PARTshare can be implemented in a single or multiple user configuration to accommodate your production environment.

PARTshare is an advanced library system that provides storage and retrieval of sheet metal parts and assemblies along with associated manufacturing data. The PARTshare library is directly accessible from within Solid Edge as well as from the Striker Systems sheet metal CAD/CAM and nesting software. This creates an environment where parts and assemblies released by Solid Edge design engineers are immediately available for CNC punching and cutting operations (i.e. turret punch press, laser, plasma, oxy-fuel, etc). Striker CAD/CAM software can process the parts individually or, because the PARTshare library is the database used by Striker’s SS-Nest module, dissimilar part nests can be generated from individual parts or complete assemblies.

Seamlessly share Solid Edge part and assembly data with Striker Systems sheet metal CAD/CAM & nesting software.

Solid Edge Part Processing

A Solid Edge part can be added to the PARTshare library by opening the Solid Edge part model and selecting the PARTshare command from the Solid Edge menu. The subsequent PARTshare dialog provides full user control over the part extraction process. Upon acceptance, the Solid Edge model is unfolded (as necessary) and placed into the PARTshare library. Striker Systems sheet metal CAD/CAM users have immediate access to the part data for CNC punching and cutting operations.

- **Part Information** - Detailed part information such as part number, description, revision level, and material properties are extracted from standard or custom Solid Edge property fields.
- **Process Routing** - If desired, process routing information can be assigned to a part during extraction. This routing information can then be interpreted by Striker’s SS-Nest software to direct the part to the desired CNC process.
- **Layer Mapping** - Layers are maintained from the Solid Edge model to support downstream manufacturing operations. For example, an etching layer can be designated to automatically invoke an etch operation in the STRIKER CAD/CAM software.
Solid Edge Assembly Processing

PARTshare includes comprehensive assembly support. As Solid Edge assemblies are extracted, an assembly part list is presented to the Solid Edge designer for review. All sheet metal parts can be placed into the PARTshare library, or the required parts can be controlled interactively by the designer or automatically with a Solid Edge custom property. Upon acceptance, each of the requested parts is unfolded (as necessary) and placed in the PARTshare library.

Once extracted, the assembly definitions (and sub-assembly definitions if desired) are maintained in the PARTshare library. The Striker Systems CAD/CAM programmer can process the assembly parts individually, or the entire assembly can be assigned to a nest job with a desired quantity. For additional automation, the Striker Systems SS-Nest Manufacturing Software Extension can be implemented to automate nest job construction via output from MRP, ERP, and other production scheduling systems.

Solid Edge sheet metal assembly courtesy of Siemens PLM Software, Inc.

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