

Automation (21-541)

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Session Schedule

- *Computer-Aided Design (CAD)*
 - *Geometric modeling*
 - *Geometric data exchange*

Computer-Aided Design (CAD)

▪ Geometric data exchange

- The heart of any CAD model is the component database.

This includes

- The graphics entities like points, lines, arcs, circles etc. and the co-ordinate points, which define the location of these entities.
- This geometric data is used in all downstream applications of CAD, which include
 - Finite element modeling and analysis,
 - Process planning,
 - Estimation,
 - CNC programming,
 - Robot programming,
 - Programming of co-ordinate measuring machines,
 - ERP system programming and simulation.

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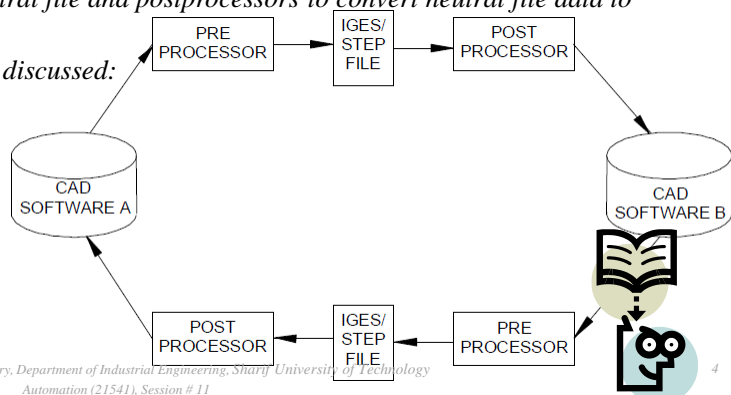


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Computer-Aided Design (CAD)

▪ Geometric data exchange

- A solution to the problem of direct translators is to use neutral files.
- These neutral files will have standard formats and software packages can have pre-processors to convert drawing data to neutral file and postprocessors to convert neutral file data to drawing file.
- Three types of neutral files are discussed:
 - Drawing exchange files (DXF)
 - IGES files
 - STEP files



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Computer-Aided Design (CAD)

- **Geometric data exchange**
 - Standard for the Exchange of Product data (STEP, ISO 10303):
 - The STEP is the enabler for seamless exchange of product data which is critical to CAD/CAM/CAE systems.
 - STEP itself is the basis for Product Data Management System (PDM).
 - It covers border functionalities. It includes methods of representing all critical product specifications such as
 - Shape information,
 - Materials,
 - Tolerances,
 - Finishes and
 - Product structure.

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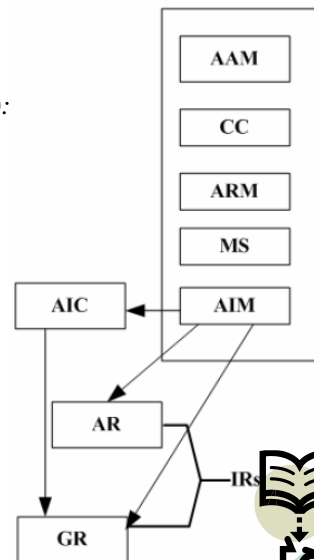
Computer-Aided Design (CAD)

- **Geometric data exchange**
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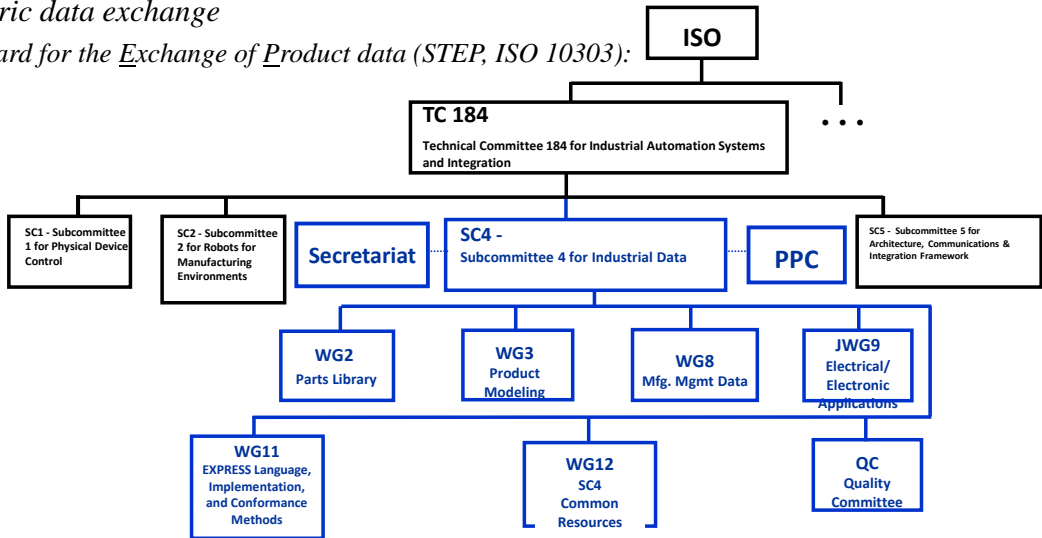
Initial STEP Architecture



