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MEG220X Advanced AutoCAD

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Solid Modeling

Techniques for Solid Modeling

Step 1	Step 2	Step 3
3D primitive solids, 2D+extruding/revolving	Move the primitives into desired location	Use Boolean operations to combine the primitives
Primitives		

A solid box or cube A solid cone with a circular or elliptical base

Box Cone Cylinder

A solid cylinder with a circular or elliptical base

Create a solid by extruding a closed 2D object

Create a solid by revolving a shape about an axis

Extrude

Revolve

Create a solid sphere

Sphere

Torus

Wedge

Create a solid torus Create a solid wedge

INTERSECT Create a solid of com	ther	
	Subtracts one solid from another	
volume (interaction) from selected connected solids		

Boolean Operations

Homework: draw the shape of a desktop computer in 3D.

Provide all necessary features in details.

Due: save your homework on a floppy disk and turn it in next Wednesday.