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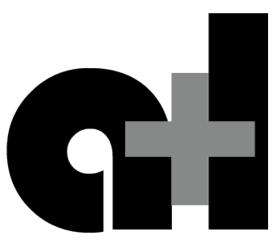
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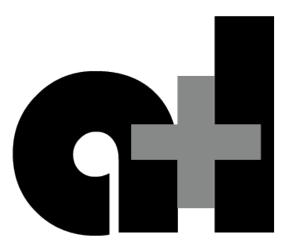


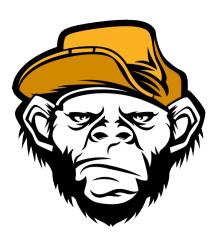


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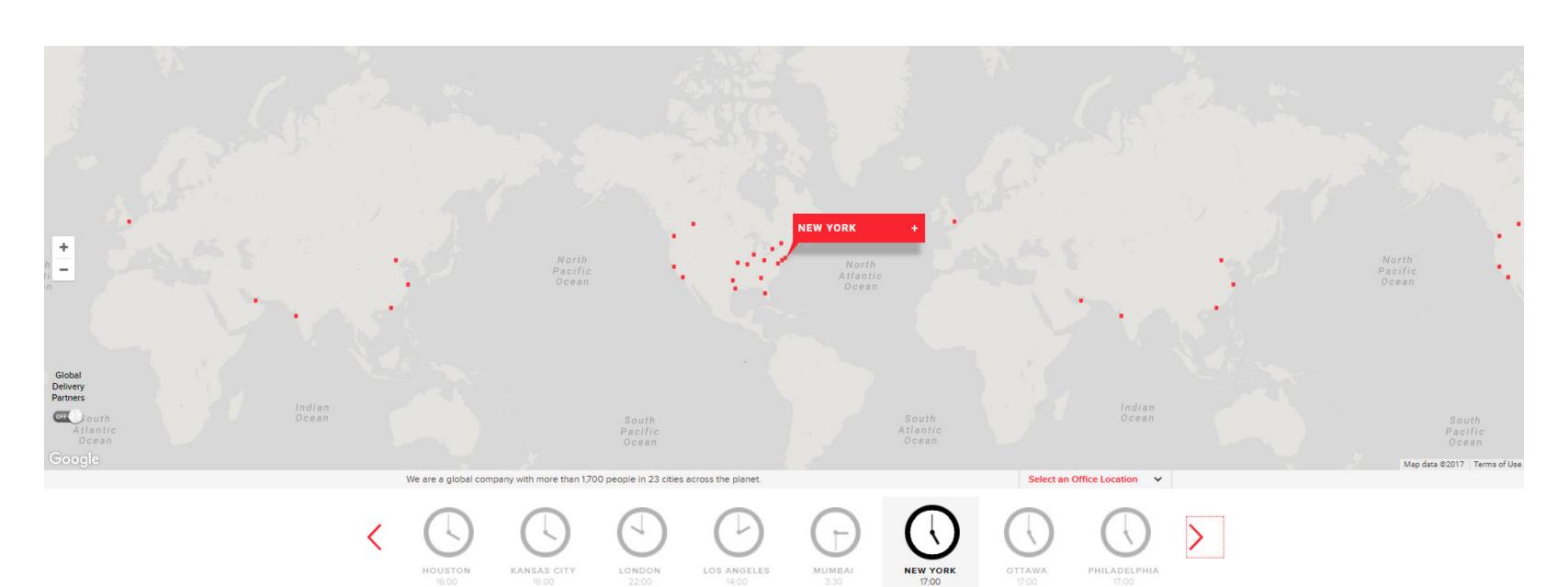
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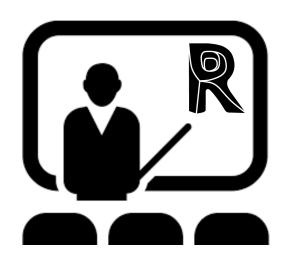
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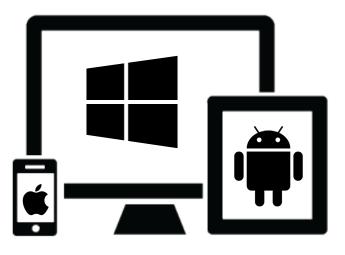


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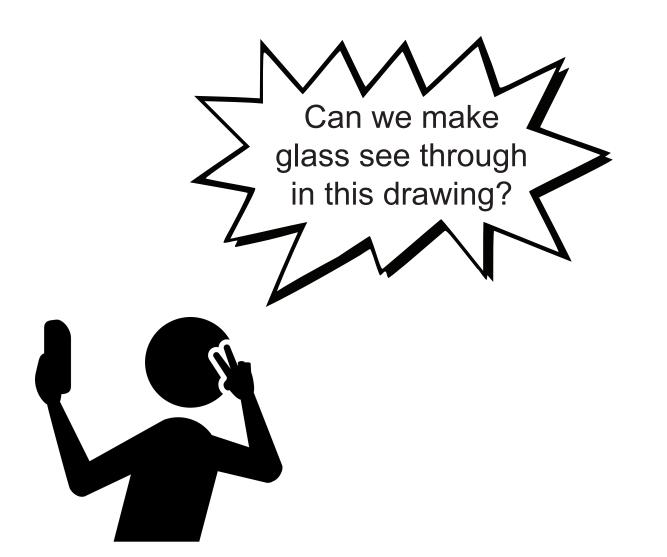






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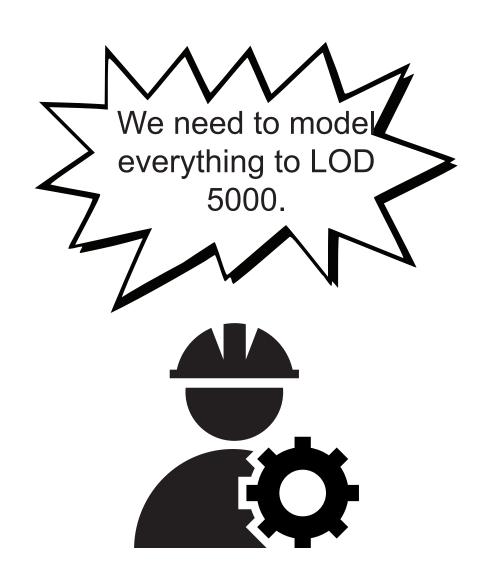
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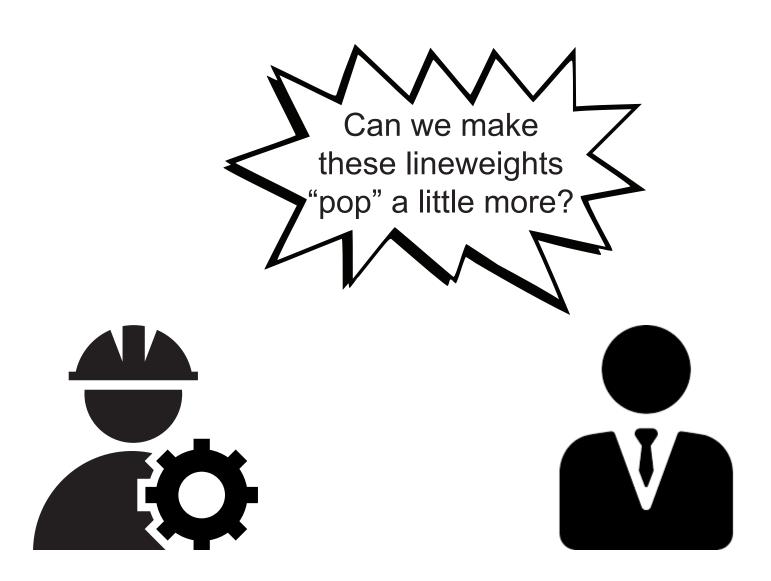




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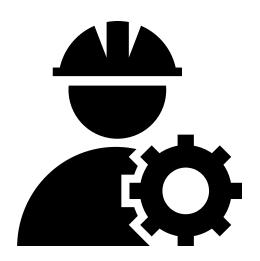
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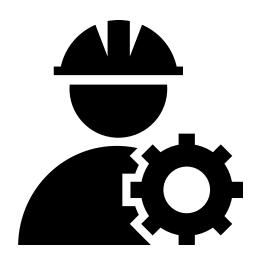
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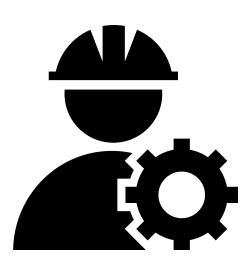
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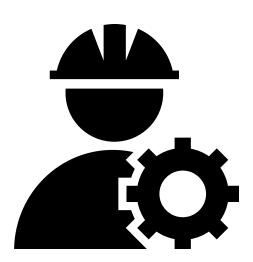
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- Of course we needed a way to enforce standards!

