip Z	BD	43	
Back Clip Z	BD	44	
Snap Angle	BD	50	
View Center	2RD	12	
Snap Base	2RD	13	
Snap Spacing	2RD	14	
Grid Spacing	2RD	15	
Circle Zoom	BS	72	
R2007+:			
Grid Major	BS	61	
R2000+:			
Frozen Layer Count	BL		
Status Flags	BL	90	
Style Sheet	TV	1	
Render Mode	RC	281	
UCS at origin	В	74	
UCS per Viewport	В	71	
UCS Origin	3BD	110	
UCS X Axis	3BD	111	
UCS Y Axis	3BD	112	
UCS Elevation	BD	146	
UCS Ortho View Type	e BS	79	
R2004+:			
ShadePlot Mode	BS	170	
R2007+:			
Use def. lights	В	292	
Def. lighting type	RC	282	
Brightness	BD	141	
Contrast	BD	142	
Ambient light color	r CMC	63	
Common:			
Common Entity Hand	le Data		
R13-R14 Only:			
	Н		VIEWPORT ENT HEADER (hard pointer)
R2000+:			
	Н	341	Frozen Layer Handles (use count from above) pointer until R2000, soft pointer from R200 onwards)
	Н	340	Clip boundary handle (soft pointer)

R2000:			
	Н		VIEWPORT ENT HEADER ((hard pointer))
R2000+:			
	Н	345	Named UCS Handle (hard pointer)
	Н	346	Base UCS Handle (hard pointer)
R2007+:			
	Н	332	Background (soft pointer)
	Н	348	Visual Style (hard pointer)
	Н	333	Shadeplot ID (soft pointer)
	Н	361	Sun (hard owner)

20.4.38.1 R14 Example:

OBJECT: vpent (22H), len 117H (279), handle: 01 26

03934 17 01 0001 0111 0000 0001 03936 48 80 80 49 9D F5 11 10 H.J.... 0100 1000 1000 0000 1000 0000 1001 1001 1101 1111 0101 0001 0001 0001 0393E 00 50 01 E4 D5 64 94 55d.U 0000 0000 0101 0000 0001 1110 0100 1101 0101 0110 0100 1001 0101 0101 03946 70 20 04 61 00 00 A0 00 p.a.... 0111 0000 0010 0000 0100 0110 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 1010 0000 0000 0000 0398E 24 02 87 89 21 A6 5A CA \$...!.Z. 0010 0100 0000 0010 1000 0111 1000 1001 0010 0001 1010 0110 0101 0101 1010 1010 039BE 00 04 66 40 04 60 10 04 ..fe.`.. 0000 0000 0000 0100 0110 0100 0000 0000 0100 0110 0000 0001 0000 0000 0100

```
039FE 00 0E 03 F2 80 00 00 00 ...... 0000 0000 0000 1110 0000 0011 1111 0010 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03A06 00 00 0E 03 F2 80 00 00 ....... 0000 0000 0000 0000 1110 0000 011 1111 0010 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03A16 00 20 00 20 10 20 18 DA .... 0000 0000 0010 0000 0000 0010 0000 0001 0000 0010 0000 0010 0000 1101 1010
03A1E 10 00 00 D6 C3 C4 90 D3 ....... 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 1101 0110 1100 0011 1100 0100 1001 0000 1101 0011
03A2E 00 00 00 02 4 81 0F 12 43 ....$...C 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0010 0100 1000 0001 0000 1111 0001 0010 0100 0011
03A46 7A 05 08 12 90 09 28 z....( 0111 1010 0000 0101 0000 1000 0001 0010 1001 0000 0000 1001 0010 1000
03A4D 6C 19
           crc
```

20.4.39 ELLIPSE (35)

Note that the 10 pt and the 11 vector are WCS -- even though an ellipse is planar and has an extrusion vector (210-group).

Common Entity Data			
Center	3BD	10	(WCS)
SM axis vec	3BD	11	Semi-major axis vector (WCS)
Extrusion	3BD	210	
Axis ratio	BD	40	Minor/major axis ratio
Beg angle	BD	41	Starting angle (eccentric anomaly, radians)
End angle	BD	42	Ending angle (eccentric anomaly, radians)
Common Entity Hand	le Data		
CRC	X		

20.4.39.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: ellipse (23H), len 4CH (76), handle: 01 22

0381E 4C 00

L. 0100 1100 0000 0000

03820 48 C0 80 48 A1 48 10 00 H..H.H.. 0100 1000 1100 0000 1000 0000 1010 0001 0100 1010 0001 0000 0000 0000

03828 05 5B 0C 0A 03 29 8A E7 .[...). 0000 0101 0101 1011 0000 1100 0000 1010 0000 0011 0010 1001 1001 1110 0111
```

03830	42	48	01	F0	9F	BC	53	10	BHS.	0100	0010	0100	1000	0000	0001	1111	0000	1001	1111	1011	1100	0101	0011	0001	0000
03838	40	DA	04	51	23	D0	F1	D6	@Q#	0100	0000	1101	1010	0000	0100	0101	0001	0010	0011	1101	0000	1111	0001	1101	0110
03840	AF	7В	9F	9A	89	15	ΕA	36	.{6	1010	1111	0111	1011	1001	1111	1001	1010	1000	1001	0001	0101	1110	1010	0011	0110
03848	В2	DD	17	F5	00	20	00	00		1011	0010	1101	1101	0001	0111	1111	0101	0000	0000	0010	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
03850	00	00	1E	07	E5	D2	A4	7D	}	0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	1110	0000	0111	1110	0101	1101	0010	1010	0100	0111	1101
03858	в0	4C	5E	F9	FC	0C	16	A2	.L^	1011	0000	0100	1100	0101	1110	1111	1001	1111	1100	0000	1100	0001	0110	1010	0010
03860	2A	7D	90	8C	A0	18	28	87	*}(.	0010	1010	0111	1101	1001	0000	1000	1100	1010	0000	0001	1000	0010	1000	1000	0111
03868	ΕO	83	A0	69					i	1110	0000	1000	0011	1010	0000	0110	1001								
0386C	ED	08							crc																

20.4.40 SPLINE (36)

Common	Entity	Data
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Scenario BL a flag which is 2 for fitpts only, 1 for $$\operatorname{ctrlpts/knots}$.$

In 2013 the meaning is somehwat more sophisticated, see knot parameter below.

R2013+:

Spline flags 1 BL Spline flags 1:

method fit points = 1,
CV frame show = 2,

Is closed = 4. At this point the regular spline flags closed bit is made equal to this bit. Value is overwritten below in scenario 2 though,

Use knot parameter = 8

Knot parameter BL Knot parameter:

Chord = 0,
Square root = 1,
Uniform = 2,
Custom = 15

The scenario flag becomes 1 if the knot parameter is Custom or has no fit data, otherwise 2. If the spline does not have fit data, then the knot parameter should become Custom.

you create a spline with >=256 fit points

Common:

Degree	BL		degree of this spline
<pre>If (scenario==2) {</pre>			
Fit Tol	BD	44	
Beg tan vec	3BD	12	Beginning tangent direction vector (normalized).
End tan vec	3BD	13	Ending tangent direction vector (normalized).
num fit pts	BL	74	Number of fit points. Stored as a LONG, although it is defined in DXF as a short. You can see this if

```
if (scenario==1) {
       Rational
                                              flag bit 2
       Closed
                               В
                                              flag bit 0
       Periodic
                               В
                                              flag bit 1
       Knot tol
                              BD
       Ctrl tol
                                      43
       Numknots
                                      72
                                              This is stored as a LONG, although it is defined in
                                              DXF as a short. You can see this if you create a
                                              spline with >=256 knots.
                                      73
       Numctrlpts
                              _{\mathrm{BL}}
                                              Number of 10's (and 41's, if weighted) that follow.
                                              Same, stored as LONG, defined in DXF as a short.
       Weight
                               В
                                              Seems to be an echo of the 4 bit on the flag for
                                              "weights present".
}
Repeat numknots times {
                                             knot value
       Knot
                              BD
Repeat numctrlpts times {
       Control pt
                             3BD
                                      10
       Weight
                               D
                                      41
                                              if present as indicated by 4 bit on flag
Repeat numfitpts times {
       Fit pt
                             3BD
       Common Entity Handle Data
```

20.4.40.1 Example:

01AFF 81 01 85 80 9A FE 6F 63oc 1000 0001 0000 0001 1000 0101 1000 0000 1001 1010 1111 1110 0110 1111 0110 0111 01B07 88 02 07 89 BE 3C 1B 4F<.O 1000 1000 0000 0010 0000 0111 1000 1001 1011 1110 0011 1100 0001 1011 0100 1111 01B0F 51 FC 5F 51 14 FA 2F CF Q._Q../. 0101 0001 1111 1100 0101 1111 0101 0001 0001 0100 1111 1010 0010 1111 1110 1111 01B17 94 20 04 18 CB 8B BB C6 1001 0100 0010 0000 0000 0100 0001 1000 1100 1011 1000 1011 1011 1011 1110 0110 01B1F 9D 67 F1 82 88 7E 08 13 .g...~.. 1001 1101 0110 0111 1111 0001 1000 0110 1000 1000 0111 1110 0000 1000 0011 01B27 05 0000 0101 01B28 99 F5

OBJECT: spline (24H), len BBH (187), handle: 01 02

crc

```
01BE4 28 87 D7 (... 0010 1000 1000 0111 1101 0111 01BE7 E3 F3 crc
```

20.4.41 REGION (37) 3DSOLID (38) BODY (39)

These are all ACIS entities. We do not have a complete decryption of these, although we can step them, and write them, properly.

```
Common Entity Data
```

After this, data are read as groups starting with a short which seems to indicate the type of data. This is not completely understood. The current algorithm is:

```
If 1, then no data follows
       ACIS Empty bit B
                            Χ
       Unknown bit B
                            Χ
                   BS
                                    Can be 1 or 2.
       Version
Version == 1 (following 2 items repeat until Block Size is 0):
                            BL
       Block Size
                                     Χ
                                           Number of bytes of SAT data in this block. if value
                                           is between 0x20 and 0x7E, calculate 0x9F-the value
                                           to get the real character. If it's a tab, we
                                           convert to a space.
       SAT data
                    RC
                            Χ
                                   Length is specified by the above count.
Version == 2:
```

Immediately following will be an acis file. Header value of "ACIS BinaryFile" indicates SAB, otherwise it is a text SAT file. No length is given. SAB files will end with "End\x0E\x02of\x0E\x04ACIS\x0D\x04data". SAT files must be parsed to find the end.

Common:

	Wireframe data present B		X	True if wireframe data is present
Wirefra	ame == true:			
	Point present	В	X	If true, following point is present, otherwise assume 0,0,0 for point
	Point	3BD	Х	Present if above bit is 1.
	Num IsoLines	BL	Χ	
	IsoLines present	В	Х	If true, isoline data is present.
	Num Wires	BL	Χ	Number of ISO lines that follow.
Repeat	Num Wires times:			
	Wire type	RC	Χ	
	Wire selection marker	BL	Χ	
	Wire color	BS	Х	
	Wire Acis Index	BL	Χ	
	Wire # of points	BL	Χ	

	Point	3BD	X	Repeats "Wire # of points" times.
	Transform present	В	X	
If "Tr	ansform present" == 1:			
	X Axis	3BD	Χ	
	Y Axis	3BD	X	
	Z Axis	3BD	X	
	Translation	3BD	X	
	Scale	BD	Χ	
	Has rotation	В	X	
	Has reflection	В	X	
	Has shear	В	X	
End If				
End Re	peat			
	Num. silhouettes	BL	X	
Repeat	"Num. silhouettes" ti	mes:		
	VP id	BL	X	
	VP Target	3BD	X	
	VP dir. From target	3BD	X	
	VP up dir.	3BD	X	
	VP perspective	В	X	
	Num Wires	BL	X	
Repeat	"Num Wires" times:			
	Same as above			
End Re	peat			
	ACIS Empty bit	В	X	Normally 1. If 0, then acis data follows in the same format as described above, except no wireframe of silhouette data will be present (no empty bits for these items either).
R2007+	:			
	Unknown	BL		
Common	:			
	Common Entity Handle	Data		
R2007+	:			
		Н	350	History ID
Common	:			
	CRC	Х		

20.4.41.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: region (25H), len 22DH (557), handle: 01 03

01BE9 2D 02 -. 0010 1101 0000 0010

01BEB 49 40 80 40 E2 48 88 00 I@.@.H... 0100 1001 0100 0000 1000 0000 1110 0010 0100 1000 1000 0000 0000
```

01CF3 60 74	76 70	74	40 F	6 E	4 `tvpt@	0110	0000	0111	0100	0111	0110	0111	0000	0111	0100	0100	0000	1111	0110	1110	0100
01CFB DC 40	F6 D2	40	F6 [2 4	0 .000	1101	1100	0100	0000	1111	0110	1101	0010	0100	0000	1111	0110	1101	0010	0100	0000
01D03 F6 E4	DC 40	F6	D0 4	0 D	E@@.	1111	0110	1110	0100	1101	1100	0100	0000	1111	0110	1101	0000	0100	0000	1101	1110
01D0B 40 F6	D6 40	F6	E4 [C 4	0 000	0100	0000	1111	0110	1101	0110	0100	0000	1111	0110	1110	0100	1101	1100	0100	0000
01D13 F8 1A	14 74	76	70 7	4 4	0tvpt@	1111	1000	0001	1010	0001	0100	0111	0100	0111	0110	0111	0000	0111	0100	0100	0000
01D1B F6 E4	DC 40	F6	CE 4	0 F	6@@.	1111	0110	1110	0100	1101	1100	0100	0000	1111	0110	1100	1110	0100	0000	1111	0110
01D23 CE 40	F6 D2	40	F6 C	C 4	0 .000	1100	1110	0100	0000	1111	0110	1101	0010	0100	0000	1111	0110	1100	1100	0100	0000
01D2B DE 40	F8 1A	14	52 7	4 5	A .@RtZ	1101	1110	0100	0000	1111	1000	0001	1010	0001	0100	0101	0010	0111	0100	0101	1010
01D33 56 74	4E 40	F6	E4 [C 4	0 VtN@@	0101	0110	0111	0100	0100	1110	0100	0000	1111	0110	1110	0100	1101	1100	0100	0000
01D3B F6 D0	40 F6	DC	DE 4	0 F	8@@.	1111	0110	1101	0000	0100	0000	1111	0110	1101	1100	1101	1110	0100	0000	1111	1000
01D43 1A 14	74 66	66	6C 5	E 5	8tffl^X	0001	1010	0001	0100	0111	0100	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	1100	0101	1110	0101	1000
01D4B 74 E4	78 54	5A	52 7	4 4	0 t.xTZRt@	0111	0100	1110	0100	0111	1000	0101	0100	0101	1010	0101	0010	0111	0100	0100	0000
01D53 F6 E4	DC 40	CE	E2 [C D	E@	1111	0110	1110	0100	1101	1100	0100	0000	1100	1110	1110	0010	1101	1100	1101	1110
01D5B DC CC	D0 D2	D8	DC E	A D	6	1101	1100	1100	1100	1101	0000	1101	0010	1101	1000	1101	1100	1101	1010	1101	0110
01D63 D6 D0	D4 DE	DC	D8 4	0 D	c	1101	0110	1101	0000	1101	0100	1101	1110	1101	1100	1101	1000	0100	0000	1101	1100
01D6B E2 CE	D0 D6	DC	DO D	C D	2	1110	0010	1100	1110	1101	0000	1101	0110	1101	1100	1101	0000	1101	1100	1101	0010
01D73 DC CE	D4 D4	DA	DE D	2 D	8	1101	1100	1100	1110	1101	0100	1101	0100	1101	1010	1101	1110	1101	0010	1101	1000
01D7B D6 40	DE 40	DE	40 E	E 4	0.0.0.0	1101	0110	0100	0000	1101	1110	0100	0000	1101	1110	0100	0000	1101	1110	0100	0000
01D83 DC 40	DE E2	D2	D8 E	0 D	4 .@	1101	1100	0100	0000	1101	1110	1110	0010	1101	0010	1101	1000	1101	0000	1101	0100
01D8B DE D2	D8 CE	DA	D2 E	0 D	4	1101	1110	1101	0010	1101	1000	1100	1110	1101	1010	1101	0010	1101	0000	1101	0100
01D93 D6 DA	CE DC	D6	40 E	4 D	E@	1101	0110	1101	1010	1100	1110	1101	1100	1101	0110	0100	0000	1110	0100	1101	1110
01D9B E2 CC	DA DA	D0	DA D	0 C	· · · · · · · · · ·	1110	0010	1100	1100	1101	1010	1101	1010	1101	0000	1101	1010	1101	0000	1100	1100
01DA3 DE DA	D2 D6	D8	D6 E	8 D	0	1101	1110	1101	1010	1101	0010	1101	0110	1101	1000	1101	0110	1101	1000	1101	0000
01DAB DA CC	40 DE	40	DE E	2 D	6@.@	1101	1010	1100	1100	0100	0000	1101	1110	0100	0000	1101	1110	1110	0010	1101	0110
01DB3 D4 D0	D4 DA	D4	CC I	4 D	· · · · · · · · ·	1101	0100	1101	0000	1101	0100	1101	1010	1101	0100	1100	1100	1101	0100	1101	1100
01DBB D8 D0	CC DC	DA	D8 E	4 D	4	1101	1000	1101	0000	1100	1100	1101	1100	1101	1010	1101	1000	1101	0100	1101	0100
01DC3 40 AC	40 AC	40	F8 1	A 1	4 0.0.0	0100	0000	1010	1100	0100	0000	1010	1100	0100	0000	1111	1000	0001	1010	0001	0100
01DCB 5E 60	6C 62	56	40 F	6 E	4 ^`lbV@	0101	1110	0110	0000	0110	1100	0110	0010	0101	0110	0100	0000	1111	0110	1110	0100
01DD3 DC 40	CE E2	D0	D8 C	C D	6 .@	1101	1100	0100	0000	1100	1110	1110	0010	1101	0000	1101	1000	1100	1100	1101	0110
01DDB CE DA	D2 CC	D4	DC E	A D	Α	1100	1110	1101	1010	1101	0010	1100	1100	1101	0100	1101	1100	1101	1010	1101	1010
01DE3 CC DA	CE DO	40	DE E	2 C	ce	1100	1100	1101	1010	1100	1110	1101	0000	0100	0000	1101	1110	1110	0010	1100	1100
01DEB D4 DC	D6 D6	D8	DO E	C D	4	1101	0100	1101	1100	1101	0110	1101	0110	1101	1000	1101	0000	1101	1100	1101	0100

OlDFB 40 DE 40 F8 1A 15 63 F6 @.@...c. 0100 0000 1101 1110 0100 0000 1111 1000 0001 1010 0001 0101 0110 0101 0111 0110 01E03 D9 E9 E9 B1 A1 02 00 50P 1101 1001 1110 1001 1110 1001 1011 0001 1010 0001 0000 0010 0000 0101 0000 1011 1000 0001 1000 1100 0011 0011 0111 1111 1001 1111 1010 0111 1111 0010 0000 01E0B B8 18 C3 37 F9 FA 7F 20 ...7... 1001 1010 1001 1000 0010 1000 1000 0111 1000 0000 01E13 9A 98 28 87 80 ..(.. 01E18 07 33

OBJECT: 3d solid (26H), len 334H (820), handle: 01 04

crc

01EDC D6 D6 D2 DC CE D6 DE D6		1101 0110	1101 011	.0 1101	0010	1101	1100	1100	1110	1101	0110	1101	1110	1101	0110
01EE4 CC D0 DE CC D4 CC D0 40		1100 1100	1101 000	0 1101	1110	1100	1100	1101	0100	1100	1100	1101	0000	0100	0000
O1EEC DE 40 DE E2 CE D6 D8 DE	. @	1101 1110	0100 000	0 1101	1110	1110	0010	1100	1110	1101	0110	1101	1000	1101	1110
01EF4 D4 D4 D2 D4 CE D4 DC DE		1101 0100	1101 010	0 1101	0010	1101	0100	1100	1110	1101	0100	1101	1100	1101	1110
01EFC DC CC CC DA 40 DC 40	@.@	1101 1100	1100 110	0 1100	1100	1100	1100	1101	1010	0100	0000	1101	1100	0100	0000
01F04 DE 40 DE 40 DE 40 DE 40	.0.0.0	1101 1110	0100 000	0 1101	1110	0100	0000	1101	1110	0100	0000	1101	1110	0100	0000
01F0C DC 40 DE 40 AC 40 AC 40	.0.0.0.0	1101 1100	0100 000	0 1101	1110	0100	0000	1010	1100	0100	0000	1010	1100	0100	0000
01F14 AC 40 AC 40 F8 1A 15 60	.0.0`	1010 1100	0100 000	0 1010	1100	0100	0000	1111	1000	0001	1010	0001	0101	0110	0000
01F1C 77 FC D6 B3 34 31 22 01	w41".	0111 0111	1111 110	0 1101	0110	1011	0011	0011	0100	0011	0001	0010	0010	0000	0001
01F24 8D FE B4 78 E5 C8 40 81	x@.	1000 1101	1111 111	.0 1011	0100	0111	1000	1110	0101	1100	1000	0100	0000	1000	0001
01F2C 20 94 1C 0C FF FF FF FF		0010 0000	1001 010	0 0001	1100	0000	1100	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111
01F34 CF FF FF FF F4 0C 0E FF		1100 1111	1111 111	.1 1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	0100	0000	1100	0000	1110	1111	1111
01F3C 9A D6 66 86 24 40 32 3F	f.\$@2?	1001 1010	1101 011	.0 0110	0110	1000	0110	0010	0100	0100	0000	0011	0010	0011	1111
01F44 D6 8F 1C B9 08 10 02 84		1101 0110	1000 111	.1 0001	1100	1011	1001	0000	1000	0001	0000	0000	0010	1000	0100
01F4C A4 0D C4 FF AE AB F0 33	3	1010 0100	0000 110	1 1100	0100	1111	1111	1010	1110	1010	1011	1111	0000	0011	0011
01F54 FE 6B 59 9A 18 91 00 47	.kYG	1111 1110	0110 101	.1 0101	1001	1001	1010	0001	1000	1001	0001	0000	0000	0100	0111
01F5C F6 2D 7D 9A 69 1E 40 80	}.i.@.	1111 0110	0010 110	01 0111	1101	1001	1010	0110	1001	0001	1110	0100	0000	1000	0000
01F64 EF F9 AD 66 68 62 44 03	fhbD.	1110 1111	1111 100	1 1010	1101	0110	0110	0110	1000	0110	0010	0100	0100	0000	0011
01F6C 23 FD 68 F1 CB 90 81 00	#.h	0010 0011	1111 110	01 0110	1000	1111	0001	1100	1011	1001	0000	1000	0001	0000	0000
01F74 28 4A 40 DC 4F FA EA 3F	(J@.O?	0010 1000	0100 101	.0 0100	0000	1101	1100	0100	1111	1111	1010	1110	1010	0011	1111
01F7C 01 9F FF FF FF F9 FF FF		0000 0001	1001 111	.1 1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1001	1111	1111	1111	1111
01F84 FF FE 81 81 9F F3 5A CC	z.	1111 1111	1111 111	.0 1000	0001	1000	0001	1001	1111	1111	0011	0101	1010	1100	1100
01F8C D0 C4 88 06 37 FA D1 E3	7	1101 0000	1100 010	0 1000	1000	0000	0110	0011	0111	1111	1010	1101	0001	1110	0011
01F94 97 21 02 00 60 94 81 B8	.1`	1001 0111	0010 000	1 0000	0010	0000	0000	0110	0000	1001	0100	1000	0001	1011	1000
01F9C 9F F5 D5 7E 58 81 AF EA	~X	1001 1111	1111 010	1 1101	0101	0111	1110	0101	1000	1000	0001	1010	1111	1110	1010
01FA4 05 9B 13 20 18 DF EB 47	G	0000 0101	1001 101	.1 0001	0011	0010	0000	0001	1000	1101	1111	1110	1011	0100	0111
01FAC 8E 5C 84 08 10 19 FF 35	.\5	1000 1110	0101 110	0 1000	0100	0000	1000	0001	0000	0001	1001	1111	1111	0011	0101
01FB4 AC CD 0C 48 80 63 7F AD	H.c	1010 1100	1100 110	1 0000	1100	0100	1000	1000	0000	0110	0011	0111	1111	1010	1101
01FBC 1E 39 72 10 20 06 09 48	.9rH	0001 1110	0011 100	01 0111	0010	0001	0000	0010	0000	0000	0110	0000	1001	0100	1000
01FC4 1B 89 FF 5D 47 E0 33 FF]G.3.	0001 1011	1000 100	1 1111	1111	0101	1101	0100	0111	1110	0000	0011	0011	1111	1111
01FCC FF FF FF 3F FF FF D0	?	1111 1111	1111 111	.1 1111	1111	0011	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1101	0000
01FD4 30 3B FE 6B 59 9A 18 91	0;.kY	0011 0000	0011 101	.1 1111	1110	0110	1011	0101	1001	1001	1010	0001	1000	1001	0001