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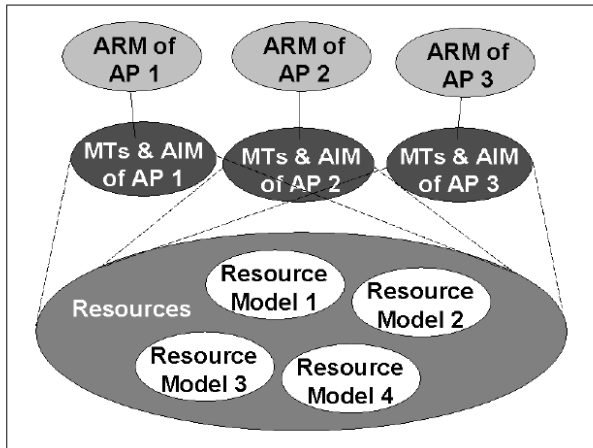


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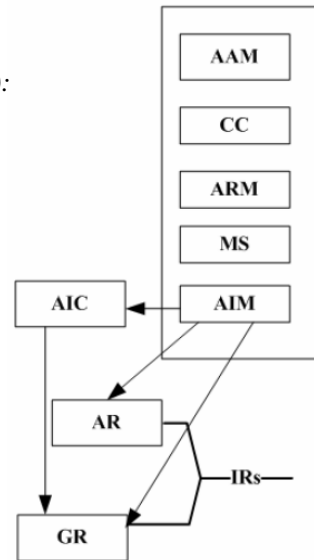
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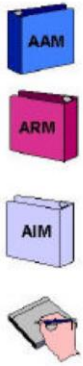


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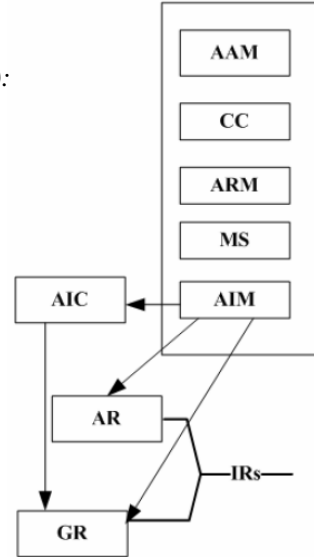
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Contents of an Application Protocol



- ◆ **Application Activity Model**
A function model that describes the activities and processes of defined application context domain. This is a requirement document.
- ◆ **Application Reference Model**
An information model that describes the information requirements and constraints for an application context area. The model uses application-specific terminology and rules that are familiar to experts in the application area.
- ◆ **Application Interpreted Model**
An information model that describes the STEP data structures required for functional equivalence with the application contexts' AAM's and ARM's.
- ◆ **Conformance Classes**
Descriptions of the valid populations of the file, which serve to define conformant uses of the AP.

