







From: SCOTT WOIWODE 73540,1543 # 125617, 1 Reply  
To: Carl Bethea [Adesk] 71601,2574 Date: 03/08/91 21:47:12

Well, when I tried to solve this problem through the organization the software was purchased from I was told that this was a "PharLap Memory Error". The problem is produced no matter what the display configuration, i.e., standard VGA (option 8 under setup) or with the existing ADI 4.0 driver (irrelevant of the resolution).

This system also contain 8 Meg's of SIMS extended memory, which have been replaced to rule out bad memory.

Subj: AutoCad 11 Error Section: AutoCAD  
From: Carl Bethea [Adesk] 71601,2574 # 125724, 1 Reply  
To: SCOTT WOIWODE 73540,1543 Date: 03/09/91 12:05:27

Scott - If you will put together the information needed for bug report (see the I&PG for the form) and post it here, we may be able to spot the problem. The dealer is correct, the error is reporting a conflict in memory, but identifying the cause may take some detective work. You might also check the serial number on the CPU.

Subj: AutoCad 11 Error Section: AutoCAD  
From: SCOTT WOIWODE 73540,1543 # 126075, 2 Replies  
To: Carl Bethea [Adesk] 71601,2574 Date: 03/11/91 18:58:01

#### AUTODESK - BUG REPORT

Date: 02-11-91 Name: Scott Woiwode Company: Intel Address: 3065 Bowers Ave. City: Santa Clara, CA 95051  
Phone: 408-765-2095 CompuServe I.D.: 73540,1543

I am a: Customer

AutoCad Release 11 Serial No.: 110-10000381

Computer: Intel - 386 Model: 302 Operating System: MS-DOS 3.3  
Clock Speed: 25 Mhz  
386uP Serial No. and Markings:  
A80386DX-25 IV  
SX133  
L9341084  
INTEL '85 A double Sigma mark in lower right corner

Name of Network: None

Memory: 8 Meg Sims on motherboard, 640K base & 7,168K extended.  
No memory expansion boards.

Hard disk: Maxtor XT-1140E, initialized by SpeedStor Ver. 4.02,  
partitioned with FDISK into four equal sections, and formatted.  
AutoCAD has 8.8 Meg available of a 28.6 Meg DOS partition (D: drive).

Graphics Adaptor: Orchid Prodesigner Plus BIOS Ver. 2.1, with 512K,  
configured for use with AutoCAD as standard VGA.

Monitor: NEC MultiSync 4D.

Digitizer: Logitech Series 9 bus mouse, on interrupt 5, using device  
driver Ver. 4.10.

Printer: None.

Plotter: None.

Other cards in system: Intel 2400B internal modem on COM1:, and  
3Com Etherlink II network card (unused during AutoCAD operation).

System start-up files:

CONFIG.SYS:

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files=40  
buffers=25  
lastdrive=z  
stacks=0,0  
device=mouse.sys
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AUTOEXEC.BAT:

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echo off  
path=c:\windows;c:\;c:\dos;c:\dos\util;c:\bat;c:\procomm;d:\acad  
prompt= $p$g  
dir > rootdir.txt  
copy *.* c:\root  
cd \root  
del command.com  
cd \  
C:\NORTON\IMAGE  
mark  
bat
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includes the IL DISK at no extra cost. It's extensively updated (204 more pages) and includes everything about R11 and AutoLISP, plus a taste of ADS. The IL DISK includes a number of FREE utility and example programs of the type that other unnamed authors put on separate disks and charge bunches of bucks for.

Next is a beginners' book, for those who find "Inside AutoCAD" to be too comprehensive. I'd like feedback from the real world - users, trainers, and dealers. The first 10 comprehensive, well-considered responses within the next ten days receive their choice of any New Riders product for free. The best response gets any three products.

What I want in return are (preferably comparative) evaluations of beginning level AutoCAD books. Consider what's good or bad about them, and why; what they lack; what they should do differently; how they compare to Inside AutoCAD; what the ideal beginners' book should be in scope, content, format, tone... Please keep responses candid, objective and unbiased.

---Please reply to Rusty Gesner by Email

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NOTE: CompuServe connect time is approximately \$6/hr... these messages were part of 32 messages which were downloaded in 8.5 minutes.

