

# Publisher Add-On for NavisWorks

*“Publisher Add-On for NavisWorks enables users to automatically publish NavisWorks project files”*

## System requirements:

- Microsoft® Windows Vista® 32-bit (SP1), including Enterprise, Business, Ultimate, and Home Premium edition, or Microsoft® Windows® XP Home Edition, Professional Edition
- NavisWorks Review, Simulate or Manage 2010, 32 bit version
- AMD Athlon®, 3.0 GHz or faster or Intel® Pentium® 4, 3.0 GHz or faster (recommended)
- 512 MB RAM (2 GB or greater recommended)
- 800 MB free disk space for installation
- 128 MB, 1,024 x 768 VGA display with true color; 256 MB or greater, 1,280 x 1,024 monitor and 32-bit color video display adapter (true color) recommended
- Microsoft® Internet Explorer® 6.0, SP 1 (or later)
- Microsoft Mouse-compliant pointing device
- DVD drive (for installation only)



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You are project coordinator and on a regular basis you encounter the problem that the NavisWorks files that are available to the project team aren't up-to-date. In many cases one project member is made responsible to ensure NavisWorks models are updated several times a week, that naturally consumes a serious amount of time.

Publisher Add-On for NavisWorks enables you to automatically publish your CAD models to the familiar .nwd format. The Publisher Add-On is equipped with "AutoDetect" functionality that continuously monitors a designated project folder, to detect when a new or modified CAD model appears –and then publishes it automatically to a specified location.

If you prefer to publish on a given date or time, for instance at night, then the Publisher Add-On is the tool for you as well. Not only is the Publisher Add-On equipped with AutoDetect, it is also capable to publish on a specific time and date using "Scheduler" functionality. Using the scheduling keeps all systems and licenses of Autodesk NavisWorks available during work-times, and delays the publishing action to non-productive hours of the day.

The Publisher Add-On includes other functionality too;

- If you use NavisWorks properties during publishing, the Publisher Add-On will use these same properties as well. You can even set the properties for your NavisWorks models using the Publish Add-On tool, it is not necessary to activate NavisWorks for this.
- To use Publisher Add-On, NavisWorks must be installed on the system. Publisher Add-On uses the NavisWorks engine in the background, and you do not notice it running.
- Publisher Add-On is delivered with "AutoDetect" and "Scheduler", and no separate licensing is required.