

Ashlar-Vellum Launches Lithium CAD in the Apple Mac App Store

September 10, 2025, Austin, TX. Ashlar-Vellum, the leading developer of 2D CAD and 3D modeling software, today announced the availability of **Lithium CAD** in the Apple Mac App Store, listed as **Lithium 2D/3D CAD**.

Lithium CAD is designed primarily for **2D CAD drawings** but also includes capabilities for **3D wireframe drafting**. As the newest member of the **Designer Elements product family**—which includes Cobalt™, Xenon™, and Argon™—Lithium CAD is built on the same robust engine and offers **full file compatibility** with its advanced 3D modeling counterparts.

Optimized for Apple devices, Lithium CAD runs natively on both **Apple Silicon and Intel processors** through Universal Binary support. It brings the signature **Vellum® magic** to design, with intuitive wireframe sketching powered by the unique **Drafting Assistant**, anticipating the designer's next move and streamlining the creative process.

Versatile Applications

Lithium CAD is ideal for:

- Mechanical Designs
- Quick technical illustrations
- Prototype diagrams
- Anything you want to precisely sketch and think through.

Makers, designers, and professionals across industries can use Lithium to **energize their ideas** and clearly communicate concepts for visualization and building.

File Compatibility

Lithium CAD supports a wide range of industry-standard formats:

- **Import:** DWG, DXF, PDF, PNG, JPG, BMP, GIF, 3DM, STL, AI, 3DS
- **Export:** DWG, DXF, EPS, CGM, PDF, WRL, PNG, JPG, BMP, GIF, STL, AI

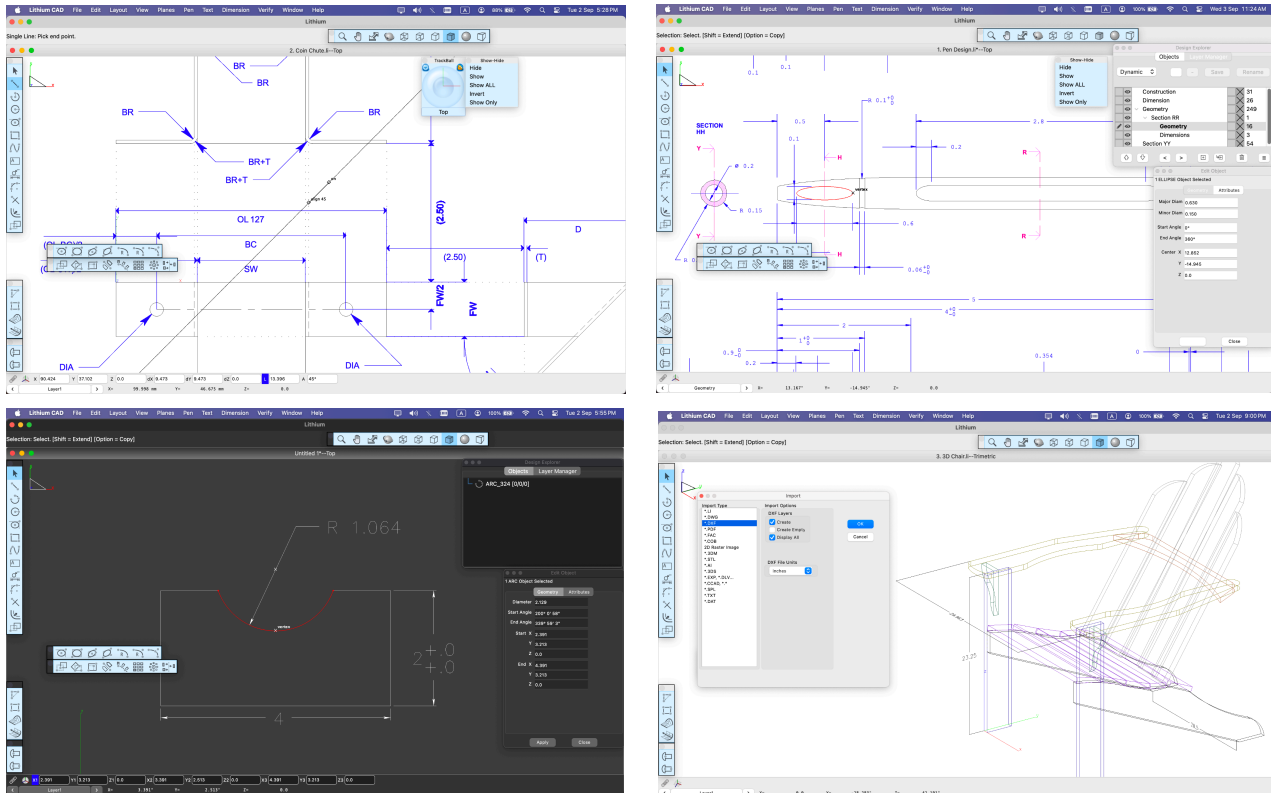
Availability & Pricing

Lithium CAD is available **for free download** from the Apple Mac App Store. The free version allows users to explore and learn the software, but saving, exporting, and printing are available only through subscription. Flexible subscription plans include **weekly, monthly, and annual options**.

Key Features:

- Supports macOS Monterey (12) and higher
- Intuitive interface for easy adoption
- Cross-platform file compatibility
- Free download with subscription to unlock full functionality

“Lithium CAD extends our Designer Elements family with a lightweight yet powerful tool, perfect for 2D drafting while offering the flexibility of wireframe 3D. It’s a fresh way to bring ideas to life—fast, intuitive, and built for the Mac,” said Dmytro Yudin, Lead Developer on the Lithium project at Ashlar-Vellum.



For more information about Lithium CAD, visit <https://Ashlar-Vellum.com> or download it today from the [Apple Mac App Store](#).

About Ashlar-Vellum

Founded in 1988, Ashlar-Vellum is the leading provider of precision CAD and 3D modeling software that automates and simplifies the design process for drafting, design, and engineering professionals on both Macintosh and Windows platforms. Ashlar-Vellum's unique Organic Workflow™ featuring their renowned Vellum user interface and powerful toolsets have earned the loyalty of innovators around the world. Ashlar-Vellum operates from its headquarters in Austin, Texas with our development team and administrative support in Ukraine and around the world.

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