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LISCAD Overview

LISCAD™ Surveying & Engineering Software is designed and developed by LISTECH, a company which has achieved worldwide recognition for software innovation and quality. LISTECH comprises a highly skilled team of qualified surveyors and engineers with extensive experience and knowledge in these industries.

As a Microsoft[®] Certified Partner, LISTECH has proven expertise in software development, in particular for the Windows[®] environment.



When deciding which surveying/engineering software will give you that added advantage, you need to select a system that is flexible and has power to perform.

LISCAD™ offers such capabilities including:

- Totally integrated modules which combine seamlessly to create an extremely powerful and yet easy to use software package. You may tailor the modules to meet your specific requirements.
- Many key advantages including proper support of full geodetic computations.

- Allowing you to form large digital terrain models, perform 3D transformations, transfer data to and from all popular data collectors, total stations and GPS receivers as well as to other surveying, engineering, CAD and GIS software systems.
- NEW powerful and intelligent design features giving you the capabilities you require whether you are building a dam, re-sheeting a road or designing a multi-lane freeway.
- An enviable reputation as a highly flexible and adaptable system.
- A worldwide distribution network with thousands of satisfied customers in over 100 countries.
- An internationally renowned responsive backup and support network.

These are a few of the many features that LISCAD™ has to offer. More detailed descriptions of the features and functions available in the system are contained in this product information booklet.



LISCAD Contents



"Harley Survey Group have used LISCAD since Version 1.0. The greatest strength of the program is that it speaks the surveyors language. The intuitive interface was already evident from the outset and it has gotten better from there. LISCAD has proven to be very easy to learn and can be used at -John DeSnoo, Harley Survey Group, Albany, WA different levels of know how."

> "Esperance surveys have used LISCAD from day one, day one being about 12 years ago. The ability to purchase by module means you only pay for the particular programs needed for each licence. We use the software from initial transfer of data to total station or GPS and right through the whole range of surveys undertaken including topographic, volumes, construction, cadastral (subdivision and strata) and all our drafting including road design and pre calculation plans. The software is continually updated to reflect new technology and data transfer formats. The telephone and email support is excellent."

-Greg Thomas, Esperance Surveys, WA

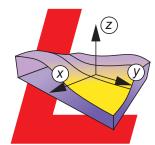
"I have used **LISCAD** for a number of years for all of our surveying needs. I have not found a product equal to LISCAD, let alone one that exceeds its capabilities"

Alex Epstein, Survey Supervisor, Trindad & Tobago

"No other Surveying program that I have encountered or heard about can create and operate in both the geodetic world of GPS and the plane world of conventional instruments."

- Robert Coutts, SkyBase Geomatic Solutions Inc Alberta, Canada

LISCAD Utilities

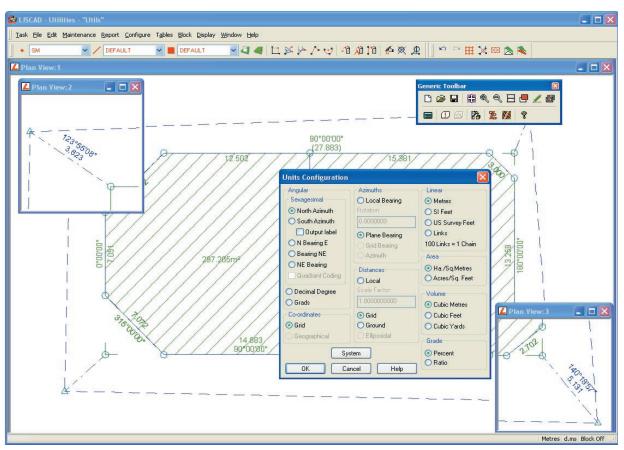


LISCAD Utilities

A Shining Light...

is the symbol of inspiration. LISCAD has many inspirational features.... all designed to improve your workstyle and productivity.

"Utilities" for configuring, organising and managing projects.



The benefits...

CONFIGURE YOUR SYSTEM...

to various international units of distance, angle, bearing, area, volume and map projection.

MULTIPLE DOCUMENT WINDOWS...

provides many different views into the database.

CREATE CUSTOM TOOLBARS...

that can be configured for multiple users and available at all times during data editing or examination.

CONFIGURE SYSTEM SETTINGS...

such as colours, symbols, line styles, polygon symbol or line hatching. They are easily set to your preference.

POWERFUL LISCAD BLOCK...

functionality to assist editing of localised regions.

Undo and Redo...

capability throughout the system

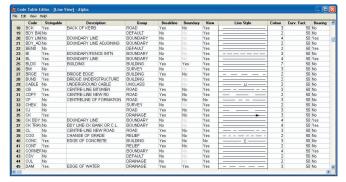
Compound File

The LISCAD database is an OLE compound file. To you, this means that instead of having to manage numerous files when copying or archiving a LISCAD project, a single file contains the entire data base.

Code Table Editor

Code Tables are the link between field productivity and the information you want to provide to your client. Attributes for features such as points, lines and polygons are quickly and easily assigned in the Code Table, which can be opened in either Form View, or Table View.



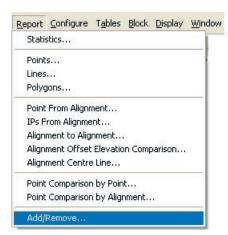


When opened in Table View the Code Table is presented in a spreadsheet format, allowing full editing, printing and export capabilities including XML.

Have as many Code Tables stored as you like, allowing different attributes to be allocated, depending on the type of survey undertaken, eg. cadastral, engineering or detail.

Reports

A statistical report is available for each project, plus comprehensive outputs for all element types, including points, lines, polygons and a variety of reports for



alignments. Point Comparison produces a positional comparison report between points in the same or different data bases. This feature is particularly useful for comparing design positions with as built positions. Points may be selected

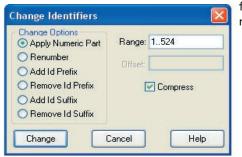
for comparison based on point identifier, or by radial and elevation search distances. LISCAD's XML support also allows you to create and customise reports to meet your specific requirements for content and presentation including HTML.

Toolbars

One of the many powerful features of LISCAD is the user definable Toolbars. You can create and edit Toolbars that are always active or that can be tailored to appear only when a particular window type is active. Each toolbar can float or be docked to the application frame.

Change Identifiers

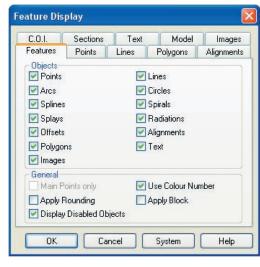
Changes the point identifiers in the currently open data base. Any point identifier duplication conflicts are reported as part of the process. The report may be saved



for future reference

Display Features

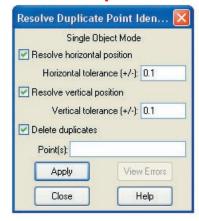
An essential tool to provide you with your desired view is the **Features** Display option. It is easy to control the information displayed in a project. Point, Line and Polygon attributes



controlled through the use of a tabbed dialog box, while the addition of a System button allows you to save a default configuration for new projects. You can even access Display Features while using other interactive dialog boxes - just press the shift key and right click the mouse in

the graphics window.

Resolve Duplicates



Allows the averaging of points with duplicate identifiers. The process optionally allows averaging for XY position and/or elevation. A new point is created at the average XY position and/or average elevation according to the options selected. Note that duplicate points with the same identifier can only be

created if the Configure/Point Identifiers dialog box is set for non unique identifiers. This command is only active if the data base is set for non unique identifiers.

Optimise Database

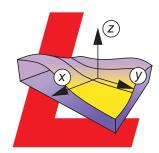
Optimises the data base to improve response times. Using this function can substantially improve the time taken to display the objects in the data base.

This function will have the most noticeable effect on large data bases.

Additional Features

Apart from those described above, the Utilities Task also contains these major features:

Filtering Points / Lines Merging Data Sets Extracting System Configuration Print / Printer Setup Plotting

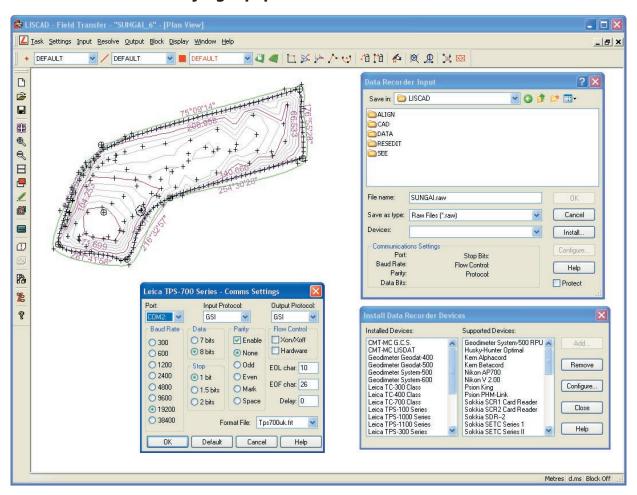


LISCAD Input/Output

Lost in the Translation?