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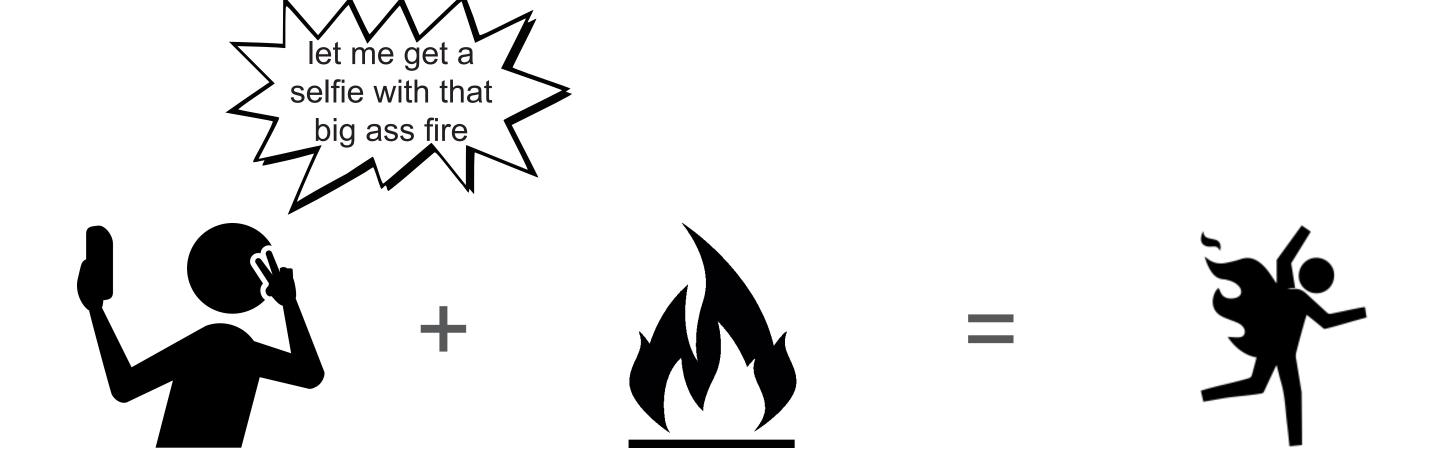


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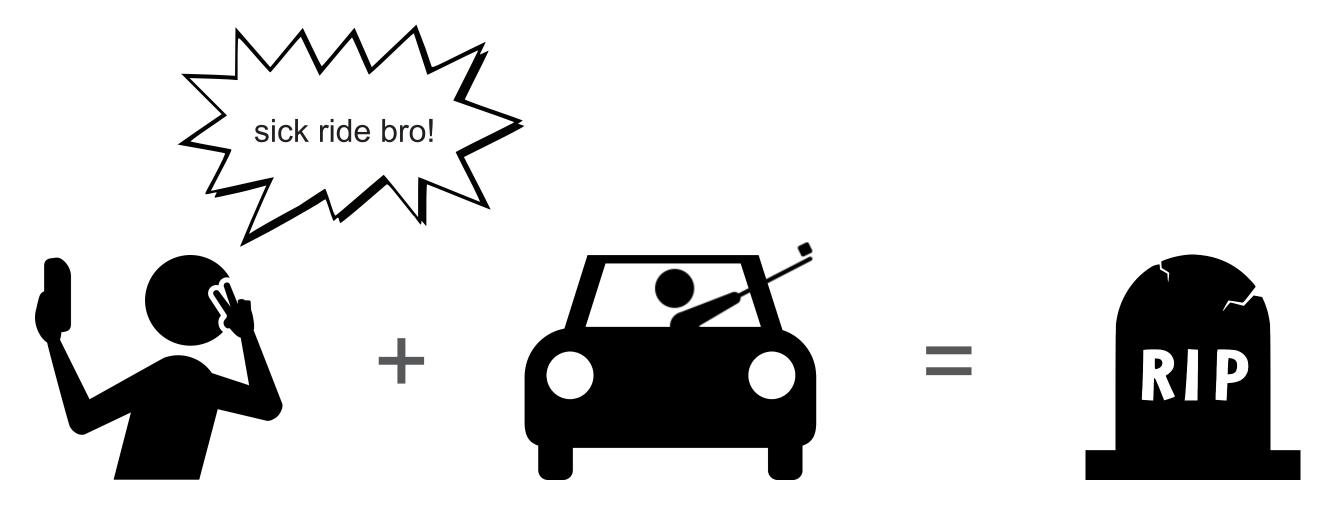


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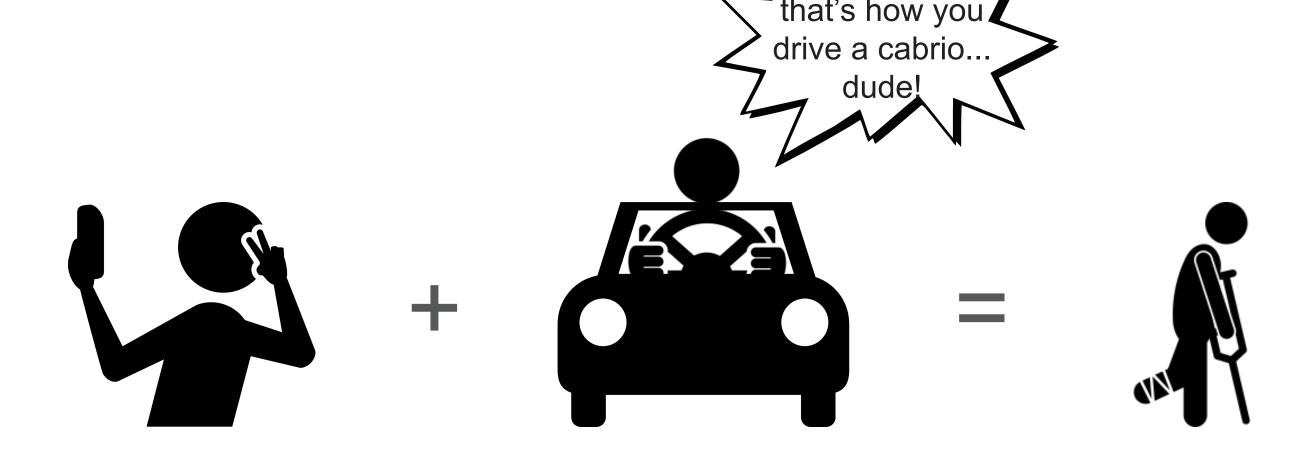


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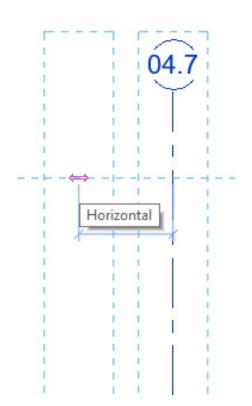
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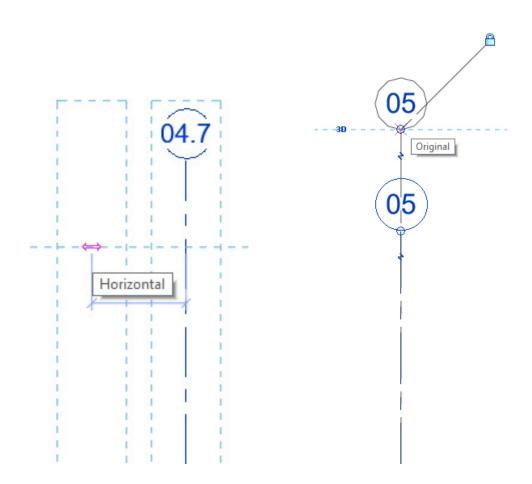
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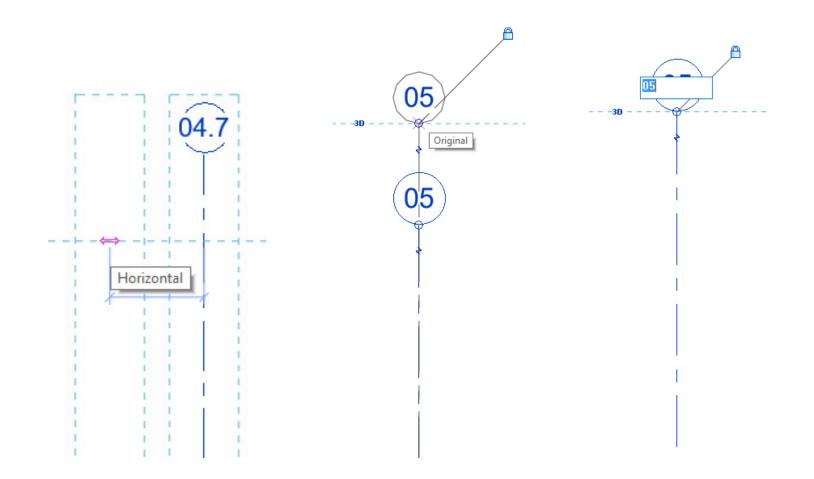


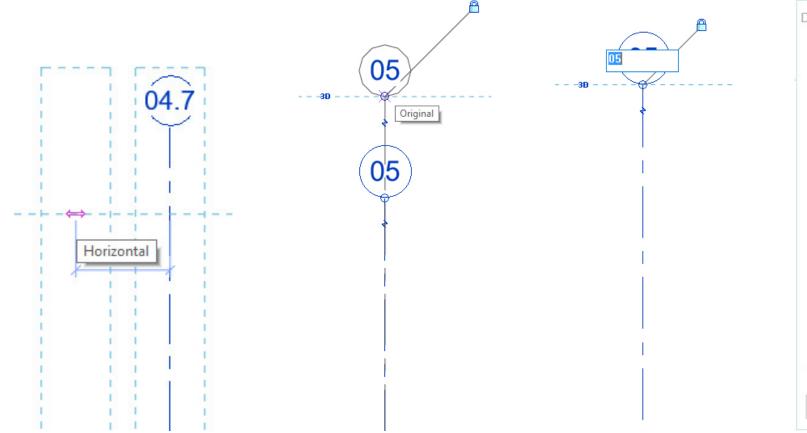
can "bad revit" be corrected?

• Yes, what we need is means of providing *opportunity to practice*, and *immediate feedback* so people can evaluate their decisions, gain insights and actually learn.









