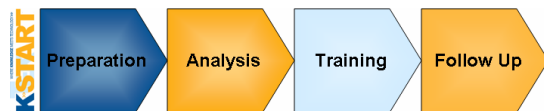


K-Start for Map 3D

Organizations using Autodesk’s Map 3D to maintaining maps often don’t leverage the product’s true power and advanced features. The *K-Start for Map 3D* is specifically designed for customers who maintain maps using Map 3D or AutoCAD, and who want to get more from their maps and mapping data.

K-Start for Map 3D is a program specifically designed to help organizations advance their use of Map 3D. It provides customers a solid foundation to leverage Map 3D in a planned, incremental, managed fashion.

Four Phases to Success



K-Start follows a proven four phase approach that accelerates your team’s learning curve and helps you avoid the pitfalls customers typically encounter using Map 3D:

Phase 1: Preparation – In this phase, K-TEK reviews your organization’s documents, maps, data, and related processes. We also interview your team to understand goals and priorities.

Phase 2: Analysis – Key to taking advantage of your maps is to “data enable” the map content by taking information that is implicit in the CAD map and using it to populate searchable and maintainable object data. This increases the intelligence of the information, allowing you to more effectively share your maps throughout your organization. K-TEK’s comprehensive analysis includes these tasks:

- Evaluating your current standards, including use of blocks, symbology, layering, object naming, as well as implicit coordinate system and mapping tiles
- Evaluating the extent to which these standards have been followed in the drawing files by spot checking representative drawings
- Reviewing your current workflow processes for file creation, use, and maintenance
- Defining standards for your new data-enabled maps, including symbol and data standards, valid data ranges, and more
- Leveraging features in Map 3D to increase editing accuracy, data consistency, and overall work efficiency
- Developing recommendations for a new map maintenance process based on your map content and current maintenance workflow

Phase 3: Training – K-TEK delivers custom on-site training focused on ensuring that your core team understands how to best apply Map 3D in your environment. There are a number of areas where the training may focus, depending on the results of the preparation and analysis phases:

- Efficient map cleanup
- Appropriate file formats
- Object classification
- Integrating GIS data sources
- Using Map 3D data in other applications
- Thematic mapping

Phase 4: Follow Up – Once training is complete, K-TEK delivers a comprehensive findings and recommendations report, as well as ongoing support to ensure your long term success using Map 3D.

The K-Start Advantage

K-Start is designed to deliver immediate up-front value. Beyond the comprehensive assessment of your needs, K-Start will empower your core team with skills and processes they can immediately put to work. The benefits:

- K-Start helps you understand your current map document status, clearly defines your goals, and provides a well defined plan to achieve those goals
- The high-value on-site training is focused on your organization’s workflows and projects
- The fixed price for the K-Start service means no costly surprises

K-Start for Map 3D puts you on the path to quickly make maximum use of your mapping data throughout your organization and beyond.

Learn More

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