

Motor Mount Solid

A. Set Level.

Step 1. If necessary start a new Mastercam file, click **New**  (Ctrl-N) on the Quick Access Toolbar QAT.

Step 2. Display Level Manager. Use **Alt-Z**.

Step 3. In the Levels Manager:

Key-in **6** in the Number field, **Fig. 1**

Press **Tab** key to move to the Name Field and key-in **MOTOR MOUNT GEOMETRY**.

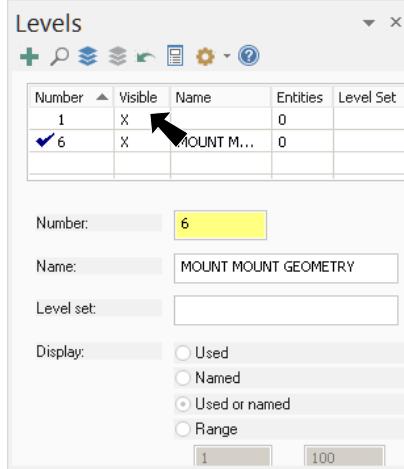
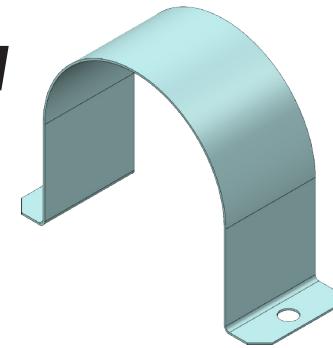
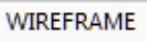
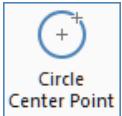


Fig. 1

B. Create Circle.

Step 1. Change to the **Front View**. Right click in the graphics window and click  **Front** (Alt-2).

Step 2. Change the Z depth to **-7.45**. Right click in the graphics window and on the Mini Toolbar set **Z depth -7.45** and press **ENTER**, **Fig. 2**

Step 3. On the Wireframe tab  click **Circle Center Point** .

Step 4. In the Circle Center Point function panel:
under **Size**, **Fig. 3**

Diameter 1 and press **ENTER**

Press **spacebar** to activate AutoCursor **Fast Point** 

Key-in **1.5, 1.35**  and press **ENTER**

Click **OK** .



Fig. 2

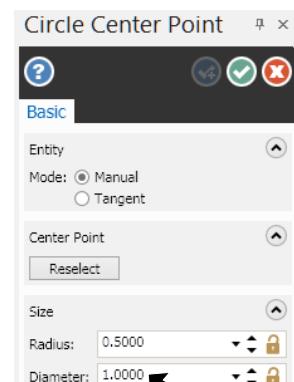


Fig. 3

Step 5. Right click the graphics window and click **Fit**  (Alt-F1).

C. Save As “MOTOR MOUNT SOLID”

Step 1. Click **Save As**  (Ctrl-Shift-S) on the Quick Access Toolbar QAT.

Step 2. Key-in **MOTOR MOUNT SOLID** for file name and press **ENTER**.

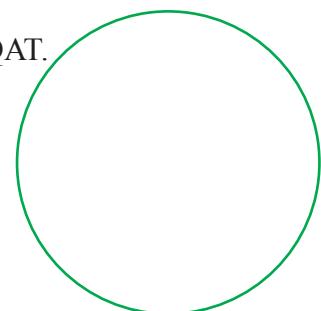
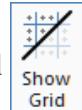


Fig. 4

D. Set Grid And Snap .05.

Step 1. On the View tab  click Show Grid and Snap to



and Snap to

Grid



Step 2. Click the Dialog Box Launcher  (Alt-G), Fig. 5.