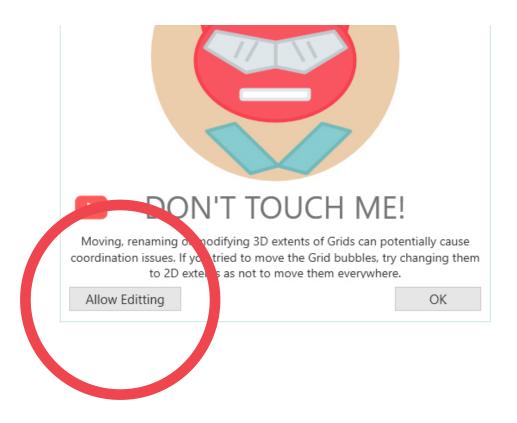


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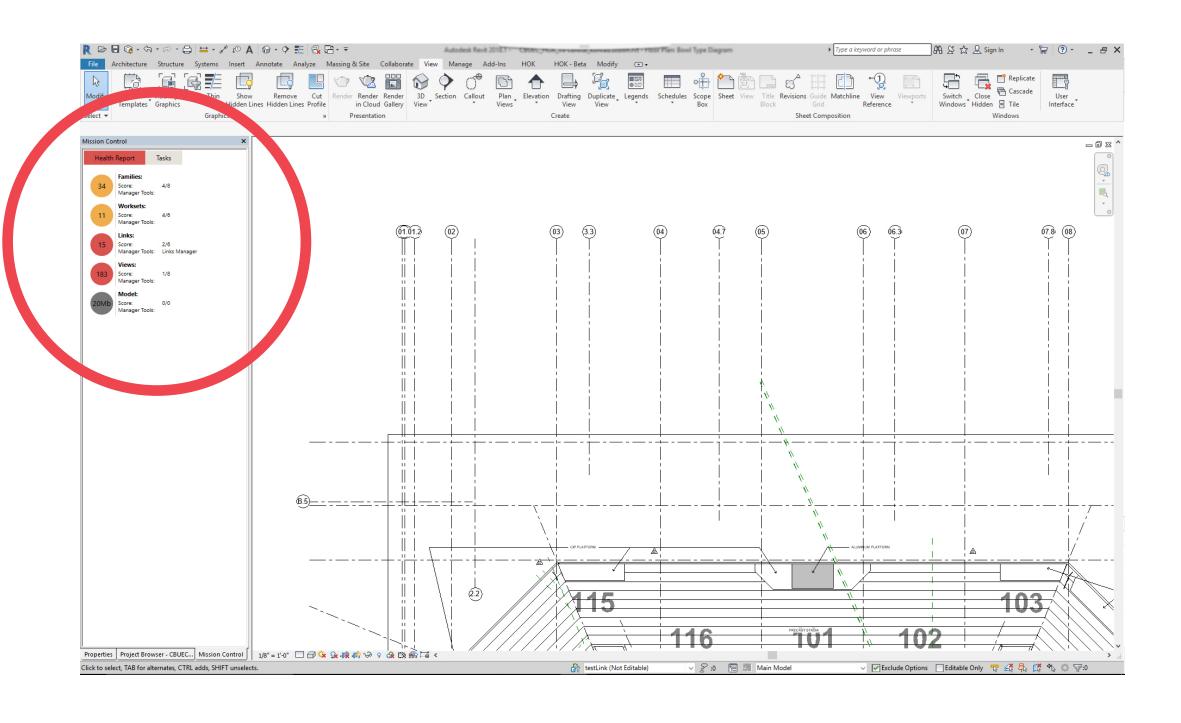
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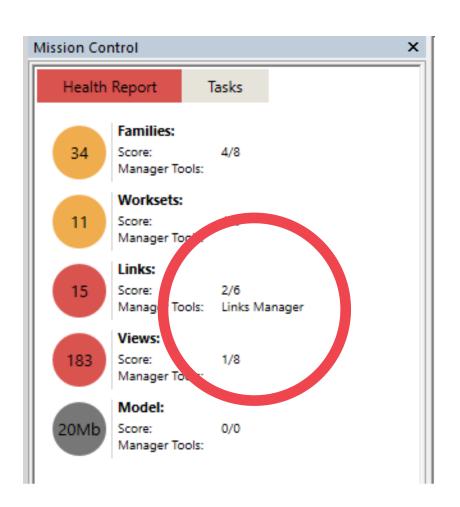
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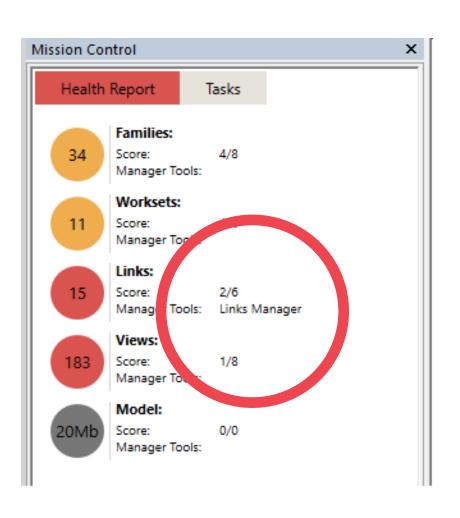


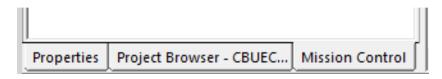
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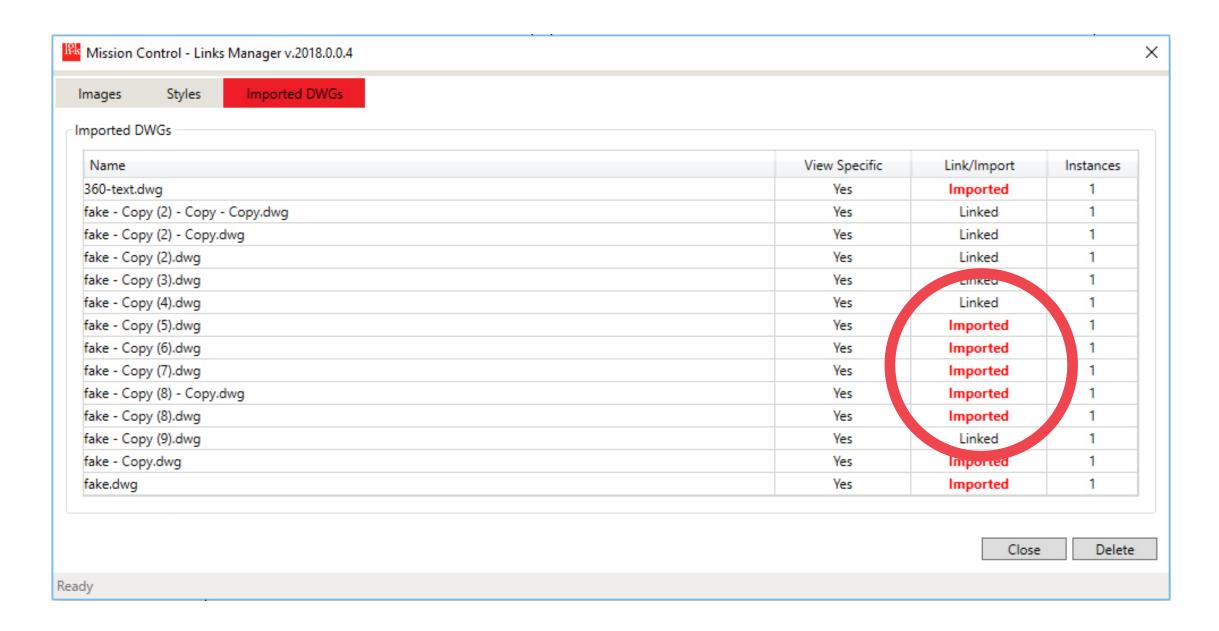




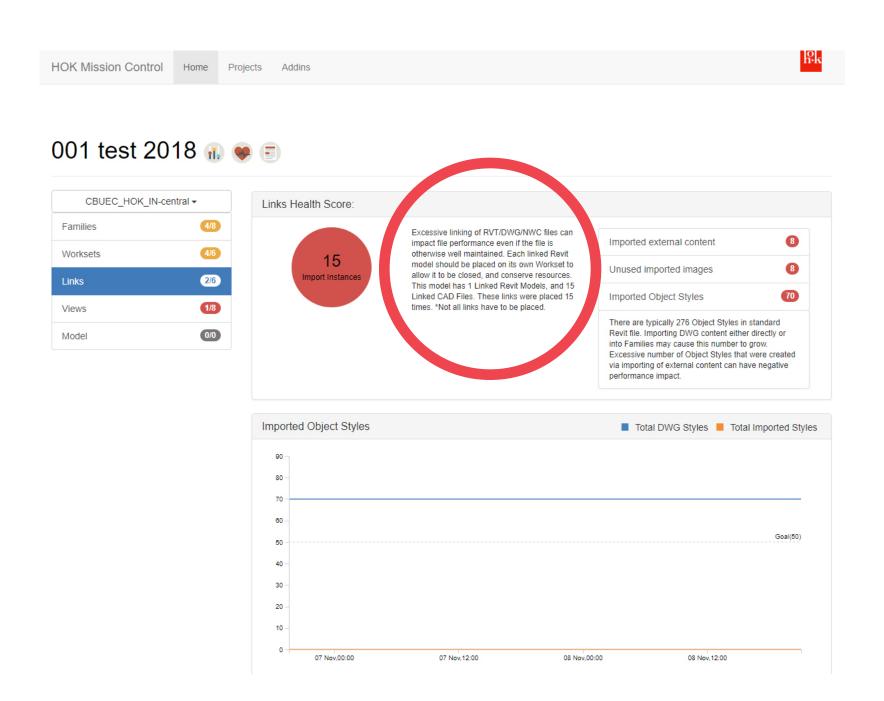
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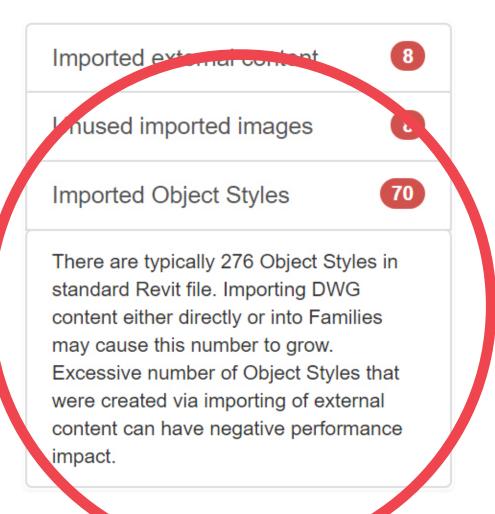




