



Workflow 1: Creating a New MicroStation Design File

1. When starting MicroStation, the first dialog shown is the MicroStation Manager. From MicroStation Manager, select File>New.

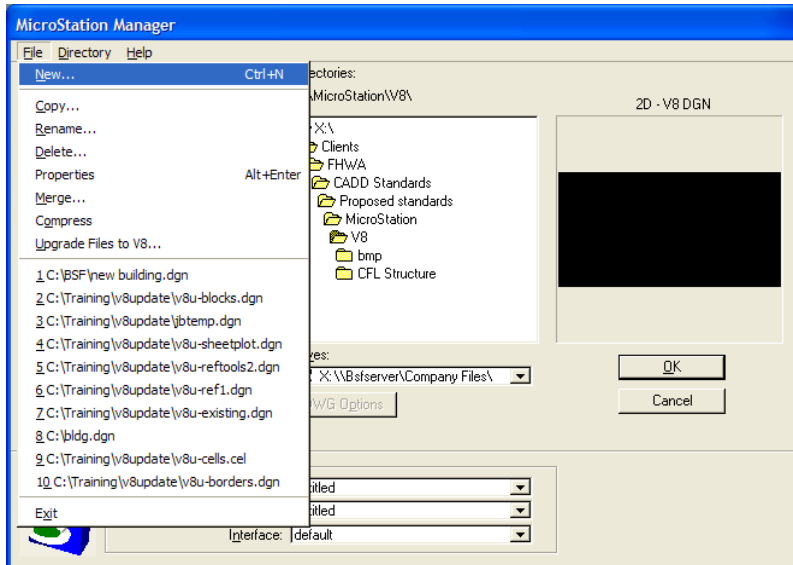


Figure 4-1: New file

2. The Create New Design File dialog will activate. Under the Seed File heading a file is already selected. Click on the Select button to select the correct seed file. The Seed File dialog below shows the path to the CFLHD seed file.

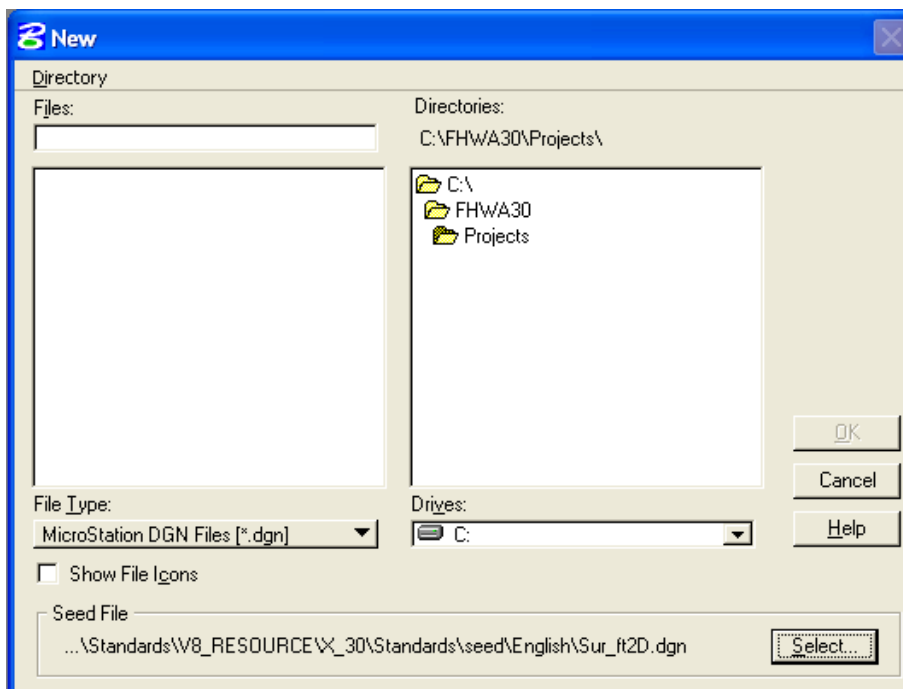


Figure 4-2: New File



From this dialog the user can give the file a new name, select the directory where the file will reside, and select the appropriate seed file to act as a base for the new design file.