Step 3. In the Grid Settings dialog box:
under Spacing, Fig. 6
X and Y Spacing .05

Click OK 

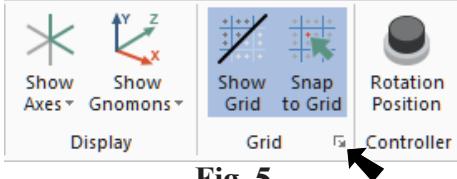


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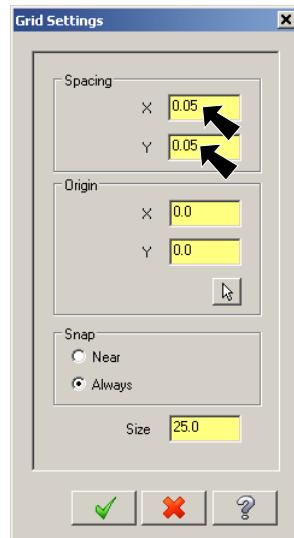
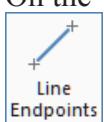


Fig. 6

E. Create Lines.

Step 1. On the Wireframe tab  click Line Endpoints



Step 2. Sketch the lines in Fig. 7
Use grid to determine location of lines.

Click OK 

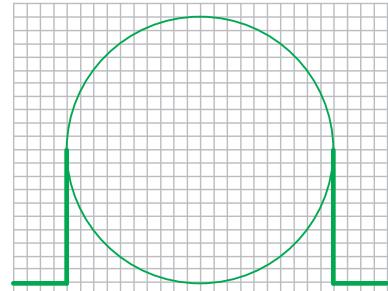


Fig. 7

F. Turn Off Grid and Snap.

Step 1. On the View tab  click Show Grid and Snap to



and Snap to

Grid



to unselect.

G. Trim Circle.

Step 1. On the Wireframe tab  click Trim Break Extend



Step 2. In the Trim Break Extend function panel:
under Type, Fig. 8

select Divide/delete

Trim circle to remove bottom.

Click circle at bottom, Fig. 9

Click OK 

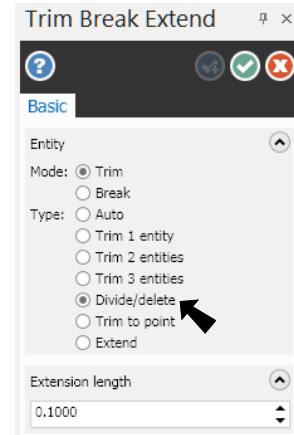


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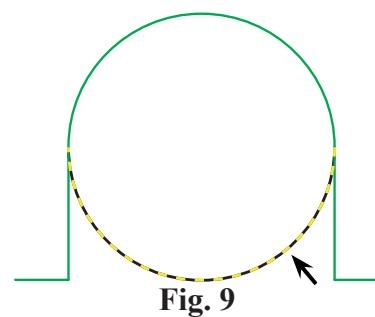
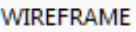


Fig. 9

H. Fillet.

Step 1. On the Wireframe tab  click **Fillet Entities**

Step 2. In the Fillet Entities function panel:
under Radius, **Fig. 10**

Radius .03

Click Position 1 and Position 2
at **both corners**

Click OK 

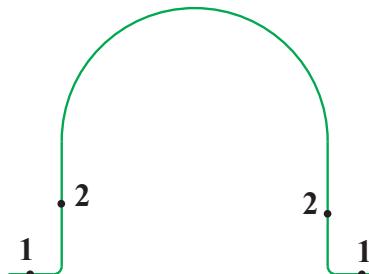


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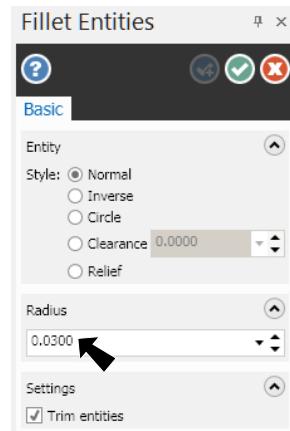
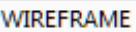


Fig. 10

I. Offset Contour.

Step 1. On the Wireframe tab  click **Chains**  on **Offset** drop down

Step 2. Click Chain  in the Chaining dialog box, **Fig. 12**.

Step 3. Click any geometry and click OK  in Chaining dialog box, **Fig. 13**.