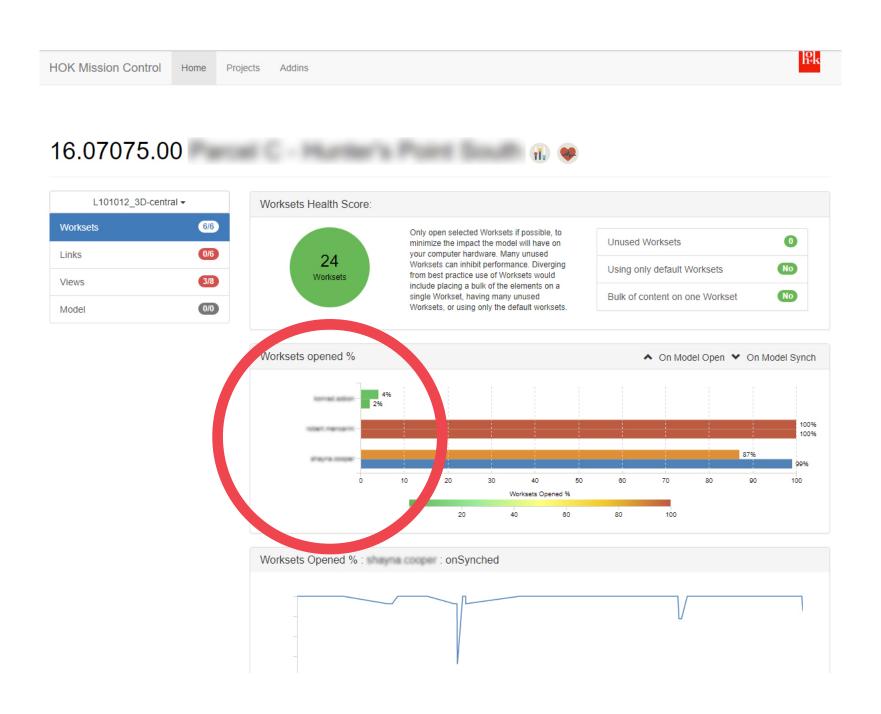


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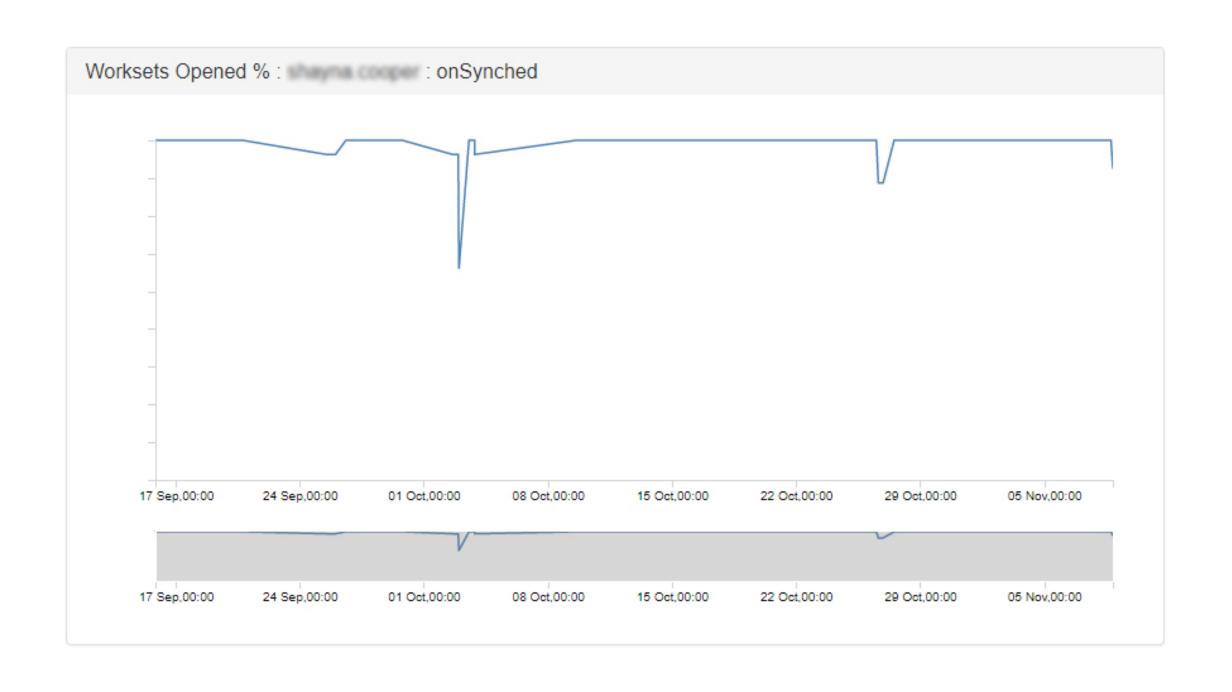




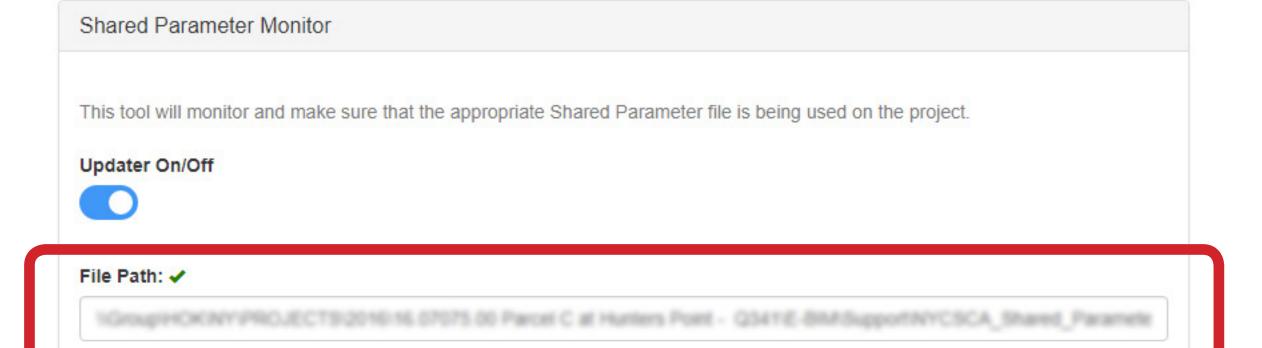
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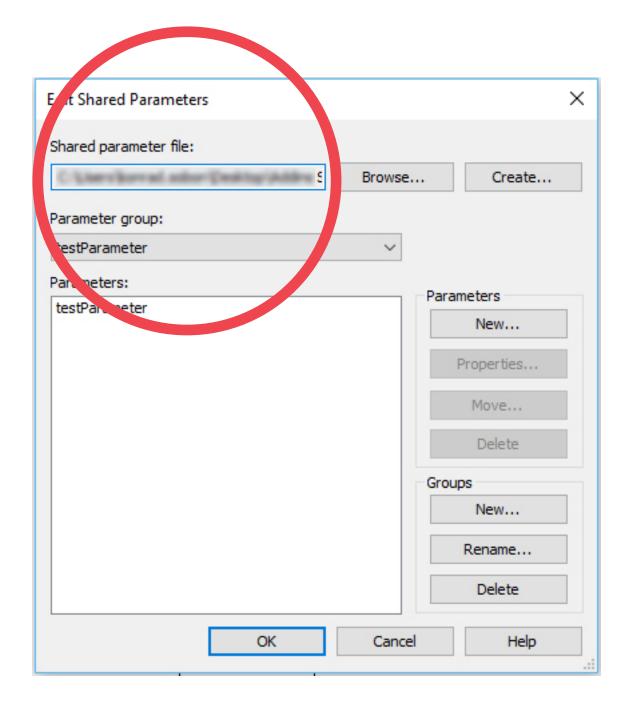
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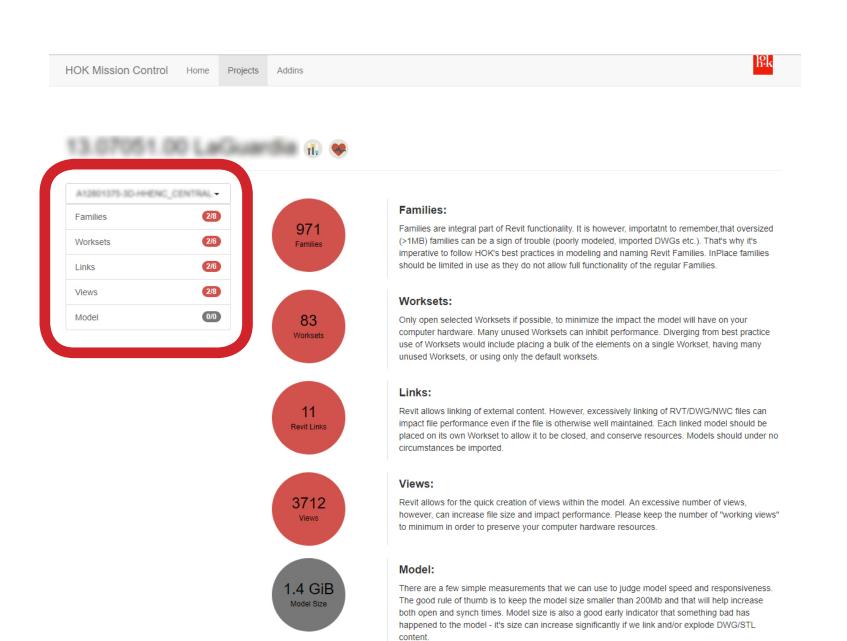
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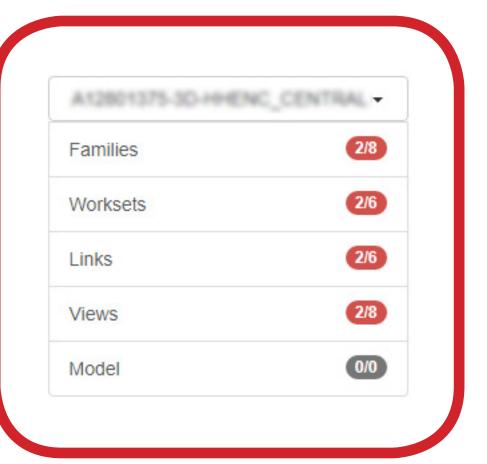
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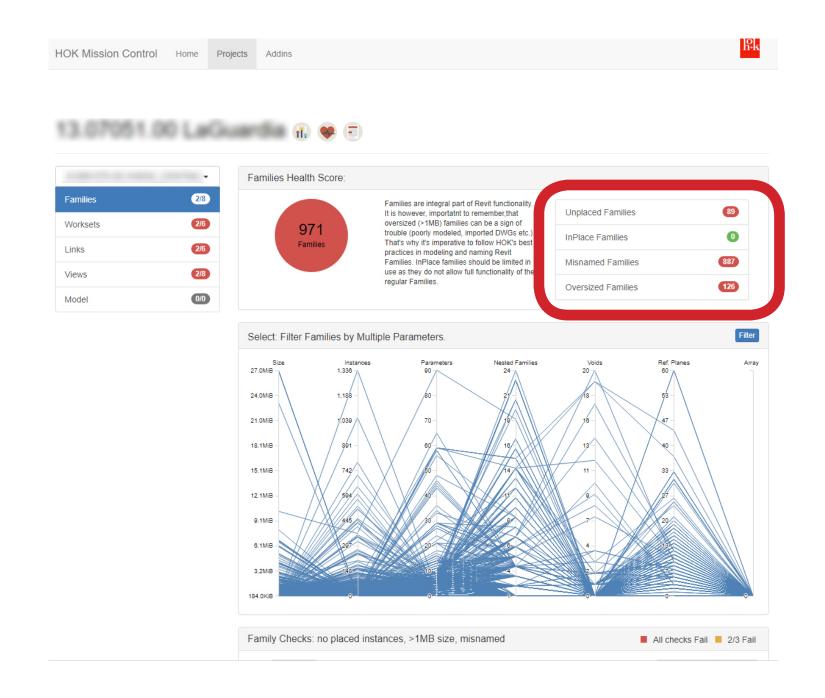
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- You are also running coordination meetings, writing BIM Level 15 standards and, yes, I didn't forget, you are there on the "zero day" to make sure that everything gets printed, and things don't disappear from the model in some automagical fashion.