... when trying to make systems talk to one another. LISCAD incorporates many translators ensuring that data collected in the field is conveyed to and from other systems.

"Input/Output" for transferring data to and from other systems and surveying equipment.



The benefits....

POWERFUL TWO-WAY DATA TRANSFER...

for nearly 60 different Data Recorders, including all well known brands.

LISCAD DATA CONVERSIONS SUPPORTS...

AutoCAD DWG & DXF, including AutoCAD 2004/2005, MicroStation DGN, Arc/Info, MX Moss, SKI GPS and many more import/export formats.

POWERFUL USER DEFINABLE TRANSLATOR...

for transferring ASCII data to and from LISCAD.

TRAVERSE ADJUSTMENTS...

by Bowditch, Transit or Crandall's methods.

WRITE YOUR OWN CONVERSION PROGRAMS...

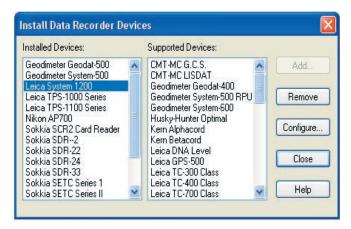
and execute them seamlessly inside LISCAD.

LISCAD IS ALSO XML EMPOWERED ...

allowing the import of any XML, LandXML format and export of XML, LandXML, HTML and ASCII text formats. XML support allows for customised reports and data exchange formats to be added by yourself or third parties at any time. LISCAD's powerful XML implementation truly opens the data exchange horizons.

Data Recorder Input / Output

With a wide range of supported Data Recorders, users of LISCAD have an extensive choice of field equipment, plus you can write your own specific data collector input / output reformat program that can run seamlessly within LISCAD.

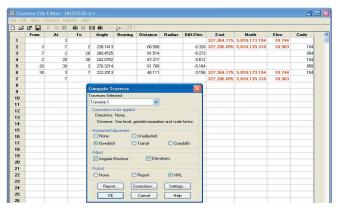


LISCAD's XML functionality means you can readily exchange data with the new generations of field sensors utilising XML exchange fomats.

While comprehensive coding facilities are available for all recorders, an enhanced range of Leica Operation Codes allows greater flexibility and speed in the field. A sets summary will compute a mean pointing from angle rounds, while an orientation can be computed from multiple reference stations.

To further automate the reduction process, support is available for the electronic digital level.

Design information can be automatically loaded into the data recorder for set out in the field, or a print out of radiations from nominated stations can be produced for manual set out.



Traverse Adjustment

Traverse information can be automatically extracted from the data recorder and easily processed using one of the standard adjustment techniques, Bowditch, Transit or Crandall's.

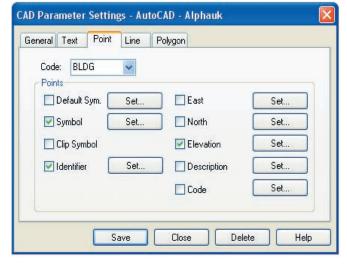
The traverse adjustment supports a traverse network and after adjustment, the resulting coordinates and elevations can be uploaded into the project data base and used to control the reduction of additional survey data. You can directly output your adjustment to XML, enabling you to tailor you own reports and export the traverse to other systems.

Manual Data Entry

For those who do not use total stations for all survey requirements, LISCAD provides an easy to use entry format for all standard manual entry methods.

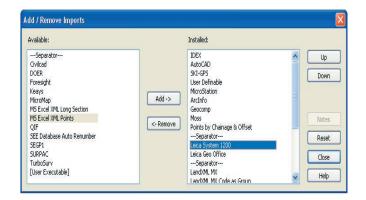
CAD Output

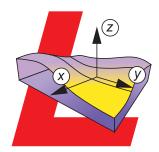
Once the processing is complete, it is important that a CAD file, containing all of the attributes specific to the project, can be easily generated. Comprehensive CAD output libraries cater for all work requirements, including tables, legends, grids, model and alignments, whether it is for AutoCAD, MicroStation or LISCAD CAD for Windows.



Data Conversions

LISCAD contains extensive reformatting capabilities, providing Import / Export options for SKI GPS, plus a wide range of systems, including AutoCAD, Microstation, MX and a host of other surveying / engineering applications. Also, import into your LISCAD project sectional data based on chainage, offset and elevation. For those specific packages that are not directly supported, LISCAD provides a powerful User Definable ASCII option, which can handle almost any format. LISCAD's powerful XML functionality provides support for LandXML, the land industry's standard exchange format. This means you can easily exchange data with any other system that supports a LandXML format. LISCAD truly opens the horizon to exchange data at even the detailed design level.



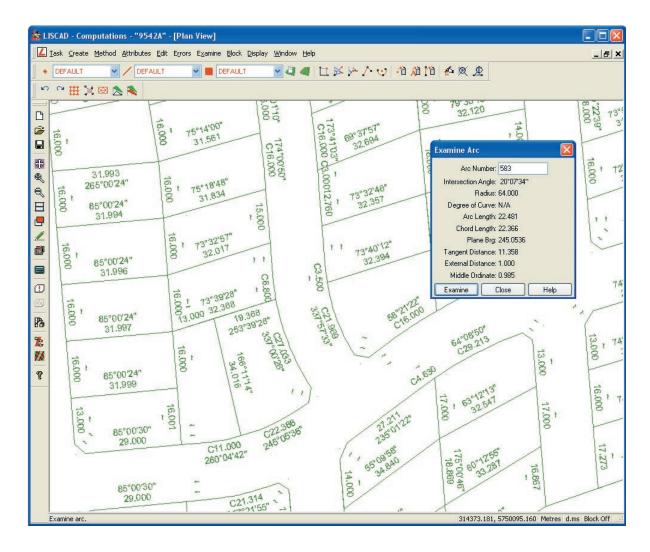


LISCAD Computations

It All Adds Up...

to a good investment when you get maximum use of your software. The powerful and flexible database and comprehensive application software of LISCAD ensures the best investment return.

"Computations" creates, edits and examines points, lines, splines, polygons, text and alignments.



The benefits....

POWERFUL GRAPHICAL INTERFACE...

allowing "See as you do" graphics for easy use.

TOPOLOGICAL DATABASE...

LISCAD's unique topological database design ensures the integrity of your data is always maintained. When editing an object, any other object related to it is automatically updated to maintain the relationships you have established.

AUTOMATICALLY ATTACH ATTRIBUTES...

symbols and line types to points, lines, polygons and alignments.

No software limitation...

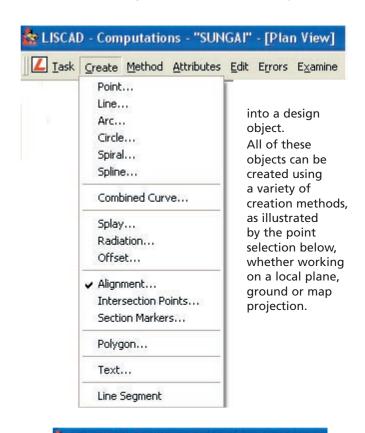
to the size of the 3D database for calculations and results.

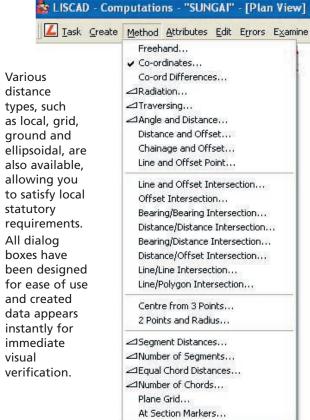
POWERFUL COMPUTATION OPTIONS...

for a variety of objects, including points, lines, circles, arcs, splines and spirals.

Creation Methods

The powerful Computations Task in LISCAD enables you to create a variety of object types, including points, lines, polygons, circles, arcs, splines and spirals. Complex objects are handled easily through the Combined Curve option, while the Create Alignment option can turn any lines

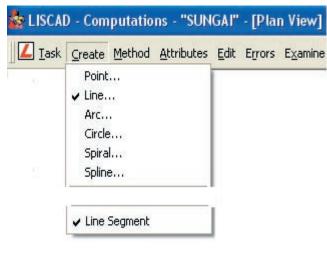




Create Line Segments

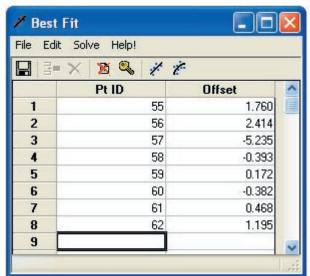
When creating lines, LISCAD is able to create either line strings or line segments.