Step 4. In the Offset Contour dialog box:

under Mode, **Fig. 14**

select **Join**

under Distance

Distance  **.01**

Click OK 

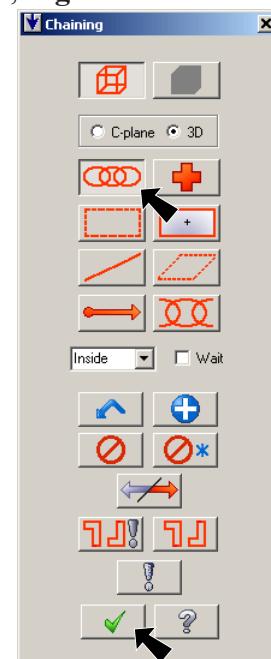


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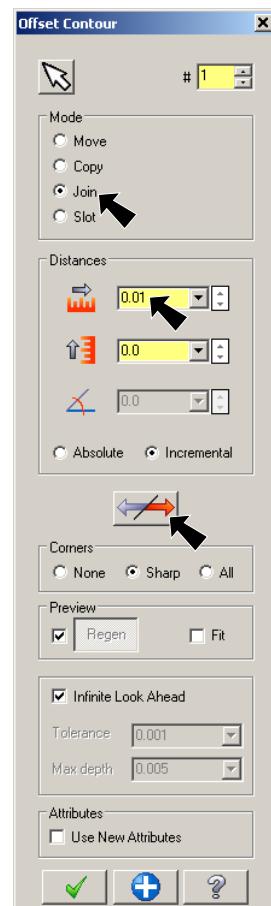


Fig. 14

Step 5. Right click the graphics window and click **Clear Colors** .

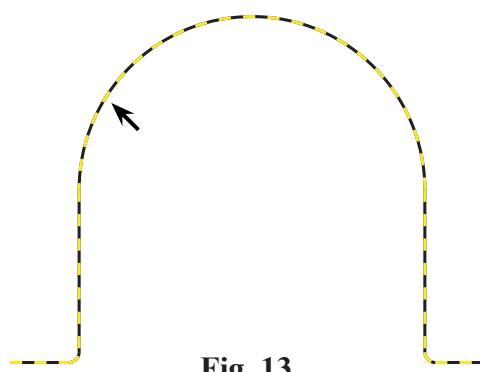


Fig. 13

Purple offset
on top



Fig. 15

J. Create Two Circles.

Step 1. Change to Top View. Right click in the graphics window and click (Alt-1).

Step 2. Fit (Alt-F1).

Step 3. Change the Z depth to .85. Right click in the graphics window and on the Mini Toolbar set Z depth .85 and press ENTER, Fig. 16.

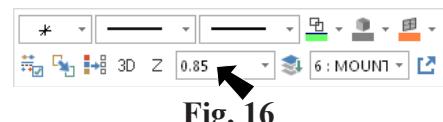
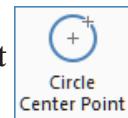


Fig. 16

Step 4. On the Wireframe tab click Circle Center Point



Step 5. In the Circle Center Point function panel:
under Size, Fig. 17

Click Locked

Diameter .08 and press ENTER

Press spacebar to activate AutoCursor Fast Point
Key-in .89, 7.7 and press ENTER

Press spacebar to activate Fast Point
Key-in 2.11, 7.7 and press ENTER twice

Click OK

(.89, 7.7, .85)



(2.11, 7.7, .85)



Step 6. Save (Ctrl-S).

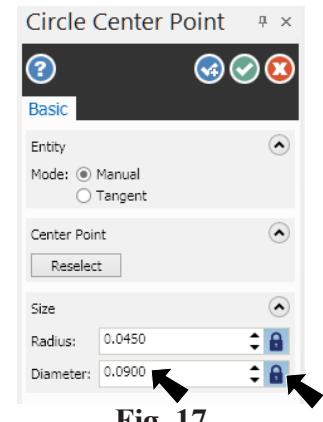


Fig. 17

K. Add Level.

Fig. 18

Step 1. In the Levels Manager (Alt-Z):

Key-in 7 in the Number field, Fig. 19

Press Tab key to move to the Name Field and
key-in MOTOR MOUNT SOLID.

