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## Welcome

Welcome to this month's edition of the DesignPoint Newsletter. SolidWorks 2011 Beta is now available and the DesignPoint Rollout events are now open for registration. We have some great things planned this year so be sure to reserve your spot for one of these events. Click [here](#) to register now.

## Announcements

### → [DesignPoint SolidWorks 2011 Rollout Events Just 2 Weeks Away - Register now!](#)

DesignPoint Solutions hopes you can join us for one of our annual Rollout Events being held on October 19, 2010 in Lancaster, PA and October 21, 2010 in Clark, NJ. This is our official Launch of the SolidWorks 2011 release. Click the link above and register today.

### → [SolidWorks 2011 Beta now available!](#)

Login to the Customer Portal to review the latest features coming in the next release of SolidWorks and download 2011 Beta for yourself

### → [Dassault Systèmes launches DraftSight 2D drafting tool](#)

DraftSight is a professional-grade, open 2D CAD product for users who want a better way to read, write and share DWG files. DraftSight is easy to use and is available for professional CAD users, students and educators to download and activate for free.

### → [SolidWorks 2010 SP4 is Now Available](#)

SW 2010 Service Pack 4. Login to the Customer Portal for the download.

### → [3DVIA Composer V6R2011 SP0 Now Available](#)

The latest major release of 3DVIA Composer is now available to all active Subscription Service customers through the Customer Portal.

## Upcoming Events

### → [SolidWorks 2011 Rollouts](#)

October 19th and 21st

### → [SolidWorks eTV Webinar Series](#)

October Episodes Coming Soon

### → [SolidWorks World 2011](#)

January 23-26, 2011

## Upcoming Training Classes

### → [SolidWorks Fundamentals I](#)

Lancaster, PA 10/11 - 10/14

### → [SolidWorks Advanced Surfacing](#)

Clark, NJ 10/25 - 10/26

### → [SolidWorks Advanced Assembly](#)

Lancaster, PA 10/28 - 10/29

[FULL SCHEDULE](#)

## Product Spotlight

### DesignPoint Services

#### DID YOU KNOW?

... DesignPoint Solutions can help you meet deadlines that seem to always get shorter? When you are overloaded or you "just can't seem to get that one thing done," consider using our highly skilled Application Engineers to help produce your SolidWorks models, drawings, and/or other outputs like technical documentation.

Or maybe you feel that you're not getting "full-value" out of SolidWorks? Customized training or "on-site" assistance can help apply the best features in SolidWorks to your application!!!

DesignPoint Solutions goes beyond classroom training to ensure that you are able to meet all of your (and your customer's) needs...and getting maximum value out of SolidWorks...

Click [HERE](#) to read about the full range of services DesignPoint offers and maximize your SolidWorks investment today.

## Technical Tip

### Linking a Note to the View Name or View Scale in a Drawing

Two new system properties for drawings were added in SolidWorks 2010: SW-View Name and SW-View Scale. This now allows users to parametrically link a note to a view's name or scale in a drawing.

Click [here](#) to download a pdf describing this feature in more detail.