Creating individual line segments is ideal when forming lot boundaries before creating polygons by element selection.



Best Fit - Line / Arc

The ability to create best-fit lines / arcs through a series of existing points is an ideal tool for the cadastral surveyor. This option enables you to create a line, or arc, that forms a least squares best fit through a set of specified points.



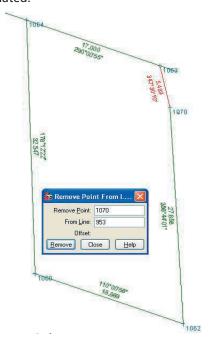
The specified points can be easily selected graphically, while points that the line or arc must pass through can be fixed. Following the computation, offsets from each point to the line or arc are displayed, allowing you to modify selection criteria and repeat the computation until satisfactory results are obtained. The computed line/ arc can then be saved in the project database.

Polygon Creation

LISCAD contains powerful options for creating / editing polygons. While polygons are traditionally used for cadastral lot calculations, they can also be utilised when mapping theme areas for GIS applications.



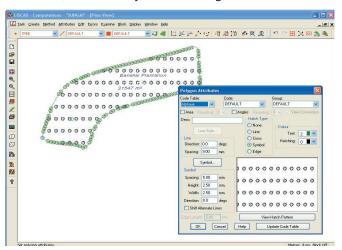
Once polygons have been created, they can be edited dynamically. When points are added, moved or deleted, the polygon dimensions and area are automatically updated.



The polygon areas are computed in accordance with the units that are currently set in the units configuration.

Polygon Attributes

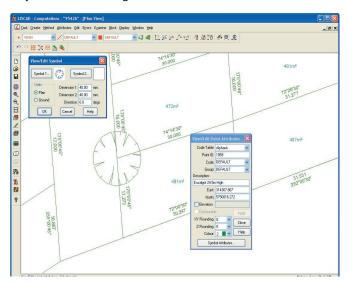
During creation, polygons can be easily enhanced with either line, crossed or symbol hatching.



While elements are computed with the attributes that are set before the computation, LISCAD contains powerful editing options that allow any individual element, or attribute to be edited at any time.

View / Edit

One mouse click is all it takes to examine all the attributes of a point, any one of which can be dynamically edited, with the results immediately displayed on screen. LISCAD now has enhanced editing capabilites to allow you to select multiple ranges of objects when editing.



If major changes are required to a whole range of points, then this can also be easily accommodated with LISCAD's powerful editing tools. Any number of elements can be edited, by either block, code, point range, description or group.

Objects can be moved by a variety of methods, rotated or rescaled. Elevations can be updated and any attribute modified.

Alignment Attributes

Chainage and Distance

✓ Key Point Tangent Label:
✓ Section Marker Symbols

Chainages: Upper left

Distances: Upper left

Description: Lower left

Tangent Labels: Lower left

System

Cancel

✓ Chainages

Distances

Text Positions

Start Chainage: 0,000

at Key Points

at Both

at Section Markers

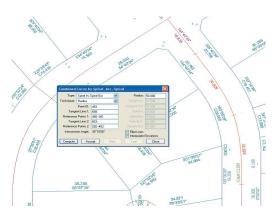
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Alignment:

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Combined Curves

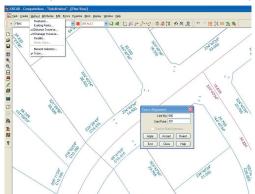
The creation of compound curves for road or engineering alignments is powerful, yet easy to perform in LISCAD



Combinations of arcs and spirals can be generated via one easy to use editor, which allows you to view the curves, and associated design parameters, before accepting the new design.

Alignment Creation

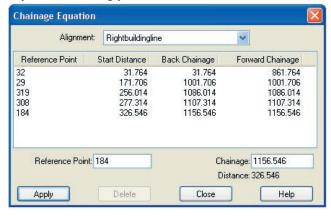
Any number of complex lines can be saved as an alignment, using one of several creation methods. Individual elements of an alignment can be edited, resulting in an automatic update of the alignment.



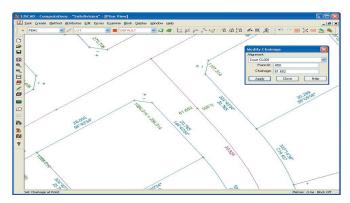
Through the Section Manager, relationships can be set up to establish Primary and Secondary Alignments

Alignment Editing

The chainage of any point can be edited, using the Chainage Equation dialog box, with all subsequent chainages along the alignment being automatically adjusted accordingly.



Alternatively, the entire chainage of an alignment can be changed to suit pre-existing conditions.



Section Markers

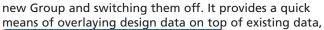
Section marker points may be optionally created and inserted into the alignment. Section Markers can be created at any location along primary alignments, to control the display of chainages and the locations for cross sections.

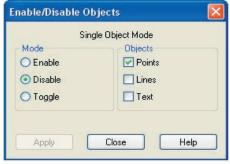
Alignment Attributes

While default attributes can be applied to each alignment, you control the amount and position of data displayed.

Enabling and Disabling Objects

Points, Lines and Text Objects can now be disabled. Disabling objects allows them to be ignored without deleting them or having to put them on a



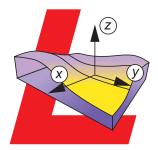


allowing an integrated design model to be generated without interfering with the original data.

Exchanges Axes

Swap the X, Y and Z axes with each other. Ideal for working with façade surveys where it is desirable to view a building from the front rather than from above.





LISCAD Adjustment

The Ultimate Control...

When accuracy is paramount, LISCAD provides the solution.

"Adjustment" calculates a rigorous least squares solution for your field survey observations.

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3	5003	1,033.784	1,033.380		DEFAUL	Т			
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5	5005	1,153.488	977.899		DEFAUL	T			
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6		5002	994003	222.4047	94.404	0.000	0.0010	0.005	0.005
7		5002	5001	69.2701	97.094	0.000	0.0010	0.005	0.005
8		5002	994007	90.2618	87.657	0.000	0.0010	0.005	0.005
9		5002	5003	140.0205	61.091	0.000	0.0010	0.005	0.005
10		5002	5004	174.2951	77.927	0.000	0.0010	0.005	0.005
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12		994005	5007	23.5555	105.457	0.000	0.0010	0.006	0.005
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STN30	327303.305	5810178.514	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.002	20°15'51"

The benefits....

FULLY SUPPORTING BOTH...

horizontal and vertical adjustments.

AUTOMATIC EXTRACTION FROM DATA COLLECTOR...

for fast, accurate retrieval of observations to be adjusted.

MODIFY THE STANDARD DEVIATIONS...

by entering the centering and target errors.

COMPREHENSIVE REPORTING...

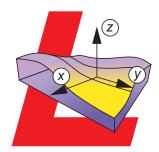
of all major adjustment processes.

AUTOMATICALLY UPDATES...

adjusted points into project database

IMPORT AND EXPORT XML...

data easily into the least squares adjustment editor.

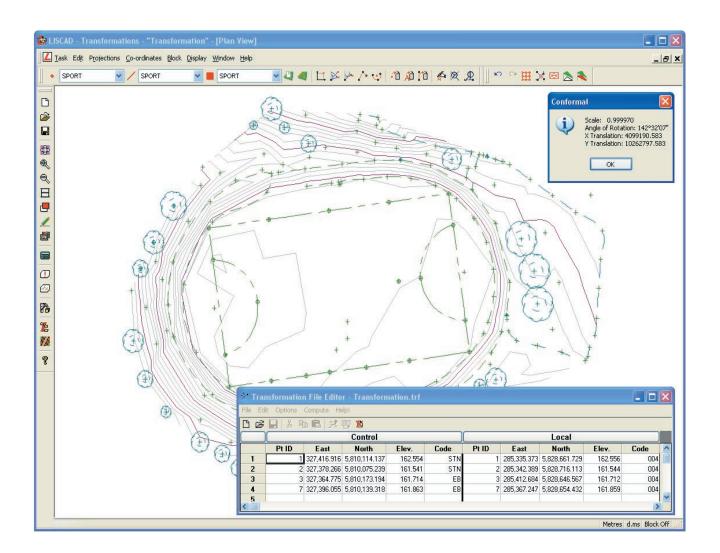


LISCAD Transformations

Where in the World is your Data?

LISCAD provides the easy answer when performing coordinate transformations on your projects.

"Transformations" performs least squares transformations and also transforms between projections.



The benefits...

TRANSFORM BETWEEN ANY DIFFERENT PROJECTION...

using a variety of transformation techniques such as Bursa-Wolf, Molodensky-Badakas, 3 Parameter Shift and Grid File.

