MODULE 3 BASIC DESIGN: THEORY OF SHAPES

Objective:

- Provide an understanding of orthographic projections

Prerequisites:

- Intro to 3D printing
- Drafting equipment, media and reproduction
- Basic drafting
- Introduction to computer aided design (CAD)/2D-3D Skills

Assignment #1: Demonstrate understanding of normal surfaces

- 1. Choose one part from figures 1-5, and create a 3D CAD file of the part. Convert the CAD file to an STL file.
- 2. Send the file to the 3D printer and print the part.
- 3. Measure and record key dimensions identified in figures 1-5.
- 4. Compare to orthographic views from page 32

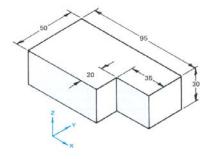


Figure 1: Stop Block

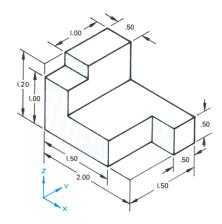


Figure 2: Angle Bracket

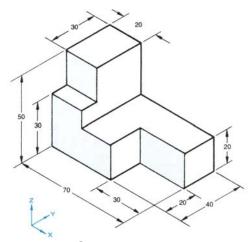


Figure 4: Corner Bracket

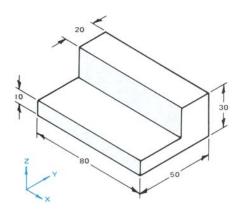


Figure 3: Step Block

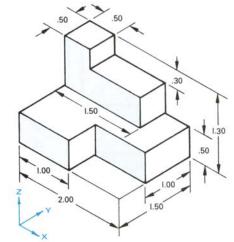


Figure 5: Locating Block

Assignment #2: Demonstrate understanding of centerlines, circles and arches

- 1. Choose one part from figures 6-11, and create a 3D CAD file of the part. Convert the CAD file to an STL file.
- 2. Send the file to the 3D printer and print the part.
- 3. Measure and record key dimensions identified in figures 6-11.
- 4. Compare to orthographic views from page 32

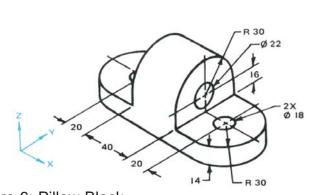


Figure 6: Pillow Block

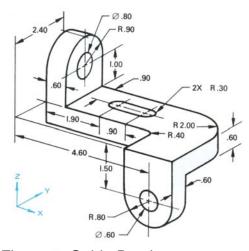


Figure 7: Guide Bracket

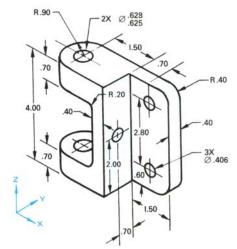


Figure 8: Hinge Fixture

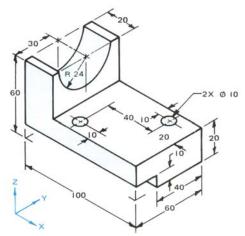


Figure 10: Cradle Support

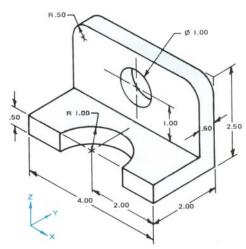


Figure 9: Rod Support

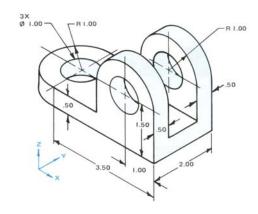


Figure 11: Rocker Arm

Assignment #3: Demonstrate understanding of slopes and angles

- 1. Choose one part from figures 12 and 13, and create a 3D CAD file of the part. Convert the CAD file to an STL file.
- 2. Send the file to the 3D printer and print the part.
- 3. Measure and record key dimensions identified in figures 12 and 13.
- 4. Compare to orthographic views from page 32

