ORTHOGRAPHIC PROJECTIONS

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Orthographic Projections

- Orthographic Projections is a technical drawing in which different views of an object are projected on different reference planes observing perpendicular to respective reference plane.
- Different Reference planes are;
 - Horizontal Plane (HP)
 - Vertical Plane (VP)
 - Side or Profile Plane (PP)
- Different views are;
 - Front View (FV) Projected on VP
 - Top View (TV) Projected on HP
 - Side View (SV) Projected on PP



Following notations should be followed while naming Different views in orthographic projections.

| OBJECT P | OINT A | LINE AB |
|-----------------|--------|---------|
| IT'S TOP VIEW | a | a b |
| IT'S FRONT VIEW | a′ | a' b' |
| IT'S SIDE VIEW | a'' | a'' b'' |

Same system of notations should be followed incase numbers, like 1, 2, 3 – are used.

TERMS 'ABOVE' & 'BELOW' WITH RESPECT TO H.P. AND TERMS 'INFRONT' & 'BEHIND' WITH RESPECT TO V.P. **Types of views**



View comparison

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| Multi-view drawing | Accurately presents object's details, i.e. size and shape. | Require training to visualization. |
| Pictorial drawing | • Easy to visualize. | Shape and angle distortion Circular hole becomes ellipse Right angle becomes obtuse angle. |
| Perspective drawing | Object looks more like what our eyes perceive. | Difficult to create Size and shape distortion Distorted width |





PATTERN OF PLANES & VIEWS (First Angle Method)





Projection systems



Orthographic views



Orthographic views



Views arrangement



Projection symbols



3rd angle system



Methods of Orthogonal Projection

1. Natural Method: Revolve the object with respect to observer

2. Glass box method: The observer moves around the object.



Glass box : Revolution of the planes of projection



Relative orientation of views



Summary : Problem solving steps



Steps for Orthographic Views

- 1. Select the necessary views
- 2. Layout the selected views on a drawing sheet.
- 3. Complete each selected views.
- 4. Complete the dimensions and notes.



View selection procedures

1. Orient the object to the best position relative to a glass box.

2. Select the front view.

3. Select adjacent views.

Suggestions: Orient the object

1. The object should be placed in its natural position.

2. The orthographic views should represent the true size and true shape of an object (as much as possible).



Suggestions: Select the front view

1. The longest dimension of an object should be presented as a width (in a front view).



Suggestions: Select the front view

2. The adjacent views project from the selected front view should be appeared in a natural position.



Suggestions: Select the front view

3. It has the fewest number of hidden lines.



Suggestions: Select an adjacent view

1. Choose the view that has the fewest number of hidden lines.



Suggestions: Select an adjacent view

2. Choose the **minimum** number of views that can represent the major features of the object.



Suggestions: Select an adjacent view

3. Choose the views that are suitable to a drawing sheet.



Summary

View selection has 3 steps



Object that requires only one-view

- Flat (thin) part having a uniform thickness such as a gasket, sheet metal etc.
- Cylindrical-shaped part.



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Identical adjacent view exists.

The 3rd view has no significant contours of the object.

(provides no additional information)



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Example 1







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Identical view exists.

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Example 2









Example-1

Draw the orthographic projections of Fig. 1

Steps to draw projections

- Identify surfaces perpendicular or inclined to the view
- Surfaces parallel to the view would not be visible in that view.
- First draw horizontal and vertical reference planes (easily identifiable on drawing)
- Start drawing from the reference planes.









Top view















PICTORIAL PRESENTATION IS GIVEN

DRAW THREE VIEWS OF THIS OBJECT BY FIRST ANGLE PROJECTION METHOD













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ALL VIEWS IDENTICAL





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