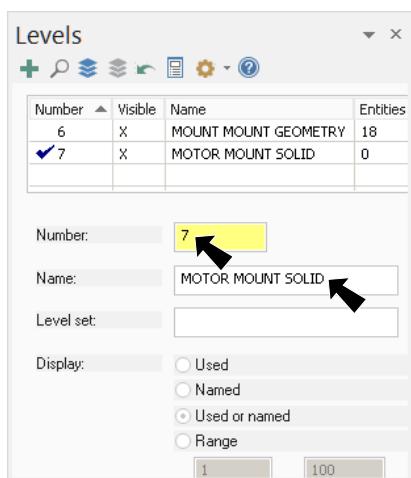


Fig. 19

L. Extrude Solid.

Step 1. Change to the Isometric View. Right click in the graphics window and click

Isometric (WCS) (Alt-7).

Step 2. Confirm CPLANE:TOP in Status bar at bottom of the graphics window, Fig 20.



Fig. 20

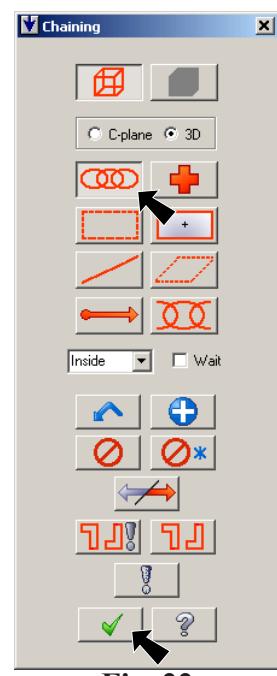
Step 3. Right click in the graphics window and on the Mini Toolbar click Solid Color drop down arrow, then click light cyan, Fig. 21.



Fig. 21

Step 4. On the Solids tab click Extrude .

Step 5. Click Chain in Chaining dialog box, Fig. 22.



Step 6. Click any motor mount geometry, not the circles, Fig. 23.

Step 7. Click OK in Chaining dialog box.

Step 8. In the Solid Extrude function panel:

under Operation, Fig. 24

select Create body

under Distance

Distance .5

The direction arrow should point to rear, Fig. 25. If arrow points

in wrong direction, click Reverse All , Fig. 24.

Click OK and Create New Operation .

Step 9. Right click the graphics window and click Fit (Alt-F1).

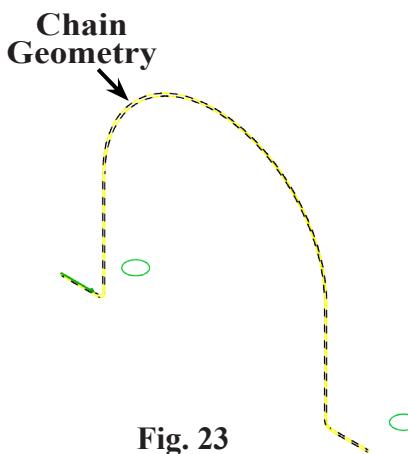


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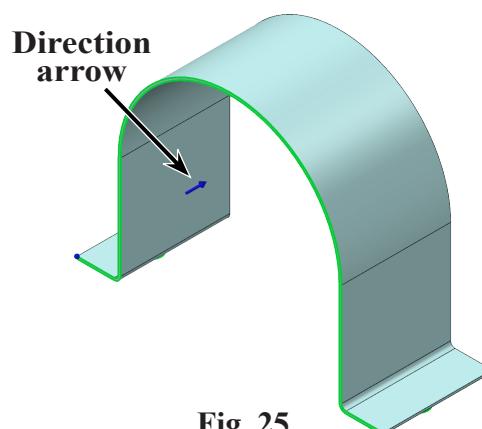


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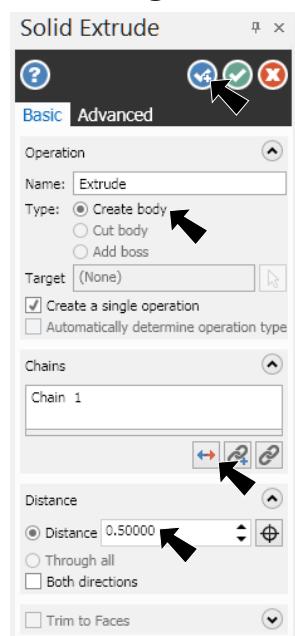


Fig. 24

M. Cut Holes.

Step 1. Click Chain  in Chaining dialog box.