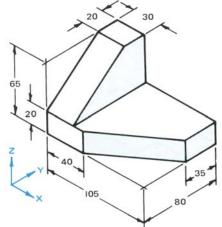


Figure 12: Angle Plate

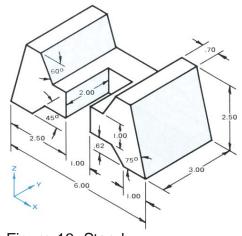
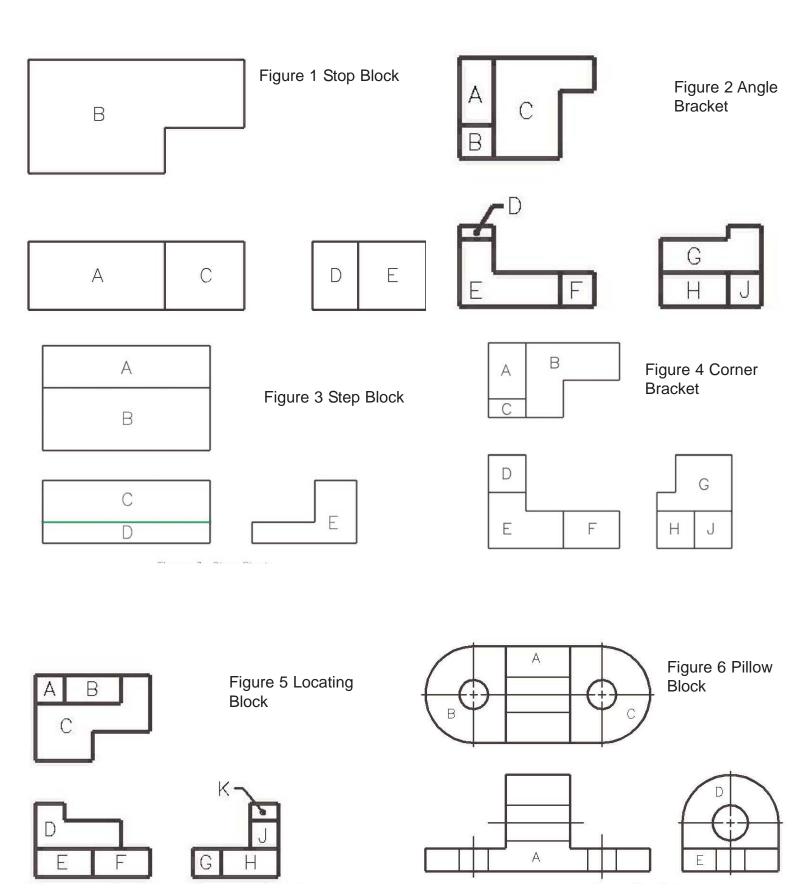
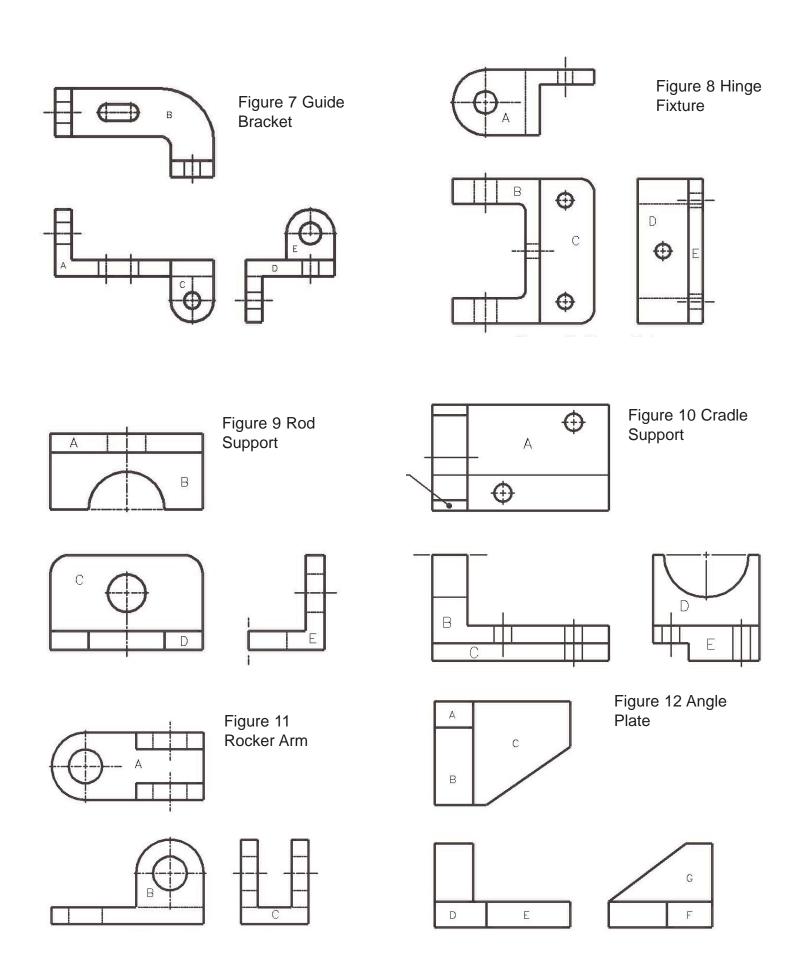


Figure 13: Stand

Orthographic Views

Use figures 1-13 to complete #4 on assignments 1,2,3 of this section.





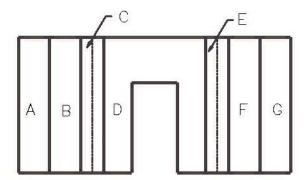


Figure 13 Stand