high level view



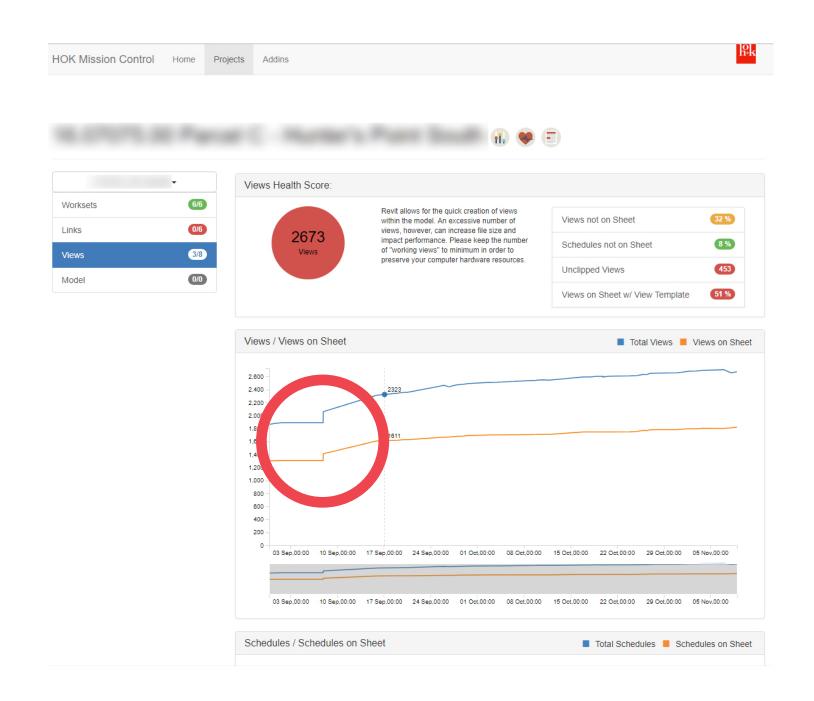


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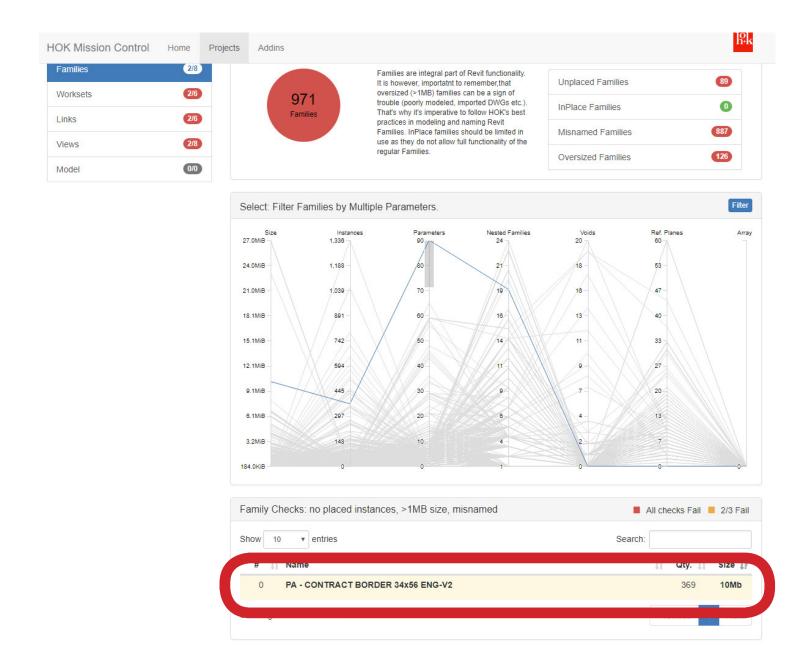


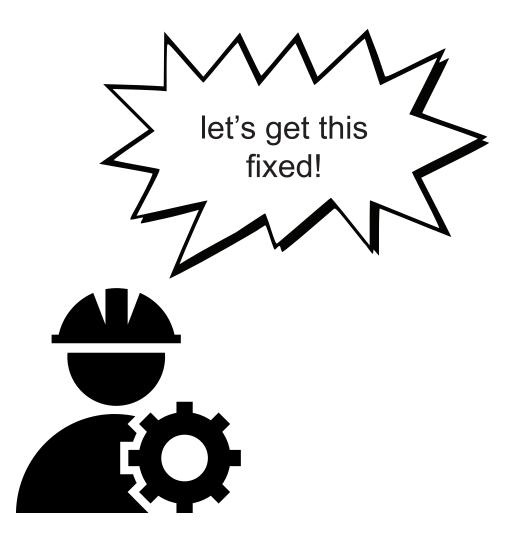
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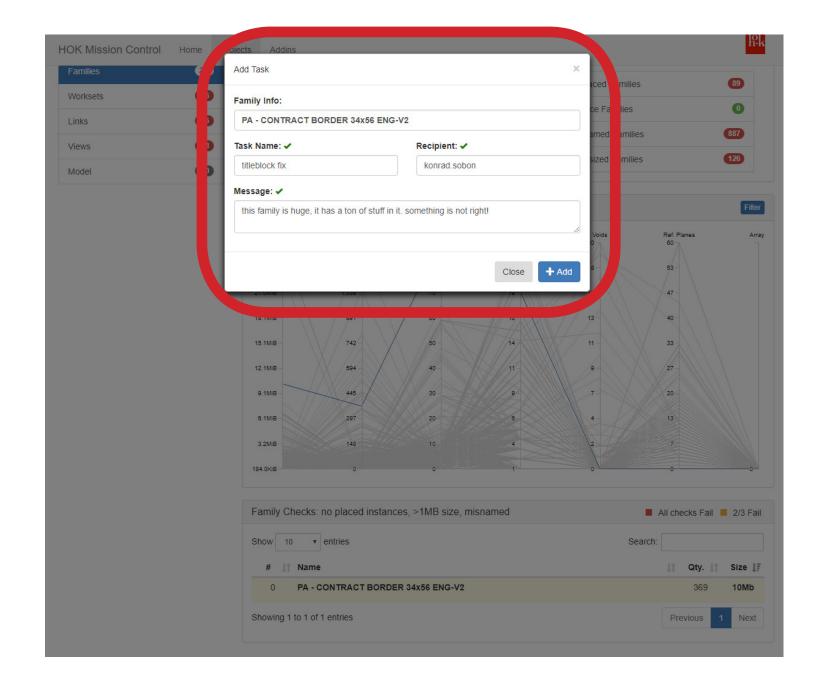


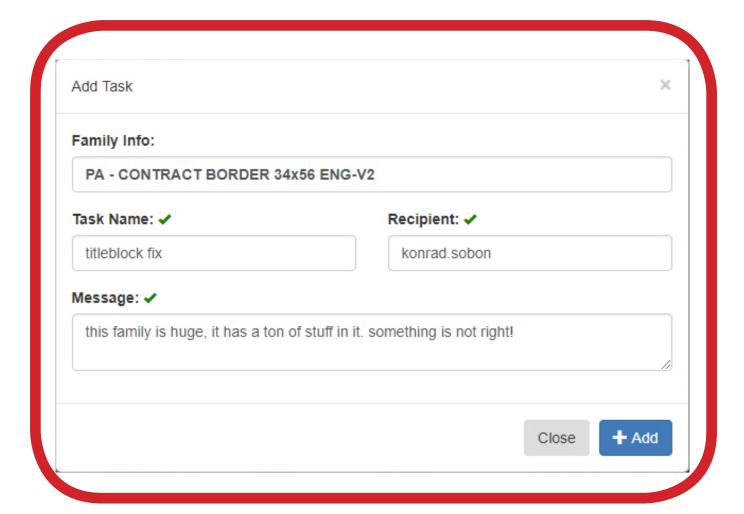
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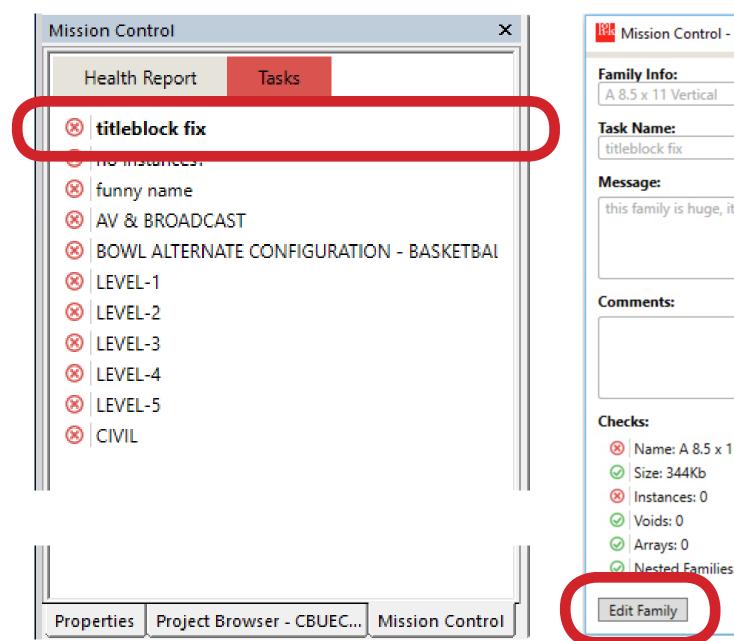