FULL REPORTING...

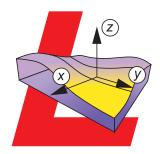
of all transformation parameters.

LEAST SQUARES TRANSFORMATION...

by Conformal, Semi-Affine, Affine or Unscaled methods.

INDEPENDENT WEIGHTING...

of coordinate pairs.

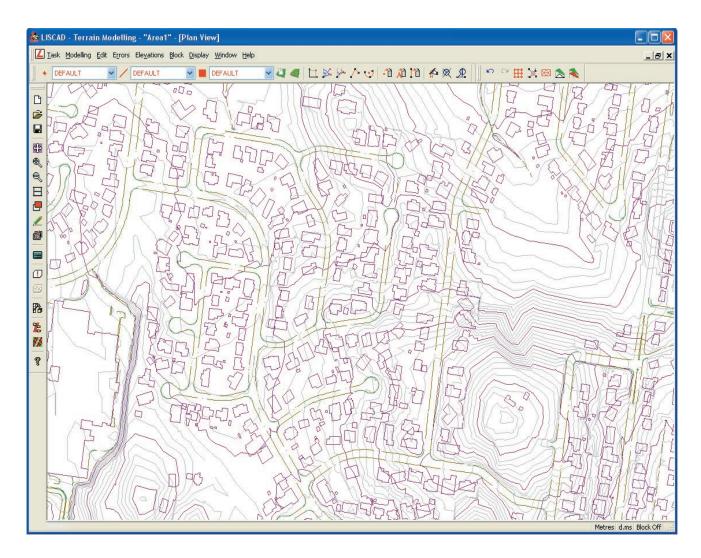


LISCAD Modelling

Want to Move Mountains?...

Then you need Capacity and Power. LISCAD provides both!

"Modelling" computes unlimited size Digital Terrain Models and displays contours.



The benefits...

MAXIMUM SPEED AND FLEXIBLE PROCESSING...

due to modelling method and database design.

NO SOFTWARE LIMITATION...

to the number of points to be modelled.

CUSTOMISE THE MODEL...

using powerful editing tools, including user definable positioning of contour labels

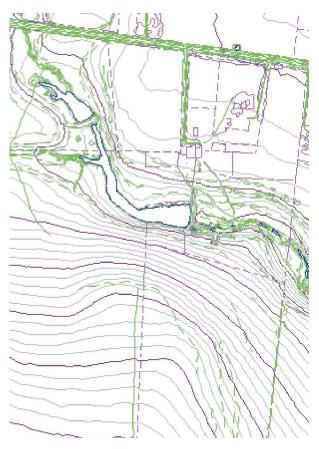
EXTENSIVE CONTROL ...

over the points to be included in the model creation.

LISCAD Modelling

Model Options

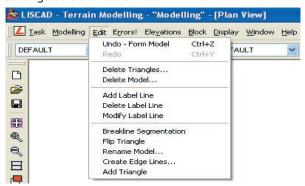
One of the outstanding features of LISCAD is its ability to model virtually unlimited sized data sets quickly and accurately. While a Validation option will check for duplicate elevations, crossing breaklines and unclosed boundaries, the user can form the model without validation.



The limits of a model can be controlled by model boundaries, either nominated in the field via a code, or placed later in the office. Model limits may also be imposed by the Block option, while the modelling of individual surfaces can be controlled by turning on / off different Groups (Layers). Multiple models can be held in each project.

Model Editing

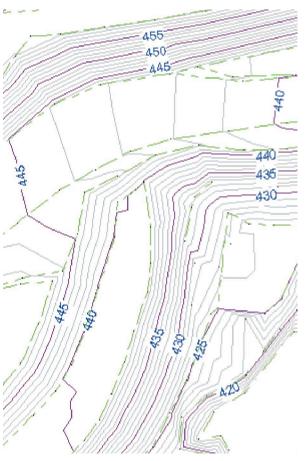
Once the model has been created there are various editing tools available.



Triangles can be added to your DTM by specifying a new base line and apex. You can also detele triangles individually, or by Block, or the entire model can be deleted. Other useful editing commands such as Flip Triangle and Create Edge line increase the power you have when editing your DTM's in LISCAD.

Label Lines

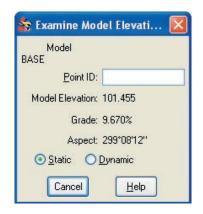
By default the system can place labels at the end of each major contour, however the user can specify graphically where additional labels are to be placed.



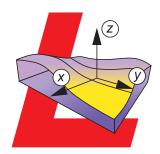
These label lines can be easily moved or deleted.

Examining Models

Elevations in the digital terrain model can be examined, and you can also view triangle aspect and slope.



2D design projects can be laid over a model and elevations interpolated onto each design point via Block-Interpolation. This is an ideal application for cadastral and engineering design.

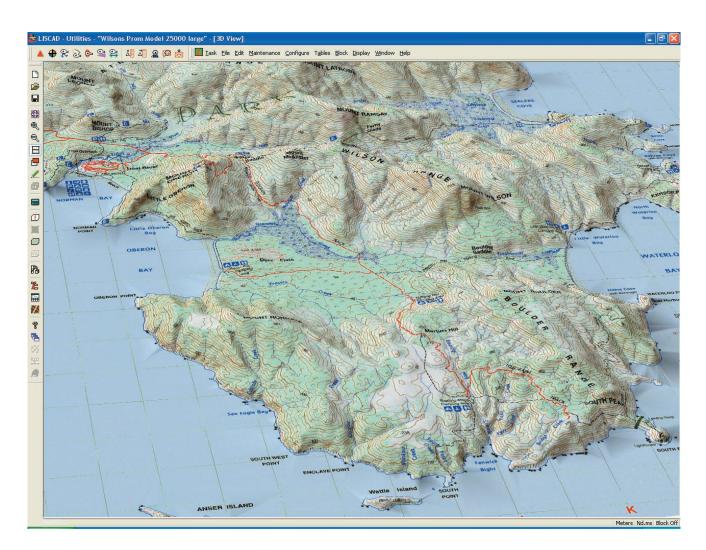


LISCAD 3D Visualisation

See Things In A New Way...

with LISCAD's 3D Visualisation module.

LISCAD's 3D Visualisation allows you to view a project in three dimensions.



The benefits...

Maximise Your Performance...

by configuring the system to get the best performance from your hardware and software.

Easily Navigate...

your way around the model with a choice of five different cameras.

Flexible Display Configuration...

allows you to control what and how objects are displayed.

Drape Images...

over the 3D model when used in conjuction with the Background Images module.



3D Navigation

LISCAD's 3D Visualisation module allows you to create a realistic 3D view of your LISCAD project. With the choice of Walk, Fly, Orbit, Zoom and Pan camera's, navigating your way around the model has never been easier. Plan Fit, Fit and Window functions allow you to orient the view and easily focus in on your area of interest.

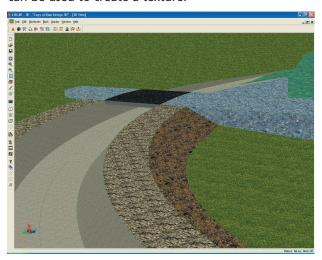


Optimise the performance of your installed hardware and software by configuring the 3D Visualisation module to use either OpenGL, Direct3D or WinGDi as your graphics driver. This will ensure the best balance between speed and quality when rendering models.



Enhance Your 3D Model

Models can be coloured, textured or have Background Images draped over them and triangles can be easily coloured or textured to give a realistic representation of the model. Texture images are usually small rectangular images that can be tiled seamlessly over the model. A wide range of common image formats can be used to create a texture.

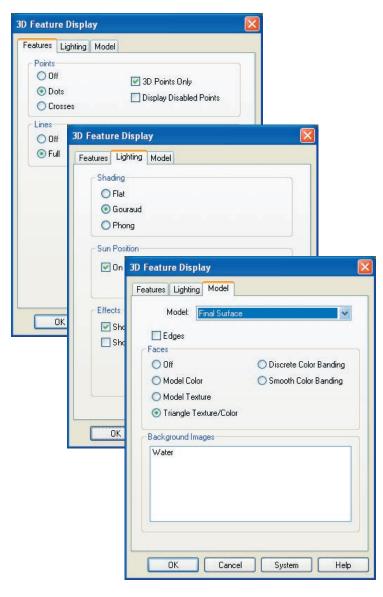


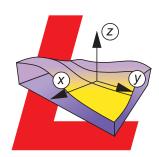
On surfaces that are not particularly undulating, the Vertical Exaggeration can be set to "stretch" the view in the vertical axis.