3. *Once the user has reached the correct directory the available seed files will display in the files section of the dialog box. Select the correct seed file and click OK.*
4. *Give the new design file a name, make sure the path to where the file should be created is correct, and then click OK.*

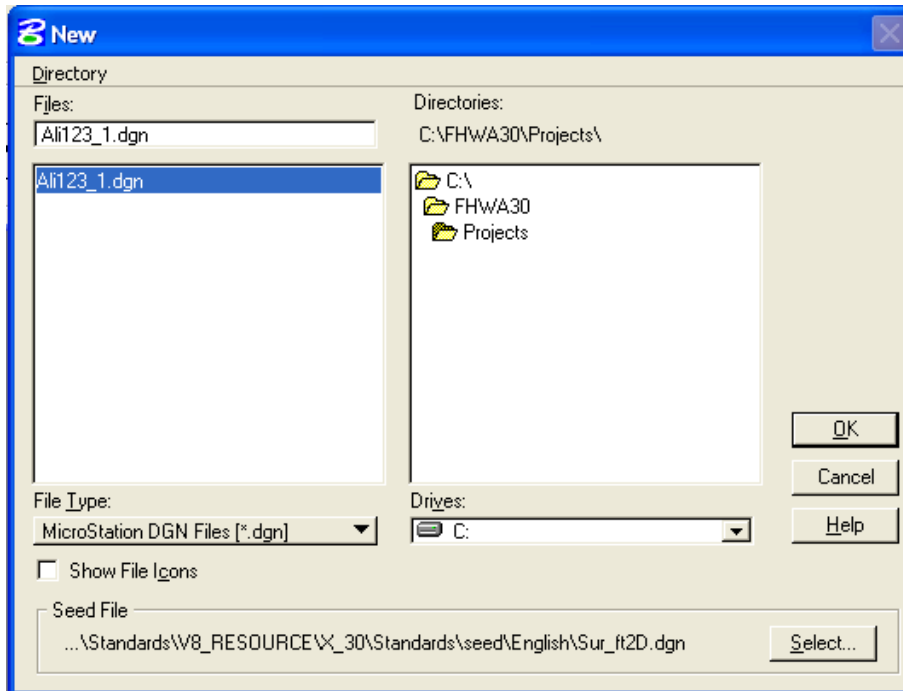


Figure 4-3: Create a new design file

5. *Under the seed file section, the correct CFLHD seed file is now displayed. In the directories box the example shows the path to where the user would like the file to be created, and in the files box, in the example above a new file a name has been typed in.*
6. *Prior to opening the new design file, select the project configuration file from the MicroStation Manager as shown below.*

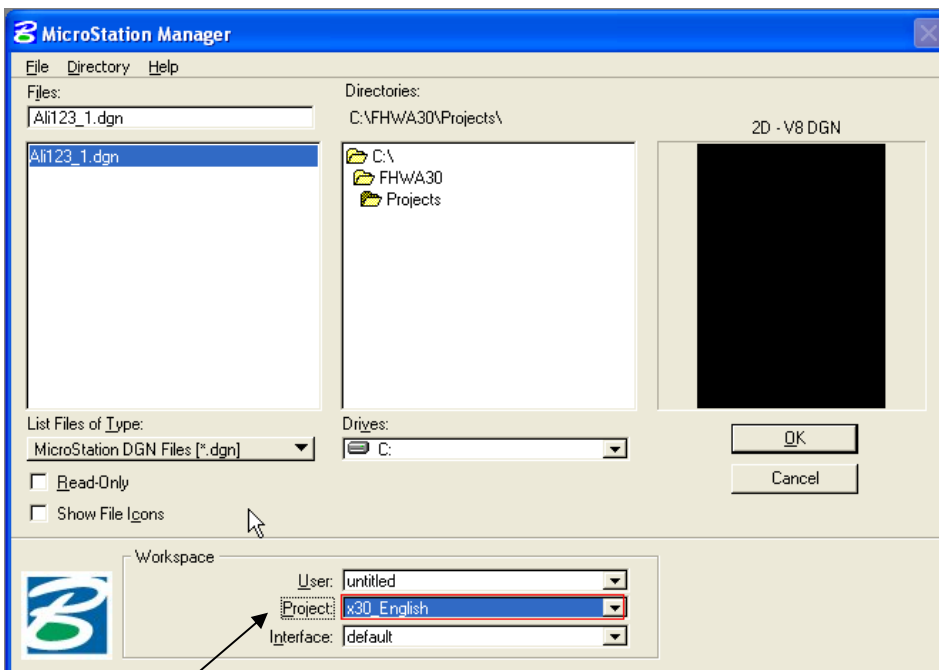


Figure 4-4: Project Configuration Setting

Project Configuration file (*.pcf)



Using the Project Configuration file will give the user access to the X30 Generation of Standard Files (Level library, line styles, cell library, color table, text styles, ddb files, etc.)