

Fusion 360

An absolute beginner's guide

INTRODUCTION

- Why would I want to use Fusion 360 to do design work for the Glowforge instead of an artists drawing program such as Illustrator or Corel draw or a 2d CAD program?
 - The program works in 3 dimensions so anything that will be assembled can be checked for accuracy
 - The program is parametric
 - You can change a measurement once and everywhere you have used this measurement will adjust automatically
 - Fusion 360 is both extremely powerful and relatively easy to learn

What will be covered?

- The absolute basics
- How to format output from F360 for use with the Glowforge
- Enough terms to get us through the basics

Assumptions

- You are at least basically computer literate
- You have Fusion 360 installed and registered

Method of instruction

- In the following tutorial we will build a small box together
- By the end of this series we will have an understanding of all of the basic concepts of Fusion 360

End of introduction

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