

# Q&A for . . .

## CADD to GIS Interoperability

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### Q: Where can I find the recording, power point and questions & answers for this webinar?

A: All the current 2016 Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) Production Support Office - CADD webinars are now posted onto a new enterprise wide FDOT Training YouTube website:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqbY8kqZuXp1pyYV6llQw\\_A](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqbY8kqZuXp1pyYV6llQw_A)

Many of the prior recordings of training webinars will also be accessible from this YouTube website.

**\*\*\* Please take the time to Subscribe and watch the introductory video. (free of charge)\*\*\***



A: All Production Support Office - CADD webinar recordings along with any Presentation and Q&A documents, can still be accessed from the Production Support Office - CADD *Posted Webinar* website as well: <http://www.dot.state.fl.us/ecso/downloads/GoToMeetingTraining/PostedWebinars.shtm>

### Q: Where can I find the FDOT CADD Training Manuals?

A: The Production Support Office - CADD Training Manuals, along with their associated training data sets, can be downloaded from the Production Support Office - CADD website:

<http://www.dot.state.fl.us/ecso/main/FDOTCaddTraining.shtm>

A: Production Support Office - CADD is striving to record all CADD Training Manuals thru training webinars and have them accessible from the FDOT Training YouTube website as well.

### Q: How can I get on the list for email alerts for future Production Support Office - CADD Webinars or Notifications?

A: The [FDOT Contact Management](#) is available for participants to sign up for email alerts as the webinars are scheduled and notifications are released. Just check the “CADD” options under each applicable section. Select here for a ”[How to use FDOT Contact Management](#)” help document or an “[FDOT Contact Mailer](#)” webinar.

Production Support Office - CADD’s current *Scheduled Webinars* can be accessed for registration at:

<http://www.dot.state.fl.us/ecso/downloads/GoToMeetingTraining/ScheduledWebinars.shtm>

### Q: Where can I connect to the on-line FDOT CADD Support Forum?

A: [http://communities.bentley.com/communities/user\\_communities/fdot\\_cadd\\_support/](http://communities.bentley.com/communities/user_communities/fdot_cadd_support/)

### Q: How can I connect with a CADD Support representative?

A: Production Support Office - CADD welcomes all your offers of presentations and suggestions of topics to assist your needs. Feel free to contact this office with any comments, suggestions and questions via our support email: [ecso.support@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:ecso.support@dot.state.fl.us)

The FDOT [CADD Manual](#) and [Customer Support Guide](#) documents may also be of assistance.

**Q: Should "Parent Track" in level names be Parent Tract? Track should be spelled "Tract". "Track" is used in level names. Talk about spelling?**

A: Yes, we will correct the spelling for that level. Spelling is why there are so many drop down boxes in an effort to limit the variations and misspellings that will reside in our finished data.

**Q: Will the New GIS folder be added to the project directory? This folder is not currently part of the project created by FDOT CADD.**

A: As of the FDOTSS4 CADD software release, the FDOT Project Template includes a "GIS" folder.

**Q: Can you correct data within the grid view?**

A: No, although you can use it to zoom to the errant feature. Please use the edit tool provided in the Command Manager to make any changes to the attributes.

**Q: So how long did it take you in man hours to create this data for those 50 parcels? A day includes all the typing needed for the dialog boxes. I personally think there is still too much repetitive typing.**

A: A day to create all the data for the example project.

**Q: Can we see the link to information again?**

A: <http://www.dot.state.fl.us/surveyingandmapping/Inno-CADGIS.shtm>

**Q: If you have attribute data in a spreadsheet, what is the best method for populating the parcels in the dgn file?**

A: You will still need to work through the dialog boxes in the Command Manager, so using the spreadsheet as reference for what you need to enter.

**Q: Do you have the same promote to GIS windows created for other types of survey data--specifically wetland surveys?**

A: No at this time it is Alignments, Right of Way Lines, Parent Tracts and FDOT Parcels only. Once the tools are being used for these features then we are going to start adding other types, i.e. Utilities and Roadway Assets, etc. Wetland surveys is an excellent example of another type that can be added.