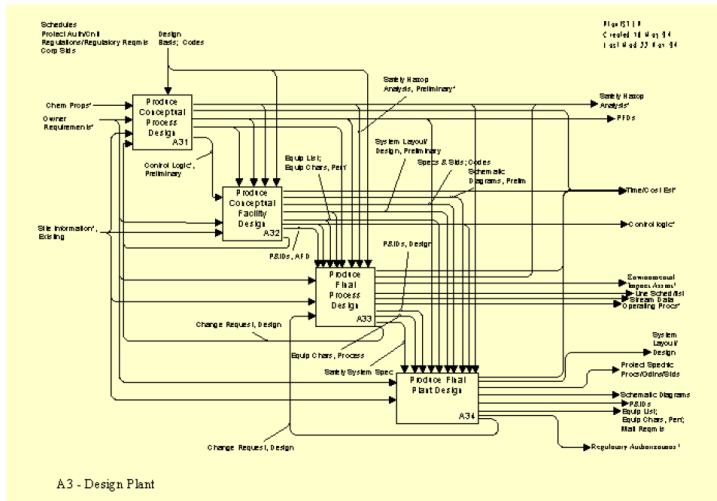
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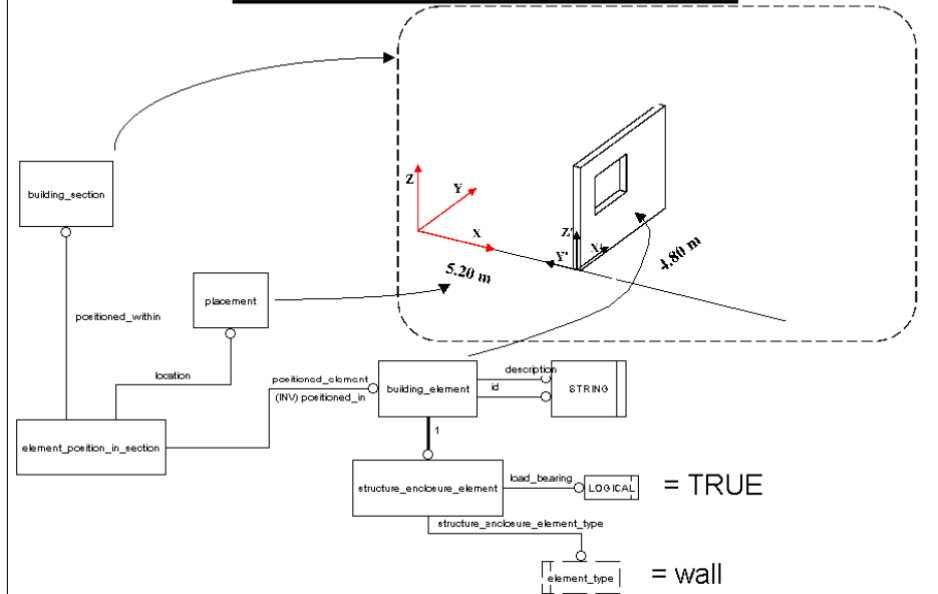
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Application Activity Model (AAM)

Information “flows” between activities are the basis for development of ARM.

