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Drafting & Design: Section 1 – Chapter 4: CAD Commands and Functions

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1. The instructions you provide to CAD software to achieve the end result are called \_\_\_\_\_.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ menus appear at the top of Windows based software.
3. What type of commands allow you to begin, save, and open drawings?  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a drawing file with preconfigured user settings.
5. In the Cartesian coordinate system, the horizontal axis is the \_\_\_\_\_ axis and the vertical axis is the \_\_\_\_\_ axis.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ commands (such as the **line** command) allow you to create objects on the computer screen.
7. Identify four common methods of defining a circle.  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is a portion of a circle.
9. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is a closed circular object with an oval shape.
10. A regular \_\_\_\_\_ is an object with sides of equal length and included angles.
11. You can add text to a drawing using the \_\_\_\_\_ command.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ is used in section views to show cutaway parts and to represent specific materials.
13. Which of the following is *not* a common editing or inquiry command?
  - A. Rotate
  - B. Extend
  - C. Dimension
  - D. List
14. The \_\_\_\_\_ command permanently removes selected objects from the drawing.
15. The \_\_\_\_\_ command reverses the last command.

16. The size of existing objects can be changed using the \_\_\_\_\_ command.

17. A \_\_\_\_\_ is just like a fillet, except it is an exterior arc.

18. Extending an object lengthens the object to end precisely at an edge called a \_\_\_\_\_ edge.

19. The **array** command is essentially a \_\_\_\_\_ function.

20. The \_\_\_\_\_ command is used to calculate the area of an enclosed space.

21. Name three display control commands.

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22. The **zoom** command increases or decreases the \_\_\_\_\_ factor.

23. Name the five basic types of dimensioning commands.

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24. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is used to provide a specific or local note.

25. Grid, snap, and ortho are examples of \_\_\_\_\_.

26. Name the two types of snap.

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27. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is a virtual piece of paper on which CAD objects are placed.

28. \_\_\_\_\_ are special objects that can best be thought of as symbols inserted into a drawing.

29. One of the biggest advantages of using blocks and attributes is the ability to automatically generate \_\_\_\_\_.

30. An isometric drawing is a traditional 2D \_\_\_\_\_ drawing.

31. Surface modeling creates 3D objects by drawing a skin, often over a \_\_\_\_\_.

32. UCS is an abbreviation for \_\_\_\_\_.

33. Define *animation*.

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