Flexible Display Options

Complete control over what objects are displayed including how the surface is smoothed, lighting effects, sun position, fog and shadow is yours with the 3D Visualisation module. You can also view multiple 3D models at the same time.





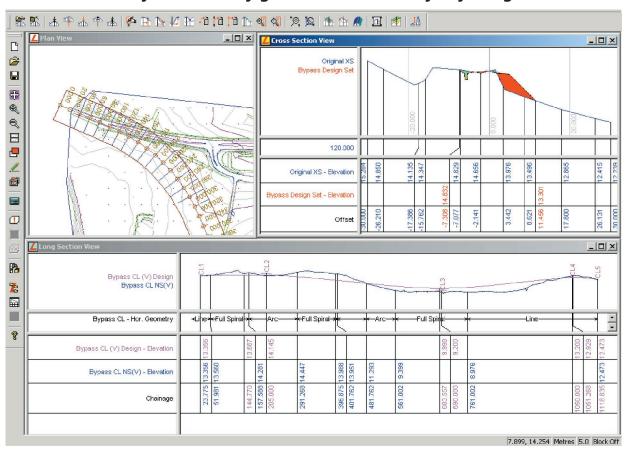
LISCAD Profiles and Design

Present a High Profile....

with the powerful and flexible Profiles and Design module. This module provides the LISCAD user with a fully integrated Surveying and Engineering Software solution.

"Profiles" creates and edits long and cross sectional data and computes end area volumes.

"Design" incorporates an impressive new condition based system for easy generation of virtually any design.



The benefits....

POWERFUL AND FLEXIBLE...

section generation methodology, including tunnel sections.

STRONG EDITING FUNCTIONALITY...

for points and lines, section intersections and dynamic updating of multiple views.

LISCAD SECTION MANAGER...

provides an "Explorer" like facility to control alignments and sections.

INTELLIGENT SURFACE TO SURFACE...

interaction to create end area volumes from cross sections

STRONG USER CONTROL...

over the presentation of long and cross sections to other CAD systems.

TEMPLATE AND STRING DESIGN...

methods for maximum power and flexibility. You can also create customised template libraries.

SEE AS YOU DO...

graphical template display verifies required design will be achieved.

TEMPLATES ARE GENERIC ...

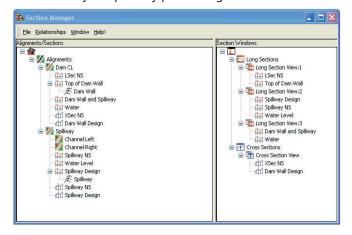
and can be quickly applied to other projects.

EASILY APPLY MODIFICATIONS...

such as road widening and super-elevation

Section Manager

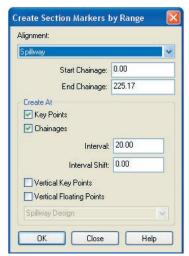
The Section Manager provides a view into the LISCAD sectional database. It controls and displays the relationships between alignments, sections and long and cross section windows, in an "Explorer" type format. Primary and secondary alignment relationships can be established through the Section Manager. Secondary alignments are created by attaching them to a primary alignment. Chainages of secondary alignments are then controlled by the primary parent alignment.



Section Markers

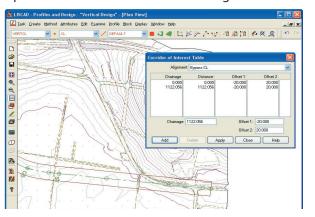
Section marker objects can be attached to primary alignments to control the location of cross sections.

Section markers can be created at any chainage, by freehand, or to pass through points in the database.



Corridors of Interest

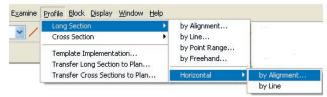
The corridor of interest gives you the ability to control the extent of the cross section generation. Corridors of interest can be created by either freehand or by setting up a table of offsets at defined chainages.



Long and Cross Section Creation

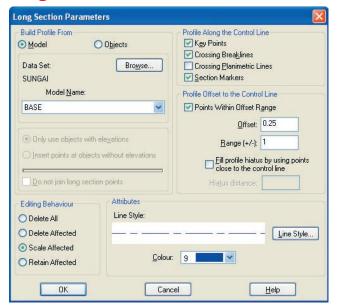
Long sections can be created along the following control-lines:

- · Primary and Secondary alignments;
- Line objects;
- Point ranges;
- Two points.

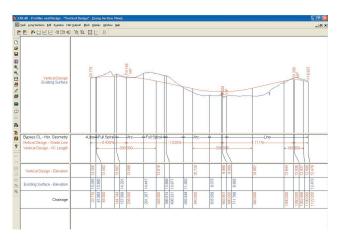


Both long and cross sections can be created from digital terrain models, or from either the current or an external data set. They can also be created from objects with elevations. You can select the type of objects to use, which also includes the ability to generate sections from points close to, or parallel to, the control line.

Long Sections



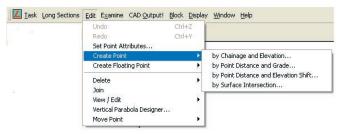
Long section windows are presented as splitter windows consisting of six panes. The six panes control particular aspects of the graphical view and labelling of the long sections. You can control the size of each of these panes.



Editing Long Sections

Within a long section, you have the ability to:

- · Edit the attributes of point and line objects;
- · Create new points by a variety of techniques;
- Delete points and line segments;
- Join points;
- Create and edit floating points;
- Examine object attributes.

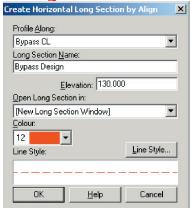


When editing or moving long sections (and also cross sections), LISCAD's Editing behaviour allows you to control their behaviour when such changes are made to them

Create a user defined report along a nominated length of a long section at all key points or the currently displayed drop lines.

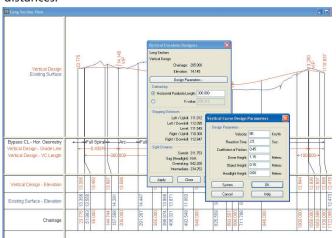
Create Horizontal Long Sections

Vertical long section design is easily achieved by creating a horizontal long section at a nominated elevation. The resulting long section will consist of two points, one at each end of the alignment. The long section can then be edited, allowing you to create your desired vertical design.



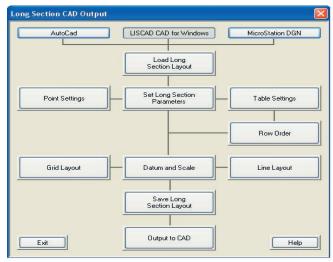
Vertical Parabola Designer

Vertical Parabolas of a nominated horizontal length are easily created by selecting the vertical intersection point. You can then enter the design parameters for the vertical curve and receive feedback on sight and stopping distances.



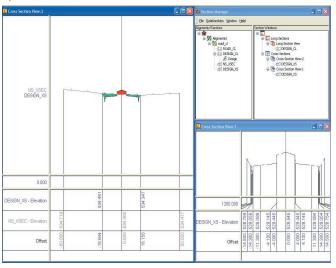
Output to CAD

CAD files can be created for LISCAD CAD, AutoCAD and MicroStation. You are given a high degree of flexibility to cover the multitude of formats for your organisation's requirements.



Cross Sections

Cross section windows provide a view into a set of cross sections. This gives you the ability to step through the cross sections along an alignment or go directly to a specific cross section.



Create a user defined report of each cross section along a nominated length of the cross section set at all key points or the currently displayed drop lines.

Editing Cross Sections

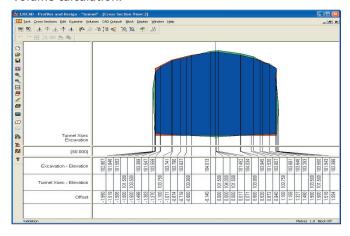
The editing capability is similar to that of long sections with the additional ability to intersect cross sections.

Volumes

Volumes by end area can be computed by nominating two cross section sets.

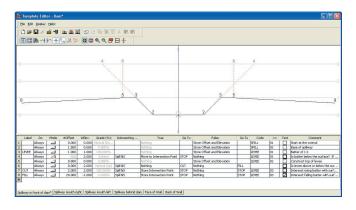


End areas can be defined by a set of rules used to control the intersecting extents of the two cross sections. End areas are computed based upon the end areas derived from the cross section intersection rules. Volumes can also be calculated for closed sections, ie. tunnels and boxing. Bulking and compaction factors can be applied in the volume calculation.



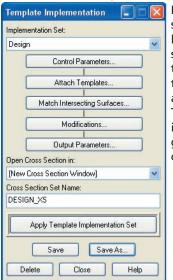
Template Editor

Create libraries of design templates for use with different data sets. Extremely powerful and intelligent design system that displays the templates in both tabular and graphical form so you can see exactly what you have designed. LISCAD design templates are generic and can be applied to any number of different data sets.