Step 2. Click **both circles** to chain, Fig. 26.

Step 3. Click OK  in Chaining dialog box.

Step 4. In the Solid Extrude function panel:

under Operation, Fig. 27

select **Cut Body**

under Distance

select **Through all**

The direction arrow should **point up**, Fig. 28. If arrow points in wrong direction, click Reverse All , Fig. 27.

Click OK .

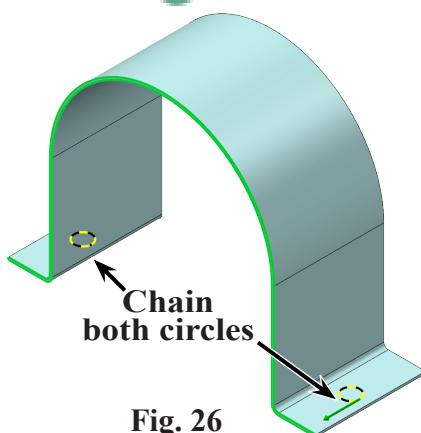


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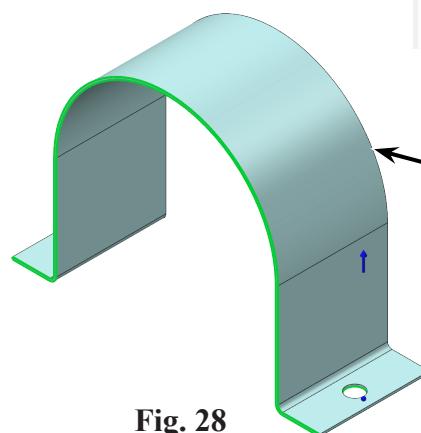


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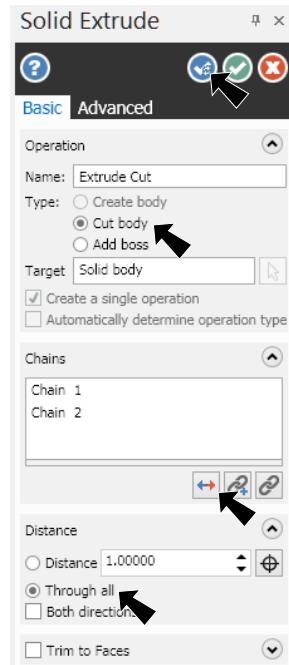


Fig. 27

N. Turn Off Level.

Step 1. In the Levels Manager (Alt-Z):

Click to remove X in Visible column of **MOTOR MOUNT GEOMETRY** level to hide the level, Fig. 29.

Step 2. Save  (Ctrl-S).

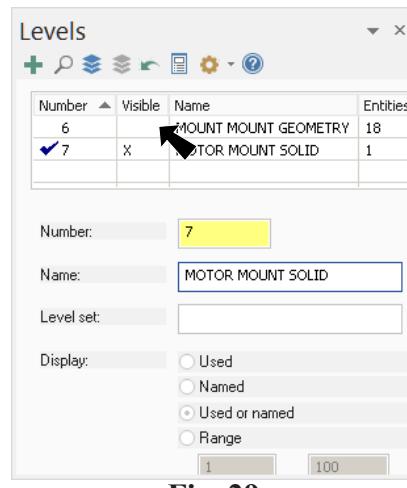


Fig. 29

O. Chamfer Corners.

Step 1. Zoom-in on flange. Use F1 and make a zoom window around flange, Fig. 30.

Step 2. On the Solids tab  click **One Distance Chamfer**.



Step 3. In the Solid Selection dialog box, select **Edge**  and unselect others, Fig. 31.

