Autodesk[®] AutoCAD[®] Civil 3D[®] Release Comparison matrix

| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 |
|---|--|--|--|----------|
| USABILITY | | | | |
| Online map data | × | × | × | × |
| Pressure pipe content (enhanced) | | | | × |
| Create feature lines without having to create a site. | | | | V |
| PROJECT MANAGEMENT | | | | |
| Create pressure network data shortcuts and references | × | Image: A second s | Image: A set of the set of the | × |
| Create Autodesk® Vault® projects at any level below the working folder | Image: A second s | Image: A set of the set of the | Image: A start of the start of | × |
| Vault support for pressure networks | | Image: A second s | Image: A start of the start of | × |
| Manage data shortcuts to repair broken shortcuts and replace DWG objects | | | Image: A start of the start of | × |
| Display vault project objects that exist in subfolders within object type | | | Image: A start of the start of | × |
| Create data references to objects that exist in different vault projects | | | Image: A set of the set of the | × |
| Corridor data shortcut (DREF) (enhanced) | | | | × |
| Centralize management and improve enforcement of design standards. | | | | × |
| Cache DREF surface | | | | × |
| Subfolders help organize model data. | | | | × |
| Add multiple DREFs via simple drag-drop operations. | | | | × |
| COLLABORATION AND DATA EXCHANGE | | | | |
| Import pipes and civil roads from Autodesk [®] InfraWorks [®] 360 | × | × | Image: A second s | × |
| Export profile data to InfraWorks 360 | × | × | × | × |
| Save files and dependency files to A360 | × . | × | × | × . |
| Export data to KML and KMZ formats | | × | × | × . |
| Data exchange between AutoCAD Civil 3D and InfraWorks 360 | | Image: A second s | Image: A second s | × |
| Import and export IFC (Industry Foundation Class) files | | | Image: A second s | × |
| Enables user created property set definitions. | | | | × |
| Integrated roundabout workflows with Autodesk® InfraWorks® 360. | | | | × |
| PLAN PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTION DRAFTING | | | | |
| Add pressure networks to plan production sheets | V | × | × | - |



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| SURVEY | | | | |
| Save survey queries and open in survey query builder | × | × | × | × |
| Export and import survey query files for reuse | × | V | V | V |
| POINT CLOUDS | | | | |
| Point cloud object | × | × | × | × |
| Point cloud contextual user interface | | × - | × | × |
| Support for point clouds processed in Autodesk [®] ReCap [®] (.RCS, .RCP) | | V | V | ~ |
| SURFACES | | | | |
| Create surface from a point cloud | | × | × | × |
| Create AutoCAD solids from TIN surfaces | | × | V | × |
| ALIGNMENTS AND PROFILES | | | | |
| Projecting solids to profile view | × | × | × | × |
| Free circular vertical curve, free parabolic vertical curve additional options | | × | × | × . |
| Unlock and change constraint types of vertical curves | | × | × | × |
| Extend fixed and floating profile entities | | × | × | × |
| Options to control how layout profile geometry is anchored | | × | V | V |
| CORRIDOR MODELING | | | | |
| Select the targets for a corridor from xrefs | × | × . | × | × |
| Extract corridor solids | × - | × | × | × |
| Check sight distance | × | × | × - | × |
| New design criteria files | × | × | × - | × |
| 3D areas for corridors reported in quantity takeoff report | | × | × | × |
| Retain existing corridor targets when replacing a sub-assembly | | × . | Image: A set of the set of the | × . |
| Corridor frequency options for curved portions of baselines and offsets | | × | Image: A set of the set of the | × . |
| Specify that sample lines are incremented | | × - | × . | × |
| Select alignments by layer to be used as width and targets | | | × | × - |
| Bring roundabouts into AutoCAD Civil 3D from Autodesk® InfraWorks® 360. | | | | × |
| Leverage the corridor for design of site features. | | | | × . |
| Model shapes at interior/exterior corners of a design. | | | | × |
| Extract corridor Feature Line workflow | | | | × |
| Automates the association of property data to corridor solids. | | | | × |



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| QUANTITY AND MATERIAL ANALYSIS | | | | |
| Assign pay items to pressure network parts in parts list | Image: A second s | Image: A set of the set of the | × | × - |
| Manage material list and materials for sample line groups | Image: A second s | × | × | × |
| SECTIONS & SECTION VIEWS | | | | |
| Create sections of projected AutoCAD solids | × | × | × - | × |
| Create sliced solids of pipe networks | | × | Image: A second s | × . |
| Control the direction of sections in section views | | | V | ~ |
| SUBASSEMBLY COMPOSER | | | | |
| Offset geometry | | × | × | × |
| View target parameters in preview | | × | × | × |
| Apply AOR setting available for applying superelevation or cant to link | | × | × | × |
| Input/Output parameter types for applying superelevation | | × | × | × |
| Cant tab for viewing cant effect on a rail subassembly | | × | × | × |
| Loop geometry support | | | V | V |
| PRESSURE NETWORKS | | | | |
| Create pressure networks from objects | × | × - | × - | × |
| Edit multiple pressure network parts in plan view by sliding or moving | × . | × . | Image: A set of the set of the | × . |
| Edit multiple pressure network parts in profile view by slope or elevation | × | × | × - | × |
| Use the 3D plane compass setting to rotate the compass plane | × | × | × - | × |
| Use the rotate grip to rotate pressure fittings and appurtenances (model) | × | × | × - | × |
| Add pressure networks to section views | × . | × | × | × . |
| Display crossing pipes in profile view | × . | × | Image: A set of the set of the | × . |
| Sort pressure network part list by size | V | × | × | × |
| Create AutoCAD solids from pressure pipe networks | | × | × | × |
| PIPE NETWORKS | | | | |
| Create AutoCAD solids from pipe networks | | × | × - | × . |
| Create exclusionary catchments | | | × . | × . |



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| ANNOTATION | | | | |
| Add pressure network pipe, fitting, and appurtenance tables | × . | × | × . | × |
| Staggering corridor point code labels | | × | v . | × |
| Object reference labels can be changed in the properties palette | | × . | | × |
| Control labeling reference text objects in the properties palette | | × | × | × |
| Crossing pipe and pressure pipe profile view labels | | | × | × |
| Pressure pipe labels in section views | | | × | × |

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