01FDC 00	C4 F	F 5A	3C	72	E4	20	Z <r.< th=""><th>0000</th><th>0000</th><th>1100</th><th>0100</th><th>1111</th><th>1111</th><th>0101</th><th>1010</th><th>0011</th><th>1100</th><th>0111</th><th>0010</th><th>1110</th><th>0100</th><th>0010</th><th>0000</th></r.<>	0000	0000	1100	0100	1111	1111	0101	1010	0011	1100	0111	0010	1110	0100	0010	0000
01FE4 40	0C 1	2 90	37	13	FE	BA	@7	0100	0000	0000	1100	0001	0010	1001	0000	0011	0111	0001	0011	1111	1110	1011	1010
01FEC AF	C0 C	F F9	AD	66	68	62	fhb	1010	1111	1100	0000	1100	1111	1111	1001	1010	1101	0110	0110	0110	1000	0110	0010
01FF4 44	01 <i>P</i>	4 10	7C	E8	5E	50	D .^P	0100	0100	0000	0001	1010	0100	0001	0000	0111	1100	1110	1000	0101	1110	0101	0000
01FFC 89	02 0	3 BF	E6	В5	99	A1		1000	1001	0000	0010	0000	0011	1011	1111	1110	0110	1011	0101	1001	1001	1010	0001
02004 89	10 0	C 4F	F5	A3	С7	2E	0	1000	1001	0001	0000	0000	1100	0100	1111	1111	0101	1010	0011	1100	0111	0010	1110
0200C 42	04 0	0 C1	29	03	71	3F	B).q?	0100	0010	0000	0100	0000	0000	1100	0001	0010	1001	0000	0011	0111	0001	0011	1111
02014 EB	A8 E	°C 06	7F	FF	FF	FF		1110	1011	1010	1000	1111	1100	0000	0110	0111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111
0201C E7	FF E	F FF	FA	06	08	7F		1110	0111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1010	0000	0110	0000	1000	0111	1111
02024 CD	6B 3	3 43	12	20	18	DF	.k3C	1100	1101	0110	1011	0011	0011	0100	0011	0001	0010	0010	0000	0001	1000	1101	1111
0202C EB	47 8	E 5C	84	08	01	82	.G.\	1110	1011	0100	0111	1000	1110	0101	1100	1000	0100	0000	1000	0000	0001	1000	0010
02034 52	06 E	2 7F	D7	55	F8	D7	RU	0101	0010	0000	0110	1110	0010	0111	1111	1101	0111	0101	0101	1111	1000	1101	0111
0203C F5	AD E	1 83	AC	44	80	61	D.a	1111	0101	1010	1101	1011	0001	1000	0011	1010	1100	0100	0100	1000	0000	0110	0001
02044 FF	AD 1	Е 39	72	10	20	40	9r. @	1111	1111	1010	1101	0001	1110	0011	1001	0111	0010	0001	0000	0010	0000	0100	0000
0204C 87	FC I	6 B3	34	31	22	01	41".	1000	0111	1111	1100	1101	0110	1011	0011	0011	0100	0011	0001	0010	0010	0000	0001
02054 8D	FE E	4 78	E5	C8	40	80	x@.	1000	1101	1111	1110	1011	0100	0111	1000	1110	0101	1100	1000	0100	0000	1000	0000
0205C 18	25 2	0 6E	27	FD	75	1F	.% n'.u.	0001	1000	0010	0101	0010	0000	0110	1110	0010	0111	1111	1101	0111	0101	0001	1111
02064 80	8F E	F FF	FF	FC	FF	FF		1000	0000	1000	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1100	1111	1111	1111	1111
0206C FF	FF 4	0 CA	A3	08	AD	62	@b	1111	1111	1111	1111	0100	0000	1100	1010	1010	0011	0000	1000	1010	1101	0110	0010
02074 E5	52 3	4 03	23	FD	68	F1	.R4.#.h.	1110	0101	0101	0010	0011	0100	0000	0011	0010	0011	1111	1101	0110	1000	1111	0001
0207C CB	90 8	1 00	5B	E6	0C	01	[1100	1011	1001	0000	1000	0001	0000	0000	0101	1011	1110	0110	0000	1100	0000	0001
02084 80	13 E	3 BF	37	25	E4	B5	7%	1000	0000	0001	0011	1110	0011	1011	1111	0011	0111	0010	0101	1110	0100	1011	0101
0208C B2	BB 4	8 D0	0F	62	D3	7F	Hb	1011	0010	1011	1011	0100	1000	1101	0000	0000	1111	0110	0010	1101	0011	0111	1111
02094 FC	5E C	2 14	01	6F	98	30	.^0.0	1111	1100	0101	1110	1100	0010	0001	0100	0000	0001	0110	1111	1001	1000	0011	0000
0209C 06	00 4	F 8E	FC	DC	97	92	0	0000	0110	0000	0000	0100	1111	1000	1110	1111	1100	1101	1100	1001	0111	1001	0010
020A4 D6	CA E	D 23	40	0B	28	FF	#@.(.	1101	0110	1100	1010	1110	1101	0010	0011	0100	0000	0000	1011	0010	1000	1111	1111
020AC 7C	8F 2	E 07	D0	05	BE	60	1`	0111	1100	1000	1111	0010	1110	0000	0111	1101	0000	0000	0101	1011	1110	0110	0000
020B4 C0	18 0	1 3E	3В	F0	11	FF	>;	1100	0000	0001	1000	0000	0001	0011	1110	0011	1011	1111	0000	0001	0001	1111	1111
020BC FF	FF E	F 9F	FF	FF	FF	E8		1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1001	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1110	1000
020C4 18	D7 E	'5 AD	В1	83	AC	44	D	0001	1000	1101	0111	1111	0101	1010	1101	1011	0001	1000	0011	1010	1100	0100	0100
020CC 80	64 E	F AD	1E	39	72	10	.d9r.	1000	0000	0110	0100	1111	1111	1010	1101	0001	1110	0011	1001	0111	0010	0001	0000
020D4 20	45 E	F E5	C2	ВC	A5	71	Eq	0010	0000	0100	0101	1110	1111	1110	0101	1100	0010	1011	1100	1010	0101	0111	0001

020DC 1A 00 8B 93 7D CC 84 B4}... 0001 1010 0000 0000 1001 1011 1001 0011 0111 1101 1100 1100 1000 0100 1011 0100 020E4 44 81 17 9F 97 0A F2 95 D...... 0100 0100 1000 0001 0011 1001 1111 1001 0111 0000 1010 1111 0010 1001 0101 020EC C4 68 04 73 67 71 1A 1E .h.sqq.. 1100 0100 0110 1000 0000 0101 0111 0011 0111 0111 0101 0001 1010 0001 1110 02104 22 B5 8B 95 48 D0 0C 8F "...H... 0010 0010 1011 0101 1000 1011 1001 0101 0100 1000 1101 0000 0000 1101 0100 1111 0210C F5 A3 C7 2E 42 04 01 6FB.... 1111 0101 1010 0011 1100 0111 0100 1110 0100 0100 0000 0100 0000 0001 0110 1111 02114 98 30 06 00 4F 8C FC DC .0..0... 1001 1000 0011 0000 0000 0110 0000 0100 1111 1000 1101 1110 1101 1100 0211C 97 92 D6 CA ED 23 40 3D#@= 1001 0111 1001 0010 1101 0110 1100 1010 1110 1101 0010 0011 0100 0000 0011 1101 02124 8B 4D FF F1 7B 08 50 05 .M..{.P. 1000 1011 0100 1101 1111 1111 1111 0001 0111 1011 0000 1000 0101 0000 0101 0212C BE 60 CO 18 01 3E 33 F3>3. 1011 1110 0110 0000 1100 0000 0001 1000 0000 0011 1110 0011 1111 0011 0213C 2C A3 FD F2 3C B8 1F 40 ,...<...@ 0010 1100 1010 0011 1111 1101 1111 0010 0011 1100 1011 1000 0001 1111 0100 0000 02144 16 F9 83 00 60 04 F8 CF`... 0001 0110 1111 1001 1000 0011 0000 0100 0110 0000 0000 0100 1111 1000 1101 1111 0214C D4 C1 44 3E ..D> 1101 0100 1100 0001 0100 0100 0011 1110 02150 5A C5 crc

20.4.42 RAY (40)

Common Entity Data

Point 3BD 10

Vector 3BD 11

Common Entity Handle Data

20.4.42.1 Example:

OBJECT: ray (28H), len 2FH (47), handle: 01 06

20.4.43 XLINE (41)

Same as RAY (40) — except for type code.

20.4.43.1 Example:

20.4.44 DICTIONARY (42)

Basically a list of pairs of string/objhandle that constitute the dictionary entries.

	=	-		
	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	S	0	42 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	·:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	1:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	1:			
	Numreactors	S		number of reactors in this object
R2004+	·:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	1:			
	Numitems	L		number of dictonary items
R14 Or	nly:			
	Unknown R14	RC		Unknown R14 byte, has always been 0
R2000+	·:			
	Cloning flag	BS	281	
	Hard Owner flag	RC	280	
Common	1:			
	Text	TV		string name of dictionary entry, numitems entries
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft relative pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

itemhandles (soft owner)

20.4.44.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: dictionary (2AH), len 2CH (44), handle: OC

0254B 2C 00 ,. 0010 1100 0000 0000

0254D 4A 80 43 22 C0 10 00 09 J.C".... 0100 1010 1000 0000 0100 011 0010 0010 1100 0000 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

02555 02 00 42 90 50 D0 51 17 ..B.P.Q. 0000 0110 0000 0100 0101 0101 0000 0101 0000 1101 0000 0101 0001 0111

0255D D1 D4 93 D5 54 10 F4 14 ....T... 1101 0001 1101 0100 1001 0011 1101 0101 0100 0001 0000 1111 0100 0001 0100

02565 34 14 45 F4 D4 C4 94 E4 4.E.... 0011 0100 0001 0100 0101 1111 0100 1101 0100 1100 0100 1101 0100 0100 0101

02575 10 D2 10 EC .... 0001 0000 1101 0010 0001 0000 1110 1100

02579 D2 36 crc
```

20.4.45 DICTIONARYWDFLT

Same as the DICTIONARY object with the following additional fields:

H 7 Default entry (hard pointer)

20.4.46 MTEXT (44)

	Common Entity (Han	dle) Data		
	Insertion pt3	BD	10	First picked point. (Location relative to text depends on attachment point (71).)
	Extrusion	3BD	210	Undocumented; appears in DXF and entget, but ACAD doesn't even bother to adjust it to unit length.
	X-axis dir	3BD	11	Apparently the text x-axis vector. (Why not just a rotation?) ACAD maintains it as a unit vector.
Common:				
	Rect width	BD	41	Reference rectangle width (width picked by the user).
R2007+:				
	Rect height	BD	46	Reference rectangle height.
Common:				
	Text height	BD	40	Undocumented
	Attachment	BS	71	Similar to justification; see DXF doc
	Drawing dir	BS	72	Left to right, etc.; see DXF doc
	Extents	ht	BD	Undocumented and not present in DXF or entget
	Extents wid	BD		Undocumented and not present in DXF or entget

			The extents rectangle, when rotated the same as the text, fits the actual text image on the screen (altough we've seen it include an extra row of text in height).
Text	TV	1	All text in one long string (without \n' s
		3	for line wrapping). ACAD seems to add braces ({ }) and backslash-P's to indicate paragraphs based on the "\r\n"'s found in the imported file. But, all the text is in this one long string not broken into 1- and 3-groups as in DXF and entget.
			ACAD's entget breaks this string into 250-char pieces (not 255 as doc'd) - even if it's mid-word. The 1-group always gets the tag end; therefore, the 3's are always 250 chars long.
	Н	7	STYLE (hard pointer)
R2000+:			
Linespacing Style	BS	73	
Linespacing Factor	BD	44	
Unknown bit	В		
R2004+:			
Background flags	BL	90	0 = no background, 1 = background fill, 2 = background fill with drawing fill color, $0x10$ = text frame (R2018+)
IF background flags has bit	0x01 se	et, or in	n case of R2018 bit 0x10:
Background scale fa	ctor		
	BL	45	default = 1.5
Background color	CMC	63	
Background transpare	ency		
	BL	441	
END IF background flags 0x0	1/0x10		
R2018+			
Is NOT annotative	В		
IF MTEXT is not annotative			
Version	BS		Default 0
Default flag	В		Default true
BEGIN REDUNDANT FIELDS (see	above :	for descr	riptions)
Registered applicat	ion H		Hard pointer
Attachment point	BL		
X-axis dir	3BD	10	
Insertion point	3BD	11	
Rect width	BD	40	
Rect height	BD	41	
Extents width	BD	42	
Extents height	BD	43	
END REDUNDANT FIELDS			

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71
                                         0 = No columns, 1 = static columns, 2 = dynamic
       Column type
                          BS
                                          columns
IF Has Columns data (column type is not 0)
      Column height count BL
      Columnn width
                         BD
                                 44
      Gutter
                          BD
                                  4.5
      Auto height?
                           В
                                 7.3
                                 74
      Flow reversed?
                           В
IF not auto height and column type is dynamic columns
REPEAT Column heights
      Column height
                    BD
                                 46
END REPEAT
END IF (has column heights)
END IF (has columns data)
END IF (not annotative)
Common:
                            Χ
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20.4.46.1 Example:

20.4.47 LEADER (45)

Common Entity Data

Unknown bit B --- Always seems to be 0.

Annot type BS --- Annotation type (NOT bit-coded):

Value 0 : MTEXT

Common Entity Handle Data

				Value 1 : TOLERANCE
				Value 2 : INSERT
				Value 3 : None
	path type	BS		
	numpts	BL		number of points
	point	3BD	10	As many as counter above specifies.
	Origin	3BD		The leader plane origin (by default it's the first point).
	Extrusion	3BD	210	
	x direction	3BD	211	
	offsettoblockinspt	3BD	212	Used when the BLOCK option is used. Seems to be an unused feature.
R14+:				
	Endptproj	3BD		A non-planar leader gives a point that projects the endpoint back to the annotation. It's the offset from the endpoint of the leader to the annotation, taking into account the extrusion direction.
R13-R14	4 Only:			
	DIMGAP	BD		The value of DIMGAP in the associated DIMSTYLE at the time of creation, multiplied by the dimscale in that dimstyle.
Common	:			
	Box height	BD	40	MTEXT extents height. (A text box is slightly taller, probably by some DIMvar amount.)
	Box width	BD	41	MTEXT extents width. (A text box is slightly wider, probably by some DIMvar amount.)
	Hooklineonxdir	В		hook line is on x direction if 1
	Arrowheadon	В		arrowhead on indicator
R13-R14	4 Only:			
	Arrowheadtype	BS		arrowhead type
	Dimasz	BD		DIMASZ at the time of creation, multiplied by DIMSCALE
	Unknown	В		
	Unknown	В		
	Unknown	BS		
	Byblockcolor	BS		
	Unknown	В		
	Unknown	В		
R2000+	:			
	Unknown	BS		
	Unknown	В		
	Unknown	В		
Common	:			

	Н	340	Associated annotation
			activated in R14. (hard pointer)
	Н	2	DIMSTYLE (hard pointer)
CRC	X		

20.4.47.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: leader (2DH), len 80H (128), handle: 01 09
   02213 80 00
                                          1000 0000 0000 0000
   02215 4B 40 80 42 65 20 18 00 K@.Be .. 0100 1011 0100 0000 1000 0100 0110 0110 0101 0010 0000 0001 1000 0000
   0221D 05 5B 29 03 25 AD 59 2D .[).%.Y- 0000 0101 0101 1011 0010 1001 0000 0011 0010 1101 0101 1101 0101 1001 0101 1101
   02225 08 7D C9 50 04 41 FF AB .}.P.A.. 0000 1000 0111 1101 1100 1001 0101 0000 0100 0100 0100 0101 1111 1111 1010 1011
   0222D AF A2 81 04 08 2E E6 9D ....... 1010 1111 1010 0010 1000 0010 0000 0100 0000 1000 0010 1110 1110 0110 1001 1001
   02235 29 5D 0C 21 40 1C 3C CO )].!@.<. 0010 1001 0101 1101 0000 1100 0010 0101 0100 0000 0001 1100 0011 1100 1100 0000
   0223D OF B5 ED 05 D0 20 50 04 ..... P. 0000 1111 1011 0101 1110 1101 0000 0101 1101 0000 0010 0000 0101 0000 0000 0100
   02245 84 77 1E 34 65 00 78 56 .w.4e.xV 1000 0100 0111 0111 0001 1110 0011 0100 0110 0101 0000 0000 0111 1000 0101 0110
   0224D 18 21 BF AB 15 40 89 6B ....@.k 0001 1000 0010 0001 1011 1111 1010 1011 0001 0101 0100 0000 1000 1010 1011 0111
   02255 56 4B 42 1F 72 54 01 10 VKB.rT.. 0101 0110 0100 1011 0100 0001 1111 0111 0010 0101 0100 0000 0001 0001 0001
   0225D 7F EA EB E8 A0 41 02 A5
                               02265 AA AA 02 B5 E8 DC 0F 42 ......B 1010 1010 1010 1010 0000 0010 1011 0101 1110 1000 1101 1100 0000 1111 0100 0010
   0226D AD CF CO AD 7A 37 03 D0 ....z7.. 1010 1101 1100 1111 1100 0000 1010 1101 0111 1010 0011 0111 0000 0011 1101 0000
   02275 AC 73 F3 0B D4 A1 72 3F .s...r? 1010 1100 0111 0011 1111 0011 0000 1011 1101 0100 1010 0001 0111 0010 0011 1111
   0227D 0B B4 FF 80 AD 7A 37 03 .....z7. 0000 1011 1011 0100 1111 1111 1000 0000 1010 1101 0111 1010 0011 0111 0000 0011
   02285 DO AC 73 F2 C3 05 10 FC ...... 1101 0000 1010 1100 0111 1011 1111 0010 1100 0011 0000 1010 0000 1111 1100
   0228D 10 26 05 20 10 A5 11 D6 .6. .... 0001 0000 0010 0110 0000 0101 0010 0000 0001 0000 1010 0101 0010 0001 1101 0110
   02295 6E AB
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20.4.48 MLEADER

This entity was introduced in version 21. A significant portion (content block/text and leaders) of the multileader entity is stored in the MLeaderAnnotContext object (see paragraph 20.4.86), which is embedded into this object (stream).

Version	Field type	DXF group code	Description
			Common entity data.
R2010+			
	BS	270	Version (expected to be 2).

Common			
			MLeaderAnnotContext fields (see paragraph 20.4.86). This contains the
			mleader content (block/text) and the leaders.
	Н	340	Leader style handle (hard pointer)
	BL	90	Override flags:
			$1 \ll 0$ = Leader line type,
			$1 \ll 1 = \text{Leader line color},$
			$1 \ll 2$ = Leader line type handle,
			$1 \ll 3$ = Leader line weight,
			1 << 4 = Enabled landing,
			$1 \ll 5 = \text{Landing gap},$
			$1 \ll 6 = \text{Enabled dog-leg},$
			$1 \ll 7 = \text{Dog-leg length},$
			$1 \ll 8 = \text{Arrow symbol handle},$
			$1 \ll 9 = \text{Arrow size},$
			$1 \ll 10 = \text{Conent type},$
			1 << 11 = Text style handle,
			1 << 12 = Text left attachment type (of MTEXT),
			1 << 13 = Text angle type (of MTEXT),
			1 << 14 = Text alignment type (of MTEXT),
			$1 \ll 15 = \text{Text color (of MTEXT)},$
			1 << 16 = Text height (of MTEXT),
			1 << 17 = Enable text frame,
			1 << 18 = Enable use of default MTEXT (from MLEADERSTYLE),
			1 << 19 = Content block handle,
			1 << 20 = Block content color,
			1 << 21 = Block content scale,
			1 << 22 = Block content rotation,
			1 << 23 = Block connection type,
			1 << 24 = Scale,
			1 << 25 = Text right attachment type (of MTEXT),
			1 << 26 = Text switch alignment type (of MTEXT),
			1 << 27 = Text attachment direction (of MTEXT),
			1 << 28 = Text top attachment type (of MTEXT),
			1 << 29 = Text bottom attachment type (of MTEXT)
	BS	170	Leader type ($0 = \text{inivisible leader}$, $1 = \text{straight line leader}$, $2 = \text{spline leader}$).
	CMC	91	Leader color
	Н	341	Leader line type handle (hard pointer)
	BL	171	Line weight
	В	290	Landing enabled
	В	291	Dog-leg enabled
	BD	41	Landing distance
	Н	342	Arrow head handle (hard pointer)
	BD	42	Default arrow head size
	BS	172	Style content type:

	1		1
			0 = None,
			1 = Block content,
			2 = MTEXT content,
			3 = TOLERANCE content
	Н	343	Style text style handle (hard pointer)
	BS	173	Style left text attachment type. Values 0-8 are used for the left/right attachment point (attachment direction is horizontal), values 9-10 are used for the top/bottom attachment points (attachment direction is vertical). Attachment point is: • 0 = top of top text line,
			• 1 = middle of top text line,
			• 2 = middle of text,
			• 3 = middle of bottom text line,
			• 4 = bottom of bottom text line,
			• 5 = bottom text line,
			• 6 = bottom of top text line. Underline bottom line
			• 7 = bottom of top text line. Underline top line,
			• 8 = bottom of top text line. Underline all content,
			• 9 = center of text (y-coordinate only),
			• 10 = center of text (y-coordinate only), and overline top/underline
			bottom content.
	BS	95	Style right text attachment type. See also style left text attachment type.
	BS	174	Style text angle type:
			0 = text angle is equal to last leader line segment angle,
			1 = text is horizontal,
			2 = text angle is equal to last leader line segment angle, but potentially rotated
			by 180 degrees so the right side is up for readability.
	BS	175	Unknown
	CMC	92	Style text color
	В	292	Style text frame enabled
	Н	[344]	Style block handle (hard pointer) (DXF group is optional)
	CMC	93	Style block color
	3BD	10	Style block scale vector
	BD	43	Style block rotation (radians)
	BS	176	Style attachment type (0 = center extents, 1 = insertion point)
	В	293	Is annotative
-R2007		1273	
1.2007	BL	-	Number of arrow heads
	DL		BEGIN REPEAT arrow heads
	В	94	Is default?
	Н	345	Arrow head handle (hard pointer)
	11	J -1 J	END REPEAT arrow heads
	DI	1	
	BL	-	Number of block labels
			BEGIN REPEAT block labels

	Н	330	Attribute definition (ATTDEF) handle (soft pointer)
	TV	302	Label text
	BS	177	UI index (sequential index of the label in the collection)
	BD	44	Width
			END REPEAT block labels
	В	294	Is text direction negative
	BS	178	IPE align (meaning unknown)
	BS	179	Justification (1 = left, 2 = center, 3 = righ)
	BD	45	Scale factor
R2010+			
	BS	271	Attachment direction (0 = horizontal, 1 = vertical). This defines whether the
			leaders attach to the left/right of the content block/text, or attach to the
			top/bottom.
	BS	273	Style top text attachment. See also style left text attachment type.
	BS	272	Style bottom text attachment type. See also style left text attachment type.
R2013+	В	295	Leader extended to text

20.4.49 TOLERANCE (46)

Common Entity Data

R13-R14 Only:

Unknown short Height Dimgap(?) dimgap at time of creation, * dimscale Common: Ins pt 3BD 10 X direction 3BD 11 Extrusion 3BD 210 etc. Text string BS 1 Common Entity Handle Data DIMSTYLE (hard_pointer)

20.4.49.1 Example:

OBJECT: tolerance (2EH), len 65H (101), handle: 01 OC 0110 0101 0000 0000 022ED 4B 80 80 43 27 18 10 00 K.C'... 0100 1011 1000 0000 1000 0100 011 0010 0111 0001 1000 0001 0000 0000 0000 022F5 05 5B 40 56 BD 1B 81 E8 .[@V.... 0000 0101 0101 1011 0100 0000 0101 0101 1011 1101 0001 1011 1000 0001 1110 1000 022FD 56 39 F8 15 AF 46 E0 7A V9...F.z 0101 0110 0011 1001 1111 1000 0001 0101 1010 1111 0100 0110 1110 0000 0111 1010 02305 15 6E 7E 51 19 A0 47 00 .n~Q..G. 0001 0101 0110 1110 0111 1110 0101 0001 0001 1010 0000 0100 0111 0000 0000 0230D C7 13 A0 18 09 38 21 8A8!. 1100 0111 0001 0011 1010 0000 0001 1000 0001 0011 0010 0010 1000 1010 02315 5E A1 48 13 54 A5 CF 6B ^.H.T..k 0101 1110 1010 0001 0100 1000 0001 0110 0100 1010 1010 1010 1110 1111 0110 1011

20.4.50 MLINE (47)

```
Common Entity Data
                            40
                    BD
Scale
                                   top (0), bottom(2), or center(1)
Just
                    EC
Base point
                   3BD
                            10
Extrusion
                    3BD
                           210
                                    etc.
Openclosed
                    BS
                                   open (1), closed(3)
                           73
Linesinstyle
                     RC
Numverts
                     BS
                            72
do numverts times {
 vertex
          3BD
 vertex direction 3BD
 miter direction 3BD
 do lineinstyle times {
   numsegparms
   do numsegparms times {
     segparm
                    BD segment parameter
   numareafillparms BS
   do num area fill parms times {
     areafillparm BD area fill parameter
Common Entity Handle Data
```

20.4.50.1 Example:

OBJECT: mline (2FH), len E4H (228), handle: 01 0D

0243A 91 88 crc

20.4.51 BLOCK CONTROL (48)

	Length	MS		Object length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0 & 2	48 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	L		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	Doesn't count *MODEL_SPACE and *PAPER_SPACE.
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				numentries handles of blockheaders in the file (soft owner), then *MODEL_SPACE and *PAPER_SPACE (hard owner).
	CRC	Х		

20.4.51.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: blk ctrl (30H), len 20H (32), handle: 01
```

20.4.52 BLOCK HEADER (49)

Length MS --- Object length (not counting itself or CRC). Type BS 0&2 49 (internal DWG type code).

