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Chapter 18 Architectural Drafting

Section 18.1 Understanding Residential Construction

A. Architecture Perspectives for Drafters: What are three ways you can evaluate a building's architecture?

1. The Architect's Team

B. Elements of Residential Construction: By what criteria do you evaluate the framework of a residence?

- 1. Framework
 - a. Western Framing
 - b. Balloon Framing
 - c. Plank-and Beam Framing
 - 1. Sill Construction
 - 2. Corner Studs and Sheathing
 - 3. Roof Designs
 - 4. Stairway Framing and Detail
 - 5. Doors
 - 6. Windows

C. Architectural Materials: As a member of an architectural design team, how would you use information in *Sweets Architectural Catalog?*

- 1. Limber
- 2. Bricks
- 3. Concrete
- 4. Modular Coordination

D. Symbols for Working Drawings: IN which architectural drawings do you typically use standard symbols?

- 1. Material Symbols
- 2. Symbols for Window and Door Openings
- E. Working Drawings: Why must a set of speciations accompany each set of drawings?
 - 1. Foundation Plan
 - 2. Floor Plan
 - 3. Elevations
 - 4. Sections
 - 5. Site Plan
 - 6. Other Drawing Types
 - 7. Schedules and Specifications
 - 8. Title Blocks
- F. Dimensioning Techniques: How do you dimension an architectural drawing?
 - 1. Construction and Finish Dimensions
 - 2. Dimensioned Exterior Walls
 - 3. Architectural Scales

Section 18.2 Creating Architectural Working Drawings

A. General Introduction to Your Architecture-Related Project: IN addition to floor plans, what are the other parts of a complete set of working drawings?

B. Board-Drafting Techniques: How can you use new tools to save time in making architectural drawings?

- 1. Special Techniques and Tools
 - a. Line Technique
 - b. Lettering
 - c. Templates
 - d. Pressure-Sensitive Materials

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C. Floor Plan Production

D. CAD Techniques: How might changes in technology have affected costs and time allocation in architect's offices?

- 1. Virtual Tours
- 2. Traditional AutoCAD Tools and Commands
 - a. Architectural Symbol Libraries
 - b. Double Line Creation
 - c. Dimension Style
- 3. CAD-Generated Floor Plan

Chapter 19 Map Drafting

Section 19.1 Types of Maps

- A. Map Making and Maps: How do cartographers obtain information for making maps?
 - 1. Technological Advances in Cartography
 - 2. Types of Maps
 - a. Plats
 - b. Operations Maps
 - c. Contour Maps
 - d. Topographic Maps
 - e. Block Diagrams
- B. Geological Mapping: How are geological maps used?
 - 1. Geological Surface Maps
 - 2. Geological Sections
 - 3. Subsurface Mapping

Section 19.2 Creating Contour Maps and Plats

A. Board-Drafting Techniques: What tools are used to draw maps?

- 1. Creating a Contour Map
- 2. Creating a Plat
- B. CAD Techniques: How does CAD's layering function offer flexibility in mapmaking?
 - 1. Creating a Contour Map
 - 2. Creating a Plat
 - 3. CAD-Automated Cartography

Chapter 20 Electricity/Electronics Drafting

Section 20.1 Types of Electrical and Electronic Diagrams

A. Concepts Related to Electricity and Electronics: What are some common applications for electricity and electronics?

B. Symbols for Electrical/Electronic Diagrams: How should you draw a schematic diagram following established standards?

1. Schematic Diagram

- a. Layout
 - b. Connecting Lines
 - c. Interrupted Group Lines
 - d. Interrupted Single Lines
- 2. Single-Line Diagram
- 3. Functional Block Diagram
- 4. Connection Diagram
- 5. Interconnection Diagram
- 6. Logic Circuit Diagram
- 7. Printed Circuit Drawings
- 8. Electrical Layouts for Buildings
- C. Drawing Conventions: How do you use color when you draw circuit diagrams?
 - 1. Color Codes
 - 2. Line and Symbol Conventions

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Section 20.2 Drawing Electrical and Electronic Diagrams

A. Board-Drafting Techniques: What should you consider when choosing the line width for and electrical diagram?

B. CAD Techniques: What rule should you remember when you add symbol to a diagram?

Chapter 21 Media Management

Section 21.1 Project Documentation

A. Types of Documents: What kinds of reports and graphic communication are used to document a project?

- 1. Reports
- 2. Project Organization Charts
- 3. Records of Drawing Development

Section 21.2 Document Management

A. Managing Board Drawings: What are the primary concerns when storing finished project drawings?

- 1. File Systems
- 2. Microfilm Storage
- 3. Converting Board Drawings
 - a. Digitizing the Drawing
 - b. Scanning the Drawing
- 4. Drawing Revision
- 5. Drawing Reproduction
 - a. Blueprints
 - b. Diazo
 - c. Electrostatic Reproduction
 - d. Photographic Reproduction

B. Managing CAD Drawings: What can you do to ensure your CAD files are not lost or damaged?

- 1. Standard Backup Strategies
 - a. Uninterruptible Power Supply
- 2. Storage Strategies
- 3. Revision of CAD Drawings
- 4. Reproduction of CAD Drawings
- 5. Converting CAD Drawings