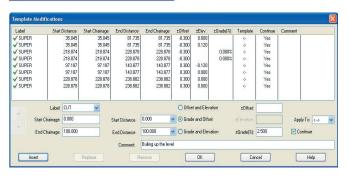


Template Implementation

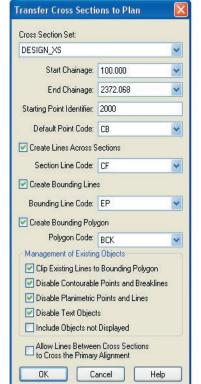
A Template Implementation Set controls how templates are applied to a long section or cross section set, to create a set of design cross sections.



Match the template surfaces with alignment, long section and cross sections in the data set. Set the modifications to the templates to be applied at nominated chainages. Then apply the template implementation set to generate a cross section set of the design.

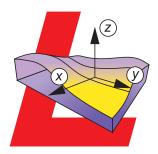


Unlike the Templates, which are generic and can be used by any Template Implementation Set, the Template Implementation Set is specific to the current data set and is stored inside the project data base.



Transfer Sections into Plan

Create a set of design cross sections. You can then transfer them into plan, complete with stringing between the sections and at the limit of the design, as well as automatically disabling the existing data within the design area, ready to generate an integrated design model. Transfer the elevations along a long section and then use the existing plan objects to dynamically update the model. This is extremely useful when numerous different designs are being tried and tested.

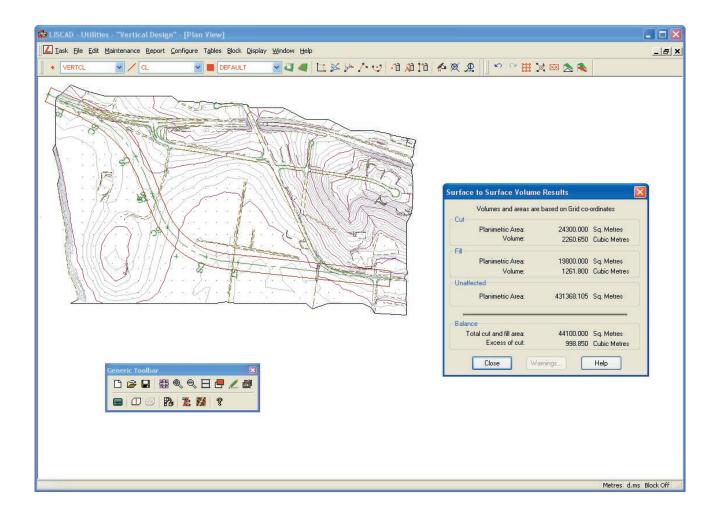


LISCAD Volumes

How Much Material is Left?

The answer is easy with the LISCAD Volume module.

"Volumes" calculates volumes between any surfaces, auto generates surface intersections and common boundaries, and creates height difference models.



The benefits...

VOLUMES TO A BASE PLANE...

computes the volume between the current model and a nominated datum elevation.

DAM CAPACITIES OR PROGRESSIVE PAYMENTS...

are easily calculated by using LISCAD's progressive base plane volumes.

SURFACE TO SURFACE VOLUMES...

with additional ability to:

Save No Cut/No Fill lines.

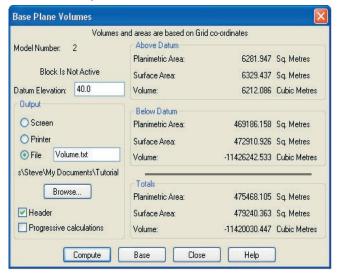
Save Common Boundary lines.

Create third model of height differences.

LISCAD Volumes

Base Volumes

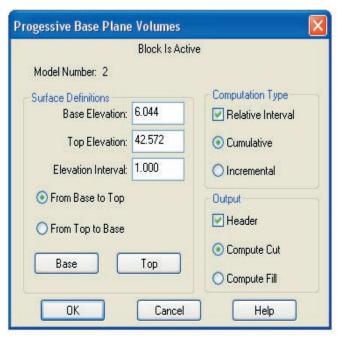
Volumes to a plane enable you to quickly and easily compute volumes above and below a given datum elevation. Output to a user specified accuracy is available to the screen, printer or file.



Many surfaces can be computed for each project, with the currently displayed model being used in the calculation. Calculations on part of a surface can be achieved using the Block option.

Progressive Base Plane Volumes

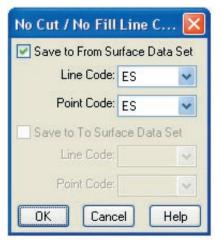
Compute volumes between base planes at nominated elevation intervals. Ideal for progressive dam and stockpile volumes.



Surface to Surface Volumes

For greater flexibility in mining and civil construction projects, it is generally necessary to compare two surfaces, calculate lines of intersection, plus areas of overlap.

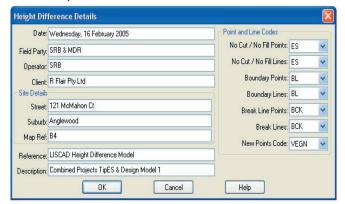
The LISCAD Volume module handles this easily and accurately, even when the two models are from different data sets.



The new points and lines, defining the no cut / fill lines can be added to either, or both, data sets and on a user specified group for later output to a total station, or CAD system.

Height Difference Model

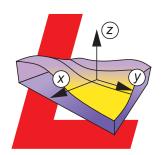
Where height differences are required for evaluation, or set out, on design projects, the LISCAD Volumes module can automatically create a new project which contains all lines of intersection and boundary overlap, plus breakline and DTM points.



The elevations generated in this new data set are the actual differences in height between the two selected models.

A digital terrain model can be created from this new surface, providing height difference contours, which can be colour coded to readily illustrate areas above and below design.

Any of the new points can be uploaded into a total station and used in the field to control earthworks.

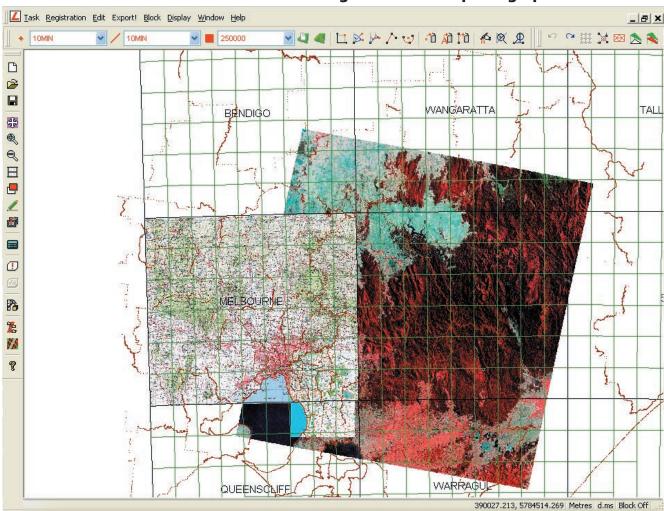


LISCAD Background Images

LISCAD presents a transformed image...

With the new Background Images module you can view your maps, plans and photographic imagery as a backdrop to your vector data.

"Background Images" can be used to digitize information or utilized as a location guide for aerial photographs.



The benefits...

FULLY SUPPORTS...

most image file types including bmp, jpg, tif and png, as well as

MRSID, ECW AND GEOTIFF IMAGES

No Software Limitation...

to the size or number of images used.

NUMEROUS IMAGES...

can be displayed at any one time.

POWERFUL AND SIMPLE...

registration makes it easy to import the images into LISCAD's coordinate system utilizing one of the four image transformation types available.

CONTROL THE ORDER...

in which the images are displayed

ON SCREEN DIGITIZING...

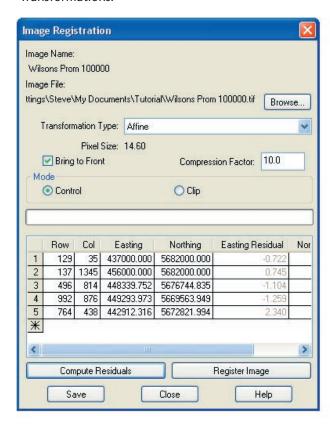
can be achieved using the images in conjunction with the Computations module.

Background Image Registration

Before an image can be used in the background it must be registered with the coordinate system used by the SEE file.

Registration (georeferencing the image) requires control pixels in the raster image to be assigned co-ordinates that accord with the map datum being used.

Four image transformation techniques are available including Conformal and Affine as well as 2nd and 3rd Order Polynomial Transformations.