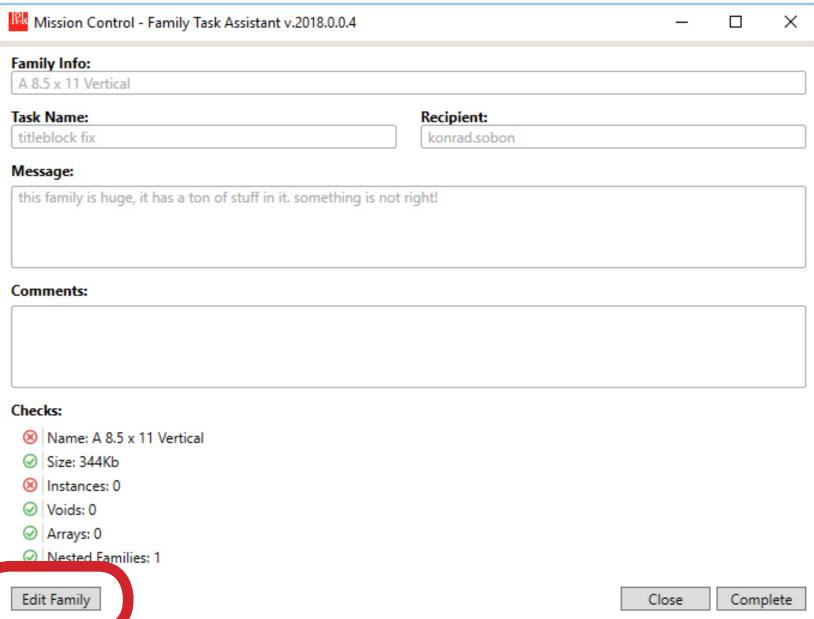
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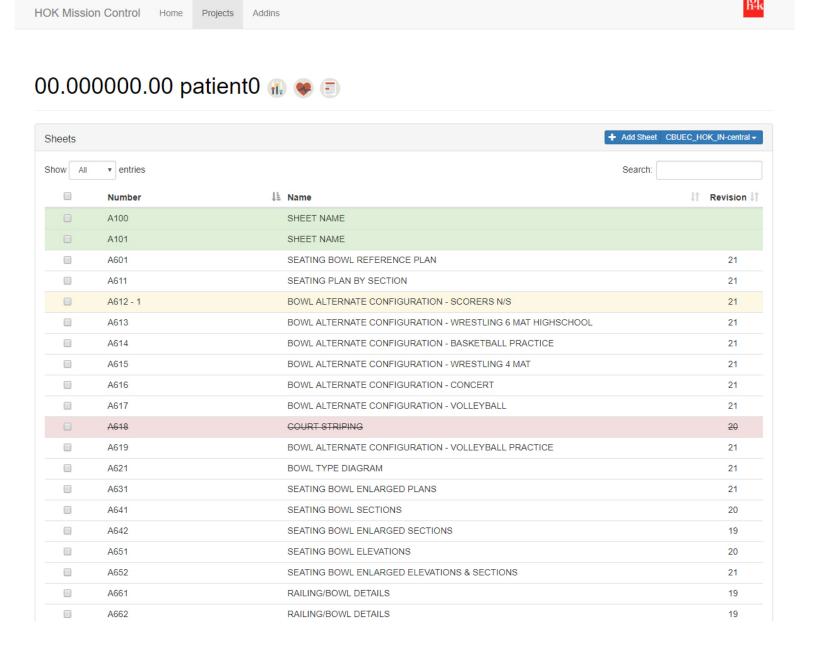




low hanging fruit

 We thought that we can start with sheet management. The typical task of creating and maintaining a project wide drawing list, usually falls on the BIM Manager, because it's tied closely with Revit, but can be easily done by Project Architect/Manager.

sheets manager



filter by model/all



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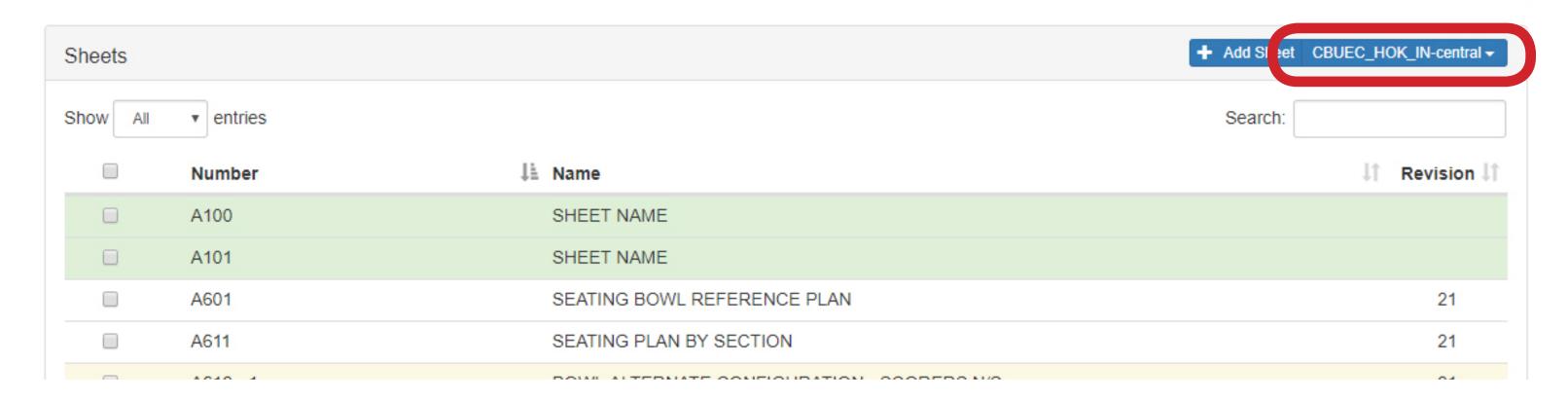


