

SchüCad Inventor 2018

We are pleased that you have downloaded the **new** SchüCad Inventor 2018. Please refer to the following pages for **information** on installation and the **new and updated features** of your SchüCad Inventor 2018 application.

Do you have **questions** about the current SchüCad Inventor version? Our Service Desk staff will be happy to assist you. You can obtain information

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General

As of version 2018, SchüCad Inventor is available to **download** from our Schüco Digital Server. The application starts to install once the new set-up file has been downloaded.

Preliminary notes

You can download the Schüco installer for SchüCad Inventor at http://download.schueco.digital/setup/schuecadinventor_downloader.exe.

In order to install SchüCad Inventor, you **must have** version 2016, 2017 or 2018 of Autodesk Inventor installed.

The installation of SchüCad Inventor carries out registrations in Autodesk Inventor, so that the SchüCad Inventor functions are integrated in Autodesk Inventor after the installation.

Licences (dongle) and **activation codes** may be required so that the SchüCad Inventor functions are not only installed, but can also be used. Our Schüco Digital Support staff will be happy to help you with this.

Installation

The installation can only be carried out by an **administrator**.

1. Run the Schüco installer for SchüCad Inventor - the **set-up file** starts to **download**. Once the download is completed, the installation of SchüCad Inventor starts automatically.
2. First choose the **installation language** and follow the instructions in the installation wizard ("InstallShield Wizard"). This will guide you through the installation of SchüCad Inventor.
3. Confirm the **Welcome** dialog box by clicking *Next>*.
4. In the following steps:
 - Accept the **licence conditions**
 - Select the **directory** for the installation
 - Specify the **program features** to be installedNo selection options are available for the installation of SchüCad Inventor, so you can simply follow the steps by **pressing the *Next>* button**.
5. When the installation process has been **completed**, a message will be displayed. Click *Finish*. SchüCad Inventor is installed.

Functionality

If you now open Autodesk Inventor, the SchüCad Inventor functions are available.

To run a short **plausibility test**, in the Output view you can call up *Options* in the *Additional modules* tab of the menu ribbon in the *General* group. In the **Versions view**, you can see which version of SchüCad Inventor is installed. If the version shown looks wrong, please contact the Schüco Digital Support staff.

Restructured menus

The SchüCad Inventor menus have been restructured and are now clearer.

Enhanced *Processing* dialog box

The processing dialog boxes for SchüCal and for special constructions have been combined into the enhanced *Processing* dialog box. Work is now carried out solely by means of processing blocks, as it was already the case for special constructions in the previous versions.

New *Options* dialog box

The *Options* dialog box has been added to the Output view. Here you can check the installation and configuration. This dialog box is used to provide you with information and also advice from our Schüco Digital Support staff.

New SchüCad Inventor manual

A new consolidated manual is now available in PDF format.

You can find this in the SchüCad Inventor installation directory in the following folders:

- `<Installation folder>\Documentation\de` (SchueCad_Inventor_Manual_de.pdf (German))
sowie unter
- `<Installation folder>\Documentation\en` (SchueCad_Inventor_Manual_de.pdf (English)).

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