R2000+:

	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	code 0, length followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	L		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Entry name	TV	2	
	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	block is dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
	Anonymous	В	1	if this is an anonymous block (1 bit)
	Hasatts	В	1	if block contains attdefs (2 bit)
	Blkisxref	В	1	if block is xref (4 bit)
	Xrefoverlaid	В	1	if an overlaid xref (8 bit)
R2000+	:			
	Loaded Bit	В		0 indicates loaded for an xref
R2004+	:			
	Owned Object Count	BL		Number of objects owned by this object.
Common	:			
	Base pt	3BD	10	Base point of block.
	Xref pname	TV	1	Xref pathname. That's right: DXF 1 AND 3!
			3	1 appears in a tblnext/search elist; 3 appears in an entget.
R2000+	:			
	Insert Count	RC		A sequence of zero or more non-zero RC's, followed by a terminating 0 RC. The total number of these indicates how many insert handles will be present.
	Block Description	TV	4	Block description.
	Size of preview data	BL		Indicates number of bytes of data following.
	Binary Preview Data 1	N*RC	310	
R2007+	:			
	Insert units	BS	70	
	Explodable	В	280	

	Block scaling	RC	281	
Common	:			
	Handle refs	Н		Block control handle (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				NULL (hard pointer)
				BLOCK entity. (hard owner)
R13-R2	000:			
				if (!blkisxref && !xrefisoverlaid) {
				first entity in the def. (soft pointer)
				last entity in the def. (soft pointer)
				}
R2004+	:			
		Н		[ENTITY (hard owner)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" times.
Common	:			
				ENDBLK entity. (hard owner)
R2000+	:			
	Insert Handles	Н		N insert handles, where N corresponds to the number of insert count entries above (soft pointer).
	Layout Handle	Н		(hard pointer)
Common	:			
	CRC	Х		

20.4.52.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: blk hdr (31H), len 19H (25), handle: CA

00488 19 00 ... 0001 1001 0000 0000

0048A 4C 40 72 A6 80 00 00 09 L@r.... 0100 1100 0100 0000 0111 0010 1010 1010 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

00492 02 2A 44 C8 AA 41 01 30 .*D..A.0 0000 0010 0010 1010 0100 1100 1000 1010 1010 0100 0001 0001 0011 0000

0049A 50 31 CB 41 CC 41 D3 31 P1.A.A.1 0101 0000 0011 0001 1100 1010 0001 1100 1100 0100 0001 1101 0011 0001

004A3 E5 AA crc
```

20.4.53 LAYER CONTROL (50) (UNDOCUMENTED)

```
MS
                                           Object length (not counting itself or CRC).
       Length
                                   ___
                            BS
                                   0&2
                                           50 (internal DWG type code).
       Type
R2000+:
       Obj size
                            RL
                                           size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:
                                   5
       Handle
                            Н
                                         Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
```

	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	1:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	·:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	Counts layer "0", too.
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle(hard owner)
				layer objhandles (soft owner)
	CRC	X		

20.4.53.1 Example:

024C2 C3 1D crc

20.4.54 LAYER (51)

Entry name

TV

Length MS Object length (not counting itself or CRC). Type 0&2 51 (internal DWG type code). R2000+: Obj size size of object in bits, not including end handles RL Common: code 0, length followed by the handle bytes. Handle Н 5 EED -3 See EED section. R13-R14 Only: Obj size size of object in bits, not including end handles RL Common: Numreactors ВL Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj R2004+: XDic Missing Flag If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier. Common:

	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Frozen	В	70	if frozen (1 bit)
	On	В		if on. Normal Autodesk (and Open Design Toolkit) policy is not to report this per se, but rather to negate the color if the layer is off.
	Frz in new	В	70	if frozen by default in new viewports (2 bit)
	Locked	В	70	if locked (4 bit)
R2000+	÷:			
	Values	BS 70	,290,370	contains frozen (1 bit), on (2 bit), frozen by default in new viewports (4 bit), locked (8 bit), plotting flag (16 bit), and lineweight (mask with 0x03E0)
Common	1:			
	Color	CMC	62	
	Handle refs	Н		Layer control (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				External reference block handle (hard pointer)
R2000+	·:			
		H	390	Plotstyle (hard pointer), by default points to PLACEHOLDER with handle $0 \times 0 f$.
R2007+	÷:			
		Н	347	Material
Common	1:			
		Н	6	linetype (hard pointer)
		Н		Unknown handle (hard pointer). Always seems to be NULL.
	CRC	X		

20.4.54.1 Example:

OBJECT: layer (33H), len 1BH (27), handle: 99

02F91 1B 00 ... 0001 1011 0000 0000

02F93 4C C0 66 6A 20 00 00 09 L.fj ... 0100 1100 1100 0100 0110 0110 1010 0010 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

02F9B 09 44 45 46 50 4F 49 4E .DEFPOIN 0000 1001 0100 0100 0101 0100 0110 0101 0000 0100 1111 0100 1001 0100 1110

02FAB 14 45 48 .EH 0001 0100 0100 0101 0100 1000

02FAE 34 8F crc

20.4.55 SHAPEFILE CONTROL (52) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Object length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0&2	52 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	number of style handles in refs section.
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				shapefile objhandles (soft owner)
	CRC	Х		

20.4.55.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: shpfile ctr1 (34H), len FH (15), handle: 03

024C4 0F 00 ... 0000 1111 0000 0000

024C6 4D 00 40 E4 80 00 00 09 M.@..... 0100 1101 0000 0000 0100 0000 1110 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

024CE 02 40 30 21 10 21 F3 .@0!.!. 0000 0010 0100 0000 011 0000 0010 0001 0001 0000 0111 0011

024D5 33 8B crc
```

20.4.56 SHAPEFILE (53)

This contains a text style for the TEXT or MTEXT entity. Mostly the font information is stored in fields Font name and Big font name, but sometimes (for reasons unknown) some true type font information is contained in the table record's extended data (see paragraph 28). The true type descriptor is stored as follows in the extended data:

Group code (Value type)	Value
1001 (String)	Font file name
1002 (Bracket)	'{' (optional)
1071 (Int32)	Flags:

			Dold = 0,,02000000
			Bold = $0x02000000$, Italic = $0x01000000$,
			Pitch (bitmask) = $0x0000003$,
			Font family (bitmask) = 0×0000000 f0,
			Character set (bitmask) = $0x0000ff00$
1002 (Bracket)			'}' (optional)
Length	MS		Object length (not counting itself or CRC).
Туре	BS	0&2	53 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:			
Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:			
Handle	Н	5	code 0, length followed by the handle bytes.
EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14 Only:			
Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:			
Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:			
XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common:			
Entry name	TV	2	
64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.
xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
Vertical	В	1	if vertical (1 bit of flag)
shape file	В	1	if a shape file rather than a font (4 bit)
Fixed height	BD	40	
Width factor	BD	41	
Oblique ang	BD	50	
Generation	RC	71	Generation flags (not bit-pair coded).
Last height	BD	42	
Font name	TV	3	
Bigfont name	TV	4	
Handle refs	Н		Shapefile control (soft pointer)
			[Reactors (soft pointer)]
			xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
			External reference block handle (hard pointer)

CRC X ---

20.4.56.1 Example:

20.4.57 LINETYPE CONTROL (56) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Object length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0&2	56 (internal DWG type code).
R2000 C	Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0) .
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common:	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	Doesn't count BYBLOCK and BYLAYER even though they both have entries. Counts the soft owner ones.
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				the linetypes, ending with BYLAYER and BYBLOCK.
				all are soft owner references except BYLAYER and BYBLOCK, which are hard owner references.
	CRC	Х		

20.4.57.1 Example:

Scale

BD

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024D	7 11 00		0001 0001 0000	0000
024D9	9 4E 00 41 64 80 00 00 09	N.Ad	0100 1110 0000	0000 0100 0001 0110 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001
024E1	1 01 40 30 21 15 31 13 31	.00!.1.1	0000 0001 0100	0000 0011 0000 0010 0001 0001 0101 0011 0001 0001 0011 0011 0001
024E9	9 14		0001 0100	
024EA	A 82 54	crc		
20.4.5	8 LTYPE (57)			
	Length	MS		Object length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Type	BS	0&2	57 (internal DWG type code).
R2000	Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	code 0, length followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	т В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Entry name	TV	2	
	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
	Description	TV	3	
	Pattern Len	BD	40	
	Alignment	RC	72	Always 'A'.
	Numdashes	RC	73	The number of repetitions of the 4974 data.
repeat	numdashes times {			
	Dash length	BD	49	Dash or dot specifier.
	Complex shapecode	BS	75	Shape number if shapeflag is 2, or index into the string area if shapeflag is $4. $
	X-offset	RD	44	(0.0 for a simple dash.)
	Y-offset	RD	45	(0.0 for a simple dash.)

(1.0 for a simple dash.)

```
Rotation BD 50 (0.0 for a simple dash.)

Shapeflag BS 74 bit coded:

if (shapeflag & 1), text is rotated 0 degrees,

otherwise it follows the segment

if (shapeflag & 2), complexshapecode holds the

index of the shape to be drawn

if (shapeflag & 4), complexshapecode holds the index into the text area of the string to be drawn.
```

NOTE: Teigha Classic for .dwg files Toolkit does not present the data this way. It uses a separate variable called stroffset which indicates the offets into the text string area. This is done in order to attempt to make the data easier to understand.

}			
R2004 and earlier:			
Strings area	Х	9	256 bytes of text area. The complex dashes that have text use this area via the 75-group indices. It's basically a pile of 0-terminated strings. First byte is always 0 for R13 and data starts at byte 1. In R14 it is not a valid data start from byte 0.
			(The 9-group is undocumented.)
R2007+:			
	Х	9	512 bytes of text area, if the 0×02 bit is set on any ShapeFlag (DXF 74) value above. Otherwise no data is present.
Common:			
Handle refs	Н		Ltype control (soft pointer)
			[Reactors (soft pointer)]
			xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
			External reference block handle (hard pointer)
		340	shapefile for dash/shape (1 each) (hard pointer)
CRC	X		

20.4.59 VIEW CONTROL (60) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0&2	60 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14 Only:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles

				the views (soft owner)	
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)	
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)	
	Numentries	BL	70		
Common:					
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.	
R2004+					
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj	
Common	Common:				

20.4.59.1 Example:

OBJECT: view ctr1 (3CH), len DH (13), handle: 06

00A04 0D 00 ... 0000 1101 0000 0000

00A06 4F 00 41 A4 80 00 00 09 0.A.... 0100 1111 0000 0000 0100 0001 1010 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

00A0E 01 40 30 21 3F ... 60!? 0000 0001 0100 0000 0011 0000 0011 1111

00A13 E1 20 crc

20.4.60 VIEW (61)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).	
	Туре	BS	0	61 (internal DWG type code).	
R2000+	:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles	
Common	:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.	
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.	
R13-R1	4 Only:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles	
Common	:				
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj	
R2004+	:				
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.	
Common:					
	Entry name	TV	2		
	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.	
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from	

				an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
	View height	BD	40	
	View width	BD	41	
	View center	2RD	10	(Not bit-pair coded.)
	Target	3BD	12	
	View dir	3BD	11	DXF doc suggests from target toward camera.
	Twist angle	BD	50	Radians
	Lens length	BD	42	
	Front clip	BD	43	
	Back clip	BD	44	
	View mode	X	71	4 bits: 0123
				0 : 71's bit 0 (1)
				1 : 71's bit 1 (2)
				2 : 71's bit 2 (4)
				3 : OPPOSITE of 71's bit 4 (16)
				Note that only bits 0, 1, 2, and 4 of the 71 can be specified not bit 3 (8) .
R2000+:				
	Render Mode	RC	281	
R2007+:				
	Use default lights	В	?	Default value is true
	Default lighting	RC	?	Default value is 1
	Type			
	Brightness	BD	?	Default value is 0
	Contrast	BD	?	Default value is 0
	Abient color	CMC	?	Default value is AutoCAD indexed color 250
Common:				
	Pspace flag	В	70	Bit 0 (1) of the 70-group.
R2000+:				
	Associated UCS	В	72	
	Origin	3BD	10	This and next 4 R2000 items are present only if 72 value is 1.
	X-direction	3BD	11	
	Y-direction	3BD	12	
	Elevation	BD	146	
	OrthographicViewType	BS	79	
R2007+:				
	Camera plottable	В	73	
Common:				

	Handle refs	Н		view control object (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				External reference block handle (hard pointer)
R2007:				
	Background handle	Н	332	soft pointer
	Visual style	Н	348	hard pointer
	Sun	Н	361	hard owner
R2000+	:			
	Base UCS Handle	Н	346	hard pointer
	Named UCS Handle	Н	345	hard pointer
R2007+	:			
	Live section	Н	334	soft pointer
Common	:			
	CRC	Х		

20.4.60.1 Example:

20.4.61 UCS CONTROL (62) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0&2	62 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14	Only:			

	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				the ucs's (soft owner)
	CRC	Х		

20.4.61.1 Example:

OBJECT: ucs ctrl (3EH), len DH (13), handle: 07

0350B 0D 00 ... 0000 1101 0000 0000

0350D 4F 80 41 E4 80 00 00 09 0.A.... 0100 1111 1000 0000 0100 0001 1110 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

03515 01 40 30 21 4C .@0!L 0000 0001 0100 0000 0110 0000 0110 1100

0351A A0 6F crc

20.4.62 UCS (63)

64-flag

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	63 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Entry name	TV	2	

B 70 The 64-bit of the 70 group.

	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
	Origin	3BD	10	
	X-direction	3BD	11	
	Y-direction	3BD	12	
R2000+	:			
	Elevation	BD	146	
	OrthographicViewType	BS	79	
	OrthographicType	BS	71	
Common	:			
	Handle refs	Н		ucs control object (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				External reference block handle (hard pointer)
R2000+	:			
	Base UCS Handle	Н	346	hard pointer
	Named UCS Handle	Н	-	hard pointer, not present in DXF
Common	:			
	CRC	X		

20.4.62.1 Example:

20.4.63 TABLE (VPORT) (64) (UNDOCUMENTED)

Length MS --- Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).

	Туре	BS	0 & 2	64 (internal DWG type code).
R2000:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	Counts all 0010.refs even the null ones (0010.0000). The actual 70-group value from an entget doesn't count the null ones.
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				the vports (soft owner)
	CRC	Х		

20.4.63.1 Example:

20.4.64 VPORT (65)

crc

03530 9E 1F

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	65 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles

Common:					
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj	
R2004+	:			-	
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.	
Common	:				
	Entry name	TV	2		
	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.	
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.	
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)	
	View height	BD	40		
	Aspect ratio	BD	41	The number stored here is actually the aspect ratio times the view height (40), so this number must be divided by the 40-value to produce the aspect ratio that entget gives. (R13 quirk; R12 has just the aspect ratio.)	
	View Center	2RD	12	DCS. (If it's plan view, add the view target (17) to get the WCS coordinates. Careful! Sometimes you have to SAVE/OPEN to update the .dwg file.) Note that it's WSC in R12.	
	View target	3BD	17		
	View dir	3BD	16		
	View twist	BD	51		
	Lens length	BD	42		
	Front clip	BD	43		
	Back clip	BD	44		
	View mode	Χ	71	4 bits: 0123	
				0 : 71's bit 0 (1)	
				1 : 71's bit 1 (2)	
				2 : 71's bit 2 (4)	
				3 : OPPOSITE of 71's bit 4 (16)	
				Note that only bits 0, 1, 2, and 4 are given here; see UCSFOLLOW below for bit 3 (8) of the 71.	
R2000+	:				
	Render Mode	RC	281		
R2007+	:				
	Use default lights	В	292		
	Default lighting type	e RC	282		
	Brightness	BD	141		
	Constrast	BD	142		
	Ambient Color	CMC	63		

Common:				
	Lower left	2RD	10	In fractions of screen width and height.
	Upper right	2RD	11	In fractions of screen width and height.
	UCSFOLLOW	В	71	UCSFOLLOW. Bit 3 (8) of the 71-group.
	Circle zoom	BS	72	Circle zoom percent.
	Fast zoom	В	73	
	UCSICON	X	74	2 bits: 01
				0 : 74's bit 0 (1)
				1 : 74's bit 1 (2)
	Grid on/off	В	76	
	Grd spacing	2RD	15	
	Snap on/off	В	75	
	Snap style	В	77	
	Snap isopair	BS	78	
	Snap rot	BD	50	
	Snap base	2RD	13	
	Snp spacing	2RD	14	
R2000+:				
	Unknown	В		
	UCS per Viewport	В	71	
	UCS Origin	3BD	110	
	UCS X Axis	3BD	111	
	UCS Y Axis	3BD	112	
	UCS Elevation	BD	146	
	UCS Orthographic type	BS	79	
R2007+:				
	Grid flags	BS	60	
	Grid major	BS	61	
Common:				
	Handle refs	Н		Vport control (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				External reference block handle (hard pointer)
R2007+:				
	Background handle	Н	332	soft pointer
	Visual Style handle	Н	348	hard pointer
	Sun handle	Н	361	hard owner
R2000+:				
	Named UCS Handle	Н	345	hard pointer
	Base UCS Handle	Н	346	hard pointer

Common:

CRC X ---

20.4.64.1 Example:

OBJECT: vport (41H), len 93H (147), handle: 4E 1001 0011 0000 0000 03EFA 93 00 03EFC 50 40 53 A7 50 40 00 09 P@S.P@.. 0101 0000 0100 0000 0101 1010 0111 0101 0000 0100 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001 03F0C C2 1E 94 3B 21 CD A4 CD ...;!... 1100 0010 0001 1110 1001 0100 0011 1011 0010 0001 1100 1100 1101 1010 0100 1101 03F14 00 A5 86 68 4A 2C 0E 2D ...h,,.- 0000 0000 1010 0101 1000 0110 1000 0100 1010 0010 1010 0010 1100 0000 1110 0010 1101 03F34 00 49 40 A1 00 00 00 00 .I@..... 0000 0000 0100 1001 0100 0000 1010 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 03F3C 00 00 E0 3F 00 00 00 00 ...?.... 0000 0000 0000 1110 0000 0011 1111 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 03F4C 00 00 F0 3F 00 00 00 00 ...?.... 0000 0000 0000 1111 0000 0011 1111 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 03F54 00 00 F0 3F 2C 98 00 00 ...?,... 0000 0000 0000 1111 0000 0011 1111 0010 1100 1001 1000 0000 0000 0000 03F8C 41 82 80 0100 0001 1000 0010 1000 0000 03F8F 7D 31 crc

20.4.65 TABLE (APPID) (66) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0&2	66 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.

R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				the apps (soft owner)
	CRC	Х		

20.4.65.1 Example:

20.4.66 APPID (67)

64-flag

	Length	MS -		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	67 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14 Only:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:				
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common:				
	Entry name	TV	2	

B 70 The 64-bit of the 70 group.

xrefir	ndex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
Xdep		В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
Unknov	vn	RC	71	Undoc'd 71-group; doesn't even appear in DXF or an entget if it's 0.
Handle	e refs	Н		The app control (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				External reference block handle (hard pointer)
CRC		X		

20.4.66.1 Example:

20.4.67 DIMSTYLE CONTROL (68) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0 & 2	68 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14 Only:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:				
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common:				
	Numentries	BL	70	
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)

xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

the dimstyles (soft owner)

CRC X ---

20.4.67.1 Example:

20.4.68 DIMSTYLE (69)

DIMSE2

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	69 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14	1 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common:	:			
	Entry name	TV	2	
	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
R13 & F	R14 Only:			
	DIMTOL	В	71	
	DIMLIM	В	72	
	DIMTIH	В	73	
	DIMTOH	В	74	
	DIMSE1	В	75	

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DIMALT	В	170
DIMTOFL	В	172
DIMSAH	В	173
DIMTIX	В	174
DIMSOXD	В	175
DIMALTD	RC	171
DIMZIN	RC	78
DIMSD1	В	281
DIMSD2	В	282
DIMTOLJ	RC	283
DIMJUST	RC	280
DIMFIT	RC	287
DIMUPT	В	288
DIMTZIN	RC	284
DIMALTZ	RC	285
DIMALTTZ	RC	286
DIMTAD	RC	77
DIMUNIT	BS	270
DIMAUNIT	BS	275
DIMDEC	BS	271
DIMTDEC	BS	272
DIMALTU	BS	273
DIMALTTD	BS	274
DIMSCALE	BD	40
DIMASZ	BD	41
DIMEXO	BD	42
DIMDLI	BD	43
DIMEXE	BD	44
DIMRND	BD	45
DIMDLE	BD	46
DIMTP	BD	47
DIMTM	BD	48
DIMTXT	BD	140
DIMCEN	BD	141
DIMTSZ	BD	142
DIMALTF	BD	143
DIMLFAC	BD	144
DIMTVP	BD	145
DIMTFAC	BD	146
DIMGAP	BD	147

	DIMPOST	Т	3
	DIMAPOST	Т	4
	DIMBLK	Т	5
	DIMBLK1	Т	6
	DIMBLK2	Т	7
	DIMCLRD	BS	176
	DIMCLRE	BS	177
	DIMCLRT	BS	178
R2000+:			
	DIMPOST	TV	3
	DIMAPOST	TV	4
	DIMSCALE	BD	40
	DIMASZ	BD	41
	DIMEXO	BD	42
	DIMDLI	BD	43
	DIMEXE	BD	44
	DIMRND	BD	45
	DIMDLE	BD	46
	DIMTP	BD	47
	DIMTM	BD	48
R2007+:			
	DIMFXL	BD	49
	DIMJOGANG	BD	50
	DIMTFILL	BS	69
	DIMTFILLCLR	CMC	70
R2000+:			
	DIMTOL	В	71
	DIMLIM	В	72
	DIMTIH	В	73
	DIMTOH	В	74
	DIMSE1	В	75
	DIMSE2	В	76
	DIMTAD	BS	77
	DIMZIN	BS	78
	DIMAZIN	BS	79
R2007+:			
	DIMARCSYM	BS	90
R2000+:			
	DIMTXT	BD	140
	DIMCEN	BD	141

	DIMTSZ	BD	142
	DIMALTF	BD	143
	DIMLFAC	BD	144
	DIMTVP	BD	145
	DIMTFAC	BD	146
	DIMGAP	BD	147
	DIMALTRND	BD	148
	DIMALT	В	170
	DIMALTD	BS	171
	DIMTOFL	В	172
	DIMSAH	В	173
	DIMTIX	В	174
	DIMSOXD	В	175
	DIMCLRD	BS	176
	DIMCLRE	BS	177
	DIMCLRT	BS	178
	DIMADEC	BS	179
	DIMDEC	BS	271
	DIMTDEC	BS	272
	DIMALTU	BS	273
	DIMALTTD	BS	274
	DIMAUNIT	BS	275
	DIMFRAC	BS	276
	DIMLUNIT	BS	277
	DIMDSEP	BS	278
	DIMTMOVE	BS	279
	DIMJUST	BS	280
	DIMSD1	В	281
	DIMSD2	В	282
	DIMTOLJ	BS	283
	DIMTZIN	BS	284
	DIMALTZ	BS	285
	DIMALTTZ	BS	286
	DIMUPT	В	288
	DIMFIT	BS	287
R2007+:			
	DIMFXLON	В	290
R2010+:			
	DIMTXTDIRECTION	В	295
	DIMALTMZF	BD	?

	DIMALTMZS	Т	?	DIMMZF	BD	?
	DIMMZS	Т	?			
R2000+	:					
	DIMLWD	BS	371			
	DIMLWE	BS	372			
Common	:					
	Unknown	В	70	Seems to set t	he 0-bi	t (1) of the 70-group.
	Handle refs	Н		Dimstyle contr	ol (sof	t pointer)
				[Reactors (sof	t point	er)]
				xdicobjhandle	(hard or	wner)
				External refer	ence blo	ock handle (hard pointer)
			340	shapefile (DIM	TXSTY)	(hard pointer)
R2000+	:					
			341	leader block (DIMLDRB:	LK) (hard pointer)
			342	dimblk (DIMBLK) (hard	pointer)
			343	dimblk1 (DIMBL	K1) (ha:	rd pointer)
			344	dimblk2 (DIMBL	K2) (ha:	rd pointer)
R2007+	:					
			345	dimltype (hard	pointe	r)
			346	dimltex1 (hard	pointe	r)
			347	dimltex2 (hard	pointe	r)
Common	:					
	CRC	Х				

20.4.68.1 **Example**:

OBJECT: dimstyle (45H), len 70H (112), handle: 1D $\,$

040F0 70 00	p.	0111 0000 0000 0000
040F2 51 40 47 64 90 30 00 09	Q@Gd.0	0101 0001 0100 0000 0100 0111 0110 0100 1001 0000 0011 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001
040FA 08 53 54 41 4E 44 41 52	.STANDAR	0000 1000 0101 0011 0101 0100 0100 0001 0100 1110 0100 0100 0100 0001 0101 0010
04102 44 C3 00 04 00 00 80 01	D	0100 0100 1100 0011 0000 0000 0000 0100 0000 0000 0000 0000 1000 0000 0001
0410A 80 00 00 00 10 29 04 41).A	1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0001 0000 0010 1001 0000 0100 0100 0001
04112 10 24 09 02 B5 E8 DC OF	.\$	0001 0000 0010 0100 0000 1001 0000 0010 1011 0101 1110 1000 1101 1100 0000 1111
0411A 42 B1 CF C0 00 00 00 00	В	0100 0010 1011 0001 1100 1111 1100 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
04122 00 0B 03 F1 4A E0 7A 17	J.z.	0000 0000 0000 1011 0000 0011 1111 0001 0100 1010 1110 0000 0111 1010 0001 0111
0412A AD 47 60 FC 0A D7 A3 70	.G`p	1010 1101 0100 0111 0110 0000 1111 1100 0000 1010 1101 0111 1010 0011 0111 0000
04132 3D 0A C7 3F AA 02 B5 E8	=?	0011 1101 0000 1010 1100 0111 0011 1111 1010 1010 0000 0010 1011 0101 1110 1000

0413A DC OF 42 B1 CF CO AD 7A	Bz	1101	1100	0000	1111	0100	0010	1011	0001	1100	1111	1100	0000	1010	1101	0111	1010
04142 37 03 D0 AB 73 F8 66 66	7s.ff	0011	0111	0000	0011	1101	0000	1010	1011	0111	0011	1111	1000	0110	0110	0110	0110
0414A 66 66 66 66 39 40 64 0A	ffff9@d.	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0110	0011	1001	0100	0000	0110	0100	0000	1010
04152 D7 A3 70 3D 0A B7 3F AA	p=?.	1101	0111	1010	0011	0111	0000	0011	1101	0000	1010	1011	0111	0011	1111	1010	1010
0415A AA 20 85 18 28 28 88 00	((1010	1010	0010	0000	1000	0101	0001	1000	0010	1000	0010	1000	1000	1000	0000	0000
04162 CC 33	crc																

20.4.69 VIEWPORT ENTITY CONTROL (70) (UNDOCUMENTED)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0&2	70 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Owner handle (soft pointer) of root object (0).
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	В	L	Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL	70	
	Handle refs	Н		NULL (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				the viewport entity headers (soft owner)
	CRC	Х		

20.4.69.1 Example:

OBJECT: vpent ctrl (46H), len 17H (23), handle: 0B

```
03559 17 00 ... 0001 0111 0000 0000

0355B 51 80 42 E4 80 00 00 99 Q.B.... 0101 0001 1000 0000 0100 0101 0100 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1001

03563 06 40 30 21 51 21 52 21 .8019LR! 0000 0110 0100 0000 0011 0000 0010 0101 0101 0001 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101

0356B 54 21 56 21 58 21 5A T!V!X!Z 0101 0100 0010 0101 0110 0110 0101 0101 1000 0110 1011 1010

03572 9E 84 crc
```

20.4.70 VIEWPORT ENTITY HEADER (71)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	71 (internal DWG type code).
R2000:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Entry name	TV	2	
	64-flag	В	70	The 64-bit of the 70 group.
	xrefindex+1	BS	70	subtract one from this value when read. After that, -1 indicates that this reference did not come from an xref, otherwise this value indicates the index of the blockheader for the xref from which this came.
	Xdep	В	70	dependent on an xref. (16 bit)
	1 flag	В		The 1 bit of the 70 group
	Handle refs	Н		viewport entity control (soft pointer)
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				External reference block handle (hard pointer)
				the corresponding viewport entity (soft owner) objhandle of previous vport ent header in chain (hard pointer) sometimes points to self; I change those to NULL. NULL indicates end of chain.
	CRC	Х		

20.4.70.1 Example:

OBJECT: vpent hdr (47H), len 11H (17), handle: 58

```
03574 11 00 ... 0001 0001 0000 0000

03576 51 C0 56 24 50 00 00 0A Q.V$P... 0101 0001 1100 0000 0101 0110 0100 0101 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1010

0357E CA 08 59 82 82 0A CA 8A ... 1100 1010 0000 1000 0101 1001 1000 0010 0010 0010 1010 1100 1010 1010

03586 B4 ... 1011 0100

03587 2F 9E crc
```

20.4.71 AcDbAnnotScaleObjectContextData

This class inherits from class AcDbObjectContextData (see paragraph 20.4.89).

Version	Field type	DXF group code	Description
			Common AcDbObjectContextData data (see paragraph 20.4.89).
	Н	340	Handle to scale (AcDbScale) object (hard pointer). See paragraph 20.4.92.