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proposed new sheets



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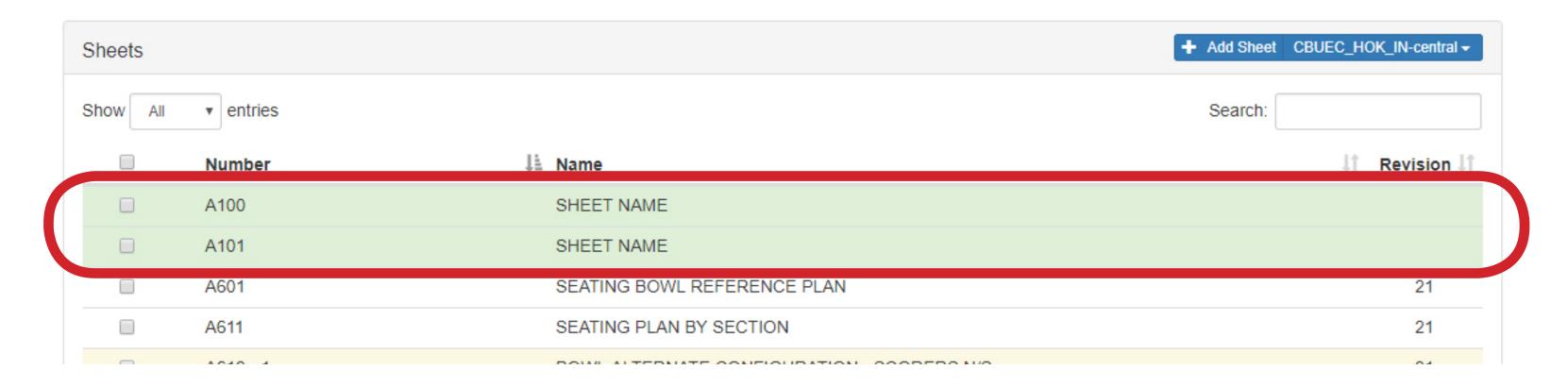
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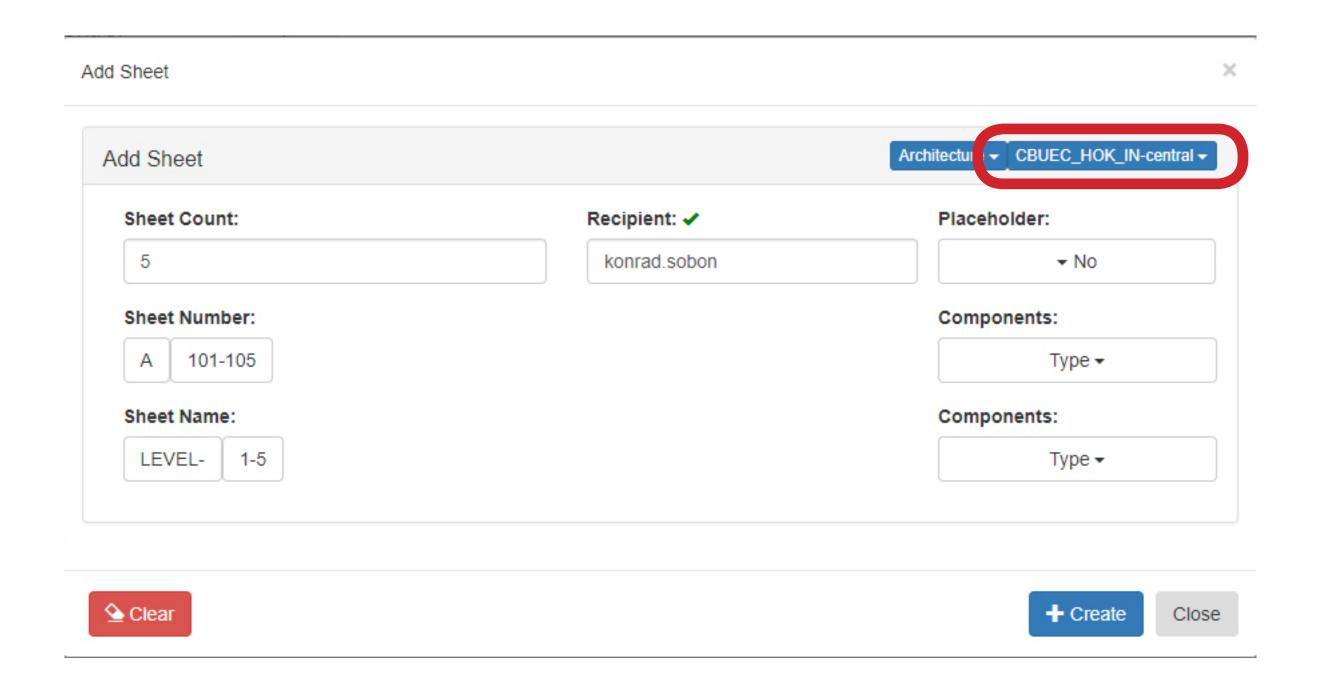
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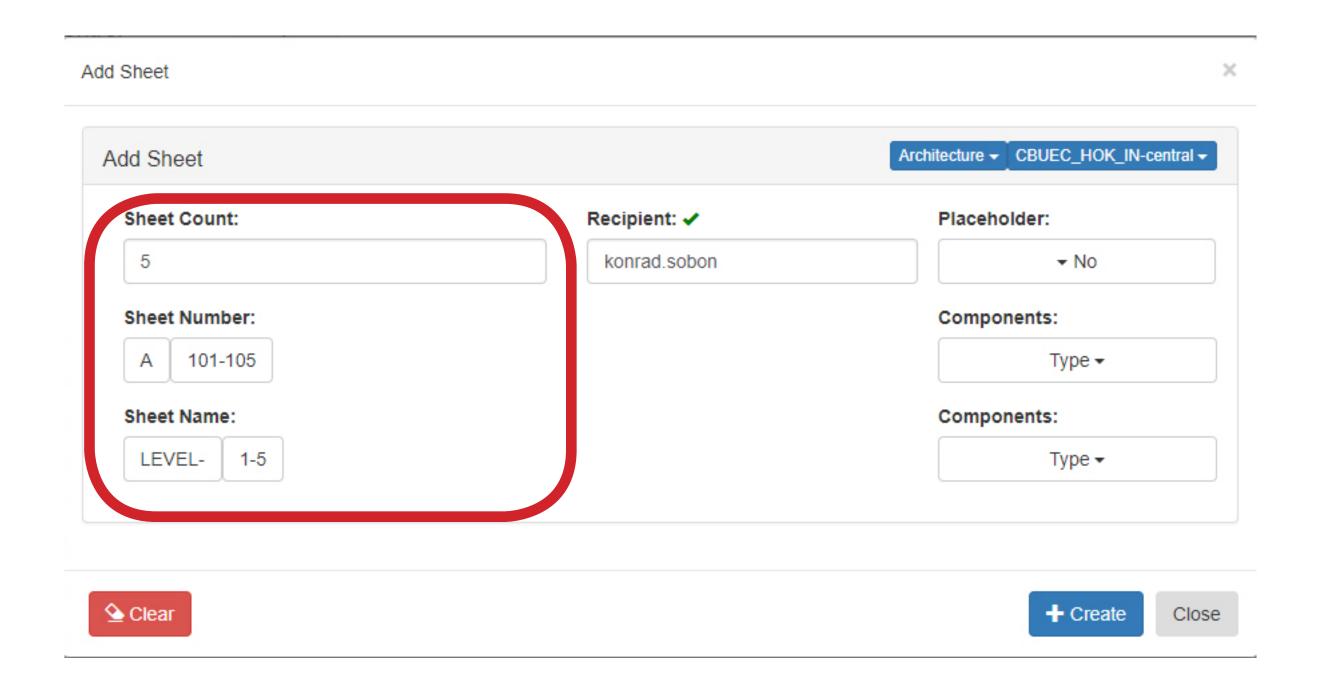
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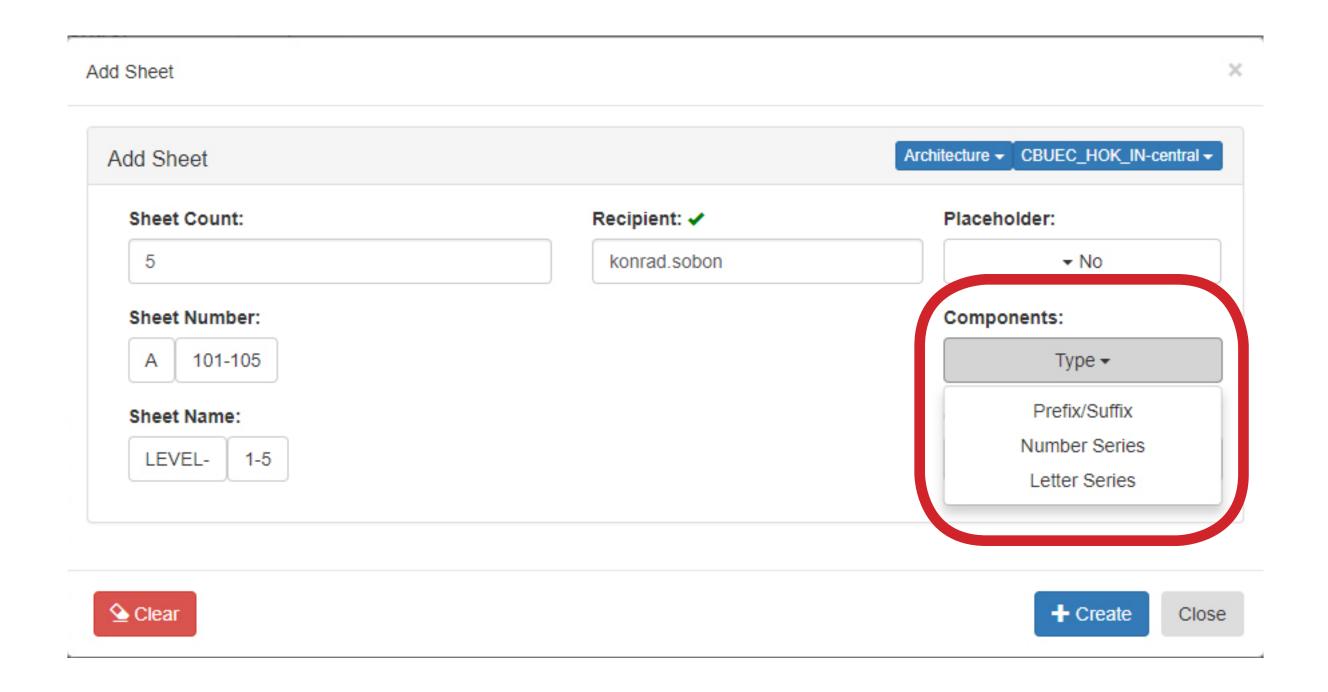
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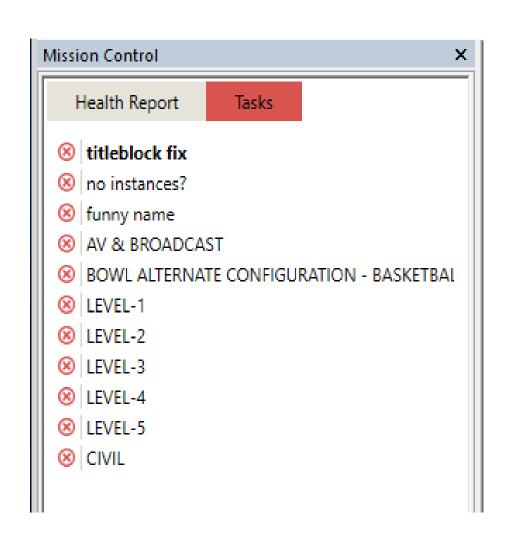
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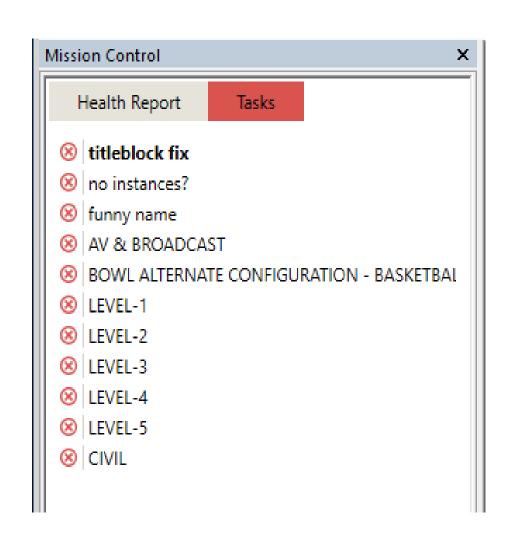
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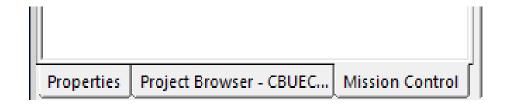


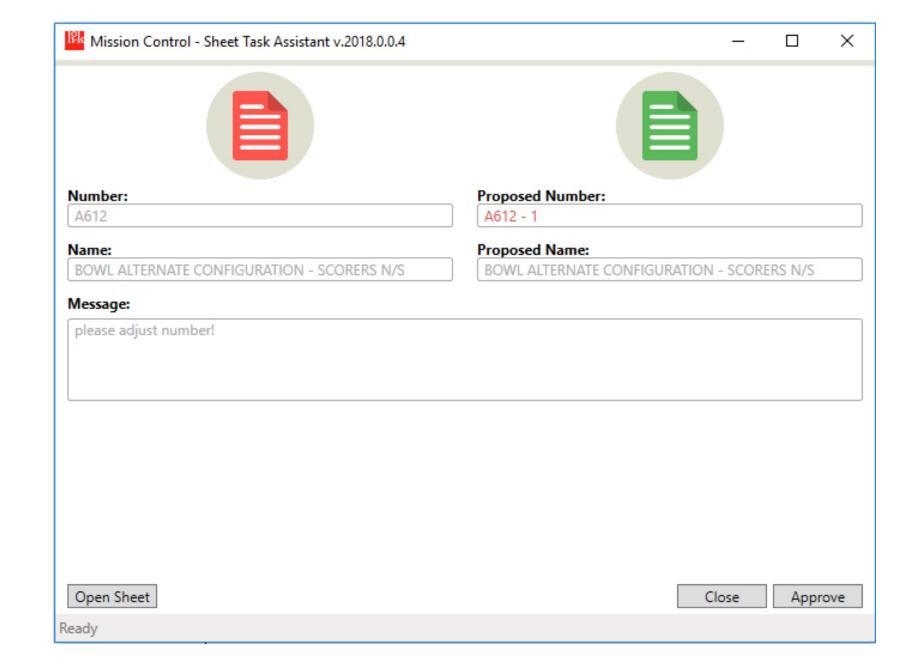
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change sheet task









collect data

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collect data

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- People become overconfident because they don't document their past track record of bad decisions. We also tend to look for evidence of things that confirm our initial assumptions.