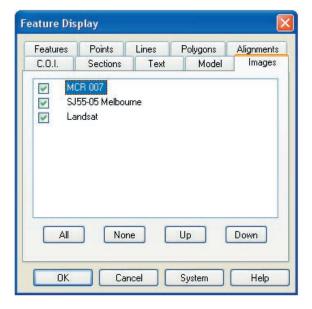
The original raster image is transformed to fit the map datum and the transformed image can then be displayed in the background that registers with the overlying data. If you are working with a MrSID, ECW or GeoTIFF image, the images, along with their georeferenced information are imported ready for transformation.

Checking of Images

Once an image has been registered, the transformed image is copied into the SEE data file. Registration can be checked at any time against the original image file. This also allows for changes to the images size and location to be achieved.

Display and Use of Images

The images are controlled by using Display Features. When multiple images are being displayed concurrently, some images may overlap others and this can be managed by turning them on and off as well as setting the display order.



From here it is simple using LISCAD's existing computational functionality to digitize information directly from the imagery or check existing co-ordinates in the data file against the image.

Deleting and Renaming Images

Images in the LISCAD data file can be easily renamed.



The ability to delete single and multiple images from the file is also available.

Exporting of Images

Images transformed into the LISCAD database can then be exported to most image file types for importing into other systems

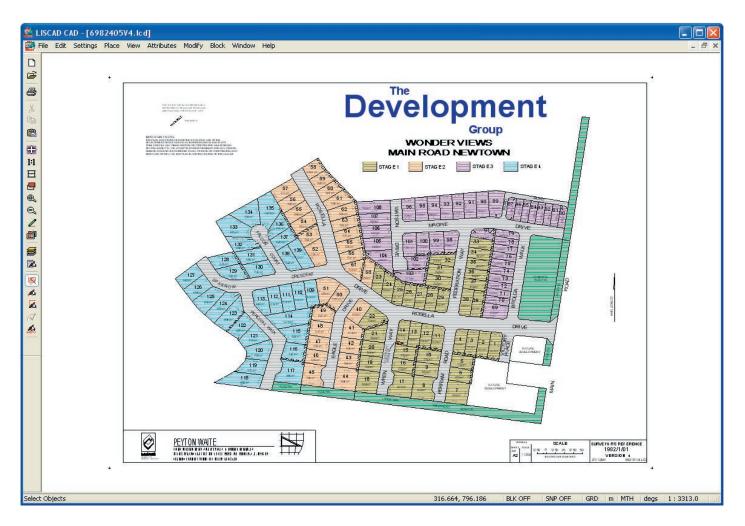


LISCAD CAD

Productivity in Plan Production....

The Windows CAD package designed for Field to Finish Productivity

"CAD" creates, annotates, moves, rotates and plots to generate final plans.



The benefits...

"SEE AS YOU DO"...

graphics for easy use.

DYNAMIC AND GRAPHICAL...

editing of attributes, symbols, line types, polygons and text.

VIEW MULTIPLE WINDOWS...

supporting various scales, for immediate access to any part of the drawing.

STRONG IMPORT / EXPORT...

for DWG & DXF (including AutoCAD 2004/2005) and DGN formats.

SUPPORT FOR WINDOWS TRUE TYPE FONTS...

for more flexibility in your plan production

CONTEXT SENSITIVE HELP...

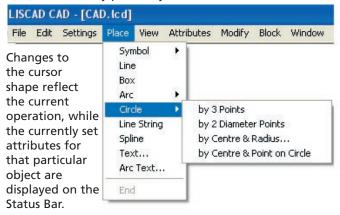
for improved productivity.

LISCAD CAD

Place Objects

LISCAD CAD is a fully functional CAD package, designed for surveyors and engineers, running under the Windows operating system.

Various object types, such as Symbols, Lines, Circles and Text, can be easily placed by different creation methods,



Object Attributes

Comprehensive ranges of attributes, including layer, colour, size, line width and direction are assigned to the object when imported.



However any individual attribute can be changed, either for a single object, a selection of objects, or all objects. When placing objects in CAD, the associated attributes can be set prior to creation, or edited at a later date.

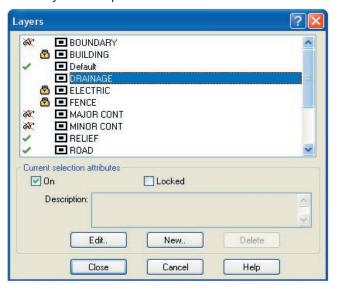
Print / Plot

You are able to output drawings to the plotter or printer currently configured in your Windows settings. To plot a drawing you place sheets that define the plotting area of the drawing.

Variables that determine the plotting area of a sheet are set when setting the plot scale, when configuring the plotter or printer and when placing a plot sheet. Plot Sheets are able to be placed over the drawing, moved and rotated, and their display toggled off and on.

Layers

LISCAD CAD supports a virtually unlimited number of layers, each of which can be created, edited, displayed or locked by a View option.



Each layer can be allocated a Description for ease of identification, while icons alert you to the current status of each layer.

A locked layer can be viewed but is protected from accidental editing.

Toolbar

A dockable Toolbar, fully configurable by you, is available in CAD.

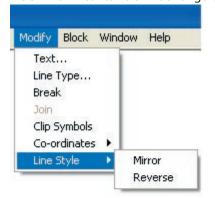
Most CAD menu options can be added to the



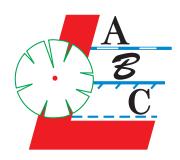
Toolbar, which can be placed on any side of the screen, or left to float free on the CAD desk top.

Modify Objects

LISCAD CAD contains a wide range of options for



modifying objects, including the ability to change text, break or join line strings, convert splines to line strings and reverse, or clip lines, move coordinates and modify line styles.

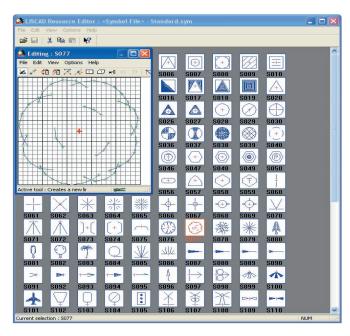


LISCAD Resource Editor

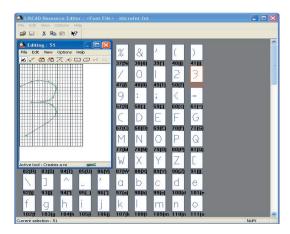
The Ultimate in Personalised Software

The utility program for creating tailored solutions

"Resource Editor" creates and edits symbols, line styles and fonts



Font Editor



The benefits...

EASILY CREATE USER DESIGNED ...

Symbols, Line Styles and Fonts to suit individual users.

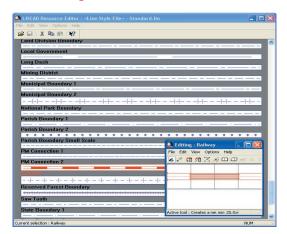
EDITING MADE EASY...

with the ability to place or paste symbols into line-styles.

GRAPHICAL EDITOR ...

that's functional and easy to use

Line Style Editor

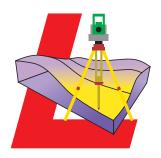


FLEXIBLE CONTROL...

offered with powerful editing tools

COMPREHENSIVE LIBRARIES...

issued as system defaults.



LISCAD Lite

Low Cost Entry...

LISCAD has an abbreviated version, LISCAD Lite.

LISCAD Lite for field data transfer, editing, viewing and transfer to/from other systems.

The benefits....

A wide range of data collectors supported.

Powerful screen HANDLING ICONS provide ease of use for graphical examination and editing of data.

LISCAD Lite provides a low cost field data processing and output solution. The user interface is identical to the full LISCAD Surveying and Engineering Software suite, ensuring the same ease of use and productivity features. If you have a variety of field instruments, you can use LISCAD Lite for all processing. A variety of total station formats and SKI GPS data can be imported into the LISCAD Lite. Configure LISCAD Lite to a system that works best for you. Working unit types, colours for presentation and plans, Grid coordinates and rounding of dimensions are just some of the selections.

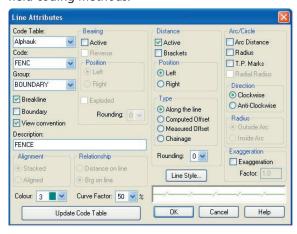
Code Tables

Code Tables are the link between field productivity and the information you want to present to your client. Features such as points, lines and splines are coded to represent your specific requirements.

You nominate the symbols, line types, size and colours



in the code table. Have as many code tables stored as you like, then you can automate data for your different project requirements. The amount of editing required on your CAD drawing will be minimised by well-organised field coding methods.



User DEFINED LIBRARIES for streamlined output to LISCAD CAD, DGN, DXF & DWG.

FLEXIBLE USER DEFINABLE ASCII formats for import and export.