20.4.72 GROUP (72): Group of ACAD entities

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	72 (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Str	TV		name of group
	Unnamed	BS	1	if group has no name
	Selectable	BS	1	if group selectable
	Numhandles	BL		# objhandles in this group
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
				the entries in the group (hard pointer)

20.4.72.1 **Example**:

04338 70 90 14 0D 04 35 04 34 p....5.4 0111 0000 1001 0000 0001 0100 0000 1101 0000 0101 0101 0000 0101 0101 0100 0100 0101 0100 01

20.4.73 MLINESTYLE (73):

	, <u></u>	<i>,</i> -			
	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).	
	Туре	BS	0	73 (internal DWG type code).	
R2000+	:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles	
Common	:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.	
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.	
R13-R14	4 Only:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles	
Common	:				
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj	
R2004+	:				
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.	n
Common	:				
	Name	TV		Name of this style	
	Desc	TV		Description of this style	
	Flags	BS		A short which reconstitutes the mlinestyle flags as defined in DXF. Here are the bits as they relate to DXF:	
				DWG bit goes with DXF bit	
				1 2	
				2 1	
				16 16	
				32 64	
				64 32	
				256 256	
				512 1024	
				1024 512	
	fillcolor	CMC		Fill color for this style	
	startang	BD		Start angle	
	endang	BD		End angle	
	linesinstyle	RC		Number of lines in this style	

REPEAT 'linesinstyle' times:

	Offset	BD	Offset of this segment
	Color	CMC	Color of this segment
Before	R2018:		
	Ltindex	BS	Linetype index (yes, index)
R2018+	:		
	Line type handle	Н	Line type handle (hard pointer)
END RE	PEAT		
Common	1:		
	Handle refs	Н	parenthandle (soft pointer)
			[Reactors (soft pointer)]
			xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

20.4.73.1 Example:

OBJECT: mlstyle	(49H),	len 5	5H (8	5), handle	: 74															
0439B 55 00				U.	0101	0101	0000	0000												
0439D 52 40	5D 27 C	0 20	00 04	R@]'	. 0101	0010	0100	0000	0101	1101	0010	0111	1100	0000	0010	0000	0000	0000	0000	0100
043A5 05 09	4D 59 4	D 4C	53 54	MYMLS	r 0000	0101	0000	1001	0100	1101	0101	1001	0100	1101	0100	1100	0101	0011	0101	0100
043AD 59 4C	45 44 9	B 5E	48 1E	YLED.^H	. 0101	1001	0100	1100	0100	0101	0100	0100	1001	1011	0101	1110	0100	1000	0001	1011
043B5 5D 5B	1D 1A 5	B 1A	5B 99][.	. 0101	1101	0101	1011	0001	1101	0001	1010	0101	1011	0001	1010	0101	1011	1001	1001
043BD 48 1C	DD 1E 5	в 19	68 18	H[.h	. 0100	1000	0001	1100	1101	1101	0001	1110	0101	1011	0001	1001	0110	1000	0001	1000
043C5 2D 44	54 FB 2	1 F9	3F 06	-DT.!.?	. 0010	1101	0100	0100	0101	0100	1111	1011	0010	0001	1111	1001	0011	1111	0000	0110
043CD 0B 51	15 3E C	8 7E	4F C0	.Q.>.~0	. 0000	1011	0101	0001	0001	0101	0011	1110	1100	1000	0111	1110	0100	1111	1100	0000
043D5 C0 00	00 00 0	0 00	0E 03		. 1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1110	0000	0011
043DD FD 01	90 44 0	8 00	00 00	D	. 1111	1101	0000	0001	1001	0000	0100	0100	0000	1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
043E5 00 00	00 E0 B	F 40	90 34		4 0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1110	0000	1011	1111	0100	0000	1001	0000	0011	0100
043ED 10 E4	10 E3 0	0			0001	0000	1110	0100	0001	0000	1110	0011	0000	0000						
043F2 8F AA				crc																

NOTE: OBJECTS LISTED AFTER THIS POINT DO NOT HAVE FIXED TYPES. THEIR TYPES ARE DETERMINED BY FINDING THE CLASS ENTRY WHOSE POSITION IN THE CLASS LIST \pm 500 EQUALS THE TYPE OF THIS OBJECT

20.4.74 DICTIONARYVAR (varies)

Length	MS	Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
Type	BS 0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:		
Obj size	RL	size of object in bits, not including end handles

Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Intval	RC		an integer value
	Str	BS		a string
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

20.4.74.1 Example:

20.4.75 **HATCH** (varies)

Common Entity Data

R2004+:

	Is Gradient Fill	BL	450	Non-zero	indicates	a	gradient	fill	is	used.
	Reserved	BL	451							
	Gradient Angle	BD	460							
	Gradient Shift	BD	461							
	Single Color Grad.	BL	452							
	Gradient Tint	BD	462							
	# of Gradient Colors	BL	453							
Repeats	# of Gradient Colors	time:								
	Unknown double	BD	463							
	Unknown short	BS								
	RGB Color	BL 63	,421							

```
Ignored color byte
                            RC
End Repeat
      Gradient Name
                                  470
                            TV
Common:
       Z coord
                            BD
                                   30
                                          X, Y always 0.0
      Extrusion
                           3BD
                                  210
      Name
                            TV
                                    2
                                          name of hatch
       Solidfill
                             В
                                   70
                                          1 if solidfill, else 0
       Associative
                                   71
                                          1 if associative, else 0
       Numpaths
                            ВL
                                   91
                                          Number of paths enclosing the hatch
/* definitions of the hatch boundaries */
Repeat numpaths times:
 Pathflag
            BL 92 Path flag
 if (!(pathflag & 2)) {
   Numpathsegs BL 93 number of segments in this path
   Repeat numpathsegs times:
     pathtypestatus RC 72 type of path
     if (pathtypestatus==1) { /* LINE */
       pt0
                      2RD 10 first endpoint
       pt1
                       2RD 11 second endpoint
     else if (pathtypestatus==2) { /* CIRCULAR ARC */
       pt0
                      2RD 10 center
       radius
                       BD 40 radius
       startangle
                       BD 50 start angle
       endangle
                        BD 51 endangle
       isccw
                           73 1 if counter clockwise, otherwise 0
     else if (pathtypestatus==3) { /* ELLIPTICAL ARC */
       pt0
                       2RD 10 center
                       2RD 11 endpoint of major axis
       endpoint
       minormajoratio
                       BD 40 ratio of minor to major axis
       startangle
                        BD 50 start angle
       endangle
                        BD 51 endangle
       isccw
                        B 73 1 if counter clockwise, otherwise 0
     else if (pathtypestatus==4) { /* SPLINE */
                        BL 94 degree of the spline
       degree
```

```
B 73 1 if rational (has weights), else 0
       isrational
       isperiodic
                        B 74 1 if periodic, else 0
                        BL 95 number of knots
       numknots
       numctlpts
                        BL 96 number of control points
       Repeat numknots times:
          knot
                           BD 40 knot value
       End repeat
       Repeat numctlpts times:
                           2RD 10 control point
         if (isrational)
          weight
                           BD 40 weight
         endif
       End repeat
R24:
       Numfitpoints
                           BL 97 number of fit points
       Begin repeat numfitpoints times:
         Fitpoint
                           2RD 11
       End repeat
       Start tangent
                          2RD 12
                          2RD 13
       End tangent
Common:
    }
   End repeat (numpathsegs)
 } /* (!(pathflag & 2)) */
 else { /* POLYLINE PATH */
   bulgespresent
                  B 72 bulges are present if 1
   closed
                       B 73 1 if closed
   numpathsegs
                      BL 91 number of path segments
   Repeat numpathsegs times:
                        2RD 10 point on polyline
     if (bulgespresent) {
       bulge
                         BD 42 bulge
     }
   End repeat
 } /* pathflag & 2 */
 numboundaryobjhandles BL 97 Number of boundary object handles for this path
End repeat (numpaths)
/* below this point is the definition of the hatch itself */
```

```
BS
                                   75
                                           style of hatch 0==odd parity, 1==outermost,
       style
                                           2==whole area
                                   76
                                          pattern type 0==user-defined, 1==predefined,
       patterntype
                            BS
                                           2==custom
if (!solidfill) {
              BD 52 hatch angle
 angle
 scaleorspacing BD 41 scale or spacing (pattern fill only)
 doublehatch B 77 1 for double hatch
 numdeflines
               BS 78 number of definition lines
 Repeat numdeflines times:
   angle
                 BD 53 line angle
   pt0
                 2BD 43/44 pattern through this point (X,Y)
                 2BD 45/56 pattern line offset
   offset
   numdashes
                  BS 79 number of dash length items
   Repeat numdashes times:
     dashlength
                  BD 49 dash length
   End repeat
 End repeat
if (ANY of the pathflags & 4) {
                 BD 47 pixel size
 pixelsize
numseedpoints
                 BL 98 number of seed points
Repeat numseedpoints times:
 pt0
                  2RD 10 seed point
End repeat
       Common Entity Handle Data
Repeat totalbounditems (sum of all "numboundaryitems") times
 boundaryhandle H 330 boundary handle (soft pointer)
End repeat
```

20.4.75.1 Example:

CRC

```
OBJECT: proxy (1F5H), len E2H (226), handle: 68

069C4 E2 00 ... 1110 0010 0000 0000

069C6 3D 40 40 5A 26 70 30 00 =0000 0011 1101 0100 0000 0100 0000 0101 1010 0110 0111 0000 0011 0000 0000 0000

069CE 02 80 DB 54 A0 C8 29 CA ...T.). 0000 0010 1000 0000 1101 1011 0101 0100 1010 0000 1100 1000 0010 1001 1001 0100

069D6 69 26 66 22 02 80 A0 80 i&f".... 0110 1001 0010 0110 0110 0110 0010 0000 0010 1000 0000 1010 0000 0000
```

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069DE 28 03 02 5A E2 89 80 68	(Zh	0010 1000 000	0 0011 0000	0010 0101	1010 1110	0010 1000	1001 1000 0000 0110 1000
069E6 0D 0F 09 03 C3 C3 C0 88		0000 1101 000	0 1111 0000	1001 0000	0011 1100	0011 1100	0011 1100 0000 1000 1000
069EE 1C 12 5E 96 B9 91 BC A7	^	0001 1100 000	1 0010 0101	1110 1001	0110 1011	1001 1001	0001 1011 1100 1010 0111
069F6 F6 1A C1 03 D6 06 A0 88		1111 0110 000	1 1010 1100	0 0001 0000	0011 1101	0110 0000	0110 1010 0000 1000 1000
069FE 00 3C 12 5E 96 B9 91 BC	.<.^	0000 0000 001	1 1100 0001	0010 0101	1110 1001	0110 1011	1001 1001 0001 1011 1100
06A06 A7 F6 1A C1 03 D6 06 A0		1010 0111 111	1 0110 0001	1010 1100	0001 0000	0011 1101	0110 0000 0110 1010 0000
06A0E 88 1A 0F A5 B5 4C A8 1F	L	1000 1000 000	1 1010 0000) 1111 1010	0101 1011	0101 0100	1100 1010 1000 0001 1111
06A16 47 EC 11 0B 35 26 AC 5D	G5&.]	0100 0111 111	0 1100 0001	0001 0000	1011 0011	0101 0010	0110 1010 1100 0101 1101
06A1E C7 E0 3A OF A5 B5 4C A8	:L.	1100 0111 111	0 0000 0011	1010 0000	1111 1010	0101 1011	0101 0100 1100 1010 1000
06A26 1F 47 EC 11 0B 35 26 AC	.G5&.	0001 1111 010	0 0111 1110	1100 0001	0001 0000	1011 0011	0101 0010 0110 1010 1100
06A2E 5D C7 EA 06 B5 C1 81 D1	1	0101 1101 110	0 0111 1110	1010 0000	0110 1011	0101 1100	0001 1000 0001 1101 0001
06A36 80 28 10 04 08 44 05 F1	.(D	1000 0000 001	0 1000 0001	. 0000 0000	0100 0000	1000 0100	0100 0000 0101 1111 0001
06A3E 1E 87 E0 2A 06 B5 C1 81	********	0001 1110 100	0 0111 1110	0 0000 0010	1010 0000	0110 1011	0101 1100 0001 1000 0001
06A46 D1 80 28 10 04 08 44 05	(D.						1000 0100 0100 0000 0101
06A4E F1 1E 87 E8 03 02 5A E2	Z.						0010 0101 1010 1110 0010
06A56 89 80 68 0D 0F 09 03 C3	h						1001 0000 0011 1100 0011
06A5E C3 C0 88 14 80 83 05 A8							0011 0000 0101 1010 1000
06A66 8A 9F 64 3F 27 E4 D4 CC							0100 1101 0100 1100 1100
							1001 0000 0001 0011 0100
	.L6@.(0000 1001 0000 0010 1000
	_						1010 1000 0010 1011 1111
							0110 1010 0000 1010 1111
							0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
06A96 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00							0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
06A9E 00 01 05 EC C1 44 3E 02) OTOT 1110	1100 1100	0001 0100	0100 0011 1110 0000 0010
06AA6 84 17		1000 0100 000	1 0111				
06AA8 C2 EA	crc						

The proxy flags for the class are 0x480.

20.4.76 FIELD

Class properties:

App name	ObjectDBX Classes
Class number	Dynamic (>= 500)
DWG version	R18
Maintenance version	0
Class proxy flags	0x480
C++ class name	AcDbField
DXF name	FIELD

Fields are referenced from the field list of a drawing (paragraph 20.4.77).

Version	Field type	DXF group	Description	
		code	Common phicat data (noncomple 20.1)	
		1	Common object data (paragraph 20.1). Evaluator ID	
	TV	1 2 2		
	TV	2,3	Field code (in DXF strings longer than 255 characters are written in chunks of 255 characters in one 2 group and one or more 3 groups).	
	BL	90	Number of child fields	
			Begin repeat child fields	
	Н	360	Child field handle (hard owner)	
			End repeat child fields	
	BL	97	Number of field objects	
			Begin repeat field objects	
	Н	331	Field object handle (soft pointer)	
			End repeat field objects	
-R2004	TV	4	Format string. After R2004 the format became part of the value object.	
Common	BL	91	Evaluation option flags:	
			Never = 0 ,	
			On open = 1,	
			On save $= 2$,	
			On plot = 4 ,	
			When packed for eTransmit $= 8$,	
			On regeneration = 16,	
			On demand = 32	
	BL	92	Filing option flags:	
			None = 0 ,	
			Don't file field result = 1	
	BL	94	Field state flags:	
			Unknown = 0,	
			Initialized = 1,	
			Compiled = 2,	
			Modified = 4,	

		Evaluated = 8,	
		Cached = 16	
BL	95	Evaluation status flags:	
		Not evaluated = 1,	
		Success = 2,	
		Evaluator not found = 4,	
		Syntax error = 8,	
		Invalid code = 16,	
		Invalid context = 32,	
		Other error = 64	
BL	96	Evaluation error code	
TV	300	Evaluation error message	
		The field value, see paragraph 20.4.99.	
TV	301, 9	Value string (DXF: written in 255 character chunks)	
TV	98	Value string length	
BL	93	Number of child fields	
		Begin repeat child fields	
TV	6	Child field key	
		The field value, see paragraph 20.4.99.	
		End repeat child fields	

20.4.77 FIELDLIST

Class properties:

or operates.	
App name	ObjectDBX Classes
Class number	Dynamic (>= 500)
DWG version	R18
Maintenance version	0
Class proxy flags	0x480
C++ class name	AcDbFieldList, inherits AcDbIdSet
DXF name	FIELDLIST

Fields (paragraph 20.4.76) are referenced from the field list of a drawing. The field list is stored in the root dictionary entry ACAD_FIELDLIST.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Common object data (paragraph 20.1).
	BL		Number of fields
	В		Unknown
			Begin repeat fields

	Н	330	Field handle (soft pointer)
			End repeat fields

20.4.78 GEODATA

Class properties:

Class properties.	
App name	ObjectDBX Classes
Class number	Dynamic (>= 500)
DWG version	R21
Maintenance version	45
Class proxy flags	0xFFF
C++ class name	AcDbGeoData
DXF name	GEODATA

The geo data object was introduced in AutoCAD 2009. The format changed considerably in AutoCAD 2010. The objectVersion field discerns between the formats (1 = AutoCAD 2009, 2 = AutoCAD 2010, 3 = AutoCAD 2013, but the format is the same as 2010).

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Common object data (paragraph 20.1).
	BL		Object version formats (1 = AutoCAD 2009, 2 = AutoCAD 2010, 3 =
			AutoCAD 2013, but the format is the same as 2010)
	Н		Soft pointer to host block (model space layout owner block)
	BS		Design coordinate type ($0 = \text{unknown}$, local grid = 1, projected grid = 2,
			geographic (defined by latitude/longitude) = 3)
			If version is AutoCAD 2010 or later
	3BD		Design point
	3BD		Reference point
	BD		Unit scale factor horizontal
	BL		Units value horizontal
			Undefined = 0,
			Inches = 1,
			Feet = 2,
			Miles = 3,
			Millimeters = 4,
			Centimeters = 5,
			Meters = 6,
			Kilometers = 7,
			Micro inches = 8,
			Mils = 9,
			Yards = 10,
			Angstroms = 11,
			Nanometers = 12,

	T
	Microns = 13,
	Decimeters = 14,
	Dekameters = 15,
	Hectometers = 16,
	Gigameters = 17,
	Astronomical = 18,
	Light years = 19 ,
	Parsecs = 20
BD	Unit scale factor vertical
BL	Units value vertical (same enumeration as for the units value horizontal)
3BD	Up direction
3RD	North direction
BL	Scale estimation method:
	None = 1 ,
	User specified scale factor = 2,
	Grid scale at reference point $= 3$,
	Prismodial = 4
BD	User specified scale factor
В	Do sea level correction
BD	Sea level elevation
BD	Coordinate projection radius
VT	Coordinate system definition . In AutoCAD 2010 this is a map guide XML
	string.
VT	Geo RSS tag.
	Else (version is earlier than AutoCAD 2010)
3BD	Reference point
BL	Units value horizontal (see above for enum definition).
3BD	Design point
3BD	Obsolete, ODA writes (0, 0, 0)
3BD	Up direction
BD	Angle of north direction (radians, angle measured clockwise from the $(0, 1)$
	vector).
3BD	Obsolete, ODA writes (1, 1, 1)
VT	Coordinate system definition. In AutoCAD 2009 this is a "Well known text"
	(WKT) string containing a projected coordinate system (PROJCS).
VT	Geo RSS tag
BD	Unit scale factor horizontal
VT	Obsolete, coordinate system datum name
VT	Obsolete: coordinate system WKT
	End if version is AutoCAD 2010 or later
VT	Observation from tag
VT	Observation to tag
VT	Observation coverage tag
BL	Number of geo mesh points
 	- remote of the mean bounts

	Repeat for each geo mesh point
2RD	Source point
2RD	Destination point
	End repeat geo mesh points
BL	Number of geo mesh faces
	Repeat for each geo mesh face
BL	Face index 1
BL	Face index 2
BL	Face index 3
	End repeat geo mesh faces
	If DWG version is R21 or lower
	Below is CIVIL data. AutoCAD 2010 always writes civil data.
В	Has civil data? (true)
В	False
RD	Reference point Y
RD	Reference point X
RD	Reference point Y
RD	Reference point X
BL	0
BL	0
2RD	(0,0)
2RD	(0,0)
В	false
BD	North direction angle (degrees)
BD	North direction angle (radians)
BL	Scale estimation method
BD	User specified scale factor
В	Do sea level correction
BD	Sea level elevation
BD	Coordinate projection radius
	End if

20.4.79 IDBUFFER (varies)

(holds	list of references to	an xref	()		
	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).	
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).	
R2000+:					
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles	
Common:					
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.	
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.	

R13-R1	4 Only:		
	Obj size	RL	size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:		
	Numreactors	BL	Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:		
	XDic Missing Flag	В	If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:		
	Unknown	RC	always 0?
	Numobjids	BL	number of object ids
	Handle refs	Н	parenthandle (soft pointer)
			[Reactors (soft pointer)]
			xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
		330	objids (soft pointer)

20.4.79.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1FAH), len 12H (18), handle: 8B

04437 12 00 ... 0001 0010 0000 0000

04439 3E 80 40 62 E6 00 00 00 >.eb.... 0011 1110 1000 0000 0100 0000 0110 0010 1110 0110 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000

04441 04 04 01 01 80 41 8A 30A.0 0000 0100 0000 0100 0000 0001 1000 0000 0100 0001 1000 0110 0011 0000

04449 41 89 A. 0100 0001 1000 1001

04448 C9 64 crc

20.4.80 IMAGE (varies)

Common Entity Data

	Classversion	BL	90	class version
	pt0	3BD	10	insertion point
	uvec	3BD	11	u direction vector
	vvec	3BD	12	v direction vector
	size	2RD	13	size of image
	displayprops	BS	70	display properties (bit coded), 1==show image, 2==show image when not aligned with screen, 4==use clipping boundary, 8==transparency on
	clipping	В	280	1 if on
	brightness	RC	281	brightness value (0-100, default 50)
	contrast	RC	282	contrast value (0-100, default 50)
	fade	RC	283	fade value (0-100, default 0)
R2010+	:			
	Clip mode	В	290	0 = outside, 1 = inside
Common				

 ${\tt Common:}$

```
type of clipping boundary, 1==rect, 2==polygon
       clipbndtype
                                      71
                              BS
if (clipbndtype==1) {
       pt0
                             2RD
                                      14
                                              first corner of clip boundary
       pt1
                             2RD
                                      14
                                              second corner of clip boundary
else {
       numclipverts
                                             number of vertices in clipping polygon
 Repeat numclipverts times:
                             2RD
                                              a point on the polygon
 End repeat
       Common Entity Handle Data
                               Н
                                              imagedef (hard pointer)
                               Н
                                              imagedefreactor (hard owner)
       CRC
                               Χ
```

20.4.80.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: proxy (1F9H), len 109H (265), handle: 6D
02D3E 09 01
          0000 1001 0000 0001
02D40 3E 40 40 5B 6C 60 00 00 >80[1'.. 0011 1110 0100 0000 0100 0000 1011 0110 1100 0110 0100 0000 0000 0000 0000
02D60 0B AA E1 02 00 03 72 C5 .....r. 0000 1011 1010 1010 1110 0001 0000 0010 0000 0000 0000 0011 0111 0010 1100 0101
02D78 0B AA E1 02 00 03 72 C5 .....r. 0000 1011 1010 1010 1110 0001 0000 0010 0000 0000 0001 0111 0111 0100 1100 0101
```

02DB8	3 00	00	00	00	06	В5	6E	62	nb	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0110	1011	0101	0110	1110	0110	0010
02DC0	0 B	AA	E1	02	00	03	72	C5	r.	0000	1011	1010	1010	1110	0001	0000	0010	0000	0000	0000	0011	0111	0010	1100	0101
02DC8	3 63	F8	D8	AA	00	00	00	00	c	0110	0011	1111	1000	1101	1000	1010	1010	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02DD0	00	00	00	00	06	D0	38	00	8.	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0110	1101	0000	0011	1000	0000	0000
02DD8	3 02	80	DB	46	В5	6E	62	0B	F.nb.	0000	0010	1000	0000	1101	1011	0100	0110	1011	0101	0110	1110	0110	0010	0000	1011
02DE0) AA	E1	02	00	00	DC	В1	58	х	1010	1010	1110	0001	0000	0010	0000	0000	0000	0000	1101	1100	1011	0001	0101	1000
02DE8	FE	36	2A	81	00	00	00	00	.6*	1111	1110	0011	0110	0010	1010	1000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02DF0	00	00	10	07	F4	00	00	00		0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0111	1111	0100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02DF8	3 00	00	53	10	9E	00	00	00	s	0000	0000	0000	0000	0101	0011	0001	0000	1001	1110	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E00	00	00	00	10	07	F0	00	00		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0111	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E08	3 00	00	00	03	02	00	00	00		0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0011	0000	0010	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E10	00	00	00	03	02	02	0E	32	2	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0011	0000	0010	0000	0010	0000	1110	0011	0010
02E18	3 32	00	40	40	00	00	00	00	2.00	0011	0010	0000	0000	0100	0000	0100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E20	00	38	2F	C0	00	00	00	00	.8/	0000	0000	0011	1000	0010	1111	1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E28	3 00	38	2F	C0	00	00	00	00	.8/	0000	0000	0011	1000	0010	1111	1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E30	38	17	D0	00	00	00	00	00	8	0011	1000	0001	0111	1101	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
02E38	3 38	17	D0	10	5E	CC	14	43	8^C	0011	1000	0001	0111	1101	0000	0001	0000	0101	1110	1100	1100	0001	0100	0100	0011
02E40) F0	41	68	43	54	5A	CC	5B	.AhCTZ.[1111	0000	0100	0001	0110	1000	0100	0011	0101	0100	0101	1010	1100	1100	0101	1011
02E48	3 F								?	0011	1111														
02E49	9 OD	2A							crc																

20.4.81 IMAGEDEF (varies)

(used in conjunction with IMAGE entities)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj

R2004+	·:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	1:			
	Clsver	BL	0	class version
	Imgsize	2RD	10	size of image in pixels
	Filepath	TV	1	path to file
	Isloaded	В	280	0==no, 1==yes
	Resunits	RC	281	0==none, 2==centimeters, 5==inches
	Pixelsize	2RD	11	size of one pixel in AutoCAD units
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (hard owner)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

20.4.81.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1F7H), len 4EH (78), handle: 6B 04349 4E 00 0100 1110 0000 0000 0434B 3D C0 40 5A E3 B0 20 00 =.@Z... 0011 1101 1100 0000 0100 0000 0101 1010 1110 0011 1011 0000 0010 0000 0000 04363 60 40 46 DO CE 97 15 D2 'ef..... 0110 0000 0100 0000 0100 1101 1001 0000 1100 1110 1001 0111 0001 0101 1101 0010 0436B 53 93 95 17 11 99 58 5D S.....X] 0101 0011 1001 0011 1001 0101 0001 0111 0001 0101 1001 1001 1001 1001 1101 04373 1A 19 5C 95 19 5E 1D 1D 0001 1010 0001 1001 0101 1100 1001 0101 0101 0101 0101 1110 0001 1110 0001 1101 04383 25 D4 EB 07 52 BA C7 FE %...R... 0010 0101 1101 0100 1110 1011 0000 0111 0101 0010 1011 1010 1100 0111 1111 1110 0438B 25 D4 EB 07 52 BA C7 F0 %...R... 0010 0101 1101 0100 1110 1011 0000 0111 0101 0101 1011 1010 1101 0100 0111 1111 0000 04393 08 2D 48 2D 86 11 .-H-.. 0000 1000 0010 1101 0100 1000 0010 1101 1000 0110 0001 0001 04399 E8 23 crc

20.4.82 IMAGEDEFREACTOR (varies)

(used i	n conjunction with IMA	GE entit	ies)	
	Length	MS ·		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.

	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	1:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	·:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	1:			
	Classver	BL	90	class version
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer])
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

20.4.82.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1F8H), len CH (12), handle: 6C

02E4B 0C 00 ... 0000 1100 0000 0000

02E4D 3E 00 40 5B 25 00 00 00 >.@[%... 0011 1110 0000 0000 0100 0000 0101 1011 0010 0101 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000

02E55 09 02 60 30 ... 0 0000 1001 0000 0010 0110 0000 0011 0000

20.4.83 LAYER_INDEX

crc

02E59 A1 13

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Type	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.

Common:

timestamp1 BL 40 timestamp2 BL 40

numentries BL the number of entries

Repeat numentries times:

 $\label{eq:bl_bl} {\tt Indexlong} \qquad \qquad {\tt BL} \qquad \qquad {\tt a long}$

Indexstr TV 8 a layer name

End repeat

Handle refs H parenthandle (soft pointer)

[Reactors (soft pointer])
xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
entry handles, 1 per entry

20.4.83.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1FFH), len 59H (89), handle: 01 F8

0D1CD 59 00 0101 1001 0000 0000 0011 1111 1100 0000 0100 0000 1000 0000 0111 1110 0010 0000 1100 0000 0010 0000 ODID7 00 04 04 61 65 25 00 3B ...ae%.; 0000 0000 0000 0100 0000 0100 0110 0001 0110 0101 0010 0101 0000 0000 0011 1011 ODIDF 3A 89 80 90 64 DD 01 30 :...d..0 0011 1010 1000 1001 1000 0000 1001 0000 0110 0100 1101 1101 0000 0011 0010 0D1E7 42 50 64 15 34 84 14 44 BPd.4..D 0100 0010 0101 0000 0110 0100 0001 0101 0101 0100 0100 0100 0100 0100 0100 0100 OD1F7 59 45 52 90 94 44 54 65 YER..DTe 0101 1001 0100 0101 0101 0000 1001 0100 0100 0100 0100 0100 0101 0101 ODIFF 04 F4 94 E5 45 34 1D 03E4.. 0000 0100 1111 0100 1001 0100 1110 0101 0100 0101 0101 0100 0001 1101 0000 0011 0D207 52 45 44 41 10 44 24 C5 REDA.D\$. 0101 0010 0100 0101 0100 0100 0100 0001 0001 0000 0100 0100 0100 0100 0100 1100 0101 OD21F 20 1F D3 20 1F E3 20 1F 0010 0000 0001 1111 1101 0011 0010 0000 0001 1111 1110 0011 0100 0000 0001 1111 0D227 FE 1111 1110 OD228 46 E8 crc

20.4.84 LAYOUT (varies)

Length MS --- Entity length (not counting itself or CRC). Type BS 0 typecode (internal DWG type code).

R2000+:

	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Page setup name	TV	1	plotsettings page setup name
	Printer/Config	TV	2	plotsettings printer or configuration file
	Plot layout flags	BS	70	plotsettings plot layout flag
	Left Margin	BD	40	plotsettings left margin in millimeters
	Bottom Margin	BD	41	plotsettings bottom margin in millimeters
	Right Margin	BD	42	plotsettings right margin in millimeters
	Top Margin	BD	43	plotsettings top margin in millimeters
	Paper Width	BD	44	plotsettings paper width in millimeters
	Paper Height	BD	45	plotsettings paper height in millimeters
	Paper Size	TV	4	plotsettings paper size
	Plot origin	2BD	46,47	plotsettings origin offset in millimeters
	Paper units	BS	72	plotsettings plot paper units
	Plot rotation	BS	73	plotsettings plot rotation
	Plot type	BS	74	plotsettings plot type
	Window min	2BD	48,49	plotsettings plot window area lower left
	Window max	2BD 1	140,141	plotsettings plot window area upper right
R13-R2	000 Only:			
	Plot view name	T	6	plotsettings plot view name
Common	:			
	Real world units	BD	142	plotsettings numerator of custom print scale
	Drawing units	BD	143	plotsettings denominator of custom print scale
	Current style sheet	TV	7	plotsettings current style sheet
	Scale type	BS	75	plotsettings standard scale type
	Scale factor	BD	147	plotsettings scale factor
	Paper image origin	2BD 1	148,149	plotsettings paper image origin
R2004+	:			
	Shade plot mode	BS	76	
	Shade plot res. Leve	l BS	77	

			7.0	
C	Shade plot custom DPI	. BS	78	
Common	Layout name	TV	1	layout name
	Tab order	BL	71	-
			70	layout tab order
	Flag	BS		layout flags
	Ucs origin	3BD	13	layout ucs origin
	Limmin	2RD	10	layout minimum limits
	Limmax	2RD	11	layout maximum limits
	Inspoint	3BD	12	layout insertion base point
	Ucs x axis	3BD	16	layout ucs x axis direction
	Ucs y axis	3BD	17	layout ucs y axis direction
	Elevation	BD	146	layout elevation
	Orthoview type	BS	76	layout orthographic view type of UCS
	Extmin	3BD	14	layout extent min
	Extmax	3BD	15	layout extent max
R2004+	:			
	Viewport count	RL		# of viewports in this layout
Common	:			
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer])
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)
R2004+	:			
			6	plot view handle (hard pointer)
R2007+	:			
				Visual Style handle (soft pointer)
Common	:			
			330	associated paperspace block record handle (soft pointer)
			331	last active viewport handle (soft pointer)
			346	base ucs handle (hard pointer)
			345	named ucs handle (hard pointer)
R2004+	:			
				Viewport handle (repeats Viewport count times) (soft pointer)
20.4.8	5 LWPLINE (varies)			
	Common Entity Data			
	Flag	BS	70	
if (fl	ag & 4) {			
	constwidth	BD	43	Constant width for this lwpline

}