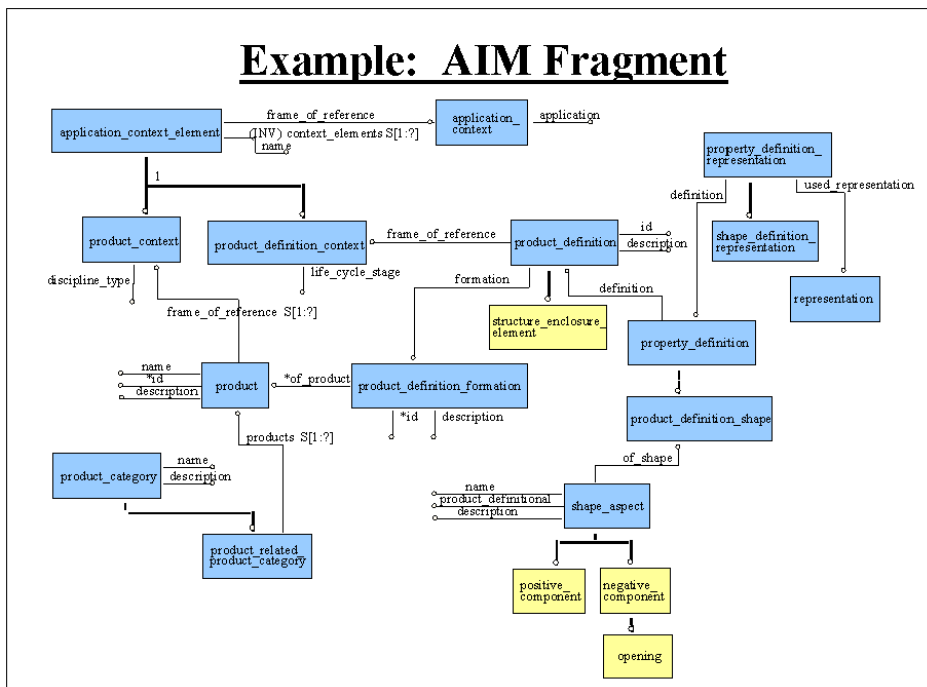


Example: ARM Relationship to Information Requirements

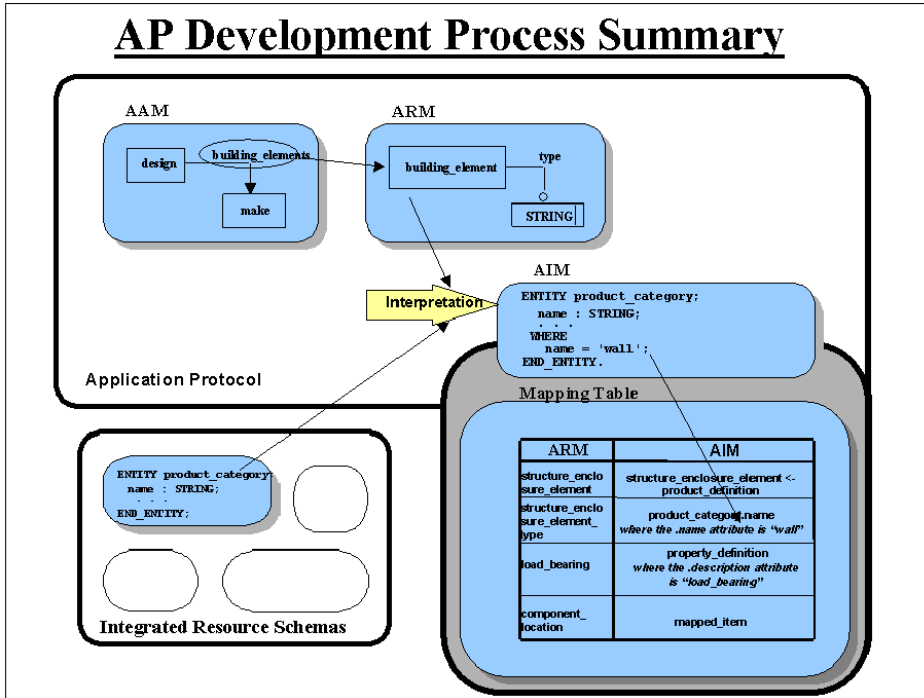


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Example: AIM Fragment



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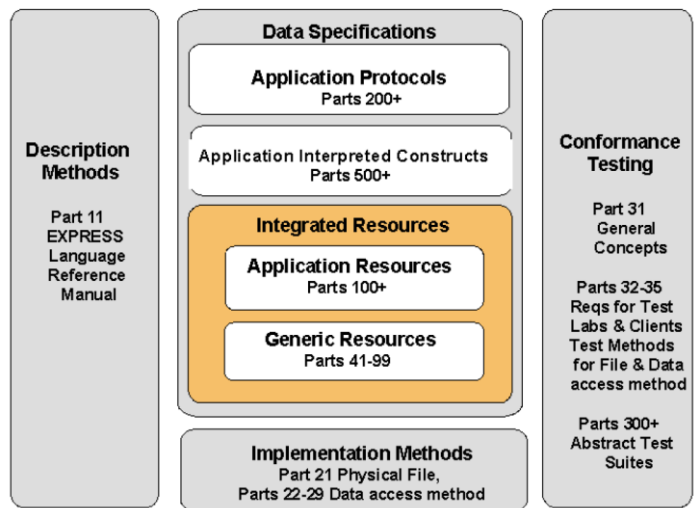
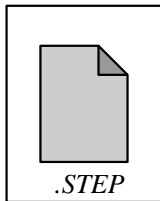