UPGRADEABLE to the powerful LISCAD

Create

Points, lines, splines, circles and arcs can be created by various methods. You can also add additional information not gathered in your data collector.

Examine

This option provides information about points, lines and geometric relationships

Examining the attribute information of a point or line is an important aspect of the examine function. Positioning of bearing and distance information in relation to a line, or the colour used to draw a point's symbol, are just two examples of the attribute information that can be examined and, of course, edited.

Edit



Any created feature, or attribute attached to the feature with a variety of options can be edited graphically. Any related detail associated with a feature

(such as the rounding off of a distance attached to a line) can also be edited. As with

most functionality in LISCAD Lite, editing is Group (layer) or Block sensitive.

Data Conversions

LISCAD Lite provides the functionality to import data from a variety of systems, including DXF or DGN, providing the ideal tool for transferring CAD design into the total station for field set out. Once data has been collected, the appropriate information can be output to either CAD or other systems for further processing.

LISCAD Lite now operates with standard LISCAD data-files and can be used as a viewer for all LISCAD objects including Long and Cross Sections.

LISCAD

Functionality Summary

UTILITIES

- File Management*
- Printing / Plotting*
- Edit Undo/Redo*
- Merging Files
- Extracting Files • Change Point Identifiers
- Resolve Duplicate Points
- Filter Points
- Filter Lines
- Optimise Data Base*
- Clean Data Base*
- Integrity Check*
- Statistics Report*
- Point Report
- Line Report
- Polygon Report
- Tailored Rich Text and HTML Reports
- Alignment Point Report
- Alignment Intersection Point Report
- Alignment to Alignment Report
- Alignment Centre Line Report
- Point Comparison Report by Points
- Point Comparison Report by
- Configure Units*, Co-ordinates*, Distances*, Angles*, Areas*, Volumes, Alignments*, Colours*, Toolbars*, Status Bar*, Folders*, Code Tables*, Point Identifiers*, Projections, Earth-Constants*, Fonts*, Text Editor*, Language* & Auto Backup*.
- Code Tables New & Open (*Form view only)
- Code Table XML Export
- Lookup Tables New & Open*
- Block Freehand*, Polygon & All
- Display Features*
- Display Groups*
- Fit, Zoom In & Out, Window, Pan, Redraw, Save View, Restore View &-Last View³
- Reverse Polish Notation Calculator*
- New Plan, Long Section & Cross-Section Windows*
- Cascade, Tile and Arrange Icons*
- Section Manager*
- Help*

INPUT / OUTPUT

Field Transfer

- Instrument Settings*
- Code Definition*
- Tolerances*
- Data Recorder Input*
- Manual Input
- · Slope Distance*, Horizontal Distance, Stadia, Resection & Intersection
- Create Field File*
- Sets Summary
- Reduce Field File*
- Process Digital Level*
- Traverse Adjustment
- Traverse File Editor Traverse File Management **Extract Field File Observations**
- Traverse Adjustment (Continued)
 - --> Move

Print

Save Lavout

Editing Observations - Insert, Delete, Clear, Cut Copy & Paste

New Traverse Delete Traverse

Move / Copy Traverse

Traverse Properties

Retrieve Co-ordinates

Set Arc

View - Angles, Arcs, Elevations, Coordinates, Codes & Descriptions

Auto Number

Set Radiation

Compute Traverse by Bowditch, Transit-& Crandall's

Report or XML Output **Compute Missing Parts Update Co-ordinates**

- Edit Raw File*
- Edit Field File*
- Data Recorder Output*
- Manual Setout*

Data Conversions

- Import* 35+ (19*) methods
- Export* 35+ (15*) methods

CAD Output

- CAD Parameter Files -New, Open & Default*
- CAD System LISCAD CAD, AutoCad DWG & DXF, Microstation
- Code Settings*
- Tables Co-ordinate, Radiation, Arc & Short Line
- Legend Settings
- Grid Settings
- Model Settings
- Alianment Settings
- CAD Output Options*
- Warnings View & Print

ADJUSTMENT

- Least Squares Control File Editor
- Adjustment File Management
- Extract Field File Observations
- Import XML
- Print
- Save Layout
- Editing Observations Insert, Delete, Clear, Cut, Copy & Paste
- Exclude Observations
- Set Reference Direction
- Set Bearing
- Retrieve Co-ordinates
- Modify Standard Deviations
- Display Elevation Observations
- Display Angle Observations
- Automatically Generate Identifiers
- Automatically Generate Standard Deviations
- View Station Control Window
- View Observation Window
- Horizontal Observation Corrections
- Compute Approximate Horizontal Co-ordinates & Elevations
- Check Horizontal & Vertical Observations
- Horizontal & Vertical Least Squares Adjustment (ASCII report or XML output)
- Update Co-ordinates

- Compute Approximate Elevations
- Check Vertical Observations
- Vertical Least Squares Adjustment
- Update Elevations

COMPUTATIONS

- Create Point 28 (6*) methods
- Create Line 14 (1*) method(s)
- Create Arc 11 (1*) method(s)
- Create Circle 5 (1*) method(s)
- Create Spiral 4 methods • Create Spline - 8 (1*) method(s)
- Create Combined Curve 8 methods
- Create Splay 3 methods
- Create Radiation 2 methods
- Create Offset 5 methods
- Create Alignment 8 methods
- Create Section Markers 3 methods
- Create Polygon 3 methods
- Create Intersection Points
- Create Text
- Line Segmentation
- Set Attributes for Points*, Lines*, Polygons, Alignments, Section Markers & Text
- Adopt Attributes of Points Lines Polygons & Text
- Delete Objects (* Points & Lines)
- Undelete Objects
- Enable / Disable Objects
- Move / Rotate* / Scale
- Exchange Axes*
- Point on Line
- Bets Fit Line & Arc
- Reverse Alignment
- Modify Alignment Chainage • Trace Alignment
- Break Alignment
- Remove Line from Alignment
- Join Alignments
- Add Line to Alignment
- Edit Alignment Chainage Equations
- Spline to Line
- Line to Spline • Text to Point
- Edit Object Attributes (*Points-&-Lines)
- View / Edit Objects (*Points) Edit Point Identifiers
- Edit Elevations
- Remove Flevations
- Break Line
- Seament Line
- Join Line
- Insert Point into Line
- Remove Point from Line
- Examine Object Attributes (*Points & Lines), Co-ordinates, Co-ordinate Differences, Bearing & Distance*, Offsets*, Angles, Arcs, Spirals & Grades
- Find Objects
- Find Frrors
- Validate Alignments

TRANSFORMATIONS

Projections

 Manage and Apply transformations between projections using 5 different transformation techniques

Coordinates

Define, View and Apply using Conformal, Semi-Affine, Affine, Unscaled, 3D-Conformal & 3D-

TERRAIN MODELLING

Validate Data

Unscaled

- Form Model • Delete Triangles
- Delete Model Add. Delete & Modify Label Lines
- Breakline Segmentation

- Interpolate Elevations
- Examine Elevations

VOLUMES

- Base Plane Volumes
- Progressive Base Plane Volumes
- Surface to Surface Volumes

PROFILES & DESIGN

- Create Section Markers 3-methods
- Create Corridors of Interest 2-methods
- Set Section Marker Attributes
- Delete & Edit Section Markers
- Edit & Examine Section Marker
- Attributes • Create Long Sections along Alignments, Lines, Point Ranges & Freehand using models or objects.
- Create Cross Section Sets
- Import Cross Section Sets
- View* / Edit Long & Cross Sections • Create Long & Cross Section Points
- Create Long Section Floating Points

 2-methods
- Move Long & Cross Section Points

 3-methods
- Define End Areas
- Apply Section Intersections
- Volumes by End Areas • CAD Output of Long & Cross Sections
- Vertical Exaggeration*
- Examine Points, Distance, Elev & Grade • First, Last, Next, Previous
- & Go To Cross Sections Long Section Design & Points Reports
- Cross Section Report
- Template Library Editor • Create Horizontal Long Sections
- Vertical Parabola Designer
- Create / Edit Template Implementation-Sets
- Transfer Long Sections into Plan • Transfer Long Section Elevations-> Plan

• Transfer Cross Sections into Plan

• 2nd & 3rd Order Polynomial

- **BACKGROUND IMAGES**
- Import & Register Image
- Conformal Affine
- Check Registration Delete Image
- Rename Image
- Export Image Supports Georeferenced Images
 - MrSID
 - FCW GeoTIFF
- **3D VISUALISATION** Flv Camera*
- Walk Camera*
- Pan Camera* Zoom Camera*
- Edit Triangle Attributes • View/Edit Triangle Attributes • View/Edit Model Attributes
- Copy To Clipboard
- Set Triangle Attributes • Adopt Triangle Attributes

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