```
if (flag & 8) {
                BD
                                 38 Elevation of this lwpline
      elevation
if (flag & 2) {
      thickness
                          BD 39
                                       thickness of this lwpline
if (flag & 1) {
      normal
                          3BD
                                 210
                                       extrusion direction
      numpoints
                           BL
                                 90
                                       number of verts
if (flag & 16) {
      numbulges
                           ВL
                                         number of bulges (when present, always same as
                                         number of verts in all examples so fa)r
}
R2010+:
If (flag & 1024) {
      vertexIdCount BL
                                        number of vertex identifiers (when present, always
                                         the same as number of vertes).
if (flag & 32) {
      numwidths
                          BL
                                        number of width entries (when present, always same
                                         as number of verts in all examples so far.
R13-R14 Only:
repeat numpoints times
      pt0
                          2RD
                              10 vertex location
end repeat
R2000+:
                          2RD
                                 10
                                     first vertex
      pt0
repeat numpoints-1 times
      Х
                           DD
                                  10
                                       use previous point x value for default
                           DD
                                  20
                                        use previous point y value for default
      У
end repeat
Common:
repeat numbulges times
                          BD 42 bulge value
      bulge
end repeat
repeat vertexIdCount times
                BL 91
      vertex id
                                       The vertex identifier
end repeat
repeat numwidths times
```

widths 2BD 40/41 start, end widths

end repeat

Common Entity Handle Data

20.4.85.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1FBH), len C8H (200), handle: 01 0F

03E52 C8 00		1100 1000 0000 0000
03E54 3E CO 40 80 43 DO 35 20	>.@.C.5	0011 1110 1100 0000 0100 0000 1000 0000 0100 0011 1101 0000 0011 0101 0010 0000
03E5C 10 94 60 10 08 2A 0C 00	`*	0001 0000 1001 0100 0110 0000 0001 0000 0000 1000 0010 1010 0000 1100 0000
03E64 00 5E A0 20 80 12 14 85	.^	0000 0000 0101 1110 1010 0000 0010 0000 1000 0000 0001 0010 0001 0100 1000 0101
03E6C 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03E74 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03E7C 00 00 00 00 00 00 14 A0		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03E84 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03E8C 00 00 00 00 00 00 14 A0		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03E94 00 00 00 00 00 00 78 1F	x.	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03E9C 80 00 00 00 00 40 23 20	@#	1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EA4 00 00 00 00 00 00 78 1F	x.	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EAC 80 00 00 00 00 40 23 20	@#	1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EB4 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 20		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EBC 00 00 00 00 00 40 23 20	@#	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EC4 00 00 00 00 00 00 1E 20		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03ECC 00 00 00 00 00 40 23 20	@#	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03ED4 00 00 00 00 00 00 1E A0		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EDC 00 00 00 00 00 00 14 A0		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EE4 00 00 00 00 00 00 1E A0		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EEC 00 00 00 00 00 00 14 A0	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EF4 00 00 00 00 00 00 1F 20	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03EFC 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03F04 00 00 00 00 00 00 1F 20		0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
03F0C 55 1F FF FF FF FF FD	U	0101 0101 0001 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111
03F14 F7 F5 56 08 19 82 88 7A	Vz	1111 0111 1111 0101 0101 0110 0000 1000 0001 1001 1000 0010 1000 1000 0111 1010
03F1C 85 93	crc	

20.4.86 MLeaderAnnotContext

This is a helper class for the multileader entity (see paragraph 20.4.48), that inherits from class AcDbAnnotScaleObjectContextData (see paragraph 20.4.71).

This object mainly contains a content object, which is either a block or multiline text. To the content object one or two leader roots are attached. They are either attached to the left/right or top/bottom depending on the multileaders attachment direction (horizontal/vertical). Each leader root can contain one more leader lines.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Common AcDbAnnotScaleObjectContextData data (see paragraph 20.4.71).
		300	DXF: "CONTEXT_DATA{"
	BL	-	Number of leader roots
			Begin repeat leader root
		302	DXF: "LEADER{"
	В	290	Is content valid (ODA writes true)
	В	291	Unknown (ODA writes true)
	3BD	10	Connection point
	3BD	11	Direction
	BL		Number of break start/end point pairs
			Begin repeat break start/end point pairs
	3BD	12	Break start point
	3BD	13	Break end point
			End repeat break start/end point pairs
	BL	90	Leader index
	BD	40	Landing distance
	BL		Number of leader lines
			Begin repeat leader lines
		304	DXF: "LEADER LINE{"
	BL	-	Number of points
			Begin repeat points
	3BD	10	Point
			End repeat points
	BL		Break info count
	BL	90	Segment index
	BL		Start/end point pair count
			Begin repeat start/end point pairs
	3BD	11	Start Point
	3BD	12	End point
			End repeat start/end point pairs
	BL	91	Leader line index.
R2010			

	BS	170	Leader type (0 = invisible leader, 1 = straight leader, 2 = spline leader)
	CMC	92	Line color
	Н	340	Line type handle (hard pointer)
	BL	171	Line weight
	BD	40	Arrow size
	Н	341	Arrow symbol handle (hard pointer)
	BL	93	Override flags (1 = leader type, 2 = line color, 4 = line type, 8 = line weight, 16
			= arrow size, 32 = arrow symbol (handle)
Common			
	-	305	DXF: "}"
			End repeat leader lines
R2010			•
	BS	271	Attachment direction (0 = horizontal, 1 = vertical, default is 0)
	-	303	DXF: "}"
			End repeat leader root
Common			•
	BD	40	Overall scale
	3BD	10	Content base point
	BD	41	Text height
	BD	140	Arrow head size
	BD	145	Landing gap
	BS	174	Style left text attachment type. See also MLEADER style left text attachment
			type for values. Relevant if mleader attachment direction is horizontal.
	BS	175	Style right text attachment type. See also MLEADER style left text attachment
			type for values. Relevant if mleader attachment direction is horizontal.
	BS	176	Text align type $(0 = left, 1 = center, 2 = right)$
	BS	177	Attachment type ($0 = \text{content extents}$, $1 = \text{insertion point}$).
	В	290	Has text contents
			IF Has text contents
	TV	304	Text label
	3BD	11	Normal vector
	Н	340	Text style handle (hard pointer)
	3BD	12	Location
	3BD	13	Direction
	BD	42	Rotation (radians)
	BD	43	Boundary width
	BD	44	Boundary height
	BD	45	Line spacing factor
	BS	170	Line spacing style (1 = at least, 2 = exactly)
	CMC	90	Text color
	BS	171	Alignment $(1 = left, 2 = center, 3 = right)$
	BS	172	Flow direction (1 = horizontal, 3 = vertical, 6 = by style)
	CMC	91	Background fill color
	BD	141	Background scale factor

BL 92 Background transparency B 291 Is background fill enabled B 292 Is background mask fill on	
B 292 Is background mask fill on	
BS 173 Column type (ODA writes 0), *TODO: what meaning for values	?
B 293 Is text height automatic?	
BD 142 Column width	
BD 143 Column gutter	
B 294 Column flow reversed	
BL Column sizes count	
Begin repeat column sizes	
BD 144 Column size	
End repeat column sizes	
B 295 Word break	
B Unknown	
ELSE (Has text contents)	
B 296 Has contents block	
IF Has contents block	
H 341 AcDbBlockTableRecord handle (soft pointer)	
3BD 14 Normal vector	
3BD 15 Location	
3BD 16 Scale vector	
BD 46 Rotation (radians)	
CMC 93 Block color	
BD (16) 47 16 doubles containg the complete transformation matrix. Order of	of
transformation is:	
Rotation,	
OCS to WCS (using normal vector),	
Scaling (using scale vector),	
Translation (using location)	
END IF Has contents block	
END IF Has text contents	
3BD 110 Base point	
3BD 111 Base direction	
3BD 112 Base vertical	
B 297 Is normal reversed?	
R2010	
BS 273 Style top attachment. See also MLEADER style left text attachm values. Relevant if mleader attachment direction is vertical.	nent type for
BS 272 Style bottom attachment. See also MLEADER style left text attachment.	chment type
for values. Relevant if mleader attachment direction is vertical.	- 3 r -
- 301 DXF: "}"	

20.4.87 MLEADERSTYLE (AcDbMLeaderStyle)

This class inherits from AcDbObject. The provides a style for the MLEADER entity (see paragraph 20.4.48).

The value of IsNewFormat is true in case the version is R2010 or later, or if the object has extended data for APPID "ACAD MLEADERVER".

Version	Field type	DXF group code	Description
			Common object data (paragraph 20.1).
R2010	1		(mangempa 2000).
	BS	179	Version (expected to have value 2)
Common	120	1,,,	(viposita to have value 2)
-	BS	170	Content type (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
	BS	171	Draw multi-leader order (0 = draw content first, 1 = draw leader first)
	BS	172	Draw leader order (0 = draw leader head first, 1 = draw leader tail first)
	BL	90	Maximum number of points for leader
	BD	40	First segment angle (radians)
	BD	41	Second segment angle (radians)
	BS	173	Leader type (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
	CMC	91	Leader line color
	Н	340	Leader line type handle (hard pointer)
	BL	92	Leader line weight
	В	290	Is landing enabled?
	BD	42	Landing gap
	В	291	Auto include landing (is dog-leg enabled?)
	BD	43	Landing distance
	TV	3	Style description
	Н	341	Arrow head block handle (hard pointer)
	BD	44	Arrow head size
	TV	300	Text default
	Н	342	Text style handle (hard pointer)
	BS	174	Left attachment (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
	BS	178	Right attachment (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
			IF IsNewFormat OR DXF file
	BS	175	Text angle type (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
			END IF IsNewFormat OR DXF file
	BS	176	Text alignment type
	CMC	93	Text color
	BD	45	Text height
	В	292	Text frame enabled
			IF IsNewFormat OR DXF file
	В	297	Always align text left

	1	1	
			END IF IsNewFormat OR DXF file
	BD	46	Align space
	Н	343	Block handle (hard pointer)
	CMC	94	Block color
	3BD	47,	Block scale vector
		49,	
		140	
	В	293	Is block scale enabled
	BD	141	Block rotation (radians)
	В	294	Is block rotation enabled
	BS	177	Block connection type (0 = MLeader connects to the block extents, 1 =
			MLeader connects to the block base point)
	BD	142	Scale factor
	В	295	Property changed, meaning not totally clear, might be set to true if something
			changed after loading, or might be used to trigger updates in dependent
			MLeaders.
	В	296	Is annotative?
	BD	143	Break size
R2010+			
	BS	271	Attachment direction (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
	BS	273	Top attachment (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).
	BS	272	Bottom attachment (see paragraph on LEADER for more details).

20.4.88 OLE2FRAME (varies)

```
Common Entity Data
              BS
                            70
     Flags
R2000+:
     Mode
                     BS
Common:
     Data Length BL
                             -- Bit-pair-coded long giving the length of the data
                                  section that follows.
     Unknown data
                                 The OLE2 data.
R2000+:
     Unknown RC
Common:
     Common Entity Handle Data
                       Χ
```

20.4.88.1 << No example>>

20.4.89 AcDbObjectContextData

This class inherits from AcDbObject. The object provides contextual data for another object/entity.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Common object data (paragraph 20.1).
R2010			
	BS	70	Version (default value is 3).
	В	-	Has file to extension dictionary (default value is true).
	В	290	Default flag (default value is false).

20.4.90 PROXY (varies):

	,			
	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14	Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:				
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
R2000+:				
	Class ID	BL	91	
Before	R2018:			
	Object Drawing Format	BL	95	This is a bitwise OR of the version and the maintenance version, shifted 16 bits to the left.
R2018+:				
	Version	BL	71	The AutoCAD version of the object.
	Maintenance version	BL	97	The AutoCAD maintenance version of the object.
R2000+:				
	Original Data Format	В	70	0 for dwg, 1 for dxf
Common:				
	Databits	X		databits, however many there are to the handles
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

objid object handles, as many as we can read until we run out of data. These are ${\tt TYPEDOBJHANDLEs}$.

20.4.90.1 << No example>>

20.4.91 RASTERVARIABLES (varies)

(used	in conjunction with IM	AGE ent	ities)								
	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).							
	Type	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).							
R2000+	:										
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles							
Common	:										
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.							
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.							
R13-R1	4 Only:										
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles							
Common	:										
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj							
R2004+	:										
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.							
Common	:										
	Classver	BL	90	classversion							
	Dispfrm	BS	70	displayframe							
	Dispqual	BS	71	display quality							
	Units	BS	72	units							
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)							
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]							
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)							

20.4.91.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: proxy (1F5H), len 11H (17), handle: 5A

OCD78 11 00 ... 0001 0001 0000 0000

OCD7A 3D 40 40 56 A6 60 00 00 =@ev.`.. 0011 1101 0100 0000 0100 0101 0110 1010 0110 0110 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000

OCD82 04 06 40 50 19 01 04 30 ..@p...0 0000 0100 0000 0110 0100 0000 0101 0000 0001 1001 0000 0001 0000 0101 0000

OCD8B DC D2 crc
```

20.4.92 SCALE (AcDbScale)

This class inherits from AcDbObject. This represents a ratio of paper units to drawing units, where the drawing units are divided by 10 when using the same distance units (e.g. mm). E.g. a scale of 1 mm to 10 mm is stored as paper units = 1, drawing units = 1. A scale of 1 mm to 1000 mm (= 1 m) is stored as paper units = 1, drawing units = 100.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Common object data (see paragraph 20.1.
	BS	70	Unknown (ODA writes 0).
	TV	300	Name
	BD	140	Paper units (numerator)
	BD	141	Drawing units (denominator, divided by 10).
	В	290	Has unit scale

20.4.93 SORTENTSTABLE (varies)

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	Numentries	BL		number of entries
	Sorthandle	Н		Sort handle (numentries of these, CODE 0, i.e. part of the main bit stream, not of the handle bit stream!). The sort handle does not have to point to an entity (but it can). This is just the handle used for determining the drawing order of the entity specified by the entity handle in the handle bit stream. When the sortentstable doesn't have a

mapping from entity handle to sort handle, then the entity's own handle is used for sorting.

Handle refs

H

parenthandle (soft pointer)

[Reactors (soft pointer)]

xdicobjhandle (hard owner)

owner handle (soft pointer)

handles of entities (numentries of these, soft pointer)

20.4.93.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1FAH), len 59H (89), handle: A5 0D015 59 00 0101 1001 0000 0000 0D017 3E 80 40 69 67 80 10 00 >.@ig... 0011 1110 1000 0000 0100 0000 0110 1001 0110 1111 1000 0000 0001 0000 0000 0D027 6C 01 5E 01 53 01 6A 01 1.^.s.j. 0110 1100 0000 0001 0101 1110 0000 0001 0101 0011 0000 0001 0110 1010 0000 0001 ODO2F 60 01 95 01 58 01 A6 01 `...x... 0110 0000 0000 1001 1001 0101 0000 0001 0101 1000 0000 1010 1010 0110 0100 0000 0D037 6F 01 6D 01 54 01 6B 01 0.m.T.k. 0110 1111 0000 0001 0110 1101 0000 0001 0101 0100 0000 0001 0110 1011 0000 0001 0D03F 56 01 69 01 76 01 55 40 V.i.v.U@ 0101 0110 0000 0001 0110 1001 0000 0001 0111 0110 0000 0001 0101 0100 0000 0D047 41 A4 30 41 19 41 6D 41 A.OA.AmA 0100 0001 1010 0100 0011 0000 0100 0001 1001 0100 0001 0101 0100 0101 0100 0001 0D04F 60 41 6B 41 56 41 A6 41 `AkAVA.A 0110 0000 0100 0001 0110 1011 0100 0001 0101 0110 0100 0001 1010 0110 0100 0001 0D057 69 41 58 41 76 41 54 41 iaxavata 0110 1001 0100 0001 0101 1000 0101 0111 0110 0100 0001 0101 0100 0001 0D05F 95 41 6E 41 6C 41 55 41 .Analaua 1001 0101 0100 0001 0110 1100 0000 0110 1100 0100 0100 0100 0101 0101 0100 0001 0D06F 5E 0101 1110 0D070 D3 A5 crc

20.4.94 SPATIAL_FILTER (varies)

(used	to clip external refer	ences)		
	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	·:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	1:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Χ	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	1:			

	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj							
R2004+	:										
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.							
Common	:										
	Numpts	BS	70	number of points /* really long? */							
Repeat	numpts times:										
	pt0	2RD	10	a point on the clip boundary							
End re	peat										
	Extrusion	3BD	210	extrusion							
	Clipbdorg	3BD	10	clip bound origin							
	Dispbound	BS	71	display boundary							
	Frontclipon	BS	72	1 if front clip on							
	Frontdist	BD	40	front clip dist (present if frontclipon==1)							
	Backclipon	BS	73	1 if back clip on							
	Backdist	BD	41	<pre>back clip dist (present if backclipon==1)</pre>							
	Invblktr	12BD	40	inverse block transformation matrix							
				(double [4][3], column major order)							
	clipbdtr	12BD	40	clip bound transformation matrix							
				(double [4][3], column major order)							
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (soft pointer)							
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]							
				xdicobjhandle (hard owner)							

20.4.94.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1FDH), len 7BH (123), handle: 02 15

```
OD68A 7B 00 {. O111 1011 0000 0000

OD68C 3F 40 40 80 85 6A A0 30 ?ee..j.0 0011 1111 0100 0000 0100 0000 1000 0000 1000 0101 0110 1010 1010 0000 0011 0000

OD694 00 04 05 05 96 EA 02 5E ......^ 0000 0000 0000 0100 0000 0101 0000 0101 1001 0110 1110 1010 0000 0101 1110

OD69C 66 70 2E 40 3A AF B1 4B fp.e:..K 0110 0110 0111 0000 0010 1110 0100 0000 0111 1010 1010 1111 1011 0001 0101

OD6A4 54 7F 16 40 27 E0 D7 48 T..e'..H 0101 0100 0111 1111 0001 0110 0100 0000 0111 1110 0000 1101 1111 0110 0100 1000

OD6AC 12 9C 30 40 4A F2 5C DF ...@... 0001 0010 1001 1100 0011 0000 0100 0100 1101 1111 0010 0101 1101 1111

OD6B4 87 03 14 40 B5 AB 90 F2 ...@... 1000 0111 0000 0111 0001 0100 0000 1001 0101 1010 1011 1010 1001 1111 0110

OD6BC 93 F6 31 40 82 75 1C 3F ...@...? 1001 0011 1110 0011 0001 0100 0000 0111 0101 0101 0101 0101 1011 1011 1011

OD6C4 54 3A 17 40 75 79 73 B8 T:.@uys. 0101 0100 0011 1010 0011 0100 0000 0111 0101 0111 1001 0111 1011 1011
```

0D6CC	56	D7	32	40	EF	3D	5C	72	V.2@.=\r	0101	0110	1101	0111	0011	0010	0100	0000	1110	1111	0011	1101	0101	1100	0111	0010
0D6D4	DC	11	20	40	74	94	83	D9	@t	1101	1100	0001	0001	0010	0000	0100	0000	0111	0100	1001	0100	1000	0011	1101	1001
0D6DC	04	00	2E	40	E7	DF	2E	FB	@	0000	0100	0000	0000	0010	1110	0100	0000	1110	0111	1101	1111	0010	1110	1111	1011
0D6E4	75	A7	20	40	A6	A4	06	9A	u. @	0111	0101	1010	0111	0010	0000	0100	0000	1010	0110	1010	0100	0000	0110	1001	1010
0D6EC	0F	88	C4	46	B0	5D	8A	70	F.].p	0000	1111	1000	1000	1100	0100	0100	0110	1011	0000	0101	1101	1000	1010	0111	0000
0D6F4	26	06	E1	49	2C	DE	A1	C0	&I,	0010	0110	0000	0110	1110	0001	0100	1001	0010	1100	1101	1110	1010	0001	1100	0000
0D6FC	70	29	9A .	A6	A9	90	10	80	p)	0111	0000	0010	1001	1001	1010	1010	0110	1010	1001	1001	0000	0001	0000	1000	0000
0D704	85	0C	10						• • •	1000	0101	0000	1100	0001	0000										
0D707	07	5E							crc																

20.4.95 SPATIAL_INDEX (varies):

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Type	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+	:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	Х	-3	See EED section.
R13-R1	4 Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common	:			
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+	:			
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common	:			
	timestamp1	BL		
	timestamp2	BL		
	unknown	X		rest of bits to handles
	Handle refs	Н		parenthandle (hard owner)
				[Reactors (soft pointer)]
				xdictionary (hard owner)

20.4.95.1 Example:

```
OBJECT: proxy (200H), len 406H (1030), handle: 01 F9

OD280 06 04 ... 0000 0110 0000 0100

OD282 00 00 80 80 7E 63 Al F0 ....~c.. 0000 0000 0000 1000 0000 111 1110 0110 0011 1010 0001 1111 0000
```