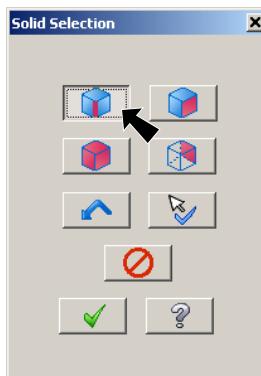


Fig. 31

Step 4. Click **both vertical corner edges**, Fig. 32.

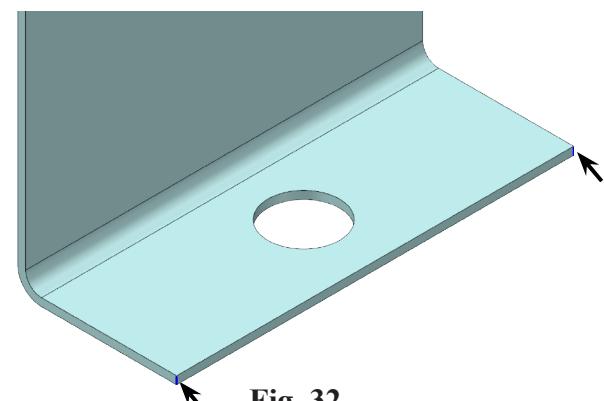


Fig. 30

Step 5. Use the arrow keys to pan over to the other flange, Fig. 34.

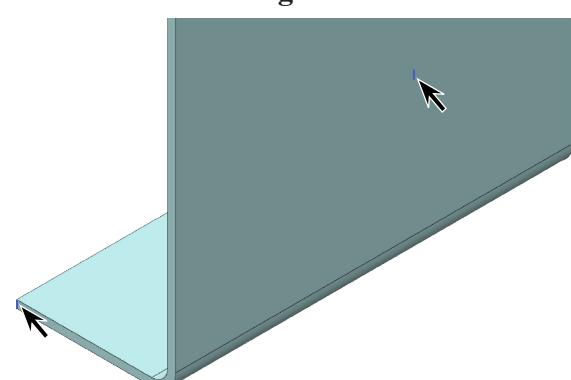


Fig. 32

Step 6. Click **vertical corner edge in front**, Fig. 34.

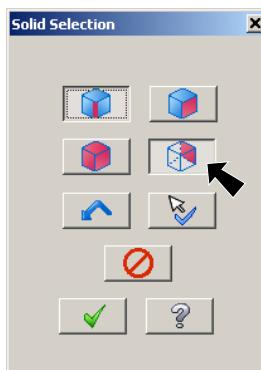


Fig. 33

Step 7. Click **From back**  in Solids Selection ribbon bar. Fig. 33.

Fig. 34

Step 8. Click **vertical corner edge in back**, Fig. 34.

Fig. 33

Step 9. Click **OK**  in Solid Selection dialog box.

Fig. 33

Step 10. In the One Distance Chamfer function panel:

Confirm 4 edges selected, Fig. 35

under Distance

Distance .07

Click **OK** .

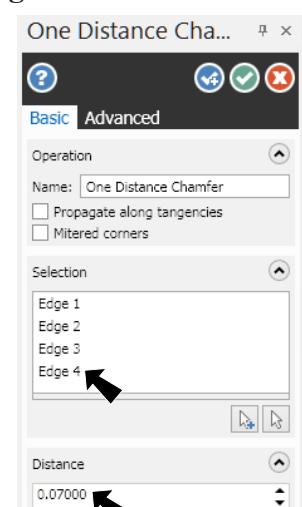


Fig. 35

Step 11. Save  (Ctrl-S).

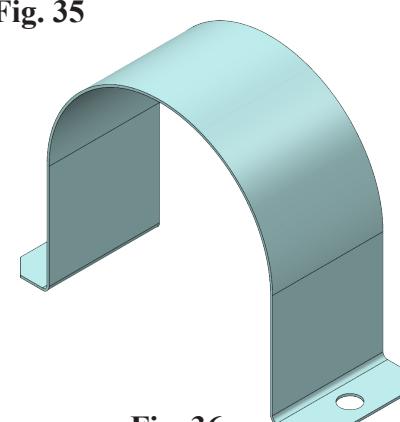


Fig. 36