<u>observe</u>

• People make mistakes - lots of them. In order for us to realize what we are doing wrong we need to observe better, and document our past assumptions so that we can make better decisions in the future.

speak up

• Enable people in your organization to provide you with feedback. Your solutions might not work for everyone, so it's important to let people tell you just that.



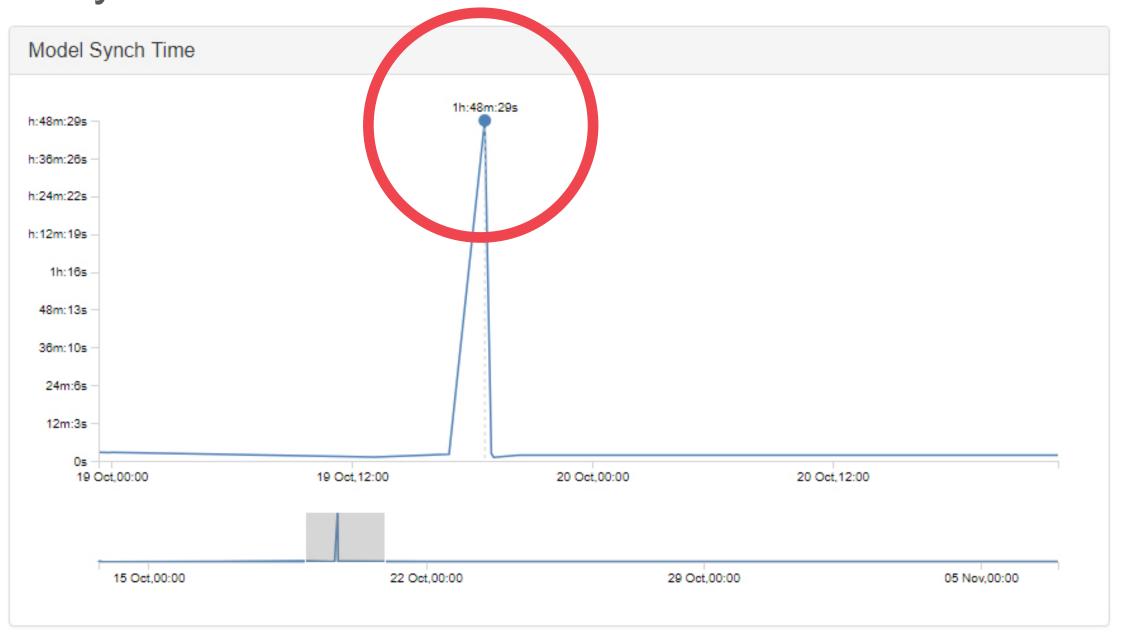
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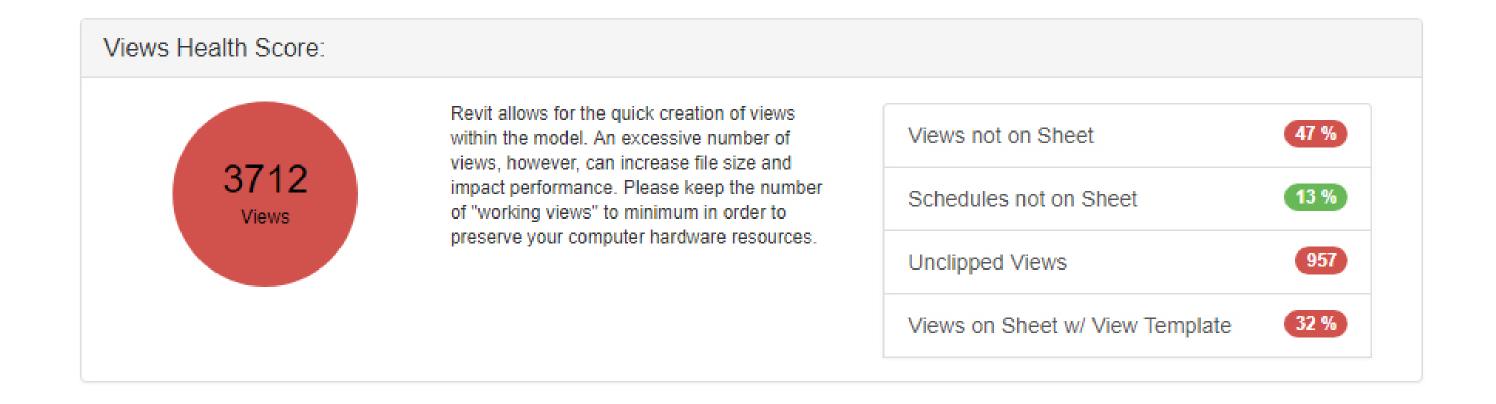
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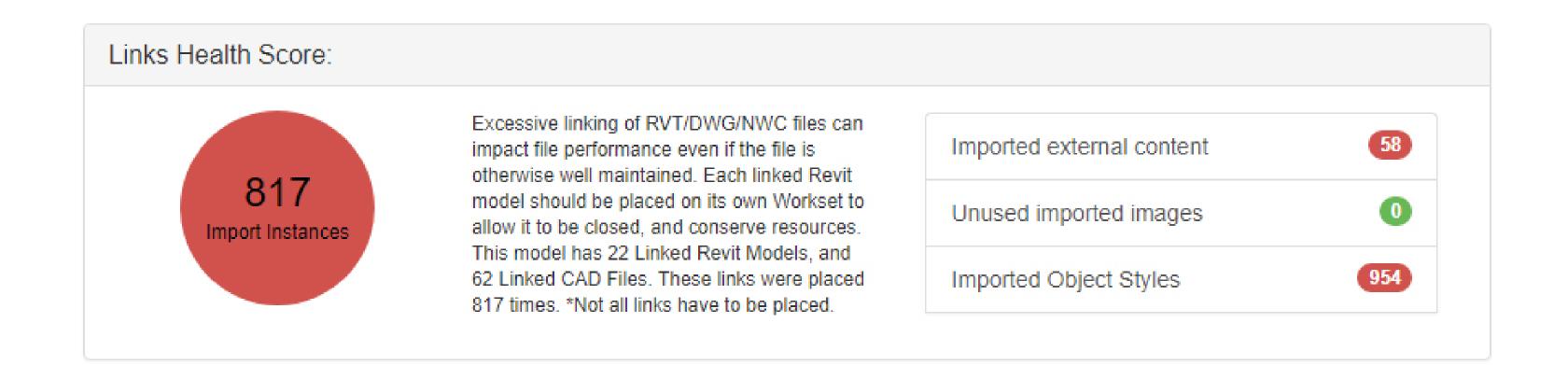
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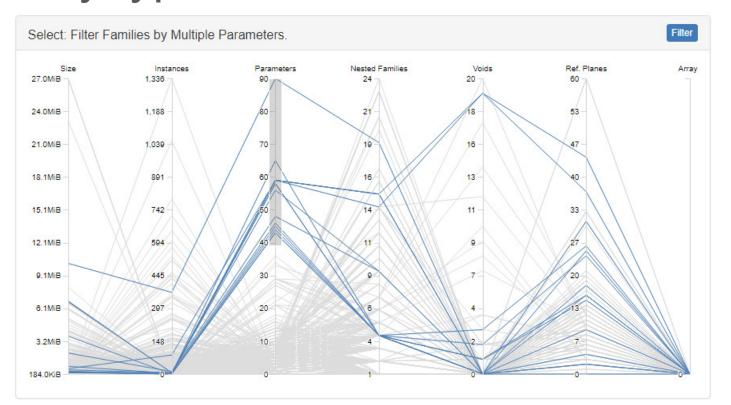
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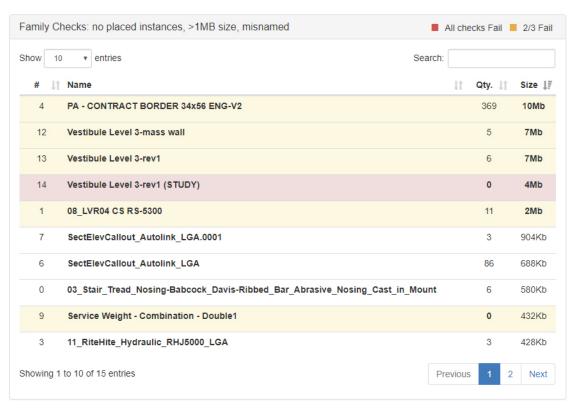


- 22 linked Revit models
- 954 imported object styles
- 62 linked CAD files
- 817 instances of links



- 369 instances of 10MiB titleblock, each has 90+ parameters
- 27MiB "conduit penetration" family
- 15 families with 40+ parameters
- Screw family type with 60 reference planes
- 7 familly types with 20+ nested families, each 27MiB+ in size





1.4 GiB model