0D28A 00 04 04 61 65 25 00 3B	ae%.;	0000 0000 0000	0100 0000	0100 0110	0001 0110	0101 0010	0101 0000	0000	0011 1011
0D292 3A 89 80 88 F8 D8 33 54	:3т	0011 1010 1000	1001 1000	0000 1000	1000 1111	1000 1101	1000 0011	0011 (0101 0100
0D29A 4E 3A 94 10 02 D6 3C 73	N: <s< td=""><td>0100 1110 0011</td><td>1010 1001</td><td>0100 0001</td><td>0000 0000</td><td>0010 1101</td><td>0110 0011</td><td>1100 (</td><td>0111 0011</td></s<>	0100 1110 0011	1010 1001	0100 0001	0000 0000	0010 1101	0110 0011	1100 (0111 0011
0D2A2 98 D3 04 FC 1F CD 85 40		1001 1000 1101	0011 0000	0100 1111	1100 0001	1111 1100	1101 1000	0101 0	0100 0000
0D2AA 69 D4 B2 41 18 08 F6 18	iA	0110 1001 1101	0100 1011	0010 0100	0001 0001	1000 0000	1000 1111	0110 0	0001 1000
0D2B2 FB 39 79 2F C4 29 C3 30	.9y/.).0	1111 1011 0011	1001 0111	1001 0010	1111 1100	0100 0010	1001 1100	0011 0	0011 0000
0D2BA E2 0C 6C 84 10 00 00 89	1	1110 0010 0000	1100 0110	1100 1000	0100 0001	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 1	1000 1001
0D2C2 17 FE A4 92 FC 25 03 00	%	0001 0111 1111	1110 1010	0100 1001	0010 1111	1100 0010	0101 0000	0011 (0000 0000
0D2CA 00 01 00 00 00 FF FF 00		0000 0000 0000	0001 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1111 1111	1111 (0000 0000
0D2D2 00 FF FF 00 00 FF FF 01		0000 0000 1111	1111 1111	1111 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1111 1111	1111 (0000 0001
0D2DA 00 00 04 58 00 D4 08 00	x	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000	0100 0101	1000 0000	0000 1101	0100 0000	1000 0	0000 0000
0D2E2 00 01 08 00 00 FE 8F 00		0000 0000 0000	0001 0000	1000 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 1000	1111 (0000 0000
0D2EA 00 FE 8F 00 00 FE 8F 00		0000 0000 1111	1110 1000	1111 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 1000	1111 (0000 0000
0D2F2 00 01 08 00 00 FE 50 00	P.	0000 0000 0000	0001 0000	1000 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 0101	0000	0000 0000
0D2FA 00 FE 50 00 00 FE 50 03	PP.	0000 0000 1111	1110 0101	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 0101	0000	0000 0011
0D302 00 00 09 56 00 8B 01 00	V	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000	1001 0101	0110 0000	0000 1000	1011 0000	0001 0	0000 0000
OD30A 36 00 00 08 00 00 02 01	6	0011 0110 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000	1000 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000	0010 0	0000 0001
0D312 09 00 3F FE 8F 00 00 FE	?	0000 1001 0000	0000 0011	1111 1111	1110 1000	1111 0000	0000 0000	0000 1	1111 1110
0D31A 50 00 00 FE 50 02 00 00	PP	0101 0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 0101	0000 0000	0010 0000	0000	0000 0000
OD322 07 E2 01 00 33 00 36 00	3.6.	0000 0111 1110	0010 0000	0001 0000	0000 0011	0011 0000	0000 0011	0110 0	0000 0000
0D32A 00 00 02 01 0A 00 00 FE		0000 0000 0000	0000 0000	0010 0000	0001 0000	1010 0000	0000 0000	0000	1111 1110
0D332 50 00 3F FE 8F 00 00 FE	P.?	0101 0000 0000	0000 0011	1111 1111	1110 1000	1111 0000	0000 0000	0000	1111 1110
0D33A 50 03 00 00 09 DE 01 00	P	0101 0000 0000	0011 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000	1001 1101	1110 0000	0001 0	0000 0000
OD342 13 00 22 00 00 00 00 00	"	0001 0011 0000	0000 0010	0010 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000	0000 0000
0D34A 02 01 0B 00 3F FE 8F 00	?	0000 0010 0000	0001 0000	1011 0000	0000 0011	1111 1111	1110 1000	1111 (0000 0000
0D352 3F FE 8F 00 00 FE 50 04	?P.	0011 1111 1111	1110 1000	1111 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 0101	0000	0000 0100
0D35A 00 00 0B CF 01 00 01 00		0000 0000 0000	0000 0000	1011 1100	1111 0000	0001 0000	0000 0000	0001 0	0000 0000
OD362 01 00 34 00 00 10 00 00	4	0000 0001 0000	0000 0011	0100 0000	0000 0000	0000 0001	0000 0000	0000	0000 0000
0D36A 02 01 1A 00 00 FE 8F 00		0000 0010 0000	0001 0001	1010 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 1000	1111 (0000 0000
0D372 3F FE 8F 00 00 FE 50 01	?P.	0011 1111 1111	1110 1000	1111 0000	0000 0000	0000 1111	1110 0101	0000	0000 0001
0D37A 00 00 05 CD 01 00 01 00		0000 0000 0000	0000 0000	0101 1100	1101 0000	0001 0000	0000 0000	0001 0	0000 0000
0D382 00 00 02 02 01 09 00 70	р	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000	0010 0000	0010 0000	0001 0000	1001 0000	0000	0111 0000

0D38A FF FF 00 00 FE 8F 00 00		1111 1111 1	1111 1111	0000 0000	0000 000	00 1111	1110 1000	1111 0	000 0000	0000 0	0000
0D392 FE 8F 00 00 01 08 00 70	р	1111 1110 1	1000 1111	0000 0000	0000 000	00 0000	0001 0000	1000 0	000 0000	0111 0	0000
0D39A FE CO 00 00 FE 50 00 00	P	1111 1110 1	1100 0000	0000 0000	0000 000	00 1111	1110 0101	0000 0	000 0000	0000 0	0000
0D3A2 FE 50 02 00 00 07 BD 01	.P	1111 1110 0	0101 0000	0000 0010	0000 000	00 0000	0000 0000	0111 1	011 1101	0000	0001
0D3AA 00 22 00 00 00 00 00 02	."	0000 0000 0	0010 0010	0000 0000	0000 000	00 0000	0000 0000	0000 0	000 0000	0000	0010
0D3B2 01 09 00 AF FF FF 00 00		0000 0001 0	0000 1001	0000 0000	1010 111	11 1111	1111 1111	1111 0	000 0000	0000 0	0000
0D3BA FE 50 00 00 FE 50 00 00	.PP	1111 1110 0	101 0000	0000 0000	0000 000	00 1111	1110 0101	0000 0	000 0000	0000 0	0000
0D3C2 02 01 0A 00 70 FE C0 00	p	0000 0010 0	0000 0001	0000 1010	0000 000	00 0111	0000 1111	1110 1	100 0000	0000 0	0000
0D3CA 3F FE 8F 00 00 FE 50 01	?P.	0011 1111 1	1111 1110	1000 1111	0000 000	00 0000	0000 1111	1110 0	101 0000	0000 0	0001
0D3D2 00 00 05 E0 01 00 22 00	".	0000 0000 0	0000 0000	0000 0101	1110 000	00 0000	0001 0000	0000 0	010 0010	0000 0	0000
0D3DA 00 00 02 01 0B 00 AF FF		0000 0000 0	0000 0000	0000 0010	0000 000	01 0000	1011 0000	0000 1	010 1111	1111 1	1111
0D3E2 FF 00 3F FE 8F 00 00 FE	?	1111 1111 0	0000 0000	0011 1111	1111 111	10 1000	1111 0000	0000 0	000 0000	1111 1	1110
0D3EA 50 00 00 02 02 01 0A 00	P	0101 0000 0	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 001	10 0000	0010 0000	0001 0	000 1010	0000	0000
0D3F2 00 FE 8F 00 70 FF FF 00	p	0000 0000 1	1111 1110	1000 1111	0000 000	00 0111	0000 1111	1111 1	111 1111	0000 0	0000
0D3FA 00 FE 8F 00 00 01 08 00		0000 0000 1	1111 1110	1000 1111	0000 000	00 0000	0000 0000	0001 0	000 1000	0000	0000
0D402 00 FE 50 00 70 FE CO 00	P.p	0000 0000 1	1111 1110	0101 0000	0000 000	00 0111	0000 1111	1110 1	100 0000	0000 0	0000
0D40A 00 FE 50 07 00 00 12 95	P	0000 0000 1	1111 1110	0101 0000	0000 011	11 0000	0000 0000	0000 0	001 0010	1001 0	0101
OD412 01 00 14 00 34 00 25 00	4.%.	0000 0001 0	0000 0000	0001 0100	0000 000	00 0011	0100 0000	0000 0	010 0101	0000	0000
0D41A 01 00 15 00 C7 01 00 57	W	0000 0001 0	0000 0000	0001 0101	0000 000	00 1100	0111 0000	0001 0	000 0000	0101 0	111
0D422 02 00 00 02 01 09 00 3F	?	0000 0010 0	0000 0000	0000 0000	0000 001	10 0000	0001 0000	1001 0	000 0000	0011 1	1111
0D42A FE 8F 00 70 FE C0 00 00	p	1111 1110 1	1000 1111	0000 0000	0111 000	00 1111	1110 1100	0000 0	000 0000	0000	0000
0D432 FE 50 03 00 00 09 81 02	.P	1111 1110 0	0101 0000	0000 0011	0000 000	00 0000	0000 0000	1001 1	000 0001	0000	0010
0D43A 00 18 00 01 00 25 00 00	%	0000 0000 0	0001 1000	0000 0000	0000 000	01 0000	0000 0010	0101 0	000 0000	0000 0	0000
0D442 00 02 01 0A 00 00 FE 50	P	0000 0000 0	0000 0010	0000 0001	0000 101	10 0000	0000 0000	0000 1	111 1110	0101 0	0000
0D44A 00 AF FF FF 00 00 FE 50	P	0000 0000 1	1010 1111	1111 1111	1111 111	11 0000	0000 0000	0000 1	111 1110	0101 0	0000
0D452 OF 00 00 21 D3 01 00 01	!	0000 1111 0	0000 0000	0000 0000	0010 000	01 1101	0011 0000	0001 0	000 0000	0000 0	0001
0D45A 00 01 00 01 00 01 00 29)	0000 0000 0	0000 0001	0000 0000	0000 000	01 0000	0000 0000	0001 0	000 0000	0010 1	1001
OD462 00 76 00 01 00 01 00 01	.v	0000 0000 0	0111 0110	0000 0000	0000 000	01 0000	0000 0000	0001 0	000 0000	0000	0001
0D46A 00 01 00 01 00 01 00 01		0000 0000 0	0000 0001	0000 0000	0000 000	01 0000	0000 0000	0001 0	000 0000	0000	0001
0D472 00 5A 00 D0 9A 00 00 02	.Z	0000 0000 0	0101 1010	0000 0000	1101 000	00 1001	1010 0000	0000 0	000 0000	0000	0010
0D47A 01 0B 00 3F FE 8F 00 AF	?	0000 0001 0	0000 1011	0000 0000	0011 111	11 1111	1110 1000	1111 0	000 0000	1010 1	1111
0D482 FF FF 00 00 FE 50 00 00	P	1111 1111 1	111 1111	0000 0000	0000 000	00 1111	1110 0101	0000 0	000 0000	0000 0	0000

0D48A 02 01 18 00 00 FE 8F 00	000	0 0010	0000	0001	0001	1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110	1000	1111	0000	0000
0D492 70 FE CO 00 00 FE 50 01	pP. 011	1 0000	1111	1110	1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110	0101	0000	0000	0001
0D49A 00 00 04 54 00 00 00 00	T 000	0 0000	0000	0000	0000	0100	0101	0100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000
0D4A2 00 02 02 01 0B 00 70 FF	p. 000	0 0000	0000	0010	0000	0010	0000	0001	0000	1011	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1111
0D4AA FF 00 70 FF FF 00 00 FE	p 111	1 1111	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110
0D4B2 8F 00 00 01 08 00 70 FE	p. 100	0 1111	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	1000	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1110
0D4BA C0 00 70 FE C0 00 00 FE	p 110	0 0000	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1110	1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110
0D4C2 50 01 00 00 05 84 02 00	P 010	1 0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0101	1000	0100	0000	0010	0000	0000
0D4CA 78 00 00 00 02 01 09 00	x 011	1 1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	0000	0001	0000	1001	0000	0000
0D4D2 AF FF FF 00 70 FE C0 00	p 101	0 1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1110	1100	0000	0000	0000
0D4DA 00 FE 50 07 00 00 11 EE	P 000	0 0000	1111	1110	0101	0000	0000	0111	0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	0001	1110	1110
0D4E2 03 00 01 00 01 00 01 00	000	0 0011	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000
0D4EA 03 00 01 00 01 00 00 77	w 000	0 0011	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0111	0111
0D4F2 00 00 02 01 0A 00 70 FE	p. 000	0 0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	0000	0001	0000	1010	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1110
0D4FA CO 00 AF FF FF 00 00 FE	110	0 0000	0000	0000	1010	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110
0D502 50 00 00 02 01 0B 00 AF	P 010	1 0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	0000	0001	0000	1011	0000	0000	1010	1111
0D50A FF FF 00 AF FF FF 00 00	111	1 1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	1010	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000
0D512 FE 50 02 00 00 07 F2 03	.P 111	1 1110	0101	0000	0000	0010	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0111	1111	0010	0000	0011
0D51A 00 01 00 FA FC 00 00 02	000	0 0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	1111	1010	1111	1100	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010
0D522 02 01 18 00 00 FF FF 00	000	0 0010	0000	0001	0001	1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000
0D52A 00 FE 8F 00 00 FE 8F 00	000	0 0000	1111	1110	1000	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110	1000	1111	0000	0000
0D532 00 01 18 00 00 FF FF 00	000	0 0000	0000	0001	0001	1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000
0D53A 00 FE 50 00 00 FE 50 01	PP. 000	0 0000	1111	1110	0101	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110	0101	0000	0000	0001
0D542 00 00 05 EE 01 00 01 00	000	0 0000	0000	0000	0000	0101	1110	1110	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000
0D54A 00 00 02 02 01 1A 00 00	000	0 0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	0000	0010	0000	0001	0001	1010	0000	0000	0000	0000
0D552 FF FF 00 70 FF FF 00 00	p 111	1 1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	0111	0000	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000
0D55A FE 8F 01 00 00 05 A6 01	111	1 1110	1000	1111	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0101	1010	0110	0000	0001
0D562 00 00 00 00 00 01 1A 00	000	0 0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0001	0001	1010	0000	0000
0D56A 00 FF FF 00 AF FF FF 00	000	0 0000	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000	1010	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	0000	0000
0D572 00 FE 50 01 00 00 04 5E	p^ 000	0 0000	1111	1110	0101	0000	0000	0001	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0100	0101	1110
0D57A 00 00 00 00 00 02 02 01	000	0 0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	0000	0010	0000	0001
0D582 28 00 00 FE 8F 00 00 FF	(001	0 1000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1110	1000	1111	0000	0000	0000	0000	1111	1111

0D58A FF 00 00 FE 8F 00 00 01		1111 1111 0000 0000	0000 0000 1111 :	1110 1000 1111	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0001
0D592 28 00 00 FE 50 00 00 FF	(P	0010 1000 0000 0000	0000 0000 1111	1110 0101 0000	0000 0000 0000 0000 1111 1111
0D59A FF 00 00 FE 50 01 00 00	P	1111 1111 0000 0000	0000 0000 1111	1110 0101 0000	0000 0001 0000 0000 0000 0000
0D5A2 04 53 00 00 00 00 00 02	.s	0000 0100 0101 0011	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0010
0D5AA 01 29 00 3F FE 8F 00 00	.).?	0000 0001 0010 1001	0000 0000 0011	1111 1111 1110	1000 1111 0000 0000 0000 0000
0D5B2 FF FF 00 00 FE 50 01 00	P	1111 1111 1111 1111	0000 0000 0000	0000 1111 1110	0101 0000 0000 0001 0000 0000
0D5BA 00 04 55 00 00 00 00 00	U	0000 0000 0000 0100	0101 0101 0000	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
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0D5CA 00 00 FE 8F 00 00 FF FF		0000 0000 0000 0000	1111 1110 1000	1111 0000 0000	0000 0000 1111 1111 1111 1111
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0D612 A1 0E 21 40 98 00 77 C0	!@w.	1010 0001 0000 1110	0010 0001 0100	0000 1001 1000	0000 0000 0111 0111 1100 0000
0D61A 06 3C BC 40 03 00 00 00	.<.0	0000 0110 0011 1100	1011 1100 0100	0000 0000 0011	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
0D622 08 3C BC 40 05 00 00 00	.<.0	0000 1000 0011 1100	1011 1100 0100	0000 0000 0101	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
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0D63A 11 84 50 C0 03 3C BC 40	P<.@	0001 0001 1000 0100	0101 0000 1100	0000 0000 0011	0011 1100 1011 1100 0100 0000
0D642 3C 07 E4 C2 80 00 00 00	<	0011 1100 0000 0111	1110 0100 1100	0010 1000 0000	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
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0D65A 14 16 AB 40 00 00 00 00	@	0001 0100 0001 0110	1010 1011 0100	0000 0000 0000	0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
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0D66A 40 90 80 7D CC 10 80 41	@}A	0100 0000 1001 0000	1000 0000 0111	1101 1100 1100	0001 0000 1000 0000 0100 0001
0D672 90 80 41 D0 80 42 10 80	AB	1001 0000 1000 0000	0100 0001 1101	0000 1000 0000	0100 0010 0001 0000 1000 0000
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20.4.96 TABLE (varies)

The TABLE entity (entity type ACAD_TABLE) was introduced in AutoCAD 2005 (a sub release of R18), and a large number of changes were introduced in AutoCAD 2008 (a sub release of R21). The table entity inherits from the INSERT entity. The geometric results, consisting of table borders, texts and such are created in an anonymous block, similarly to the mechanism in the DIMENSION entity. The anonymous block name prefix is "*T". For the AutoCAD 2008 changes see paragraph 20.4.96.2.

TODO: document roundtrip data with connections to AcDbTableContent and AcDbTableGeometry.

20.4.96.1 *Until R21*

This paragraph describes the table DWG format until R21. In R24 the format was changed to make use of table content to contain all data (AcDbTableContent).

	Common Entity Data			
	Ins pt	3BD	10	
R13-R1	14 Only:			
	X Scale	BD	41	
	Y Scale	BD	42	
	Z Scale	BD	43	
R2000+	+ Only:			
	Data flags	ВВ		
	Scale Data			Varies with Data flags:
				11 - scale is (1.0, 1.0, 1.0), no data stored.
				01 - 41 value is 1.0, 2 DD's are present, each using 1.0 as the default value, representing the 42 and 43 values.
				10 - 41 value stored as a RD, and 42 & 43 values are not stored, assumed equal to 41 value.
				00 - 41 value stored as a RD, followed by a 42 value stored as DD (use 41 for default value), and a 43 value stored as a DD (use 41 value for default value).
Commor	1:			
	Rotation	BD	50	
	Extrusion	3BD	210	
	Has ATTRIBs	В	66	Single bit; 1 if ATTRIBs follow.
R2004+	+:			

	Ormad Object Count	BL		Number of objects owned by this object.
Common:	Owned Object Count	ЪЦ		Number of objects owned by this object.
COMMIOIT.	Flag for table value	BS	90	Bit flags, $0x06 (0x02 + 0x04)$: has block, $0x10$: table direction, $0 = up$, $1 = down$, $0x20$: title suppressed. Normally $0x06$ is always set.
	Hor. Dir. Vector	3BD	11	
	Number of columns	BL	92	
	Number of rows	BL	91	
	Column widths	BD	142	Repeats "# of columns" times
	Row heights	BD	141	Repeats "# of rows" times
Cell da	ata, repeats for all ce	ells in	n x m ta	ble:
	Cell type	BS	171	<pre>1 = text, 2 = block. In AutoCAD 2007 a cell can contain either 1 text or 1 block. In AutoCAD 2008 this changed (TODO).</pre>
	Cell edge flags	RC	172	Specifies which edges have property overrides in a cell, 1 = top, 2 = right, 4 = bottom, 8 = left. Note that if a shared edge between two cells has property overrides, the edge overrides flag is set in both adjacent cells, but in one of them the edge is marked as virtual (see virtual edge flags below). So the virtual edge flag property determines where the override is stored: each property override is stored only once. When a virtual edge flag is set, the override is determined by the adjacent cell, when it is not set it is determined by the cell itself. Normally a property override is stored with the cell on which the user made the modification, but sometimes when the user makes multiple changes in both adjacent cells, e.g. a color modification in cell A, and a line weight modification in cell B (adjacent to cell A), then for the shared edge, the property overrides for both color and line weight are stored in the same cell (either A or B). The reason for this is that the virtual edge flag doesn't allow to discriminate between individual properties, only on the edge level.
	Cell merged value	В	173	Determines whether this cell is merged with another cell.
	Autofit flag	В	174	
	Merged width flag	BL	175	Represents the horizontal number of merged cells.
	Merged height flag	BL	176	Represents the vertical number of merged cells.
	Rotation value	BD	145	
If cell	type == 1 (text cell)):		
	Text string	TV	1	Present only if 344 value below is 0
If cell	type == 2 (block cell	l):		
	Block scale	BD	144	
	Has attributes flag	В		
	If has attributes fla	g == 1:		
	Attr. Def. count	BS	179	

Attr. De:	f. index	BS		Not present in dxf
Attr. De:	f. text	TV	300	
Common to both t	ext and bloc	k cells	:	
has over	ride flag	В		
If has override	flag == 1:			
Cell flag	g override	BL	177	
Virtual 6	edge flag	RC	178	Determines which edges are virtual, see also the explanation on the cell edge flags above. When an edge is virtual, that edge has no border overrides. $1 = \text{top}$, $2 = \text{right}$, $4 = \text{bottom}$, $8 = \text{left}$.
Cell aliq	gnment	RS	170	Present only if bit 0x01 is set in cell flag override. Top left = 1, top center = 2, top right = 3, middle left = 4, middle center = 5, middle right = 6, bottom left = 7, bottom center = 8, bottom right = 9.
Backgroui	nd fill none	В	283	Present only if bit $0x02$ is set in cell flag override
Backgroui	nd color	CMC	63	Present only if bit $0x04$ is set in cell flag override
Content (color	CMC	64	Present only if bit $0x08$ is set in cell flag override
Text styl	le	Н	7	Present only if bit $0x10$ is set in cell flag override (hard pointer)
Text heig	ght	BD	140	Present only if bit $0x20$ is set in cell flag override
Top grid	color	CMC	69	Present only if bit 0x00040 is set in cell flag override
Top grid	lineweight	BS	279	Present only if bit 0×00400 is set in cell flag override
Top visi	oility	BS	289	Present only if bit $0x04000$ is set in cell flag override (1 = visible).
Right gr:	id color	CMC	65	Present only if bit 0x00080 is set in cell flag override
Right gr:	id lineweight	BS BS	275	Present only if bit 0x00800 is set in cell flag override
Right vis	sibility	BS	285	Present only if bit $0x08000$ is set in cell flag override (1 = visible).
Bottom g	rid color	CMC	66	Present only if bit 0x00100 is set in cell flag override
Bottom g	rid lineweigh	nt BS	276	Present only if bit 0x01000 is set in cell flag override
Bottom v	isibility	BS	286	Present only if bit $0x10000$ is set in cell flag override (1 = visible).
Left grid	d color	CMC	68	Present only if bit 0×00200 is set in cell flag override
Left grid	d lineweight	BS	278	Present only if bit 0×02000 is set in cell flag override

	Left visibility	BS	288	Present only if bit 0×20000 is set in cell flag override (1 = visible).
R2007+	:			
	Unknown	BL		
	Value fields			See paragraph 20.4.98.
Common	:			
End Ce	ll Data (remaining data	a appli	es to ent	cire table)
	Has table overrides	В		
If has	table overrides == 1:			
	Table flag override	BL	93	
	Title suppressed	В	280	Present only if bit 0×0001 is set in table overrides flag
	Header suppresed		281	Always true (do not read any data for this)
	Flow direction	BS	70	Present only if bit $0x0004$ is set in table overrides flag (0 = down, 1 = up).
	Horz. Cell margin	BD	40	Present only if bit 0×0008 is set in table overrides flag
	Vert. cell margin	BD	41	Present only if bit 0×0010 is set in table overrides flag
	Title row color	CMC	64	Present only if bit 0×0020 is set in table overrides flag
	Header row color	CMC	64	Present only if bit 0×0040 is set in table overrides flag
	Data row color	CMC	64	Present only if bit 0×0080 is set in table overrides flag
	Title row fill none	В	283	Present only if bit 0×0100 is set in table overrides flag
	Header row fill none	В	283	Present only if bit 0×0200 is set in table overrides flag
	Data row fill none	В	283	Present only if bit 0×0400 is set in table overrides flag
	Title row fill color	CMC	63	Present only if bit 0x0800 is set in table overrides flag
	Header row fill clr.	CMC	63	Present only if bit 0x1000 is set in table overrides flag
	Data row fill color	CMC	63	Present only if bit 0x2000 is set in table overrides flag
	Title row align.	BS	170	Present only if bit 0x4000 is set in table overrides flag
	Header row align.	BS	170	Present only if bit 0x8000 is set in table overrides flag
	Data row align.	BS	170	Present only if bit 0x10000 is set in table overrides flag
	Title text style hnd	Н	7	Present only if bit 0x20000 is set in table overrides flag (hard pointer)

overrides flag (hard pointer)

Title text style hnd	Н	7	Present only if bit 0x40000 is set in table overrides flag (hard pointer)
Title text style hnd	Н	7	Present only if bit 0x80000 is set in table overrides flag (hard pointer)
Title row height	BD	140	Present only if bit 0x100000 is set in table overrides flag
Header row height	BD	140	Present only if bit 0x200000 is set in table overrides flag
Data row height	BD	140	Present only if bit 0x400000 is set in table overrides flag
End If has table overrides =	= 1		
Has border color over	rides	В	
If has border color override	s == 1:		
Overrides flag	BL	94	Border COLOR overrides
Title hor. Top. col.	CMC	64	Present only if bit 0×01 is set in border color overrides flag
Title hor. ins. col.	CMC	65	Present only if bit 0×02 is set in border color overrides flag
Title hor. bot. col.	CMC	66	Present only if bit 0×04 is set in border color overrides flag
Title ver. left. col.	CMC	63	Present only if bit 0x08 is set in border color overrides flag
Title ver. ins. col.	CMC	68	Present only if bit 0×10 is set in border color overrides flag
Title ver. rt. col.	CMC	69	Present only if bit 0x20 is set in border color overrides flag
Header hor. Top. col.	CMC	64	Present only if bit 0x40 is set in border color overrides flag
Header hor. ins. col.	CMC	65	Present only if bit 0x80 is set in border color overrides flag
Header hor. bot. col.	CMC	66	Present only if bit $0x100$ is set in border color overrides flag
Header ver. left. col	.CMC	63	Present only if bit $0x200$ is set in border color overrides flag
Header ver. ins. col.	CMC	68	Present only if bit 0x400 is set in border color overrides flag
Header ver. rt. col.	CMC	69	Present only if bit 0x800 is set in border color overrides flag
Data hor. Top. col.	CMC	64	Present only if bit 0×1000 is set in border color overrides flag
Data hor. ins. col.	CMC	65	Present only if bit $0x2000$ is set in border color overrides flag
Data hor. bot. col.	CMC	66	Present only if bit $0x4000$ is set in border color overrides flag
Data ver. left. col.	CMC	63	Present only if bit $0x8000$ is set in border color overrides flag
Data ver. ins. col.	CMC	68	Present only if bit 0×10000 is set in border color overrides flag

Data ver. rt. col.	CMC 69	Present only if bit 0x20000 is set in border color overrides flag
End If has border color over	cides == 1	
Has border lineweight	overridesB	
If has border lineweight over	crides == 1:	
Overrides flag	BL 95	Border LINEWEIGHT overrides
Title hor. Top. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×01 is set in border color overrides flag
Title hor. ins. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×02 is set in border color overrides flag
Title hor. bot. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×04 is set in border color overrides flag
Title ver. left. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×08 is set in border color overrides flag
Title ver. ins. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×10 is set in border color overrides flag
Title ver. rt. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×20 is set in border color overrides flag
Header hor. Top. lw.	BS	Present only if bit $0x40$ is set in border color overrides flag
Header hor. ins. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0x80 is set in border color overrides flag
Header hor. bot. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0x100 is set in border color overrides flag
Header ver. left. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0x200 is set in border color overrides flag
Header ver. ins. lw.	BS	Present only if bit $0x400$ is set in border color overrides flag
Header ver. rt. lw.	BS	Present only if bit $0x800$ is set in border color overrides flag
Data hor. Top. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×1000 is set in border color overrides flag
Data hor. ins. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×2000 is set in border color overrides flag
Data hor. bot. lw.	BS	Present only if bit $0x4000$ is set in border color overrides flag
Data ver. left. lw.	BS	Present only if bit $0x8000$ is set in border color overrides flag
Data ver. ins. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×10000 is set in border color overrides flag
Data ver. rt. lw.	BS	Present only if bit 0×20000 is set in border color overrides flag
End If has border lineweight	overrides == 1	
Has border visibility	overridesB	
If has border visibility over	crides == 1:	
Overrides flag	BL 96	Border visibility overrides
Title hor. Top. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0×01 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)

Title hor. ins. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x02$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Title hor. bot. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x04$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Title ver. left. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x08$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Title ver. ins. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x10$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Title ver. rt. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x20$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Header hor. Top. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x40$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Header hor. ins. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x80$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Header hor. bot. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0×100 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Header ver. left. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x200$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Header ver. ins. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x400$ is set in border (0 = visible, 1 = invisible) visibility overrides flag
Header ver. rt. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0x800 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Data hor. Top. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0×1000 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Data hor. ins. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0x2000 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Data hor. bot. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit $0x4000$ is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Data ver. left. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0x8000 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Data ver. ins. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0x10000 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)
Data ver. rt. vsb.	BS	Present only if bit 0×20000 is set in border visibility overrides flag (0 = visible, 1 = invisible)

End If has border visibility overrides == 1

Common:

Common Entity Handle Data

R13-R200:		
	Н	[1st ATTRIB (soft pointer)] if 66 bit set; can be NULL
	Н	<pre>[last ATTRIB](soft pointer)] if 66 bit set; can be NULL</pre>
R2004:		
	Н	[ATTRIB (soft pointer)] Repeats "Owned Object Count" times.
Common:		
	H	[SEQEND (hard owner)] if 66 bit set
	н 342	Table Style ID (hard pointer)
	H Varies	344 for text cell, 340 for block cell (hard pointer)
	н 331	Attr. Def. ID (soft pointer, present only for block cells, when additional data flag == 1, and 1 entry per attr. def.)
	н 7	Text style override (present only if bit 0×08 is set in cell flag override), one for each applicable cell
	н 7	Title row style override (present only if bit 0×20000 is set in table overrides flag
	н 7	Title row style override (present only if bit $0x40000$ is set in table overrides flag
	н 7	Title row style override (present only if bit 0x80000 is set in table overrides flag
CRC	х	

20.4.96.2 R24 and later

In the R24 format the old table data structures were replaced with new data structures, of which the root is the AcDbTableContent class. The old data structures are still used in the DXF format. An R24 DXF file contains both the old and new structures, where the new structures are optionally used. If AutoCAD can store all data just using the old structures it does not always write the new structures in DXF. In an R24 DWG file, always the new structures are used. The table then points to a AcDbTableContent object, which contains most of the actual data. Note that AcDbTableContent was already introduced in AutoCAD 2008 (R21), but in R21 it was indirectly referenced through the tables extension dictionary entry ACAD_XREC_ROUNDTRIP (TODO: describe details on

ACAD ROUNDTRIP 2008 TABLE ENTITY and for 2007).

