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3D Modeling	•	•	•	•	•	•
Documentation	•	•	•	•	•	•
Central Database Linking Design & Documentation	•	•	•	•	•	•
Built-In Energy Analysis	•	•	•	•	•	•
BIMx 3D Presentation App	•	•	•	•	•	•
Management of Autocad DWG XREF	•	•			•	•
Hotlink of ARCHICAD Models	•	•			•	•
CineRender Built-In Rendering Engine	•	•			•	•
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