

PREPARATION

Because ACAD-BAU program is BIM application, we need a CAD platform to run it. This can be AutoCAD or BricsCAD. It runs also on AutoCAD verticals (AutoCAD Architecture, AutoCAD MEP, AutoCAD Civil 3D...) and on older versions:

- **AutoCAD** 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 ali 2017
- **BricsCAD** V15 or V16

If we do not have a CAD platform, we can run a 1-month demo downloadable here:

- **AutoCAD:** <http://www.autodesk.com/products/autocad/free-trial>
- **BricsCAD:** https://www.bricsys.com/en_EU/

If we run Setup without CAD platform, BricsCAD Demo will be installed automatically.

INSTALLATION

ACAD-BAU has separated installation files for 32 and 64 bit platform,

- **ACAD-BAU 17 64-bit installation**
- **BIM ENABLER 64- bit installation**

- **ACAD-BAU 17 32- bit installation**
- **BIM ENABLER 32- bit installation**

The transferred executable runs Setup automatically and we only follow the instructions. In case of multiple CAD platforms, we have to choose, which one to use for ACAD-BAU.

BIM ENABLER is a free add-on for all coworkers that can be used for managing ACAD-BAU BIM model (reviewing, measuring, basic editing with grips...) on PC's without ACAD-BAU. It can be installed on AutoCAD and BricsCAD (all versions listed above).

START UP

After the installation we have 3 new icons on the desktop. For running the program, we select **ACAD-BAU 17**, and **Information center** for licensing, help and other administration.

FIRST STEPS

After first run of the program, you will see Tool palettes with Tutorial. This is an exercise, that helps you to get to know the program basics. Open the PDF tutorial for your CAD platform and follow the instructions.