Version	Field	DXF	Description		
	type	group			
		code			
			Common entity data.		
R2010+					
	RC		Unknown (default 0)		
	Н		Unknown (soft pointer, default NULL)		
	BL		Unknown (default 0)		

R2010			
	В		Unknown (default true)
R2013			
	BL		Unknown (default 0)
R2010+			
			Here the table content is present (see TABLECONTENT object), without the
			common OBJECT data. See paragraph 20.4.97.
	BS		Unknown (default 38)
	3BD	11	Horizontal direction
	BL		Has break data flag $(0 = \text{no break data}, 1 = \text{has break data})$
			Begin break data (optional)
	BL		Option flags:
			Enable breaks = 1,
			Repeat top labels = 2 ,
			Repeat bottom labels = 4,
			Allow manual positions = 8,
			Allow manual heights = 16
	BL		Flow direction:
			Right = 1 ,
			Vertical = 2,
			Left $= 4$
	BD		Break spacing
	BL		Unknown flags
	BL		Unknown flags
	BL		Number of manual positions (break heights)
			Begin repeat manual positions (break heights)
	3BD		Position
	BD		Height
	BL		Flags (meaning unknown)
			End repeat manual positions (break heights)
			End break data
	BL		Number of break row ranges (there is always at least 1)
			Begin repeat row ranges
	3BD		Position
	BL		Start row index
	BL		End row index
			End repeat row ranges

20.4.97 TABLECONTENT

This represents the table content (AcDbTableContent) that replaces the old table data structures that were introduced in AutoCAD 2005. Table content was introduced in AutoCAD 2008 and supports more

advanced features like e.g. multiple contents per cell. In AutoCAD 2008 the table content was written as a separate object in DWG and referenced by roundtrip data in the table entity's extension dictionary. In DXF this is still the case even for R24. In a R24 DWG file, the table content is part of the table entity data and is no longer present as a separate object. Possibly for backwards compatibility with the AutoCAD 2007 (R21) format, this separate data container was created instead of extending the ACAD_TABLE entity.

The table content class inherits from 3 other classes, which never exist independently so they will all be described in this paragraph. AcDbTableContent inherits from AcDbFormattedTableData, which inherits from AcDbLinkedTableData, which inherits from AcDbLinkedData. Class AcDbLinkedTableData contains most of the data (rows, columns, cells, cell contents).

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Common object data.
			AcDbLinkedData fields
	TV	1	Name
	TV	300	Description
			AcDbLinkedTableData fields
	BL	90	Number of columns
			Begin repeat columns
	TV	300	Column name
	BL	91	32-bit integer containing custom data
			Custom data collection, see paragraph 20.4.100.
			Cell style data, see paragraph 20.4.101.4, this contains cell style overrides for
			the column.
	BL	90	Cell style ID, points to the cell style in the table's table style that is used as the
			base cell style for the column. 0 if not present.
	BD	40	Column width.
			End repeat columns
	BL	91	Number of rows.
			Begin repeat rows.
	BL	90	Number of cells in row.
			Begin repeat cells
	BL	90	Cell state flags:
			Content locked = $0x1$,
			Content readonly = $0x2$,
			Linked = 0x4,
			Content modified after update = $0x8$,
			Format locked = $0x10$,
			Format readonly = $0x20$,
			Format modified after update = $0x40$

TV	300	Tooltip
BL	91	32-bit integer containing custom data
		Custom data collection, see paragraph 20.4.100.
BL	92	Has linked data flags, 0 = false, 1 = true
		If has linked data
Н	340	Handle to data link object (hard pointer).
BL	93	Row count.
BL	94	Column count.
BL	96	Unknown.
		End if has linked data
BL	95	Number of cell contents
		Begin repeat cell contents
BL	90	Cell content type:
		Unknown = 0,
		Value = 0x1,
		Field = 0x2,
		Block = 0x4
		If cell content type is Value
		Write value (see paragraph 20.4.98)
		Else if cell content type is Field
Н	340	Handle to AcDbField object (hard pointer).
		Else if cell content type is Block
Н	340	Handle to block record (hard pointer).
		End if cell content type is Block
BL	91	Number of attributes
		Begin repeat attributes
Н	330	Handle to attribute definition (ATTDEF), soft pointer.
TV	301	Attribute value.
BL	92	Index (starts at 1).
		End repeat attributes
BS	170	Has content format overrides flag
		If has content format overrides flag is non-zero
		The content format overrides, see paragraph 20.4.101.3. By default the cell
		content uses the cell's cell style, this allows to override properties per content.
		End if has content format overrides flag is non-zero
		End repeat cell contents
		Cell style data, see paragraph 20.4.101.4, this contains cell style overrides for
		the cell.
BL	90	Cell style ID, points to the cell style in the table's table style that is used as the
		base cell style for the cell. 0 if not present.
BL	91	Unknown flag
		If unknown flag is non-zero
BL	91	Unknown
BD	40	Unknown

BD	41	Unknown
BL		Geometry data flags
Н		Unknown ()
		If geometry data flags is non-zero
		Cell content geometry, see paragraph 20.4.98.
		Enf if geometry data flags is non-zero
		End If unknown flag is non-zero
		End repeat cells
BL	91	32-bit integer containing custom data
		Custom data collection, see paragraph 20.4.100.
		Cell style data, see paragraph 20.4.101.4, this contains cell style overrides for
DI	90	the row.
BL	90	Cell style ID, points to the cell style in the table's table style that is used as the base cell style for the row. 0 if not present.
BD	40	Row height.
BD	40	End repeat rows.
DI		Number of cell contents that contain a field reference.
BL	-	
Н		Begin repeat field references Handle to field (AcDbField), hard owner.
П	-	End repeat field references
		AcDbFormattedTableData fields
		The table's cell style override fields (see paragraph 20.4.101.4). The table's
•••		base cell style is the table style's overall cell style (present from R24 onwards).
BL	90	Number of merged cell ranges
DL	70	Begin repeat merged cell ranges
BL	91	Top row index
BL	92	Left column index
BL	93	Bottom row index
BL	94	Right column index
J.L		End repeat merged cell ranges
		AcDbTableContent fields
Н	340	Handle to table style (hard pointer).
 11	270	Trainer to those style (little position).

20.4.98 Cell content geometry

The table below represents the cell content geometry (does not have to be written)

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	3BD		Distance to top left
	3BD		Distance to center
	BD		Content width
	BD		Content height
	BD		Width

BD	Height
BL	Unknown flags

20.4.99 Value

This is a not an entity or object, but a common value that is always part of an entity or object. Since it appears in multiple entities/objects a separate paragraph is dedicated to it.

R2007+	R2007+:					
	Flags	BL	93	Flags & 0x01 => type is kGeneral		
Common	:					
	Data type	BL	90			
	Varies by type:			Not present in case bit 1 in Flags is set		
	0 - Unknown	BL				
	1 - Long	BL				
	2 -Double	BD				
	4 -String	TV				
	8 -Date			BL data size N, followed by N bytes (Int64 value)		
	16 -Point			BL data size, followed by 2RD		
	32 -3D Point			BL data size, followed by 3RD		
	64 -Object Id	Н		Read from appropriate place in handles section (soft pointer). $ \\$		
	128 -Buffer			Unknown.		
	256 -Result Buffer			Unknown.		
	512 -General			General, BL containing the byte count followed by a byte array. (introduced in R2007, use Unknown before R2007).		
R2007+	:					
	Unit type	BL	94	0 = no units, $1 = distance$, $2 = angle$, $4 = area$, $8 = volume$		
	Format String	TV	300			
	Value String	TV	302			

20.4.100 Custom data collection

Table cells, columns and rows may have a collection of custom data items (key/value pairs) associated with them.

Version	Field	DXF	Description	
	type	group		
		code		
	BL	90	Number of custom data items	
			Begin repeat custom data items	
	TV	300	Item name	
			Item value (variant), see paragraph 20.4.98.	

End repeat custom data items

20.4.101 TABLESTYLE

The table style object repesents the style for the table entity. Like the table entity, table style was introduced in AutoCAD 2005. In AutoCAD 2008 new cell style data was introduced, which was stored in a separate container object: CELLSTYLEMAP, see paragraph 20.4.102 for more details. The cellstyle map can contain custom cell styles, whereas the TABLESTYLE only contains the *Table* (R24), *_Title*, *Header* and *Data* cell style.

20.4.101.1 TABLESTYLE format until R21

```
Common OBJECT data, see paragraph 20.1.
Common:
       Description
                              ΤV
                                      3
       Flow direction
                              BS
                                      70
                                             0 = down, 1 = up
       Bit flags
                                      71
                                             Meaning unknown.
       Horizontal cell margin BD
                                      40
       Vertical cell margin
                                      41
       Suppress title
                                     280
       Suppress header
                               В
                                     281
Begin repeat 3 times (data, title and header row styles in this order)
       Text style ID
                               Н
                                      7
                                             Hard pointer.
       Text height
                              ВD
                                     140
       Text alignment
                                     170
                                             Top left = 1, top center = 2, top right = 3, middle
                              BS
                                             left = 4, middle center = 5, middle right = 6,
                                             bottom left = 7, bottom center = 8, bottom right =
       Text color
                             CMC
                                      62
       Fill color
                             CMC
                                      63
       Background color enabled
                                             283
                                      В
  Begin repeat 6 times (borders: top, horizontal inside, bottom, left, vertical inside, right, in
                                             this order)
       Line weight
                              BS 274-279
       Visible
                               B 284-289
                                             0 = invisible, 1 = visible
                             CMC 64-69
       Border color
 End repeat borders
R2007+
       Data type
                                      90
                                             As defined in the ACAD TABLE entity.
       Data unit type
                                             As defined in the ACAD TABLE entity.
       Format string
                              TV
End repeat row styles
```

20.4.101.2 **R24 TABLESTYLE format**

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	RC	-	Unknown
	TV	3	Description
	BL	-	Unknown
	BL	-	Unknown
	Н	-	Unknown (hard owner)
			The cell style with name "Table", see paragraph 20.4.101.4.
	BL	90	Cell style ID, 1 = title, 2 = header, 3 = data, 4 = table (new in R24).
			The cell style ID is used by cells, columns, rows to reference a cell style in the
			table's table style. Custom cell style ID's are numbered starting at 101.
	BL	91	Cell style class, 1= data, 2 = label. The default value is label.
	TV	300	Cell style name
	BL		The number of cell styles (should be 3), the non-custom cell styles are present
			only in the CELLSTYLEMAP.
			Begin repeat cell styles (for data, title, header in this order)
			The cell style fields, see paragraph 20.4.101.4.
	BL	-	Cell style ID, 1 = title, 2 = header, 3 = data, 4 = table (new in R24).
			The cell style ID is used by cells, columns, rows to reference a cell style in the
			table's table style. Custom cell style ID's are numbered starting at 101.
	BL	-	Cell style class, 1= data, 2 = label. The default value is label.
	TV	-	Cell style name
			End repeat cell styles

20.4.101.3 Content format

Content format data is present in the cell style map object, in the table entity and also the table content object.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	BL	90	Property override flags (is used for both content format and cell style):
			Content format properties:
			Data type = $0x1$,
			Data format = $0x2$,
			Rotation = $0x4$,
			Block scale = $0x8$,
			Alignment = $0x10$,
			Content color = $0x20$,
			Text style = $0x40$,
			Text height = $0x80$,
			Auto scale = $0x100$,

	1	
		Cell style properties:
		Background color = $0x200$,
		Margin left = $0x400$,
		Margin top = $0x800$,
		Margin right = $0x1000$,
		Margin bottom = $0x2000$,
		Content layout = 0x4000,
		Margin horizontal spacing = 0x20000,
		Margin vertical spacing = $0x40000$,
		Row/column properties:
		Merge all = 0x8000
		Table properties:
		Flow direction bottom to top = $0x10000$
BL	91	Property flags. Contains property bit values for property Auto Scale only
		(0x100).
BL	92	Value data type, see also paragraph 20.4.98.
BL	93	Value unit type, see also paragraph 20.4.98.
TV	300	Value format string
BD	40	Rotation
BD	140	Block scale
BL	94	Cell alignment:
		Top left = 1,
		Top center = 2,
		Top right = 3,
		Middle left = 4,
		Middle center = 5,
		Middle right = 6,
		Bottom left = 7,
		Bottom center = 8,
		Bottom right = 9
TC	62	Content color
Н	340	Text style handle (hard pointer)
BD	144	Text height

20.4.101.4 Cell style

Table cell style data is present in the cell style map object, in the table entity and also the table content object. A cell style inherits from content format. Cell style adds amongst others cell border style and margin properties to the content style properties of content format (see paragraph 20.4.101.3).

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	BL	90	Cell style type:
			Cell = 1,
			Row = 2,
			Column = 3,
			Formatted table data = 4,
			Table = 5
	BS	170	Data flags, $0 = \text{no data}$, $1 = \text{data is present}$
			If data is present
	BL	91	Property override flags. The definition is the same as the content format
			propery override flags, see paragraph 20.4.101.3.
	BL	92	Merge flags, but may only for bits 0x8000 and 0x10000.
	TC	62	Background color
	BL	93	Content layout flags:
			Flow = 1,
			Stacked horizontal = 2,
			Stacked vertical = 4
			Content format fields (see paragraph 20.4.101.3).
	BS	171	Margin override flags, bit 1 is set if margin overrides are present
			If margin overrides are present
	BD	40	Vertical margin
	BD	40	Horizontal margin
	BD	40	Bottom margin
	BD	40	Right margin
	BD	40	Margin horizontal spacing
	BD	40	Margin vertical spacing
			End if margin overrides are present
	BL	94	Number of borders present (0-6)
			Begin repeat borders
	BL	95	Edge flags: $1 = \text{top}$, $2 = \text{right}$, $4 = \text{bottom}$, $8 = \text{left}$, $0 \times 10 = \text{inside vertical}$, 0×20
			= inside horizontal
			If edge flags is non-zero
	BL	90	Border property override flags:
			Border types = $0x1$,
			Line weight = $0x2$,
			Line type = $0x4$,
			Color = 0x8,
			Invisibility = $0x10$,
		-	Double line spacing = $0x20$
	BL	91	Border type:
			Single = 1,
			Double = 2

TC	62	Color
BL	92	Line weight
Н	340	Line type (hard pointer)
BL	93	Invisibility: 1 = invisible, 0 = visible.
BD	40	Double line spacing
		End if edge flags is non-zero
		End repeat borders
		End if data is present

20.4.102 CELLSTYLEMAP

The cell style map (AcDbCellStyleMap) is a helper class for TABLESTYLE containing all cell styles. This object was introduced in AutoCAD 2008, together with the new table related classes (like AcDbTableContent). Possibly for backwards compatibility with the AutoCAD 2007 (R21) format, this separate data container was created instead of extending the TABLESTYLE object.

The cell style map is connected to the table style through an extension dictionary entry with name "ACAD_ROUNDTRIP_2008_TABLESTYLE_CELLSTYLEMAP" in the table style's extension dictionary. The dictionary entry value points to the cell style map.

Version	Field	DXF	Description	
	type	group		
		code		
			Common AcDbObject fields, see paragraph 20.1.	
	BL	90	Number of cell styles	
			Begin repeat cell styles	
	•••		Cell style fields, see paragraph 20.4.101.4.	
	BL	90	Cell style ID, 1 = title, 2 = header, 3 = data, 4 = table (new in R24).	
			The cell style ID is used by cells, columns, rows to reference a cell style in the	
			table's table style. Custom cell style ID's are numbered starting at 101.	
	BL	91	Cell style class, 1= data, 2 = label. The default value is label.	
	TV	300	Cell style name	
			End repeat cell styles	

20.4.103 TABLEGEOMETRY

This object represents a table's geometry and was introduced in AutoCAD 2008. It does not need to be present in a DWG file.

Version	Field	DXF	Description

t	type	group code	
			Common AcDbObject fields, see paragraph 20.1.
I	BL	90	Row count
I	BL	91	Column count
I	BL	92	Row * column count
			Begin repeat rows
			Begin repeat columns
I	BL	93	Flags
I	BD	40	Width with gap
I	BD	41	Height with gap
I	Н	330	Handle to unknown (soft pointer)
I	BL	94	Content count
			Begin repeat contents
3	3BD	10,20,30	Distance to top left.
3	3BD	11,21,31	Distance to center.
I	BD	43	Content width.
I	BD	44	Content height.
I	BD	45	Width.
I	BD	46	Height.
I	BD	95	Unknown (0).
			End repeat contents
			End repeat columns
			End repeat rows

20.4.104 XRECORD (varies):

	Length	MS		Entity length (not counting itself or CRC).
	Туре	BS	0	typecode (internal DWG type code).
R2000+:				
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Handle	Н	5	Length (char) followed by the handle bytes.
	EED	X	-3	See EED section.
R13-R14	Only:			
	Obj size	RL		size of object in bits, not including end handles
Common:				
	Numreactors	BL		Number of persistent reactors attached to this obj
R2004+:				
	XDic Missing Flag	В		If 1, no XDictionary handle is stored for this object, otherwise XDictionary handle is stored as in R2000 and earlier.
Common:				
	Numdatabytes	BL		number of databytes

Databytes X databytes, however many there are to the handles

R2000+:

Cloning flag BS 280

Common:

XRECORD data is pairs of: RS indicator number, then data. The indicator

number indicates the DXF number of the data, then the data follows, so for instance an indicator of 1 would be followed by the string length (RC), the dwgcodepage (RC), and then the string, for R13-R2004 files. For R2007+, a string contains a short length N, and then N Unicode characters (2 bytes each). An indicator of 70 would mean a 2 byte short following. An indicator of 10 indicates 3 8-byte doubles following. An indicator of 40 means 1 8-byte double. These indicator numbers all follow the

normal AutoCAD DXF convention for group codes.

Handle refs H parenthandle (soft pointer)

[Reactors (soft pointer)]
xdictionary (hard owner)

objid object handles, as many as you can read until

you run out of data

20.4.104.1 Example:

OBJECT: proxy (1F4H), len 65H (101), handle: 28

00AC1 65 00 0110 0101 0000 0000 00AC3 3D 00 40 4A 20 80 30 00 = .@J .O. 0011 1101 0000 0000 0100 0000 0101 0010 0000 1000 0000 1000 0000 0000 0000 00AD3 54 68 69 73 20 69 73 20 This is 0101 0100 0110 1000 0110 1001 0111 0011 0010 0000 0110 1001 0101 0010 0000 OOADB 61 20 74 65 73 74 20 78 a test x 0110 0001 0010 0000 0111 0100 0110 0101 0111 0011 0111 0100 0010 0000 0111 1000 00AE3 72 65 63 6F 72 64 20 6C record 1 0111 0010 0110 0110 0110 0110 1111 0111 0111 0010 0110 0110 0100 0110 1100 00AEB 69 73 74 0A 00 00 00 00 0 ist..... 0110 1001 0111 0011 0110 0000 1010 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 00B0B 86 1B F0 F9 21 09 40 32!.@2 1000 0110 0001 1011 1111 0000 1111 1001 0010 0001 0000 1001 0100 0000 0011 0010 00B13 00 D7 35 33 F0 F9 21 09 ...53...!. 0000 0000 1101 0111 0011 0101 0011 1111 0000 1111 1001 0010 0001 0001 0001 00B23 00 40 41 0C 30 .@A.O 0000 0000 0100 0000 0100 0001 0000 1100 0011 0000

00B28 45 76 crc

21 Data section AcDb:ObjFreeSpace

The meaning of this section is not completely known. The ODA knows how to write a valid section, but the meaning is not known of every field.

21.1 Until R18

Tures	Lamath	Description
Туре	Length	Description
Int32	4	0
UInt32	4	Approximate number of objects in the drawing (number of handles).
Julian datetime	8	If version > R14 then system variable TDUPDATE otherwise TDUUPDATE.
UInt32	4	Offset of the objects section in the stream.
UInt8	1	Number of 64-bit values that follow (ODA writes 4).
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x00000032.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x000000000.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x00000064.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x00000000.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x00000200.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x00000000.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0xffffffff.
UInt32	4	ODA writes 0x00000000.

22 Data section: AcDb:Template

This section is optional in releases 13-15. The section is mandatory in the releases 18 and newer. The

template section only contains the MEASUREMENT system variable.

Type	Length	Description
Int16	2	Template description string length in bytes (the ODA always writes 0 here).
byte[]	n	Encoded string bytes of the template description (use the drawing's codepage to encode the bytes).
UInt16	2	MEASUREMENT system variable (0 = English, 1 = Metric).

23 Data section AcDb:Handles (OBJECT MAP)

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The Object Map is a table which gives the location of each object in the file This table is broken into sections. It is basically a list of handle/file loc pairs, and goes (something like) this:

```
Set the "last handle" to all 0 and the "last loc" to 0L;
Repeat until section size==2 (the last empty (except the CRC) section):
   Short: size of this section. Note this is in BIGENDIAN order (MSB first)
Repeat until out of data for this section:
   offset of this handle from last handle as modular char.
   offset of location in file from last loc as modular char. (note that location offsets can be negative, if the terminating byte has the 4 bit set).
   End repeat.
   CRC (most significant byte followed by least significant byte)
   End of section
End top repeat
```

Note that each section is cut off at a maximum length of 2032.

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This section is compressed and contains the standard 32 byte section header. The decompressed data in this section is identical to the "Object Map" section data found in R15 and earlier files, excepts that offsets are not absolute file addresses, but are instead offsets into the AcDb:Objects logical section (starting with offset 0 at the beginning of this logical section).

24 Section AcDb:AcDsPrototype_1b (DataStorage)

At this moment (December 2012), this sections contains information about Acis data (regions, solids). The data is stored in a byte stream, not a bit stream like e.g. the objects section.

The data store contains several data segments, and index segments that contain lookup information for finding the data segments and objects within these data segments. The file header contains the stream position of the segment index file segment and the segment indexes for the schema index/data index/search file segments. The segment index file segment is a lookup table for finding the stream position of a file segment by its segment index.

In paragraph 24.3 the default contents of this section is shown when empty.

24.1 File header

Version	Field	DXF	Description	
	type	group		
		code		
	UInt32		File signature	
	Int32		File header size	
	Int32		Unknown 1 (always 2?)	
	Int32		Version (always 2?)	
	Int32		Unknown 2 (always 0?)	
	Int32		Data storage revision	
	Int32		Segment index offset (the stream off set from the data store's stream start	
			position). See paragraph 24.2.2.1 for the segment index file segment.	
	Int32		Segment index unknown	
	Int32		Segment index entry count	
	Int32		Schema index segment index. This is the index into the segment index entry array (see paragraph 24.2.2.1) for the schema index file segment (see paragraph 24.2.2.4).	
	Int32		Data index segment index. This is the index into the segment index entry array (see paragraph 24.2.2.1) for the data index file segment (see paragraph 24.2.2.2).	
•	Int32		Search segment index	
	Int32		Previous save index	
	Int32		File size	

24.2 File segment

A file segment is a segment containing data. There are several types of file segments containing different types of data.

At the beginning of each segment there is a header. Then there are a number of data bytes specific for the type of file segment. At the end there are padding bytes so the total segment size including the header is a multiple of 0x40 bytes (AutoCAD writes a multiple of 0x80 bytes). The padding consists of an array of 0x70 values.

24.2.1 Header

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group code	
	Int16		Signature (always 0xd5ac?)
	byte[6]		Name (6 bytes). Names for the several file segments are:
			Segment index: "segidx"
			Data index: "datidx"
			Data: "_data_"
			Schema index: "schidx"
			Schema data: "schdat"
			• Search: "search"
			• Blob01: "blob01"
	Int32		Segment index
	Int32		Unknown 1 (0 or 1? 1 in blob01 segment).
	Int32		Segment size (multiple of 0x40 bytes (AutoCAD uses 0x80), padded with
			0x70 values).
	Int32		Unknown 2 (always 0?)
	Int32		Data storage revision
	Int32		Unknown 3 (always 0?)
	Int32		System data alignment offset (calculate the stream position by shifting left 4
			bits and adding to the file segment's stream start position). This offset is used
			for schema index and schema data segments. So the name "system data" seems
			to refer to schema index/schema data.
	Int32		Object data alignment offset (calculate the stream position by shifting left 4
			bits and adding to the file segment's stream start position). This offset is used
			for the data segment.
	byte[8]		8 alignment bytes (always 8 x 0x55?).

24.2.2 **Sub types**

In the following sub paragraphs all file segment sub types are described. Their data directly follows upon the file segment header.

24.2.2.1 Segment index file segment

This file segment contains information about each file segment's offset and size in the stream. The segment is looked up by the index in the array.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	

		code	
			Begin repeat segment index entry count (as present in the file header, see paragraph 24.1)
1	UInt64		Offset. This is the offset from the data store's stream start position.
1	UInt32		Size
			End repeat segment index entry count

24.2.2.2 Data index file segment

This file segment contains index entries for objects within the data file segment (see paragraph 24.2.2.3).

