

# 2015 Annual Support Enhancements (June 2015)

PTC prides itself in delivering a comprehensive support experience designed to maximize productivity, optimize system capability and performance, control costs and reduce risk. Here's a look at the enhancements made since June of 2014:

## Software Support

### 24 Major Software Releases

#### PTC CAD Products and Related Applications

- PTC Creo 3.0
  - Includes Parametric, Schematics, Direct, Simulate, Layout
- PTC Creo Design Exploration Extension
- PTC Creo/Elements Direct 19.0
- PTC Creo Progressive Die Extension (PDX) 9.0
- PTC Creo Expert Moldbase (EMX) 9.0

#### PTC Windchill

- PTC System Monitor 4.0

#### PTC Arbortext

- PTC Servigistics InService (formerly Service Center) 6.1

#### PTC Mathcad

- PTC Mathcad Prime 3.1

#### PTC Integrity

- PTC Integrity 10.7
- PTC Integrity Asset Library 2.0 (formerly Atego Asset Library)
- PTC Integrity Modeler 8.2 (formerly Atego Modeler/Artisan Studio)
- PTC Integrity Process Director 4.0 (formerly Atego Process Director)
- PTC Integrity Requirements Connector 3.0 (formerly Atego Requirements Synchronizer)

#### PTC Integrity

- Field Service 10.7
- Service Knowledge and Diagnostics 5.6
- Service Network Management 11
- Service Parts Management 10.7
- Service Suite (iWarranty, iSupport, iService) 4.1

#### PTC Implementer 11.1

### 118 Maintenance Releases

#### PTC Creo and CAD Related Applications

- 64 Maintenance Releases

#### PTC Windchill & PLM Extended (Integrity)

- 22 Maintenance Releases

#### PTC Arbortext

- 21 Maintenance Releases

#### PTC Servigistics

- 11 Maintenance Releases

## eSupport

### PTC eSupport Portal Named "Top 10 Support Website of the Year"

Your own personalized dashboard, available 24 x 7 on any device and platform for immediate access to your frequently used resources.

### NEW! Performance Advisor for PTC Creo

**Smart, Connected Products and Support.** Leveraging the ThingWorx IoT platform, you now have unprecedented visibility into your PTC Creo-related hardware and software environment. An easy-to-use online dashboard provides insight into important performance and usage metrics.

- Proactive investigation of stability issues for overall users
- Visibility into software versions in use to manage software update plans
- Easily monitor and report the health of your system
- Detailed performance and usage statistics across your organization
- Configurable dashboards for personalized viewing and reporting

### NEW! "Smart Search" Engine

We improved your knowledge base search experience.

- Self-learning engine with advanced search query, filtering, and refining
- Auto-suggestion and type-ahead suggestions with popular queries
- Content Types Grouped by Tabs
- Most Popular Articles are Highlighted
- Preview Documents Using the Hover Panel
- Includes PTC Community content with 20,000+ discussions, blogs, and documents
- Knowledgebase includes 45,000+ articles in English, Japanese or Chinese, with ~250 added or modified each week

### Improved Knowledgebase Article Feedback Process

- Your voice is heard! Comments are routed straight to the author to help improve the quality of the articles

### NEW! PTC eNews and Alerts

The latest technical product and support news proactively delivered to your inbox on a regular basis

## Assisted Support

### NEW! IoT Specific Support Services

- Platform Support
- Developer Support
- Connectivity Support

### PLATINUM Support Desk

Increased focus on High-severity Enterprise Support cases

### PLATINUM Online Support

NEW! Enterprise System Health Check visit available

### PTC Partner Support (For Select Partners)

NEW! Improved project-specific resolution time

### ISO 9001: 2008

Quality Management System Certified for 15 continuous years

### UPDATED! Online Customer Support Guide

Comprehensive information about PTC Support features, benefits, policies, and procedures

### NEW! PTC Community Support Champion Program

Special recognition of individuals who administer and use PTC products – they are an extension of PTC's own technical support engineers, contributing their time and expertise to be active support champions within the PTC Community.

# Evolution of Support Services



## PTC® Global Support



### Support Solutions that Accelerate and Sustain your Advantage

- Software Support
- eSupport
- Assisted Support
- Smart, Connected Support

## Personalized

### Personalized Support Home Page

- Movable Content and customizable layout
- Product-specific pages and search

### NEW! "Smart Search" Engine

A Comprehensive, self-learning engine with advanced search query filtering and refining

### "Living" Knowledgebase Articles

- Most re-used shows first
- Rated by customers
- Easily enhanced and revised
- Robust "My Account" to set preferences for how and what information is pushed

## Proactive

### Guidance

- Tech Tips sessions
- Upgrade & Migration help

### Issue Avoidance

- **NEW!** PTC eNews & Alerts
- The PTC Support Advisor eAlert
- Tech Support email Alert
- Tech Support Bulletins posted on product specific eSupport Portal pages
- Push notifications via "My Pending Activity" in eSupport Portal
- Performance Advisor for PTC Creo

## Social

### Community

- **NEW!** Support Champions Program
- **NEW!** Discussions searchable from the Knowledgebase
- Online Product Enhancement requests Windchill Blog
- Select Tech Support Engineers act as technical moderators in the Community

### Social Media

- Twitter; bite-sized Support updates

### Social Knowledge

- **NEW!** Customer feedback process to improve Knowledgebase articles
- "Recommended Articles" portlet in the eSupport Portal influenced by customer and Tech Support Engineer feedback

## Integrated

### NEW! Performance Advisor for PTC Creo

- Powered by IoT and connected to your application, contextually relevant articles are proactively displayed in a dashboard

### Support Help

Menu within the application

- Log Case
- Search Knowledgebase

### Any-Device Access (BYOD)

- Access the eSupport Portal from your smartphone, iPad, table