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STEP Document Architecture

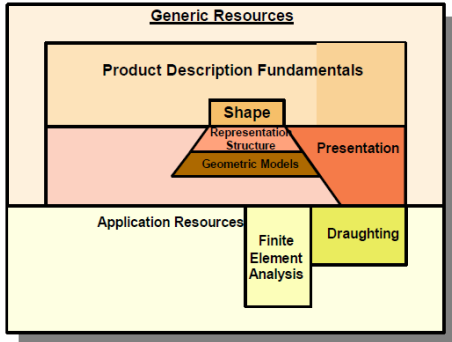


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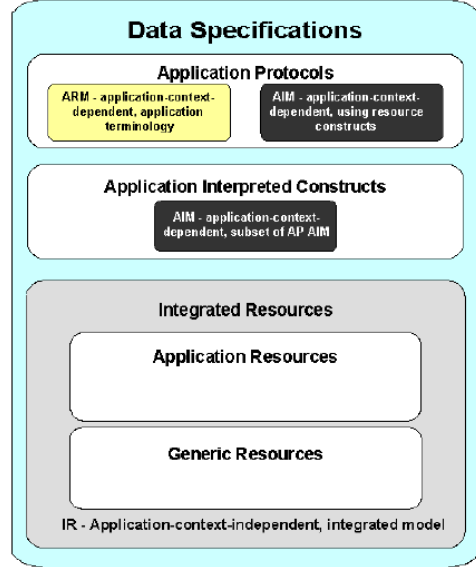
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Integrated Resources



STEP Data Specifications

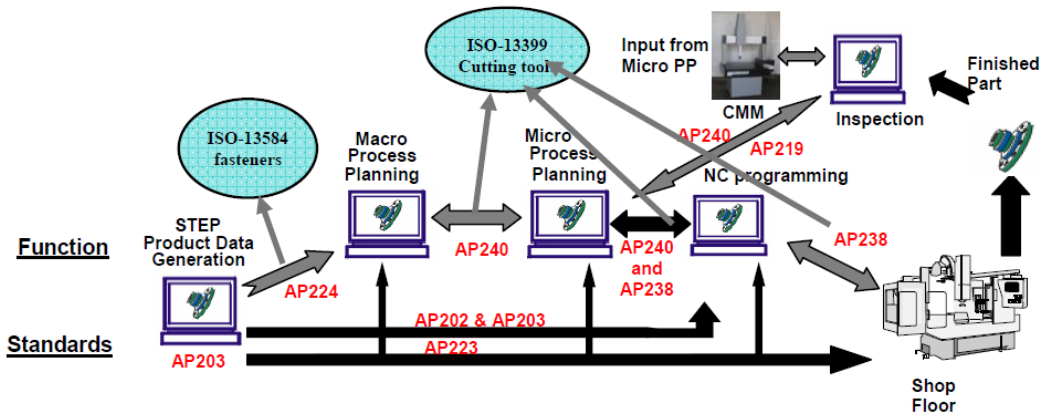


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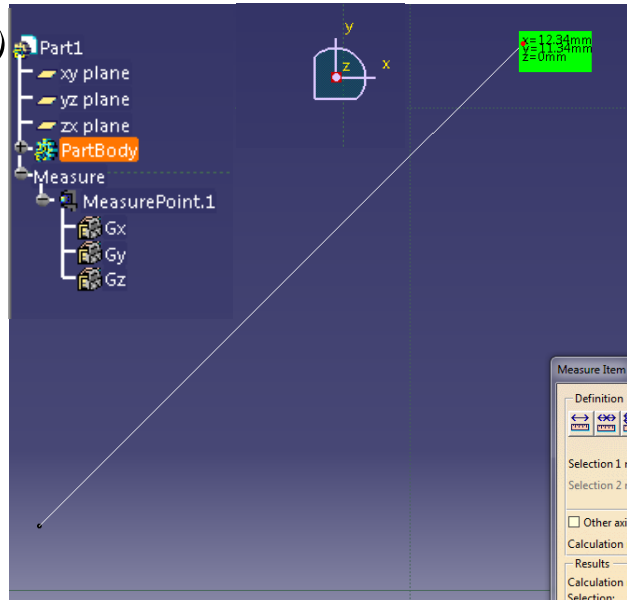
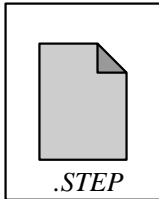


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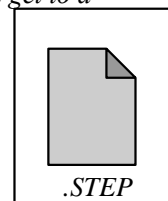


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Homework: AT:G:08:#

- In this HW you will try to analyze a simple example of STEP standard Integrated Resources (IRs):
 - Consider the following STEP file
 - Start from the “Cartesian_Point “ entity and draw a simple Entity model till you get to a B-Rep model.



- The HW should be sent to FValilai@sharif.edu till Tuesday, 25th of Azar(Dec, 16th, 2014)
- Email subject: “AT:G:08:#”

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