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	Int32		Entry count
	Int32		Unknown (always 0?)
			Begin repeat of entries (entry count)
	UInt32		Segment index (0 means stub entry and can be ignored).
	UInt32		Local offset. This is a local offset in the stream, relative to the file segment's stream start position. This points to a data file segment, see paragraph 24.2.2.3.
	UInt32		Schema index
			End repeat of entries

24.2.2.3 Data file segment

The data file segment basically contains a byte array, of which the storage type depends on the size:

- data records, where each data record is a byte array. Relatively small amounts of data are stored directly in the data file segment (up to 0x40000 bytes).
- A data blob references, where each blob reference references one or more other blob file segments. These other file segments represent the pages of the blob (paragraph 24.2.2.3.1). Large byte arrays are stored into multiple of these pages (more than 0x40000 bytes, max 0xfffb0 bytes per page).

For each entity's binary data stored in the data file segment entries have to be created in the schema search data. See paragraph 24.2.2.7.1. When reading the schema search data can be ignored.

For each ACIS entity (REGION, 3DSOLID), a data record is created with the SAB stream of the object. More detailed description of the ACIS/SAB data falls outside the scope of this document. The SAB stream bytes are prefixed with the ASCII encoded bytes of the string "ACIS BinaryFile". When for an ACIS entity a SAB stream is created from SAT, then if the version >= 21800, the bytes are post fixed with the ASCII encoded bytes of the string "End-of-ASM-data", otherwise "End-of-ACIS-data".

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
			Begin repeat (data record) headers. Repeats number of local offsets times (this
			is read earlier from the data index, see paragraph 24.2.2.2). For a particular
			data file segment, find all data index entries with the segment's segment index
			and take the local offsets.
			Move the stream position according to the current header local offset, which is
			relative to this data file segments stream start position.
	UInt32		Entry size
	UInt32		Unknown (ODA writes 1)
	UInt64		Handle
	UInt32		Local offset, a stream offset relative to the data start marker (just after this list
			of data record headers).
			End repeat (data record) header offsets
			Data start marker, this is the beginning of all data records.
			Begin repeat header entries (that were read above)
			Each data record starts at the data start marker position + local offset. The
			maxRecordSize of the record is the difference between two consecutive stream
			offsets. For the last data record the size is the file segment header's (object
			data alignment offset << 4) + segment size - the record's stream offset (i.e. the
			file segment end position – the record start position).
	UInt32		dataSize
			If $((dataSize + 4) \le maxRecordSize)$
	Byte[]		Data record's bytes of length dataSize
			Else If (dataSize == 0xbb106bb1)
			Data blob reference record, see paragraph 24.2.2.3.1
			End If
			End repeat header entries

24.2.2.3.1 Data blob reference record

A data blob reference references one or more other file segments. These other file segments represent the pages of the blob. Each page is stored in a Blob01 file segment, see paragraph 24.2.2.4.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	UInt64		Total data size
	UInt32		Page count
	UInt32		Record size (the size of this data blob reference record
	UInt32		Page size
	UInt32		Last page size
	UInt32		Unknown 1 (ODA writes 0)

UInt32	Unknown 2 (ODA writes 0)
	Begin repeat page count
UInt32	Segment index. The page's blob01 file segment stream position can be found by a lookup in the segment index file segment using the segment index, see paragraph 24.2.2.1.
UInt32	Size
	End repeat page count

24.2.2.4 **Blob01 file segment**

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	UInt64		Total data size
	UInt64		Page start offset
	Int32		Page index
	Int32		Page count
	UInt64		Page data size
	byte[]		Binary data (byte array) of size Page data size

24.2.2.5 Schema index file segment

The schema index contains references to objects within the schema data file segment, see

paragraph 24.2.2.6.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	UInt32		Unknown property count
	UInt32		Unknown (0)
			Begin repeat schema unknown property count
	UInt32		Index (starting at 0)
	UInt32		Segment index into the segment index file segment entry table (paragraph 24.2.2.1) of the schema data file segment (paragraph 24.2.2.6)
	UInt32		Local offset of the unknown schema property. This is a local offset in the stream, relative to the schema data file segment's stream start position.
			End repeat schema unknown property count
	Int64		Unknown (0x0af10c)
	UInt32		Property entry count
	UInt32		Unknown (0)
			Begin repeat property entry count
	UInt32		Segment index into the segment index file segment entry table (paragraph 24.2.2.1) of the schema data file segment (paragraph 24.2.2.6).
	UInt32		Local offset of the schema property. This is a local offset in the stream, relative to the schema data file segment's stream start position.
	UInt32		Index
			End repeat property entry count

24.2.2.6 **Schema data file segment**

The schema data file segment contains unknown properties and schemas. The stream offsets of these objects from the start of this file segment are found in the schema index, see paragraph 24.2.2.5.

**	24.2.2.3.	DVE	D 1.1
Version	Field type	DXF	Description
		group	
		code	
			Begin repeat schema unknown properties in the associated schema index file
			segment (paragraph 24.2.2.4), where the property's segment index is equal to
			this file segment's segment index (found in the header).
	UInt32		Data size
	UInt32		Unknown flags
			End repeat schema unknown properties
			Begin repeat schema entries in the associated schema index file segment
			(paragraph 24.2.2.4), where the property's segment index is equal to this file
			segment's segment index (found in the header).
			A schema, see paragraph 24.2.2.6.1. The stream position is the file segment's
			start position + the schema entry's local offset.
			End repeat schema entries
	Uint32		Property name count
			Begin repeat property name count
	AnsiString		Property name (zero byte delimited). These names are referred to by the
			schema's schema property's name index (paragraph 24.2.2.6.1.1). Name
			strings can be shared between multiple schema properties this way. See
			paragraph 24.2.2.6.1 for details about the schema.
			End repeat property name count

24.2.2.6.1 *Schema*

A schema is a collection of name value pairs, where the value can have a number of types.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	UInt16		Index count
			Begin repeat index count
	UInt64		Index
			End repeat index count
	UInt16		Property count
			Begin repeat property count
			Schema property, see paragraph 24.2.2.6.1.1.
			End repeat property count

24.2.2.6.1.1 Schema property

This is a schema (see 24.2.2.6.1) property, having a name and a value of a certain type.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	UInt32	91	Property flags:
			• 1 = Unknown 1 (if set then all other bits are cleared).
			• 2 = Has no type.
			• 8 = Unknown 2 (if set then all other bits are cleared).
	UInt32	2	Name index. Index into a property names array in the schema data file segment
			(see paragraph 24.2.2.6). In a DXF file the name is directly written instead of
			indirectly through a table lookup.
			If property flags bit 2 is NOT set
	UInt32	280	Type (0-15)
			If type $== 0xe$
	UInt32		Custom type size
			Else
			The typeSize is looked up in the following array with the type being the index:
			0, 0, 2, 1, 2, 4, 8, 1, 2, 4, 8, 4, 8, 0, 0, 0
			End if type $== 0$ xe
			End If property flags bit 2 is NOT set
			If property flags == 1
	UInt32		Unknown1
			Else if property flags == 8
	UInt32		Unknown2
			End if property flags == 8
	UInt16		Property value count
			If (typeSize != 0)
	Byte[]		Property value, represented by a byte array of size typeSize.
			End if (typeSize != 0)

24.2.2.7 Search file segment

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Version	Field	DXF	Description	
	type	group		
		code		
	UInt32		Schema count	
			Begin repeat schema count	
			Schema search data, see paragraph 24.2.2.7.1.	
			End repeat schema count	

24.2.2.7.1 Schema search data

The purpose of this segment is unknown. It seems to contain redundant data coupling a (sort) index to the objects in the data segment. When reading the schema search data can be ignored.

For each object stored in the data segment there has to be one item in the sorted index table (just start numbering at 0 and increase by one for every next object). Also in the 2D index array one array has to be present containing one entry for every object stored in the data segment. The object handle is stored, together with the index that was also used in the sorted index table. When the schema search data is not created, AutoCAD will ignore the entity.

Version	Field	DXF	Description
	type	group	
		code	
	UInt32		Schema name index
	UInt64		Sorted index count
			Begin sorted index count
	UInt64		Sorted index
			End sorted index count
			For clarity: below a 2D jagged array is described of an ID entry object,
			containing itself a handle and an array of indexes.
	UInt32		ID indexes count (for the set of ID indexes).
			If ID indexes count > 0
	UInt32		Unknown (0)
			Begin repeat ID indexes count
	UInt32		ID index count
			Begin repeat ID index count (in this loop the ID entry object is serialized)
	UInt64		Handle of the object present in the data segment (see paragraph 24.2.2.3).
	UInt64		Index count
			Begin repeat index count
	UInt64		Index (same as Sorted index value above). The ODA only writes one index per
			handle.
			End repeat index count
			End repeat ID index count
			End repeat ID indexes count
			End If ID indexes count > 0

24.3 Default contents

Below is a dump of the default contents (i.e. when there is no data in the Data Storage section).

```
schemas {
  item {
    index: 0
    name: "AcDb3DSolid_ASM_Data"
  indexes {
    item: 0,
    item: 1,
  }
```

```
propertyDescriptors {
  properties {
    item {
      flags: 0
      nameIndex: 4294967295
      type: 10
      customTypeSize: 0
      typeSize: 8
      unknown1: 0
      unknown2: 0
      propertyValues {
        item: {02, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00},
        item: {03, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00},
      }
      name: "AcDbDs::ID"
    },
    item {
      flags: 0
      nameIndex: 4294967295
      type: 15
      customTypeSize: 0
      typeSize: 0
      unknown1: 0
      unknown2: 0
      propertyValues {
      }
      name: "ASM_Data"
    },
  }
},
item {
  index: 1
  name: "AcDbDs::TreatedAsObjectDataSchema"
  indexes {
  }
  propertyDescriptors {
  properties {
    item {
      flags: 0
      nameIndex: 4294967295
      type: 1
      customTypeSize: 0
      typeSize: 0
      unknown1: 0
      unknown2: 0
      propertyValues {
      name: "AcDbDs::TreatedAsObjectData"
    },
  }
},
item {
  index: 2
  name: "AcDbDs::LegacySchema"
  indexes {
  propertyDescriptors {
  properties {
```

```
item {
        flags: 0
        nameIndex: 4294967295
        type: 1
        customTypeSize: 0
        typeSize: 0
        unknown1: 0
        unknown2: 0
        propertyValues {
        name: "AcDbDs::Legacy"
     },
   }
  },
  item {
    index: 3
    name: "AcDbDs::IndexedPropertySchema"
    indexes {
    }
    propertyDescriptors {
    properties {
     item {
        flags: 0
        nameIndex: 4294967295
        type: 1
        customTypeSize: 0
        typeSize: 0
        unknown1: 0
        unknown2: 0
        propertyValues {
        name: "AcDs:Indexable"
      },
   }
  },
  item {
    index: 4
    name: "AcDbDs::HandleAttributeSchema"
    indexes {
    }
    propertyDescriptors {
    properties {
     item {
        flags: 8
        nameIndex: 4294967295
        type: 7
        customTypeSize: 0
        typeSize: 1
        unknown1: 0
        unknown2: 1
        propertyValues {
          item: {00},
        name: "AcDbDs::HandleAttribute"
     },
   }
 },
schemaUnknownProperties {
```

```
item {
  dataSize: 8
    unknownFlags: 1
  },
  item {
    dataSize: 8
    unknownFlags: 1
  item {
    dataSize: 8
    unknownFlags: 1
  },
  item {
    dataSize: 8
    unknownFlags: 0
  },
}
schemaSearchDataList {
  item {
    schemaNameIndex: 0
    sortedIndexes {
    idIndexesSet {
    item[] {
 },
handleToDataRecord {
```

25 UNKNOWN SECTION

This section is largely unknown. The total size of this section is 53. We simply patch in "known to be valid" data. We first write a 0L, then the number of entries in the objmap +3, as a long. Then 45 bytes of "known to be valid data". Then we poke in the start address for objects at offset 16.

The 45 bytes of known to be valid data are:

26 SECOND FILE HEADER (R13-R15)

26.1 Beginning sentinel

RL : size of this section

{0xD4,0x7B,0x21,0xCE,0x28,0x93,0x9F,0xBF,0x53,0x24,0x40,0x09,0x12,0x3C,0xAA,0x01 };

```
L : Location of this header (long, loc of start of sentinel).
RC : "AC1012" or "AC1014" for R13 or R14 respectively
RC : 6 0's
B : 4 bits of 0
RC : 0x18, 0x78, 0x01, 0x04 for R13, 0x18, 0x78, 0x01, 0x05 for R14
RC : 0
L : header address
L : header size
RC : 1
L : class address
L : class data size
L : Object map address (natural table)
L : Object map size
RC : 3
 L : Address of unknown section 3
 L : size of that section
 S : 14 (# of handle records following)
RC : size of (valid chars in) handseed
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) block control objhandle
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) layer control objhandle
RC : "size" characters of the handle
```

```
RC : size of (valid chars in) shapefile control objhandle
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) linetype control objhandle
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) view control objhandle
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) ucs control objhandle
RC : 6
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) vport control objhandle
RC : 7
RC : "size" characters of the handle
{\tt RC} : size of (valid chars in) reg app control objhandle
RC : 8
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) dimstyle control objhandle
RC : 9
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) viewport entity header objhandle
RC : 10
RC : "size" characters of the handle
{\tt RC} : size of (valid chars in) dictionary objhandle
RC : 11
RC : "size" characters of the handle
RC : size of (valid chars in) default multi-line style objhandle
RC : 12
RC : "size" characters of the handle
```

RC : size of (valid chars in) group dictionary objhandle

RC : 13

RC : "size" characters of the handle

CRC

 ${\tt RC}$: 8 bytes of junk (R14 only). Note that the junk is counted in the size of this section at the start.

Ending sentinel

 $\{0x2B,0x84,0xDE,0x31,0xD7,0x6C,0x60,0x40,0xAC,0xDB,0xBF,0xF6,0xED,0xC3,0x55,0xFE\}$

27 Data section: AcDb:AuxHeader (Auxiliary file header)

The auxiliary file header contains mostly redundant information and was introduced in R15.

```
RC : 0xff 0x77 0x01
RS : DWG version:
     AC1010 = 17.
    AC1011 = 18,
    AC1012 = 19,
     AC1013 = 20,
     AC1014 = 21,
     AC1015 (beta) = 22,
     AC1015 = 23,
     AC1018 (beta) = 24,
     AC1018 = 25,
     AC1021 (beta) = 26,
    AC1021 = 27
     AC1024 (beta) = 28,
    AC1024 = 29
     AC1027 (beta) = 30,
     AC1027 = 31,
     AC1032 (beta) = 32,
     AC1032 = 33
RS : Maintenance version
RL : Number of saves (starts at 1)
RS : Number of saves part 1 ( = Number of saves - number of saves part 2)
RS : Number of saves part 2 ( = Number of saves - 0x7fff if Number of saves > 0x7fff,
     otherwise 0)
RL : 0
RS : DWG version string
RS : Maintenance version
RS : DWG version string
RS : Maintenance version
RS : 0x0005
RS : 0x0893
RS : 0x0005
RS : 0x0893
RS : 0x0000
RS : 0x0001
RL : 0x0000
RL : 0x0000
RL : 0x0000
```

```
RL : 0x0000
        RL : 0x0000
        TD : TDCREATE (creation datetime)
        TD : TDUPDATE (update datetime)
        RL : HANDSEED (Handle seed) if < 0x7ffffffff, otherwise -1.
        RL : Educational plot stamp (default value is 0)
        RS : Number of saves part 1 - number of saves part 2
        RL : 0
        RL : 0
        RL : Number of saves
        RL : 0
        RL : 0
        RL : 0
        RL : 0
R2018+
        RS : 0
        RS : 0
        RS : 0
```

28 Extended Entity Data (Extended Object Data)

EED directly follows the entity handle.

Each application's data is structured as follows:

```
|Length|Application handle|Data items|
```

Length is a bitshort indicating the length of the data for an app, not including itself, the bit-pair, or the app table handle. The above format repeats until a length of zero is found.

The application handle is a standard table handle reference: 0101|4-bit length|handle bytes|

Each data item has a 1-byte code (DXF group code minus 1000) followed by the value. It looks like there's no bit-pair coding within the data; that would throw off the length value (it would need to count bits, too). The form of the value is listed below for each type:

```
0 (1000)
              String.
              R13-R2004: 1st byte of value is the length N; this is followed by a 2-byte short
       indicating the codepage, followed by N single-byte characters.
              R2007+: 2-byte length N, followed by N Unicode characters (2 bytes each).
              This one seems to be invalid; can't even use as a string inside braces. This
would be a registered application that this data relates to, but we've already had that above, so
it would be redundant or irrelevant here.
   2 (1002) A '{' or '}'; 1 byte; ASCII 0 means '{', ASCII 1 means '}'
   3 (1003) A layer table reference. The value is the handle of the layer; it's 8 bytes --
even if the leading ones are 0. It's not a string; read it as hex, as usual for handles.
(There's no length specifier this time.) Even layer 0 is referred to by handle here.
   4 (1004)
              Binary chunk. The first byte of the value is a char giving the length; the bytes
follow.
   5 (1005) An entity handle reference. The value is given as 8 bytes -- even if the leading
ones are 0. It's not a string; read it as hex, as usual for handles. (There's no length
specifier this time.)
    10 - 13 (1010 - 1013)
              Points; 24 bytes (XYZ) -- 3 doubles
   40 - 42 (1040 - 1042)
              Reals; 8 bytes (double)
   70 (1070) A short int; 2 bytes
   71 (1071) A long int; 4 bytes
```

29 PROXY ENTITY GRAPHICS

Proxy entities (zombies prior to R14) can have associated graphics data. The presence or absence of this data is indicated by the single bit which we call the "graphic present flag", which mostly occurs on entity-type proxies, and very few other entities. Entity type proxies are proxies where the related class's **itemclassid** field is equal to 0x1F2.

If that bit is 1, then following it, and preceding the RL which indicates the number of bits in the object, is an RL which indicates the number of bytes of proxy entity graphic data to follow.

Graphics data is padded to 4 byte boundaries! So, for instance, strings which are too short are padded out to the next 4 byte boundary. Similarly for lists of shorts.

In addition to the data definitions from chapter 2 there are a few additional data types:

PS : Padded string. This is a string, terminated with a zero byte. The file's text encoding (code page) is used to encode/decode the bytes into a string.

PUS : Padded Unicode string. The bytes are encoded using Unicode encoding. The bytes consist of byte pairs and the string is terminated by 2 zero bytes.

We use the following defines to discriminate sub-item presence:

```
#define adHasPrimTraits(a) (a & 0xFFFFL)
#define adPrimsHaveColors(a) (a & 0x0001L)
#define adPrimsHaveLayers(a) (a & 0x0002L)
#define adPrimsHaveLinetypes(a) (a & 0x0004L)
#define adPrimsHaveMarkers(a) (a & 0x0020L)
#define adPrimsHaveVisibilities(a) (a & 0x0040L)
#define adPrimsHaveNormals(a) (a & 0x0080L)
#define adPrimsHaveOrientation(a) (a & 0x0400L)
```

The graphics data comes in chunks with the following format:

```
RL : size
RL : type
type-specific data
valid types are:
```

Extents 1

```
3 RD : extext min
3 RD : extent max
```

CIRCLE 2

RD : radius
3 RD : normal

CIRCLE3PT 3 (3 point circle)

3 RD : first point
3 RD : second point
3 RD : third point

CIRCULARARC 4

3 RD : center
RD : radius
3 RD : normal

3 RD : start vector direction

RD : sweep angle
RL : arc type

CIRCULARARC3PT 5

3 RD : first point
3 RD : second point
3 RD : third point
RL : arc type

POLYLINE 6

RL : number of points
3 RD : a point (repeat "number of points" times)

POLYGON 7

```
RL : number of points
3 RD : a point (repeat "number of points" times)
```

MESH 8

```
RL:number of rows
RL:number of columns
Repeat "rows" times:
Repeat "cols" times
3 RD: vertex
Endrep
Endrep
```

RL:edge primitive flags

```
if (adHasPrimTraits(edgeprimflag)) {
  compute nummeshedges as (rows-1)*cols + (cols-1)*rows
  if (adPrimsHaveColors(edgeprimflag) {
   RL: color for each edge
  if (adPrimsHaveLayers(edgeprimflag)) {
    RL: layer ids, 1 for each edge
  if (adPrimsHaveLinetypes(edgeprimflag)) {
   RL: linetype ids, 1 for each edge
  if (adPrimsHaveMarkers(edgeprimflag)) {
   RL: marker indices, 1 for each edge
  if (adPrimsHaveVisibilities(edgeprimflag)) {
    RL: visibility indicator, 1 for each edge
  }
RL: face primitive flags
if (adHasPrimTraits(faceprimflag)) {
  compute nummeshfaces as (rows-1)*(cols-1)
  if (adPrimsHaveColors(faceprimflag) {
    RL: color for each face
  if (adPrimsHaveLayers(faceprimflag)) {
   RL: layer ids, 1 for each face
  if (adPrimsHaveMarkers(faceprimflag)) {
    RL: marker indices, 1 for each face
  if (adPrimsHaveNormals(faceprimflag)) {
    3 RD: normal, 1 for each face
  if (adPrimsHaveVisibilities(faceprimflag)) {
   RL: visibility indicator, 1 for each face
```

RL: vertex primitive flags

```
if (adHasPrimTraits(vertprimflag)) {
  compute numvertices as rows * cols
  if (adPrimsHaveNormals(vertprimflag)) {
    3 RD: normal, 1 for each vertex
  }
  if (adPrimsHaveOrientation(vertprimflag)) {
    RL: orientation indicator, 1 ONLY
  }
}
```

SHELL 9

```
RL : number of points
       3 RD : vertex, 1 set of 3 for each vertex
         RL : number of face entries
         RL : face entries, "number of face entries" of these indicates a face for the shell.
               negative entry indicates the number of entries to follow. then follow the
               entries, which indicate the vertices, read above, that make up that face. So for
              instance entries
              -3,2,3,4 would mean a 3 sided face of vertices 2,3 and 4.
              We scan this list and get the number of faces and edges.
RL: edge primitive flags
if (adHasPrimTraits(edgeprimflag)) {
  if (adPrimsHaveColors(edgeprimflag) {
   RL: color for each edge
 if (adPrimsHaveLayers(edgeprimflag)) {
   RL: layer ids, 1 for each edge
  if (adPrimsHaveLinetypes(edgeprimflag)) {
   RL: linetype ids, 1 for each edge
  if (adPrimsHaveMarkers(edgeprimflag)) {
   RL: marker indices, 1 for each edge
 if (adPrimsHaveVisibilities(edgeprimflag)) {
   RL: visibility indicator, 1 for each edge
RL: face primitive flags
if (adHasPrimTraits(faceprimflag)) {
  if (adPrimsHaveColors(faceprimflag) {
   RL: color for each face
 if (adPrimsHaveLayers(faceprimflag)) {
   RL: layer ids, 1 for each face
  if (adPrimsHaveMarkers(faceprimflag)) {
   RL: marker indices, 1 for each face
  if (adPrimsHaveNormals(faceprimflag)) {
   3 RD: normal, 1 for each face
```

```
if (adPrimsHaveVisibilities(faceprimflag)) {
   RL: visibility indicator, 1 for each face
}
}

RL: vertex primitive flags
if (adHasPrimTraits(vertprimflag)) {
   compute numvertices as rows * cols
   if (adPrimsHaveNormals(vertprimflag)) {
      3 RD: normal, 1 for each vertex
   }
   if (adPrimsHaveOrientation(vertprimflag)) {
      RL: orientation indicator, 1 ONLY
   }
}
```

TEXT 10

```
3 RD : start point
3 RD : normal
3 RD : text direction
RD : height
RD : widthfactor
RD : oblique angle
PS : string, zero terminated and padded to 4 byte boundary
```

TEXT2 11

```
3 RD : start point
3 RD : normal
3 RD : text direction
  PS : string, padded to 4 byte boundary
  RL : length of string, -1 if zero terminated
  RL : "raw"; 0 if raw, 1 if not. raw means don't interpret %% stuff
  RD : height
  RD : widthfactor
 RD : oblique angle
  RD : Tracking percentage
  RL: Is backwards (0/1)
  RL: Is upside down (0/1)
  RL : Is vertical (0/1)
  RL : Is underlined (0/1)
  RL : Is overlined (0/1)
  PS : Font filename
  PS : Big font filename
```

XLINE 12

```
3 RD : a point on the construction line \,
```

3 RD : another point

RAY 13

```
3 RD : a point on the construction line \,
```

3 RD : another point

These "SUBENT" items indicate changes for subsequently drawn items.

SUBENT_COLOR 14

RL : color

SUBENT_LAYER 16

RL : layer index

SUBENT_LINETYPE 18

RL : linetype index, 0xFFFFFFFF for bylayer, 0xFFFFFFFE for byblock

SUBENT_MARKER 19

RL : marker index

SUBENT_FILLON 20

RL : fill on if 1, off if 0

SUBENT_TRUECOLOR 22

RC : red
RC : green
RC : blue

SUBENT_LNWEIGHT 23

RL : line weight

SUBENT_LTSCALE 24

RD : linetype scale

SUBENT_ THICKNESS 25

RD : thickness

SUBENT_ PLSTNAME 26

```
RL : type, BYLAYER == 0, BYBLOCK == 1, DICT_DEFAULT == 2, PLOTSTYLE_BY_ID == 3
```

 ${\tt RL}$: plot style index

PUSH_CLIP 27

3 RD : extrusion

3 RD : clip boundary origin

RL : number of points

2 RD : 2D point, repeated number of points times

16 RD : clip boundary transformation matrix

16 RD : inverse block transformation matrix

RL : front clip on
RL : back clip on
RD : front clip
RD : back clip

RL: draw boundary (0/1)

POP_CLIP 28

empty

PUSH_MODELXFORM 29

16 RD : transformation matrix

PUSH MODELXFORM2 30

16 RD : transformation matrix

? : unknown data

POP MODELXFORM 31

empty

Polyline with normal 32

RL : number of points

3 RD : a point (repeat "number of points" times)

RD : normal vector

LWPOLYLINE 33

RL : number of bytes containing the LWPOLYLINE entity data

B : bytes containing the LWPOLYLINE entity data. This excludes the common entity data. More specifically: it starts at the LWPOLYLINE flags (BS), and ends with the width array (BD).

RC : Unknown byte
RC : Unknown byte
RC : Unknown byte

Sub entity material 34

H: Material handle

Sub entity mapper 35

RL : dummy value 1
RL : dummy value 2
RL : projection
RL : U-tiling
RL : V-tiling
RL : Auto transform
RL : dummy value 3

Unicode text 36

Identical to text (10), but with the text string type being encoded in unicode.

Unknown 37

Empty

Unicode text 2

Identical to text 2 (11), but with the text string type being encoded in unicode and some minor additions:

```
3 RD : start point
       3 RD : normal
       3 RD : text direction
        PUS : string, padded to 4 byte boundary
         RL : length of string, -1 if zero terminated
         RL : "raw"; 0 if raw, 1 if not. raw means don't interpret %% stuff
         RD : height
         RD : widthfactor
         RD : oblique angle
         RD : Tracking percentage
         RL : Is backwards (0/1)
         RL: Is upside down (0/1)
         RL : Is vertical (0/1)
         RL : Is underlined (0/1)
         RL : Is overlined (0/1)
True type font descriptor fields {
         RL : Is bold (0/1)
```

```
RL : Is italic (0/1)

RL : Charset (contains 1 byte)

RL : Pitch and family (contains 1 byte)

PUS : Type face

PUS : Font filename
```

PUS : Big font filename

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