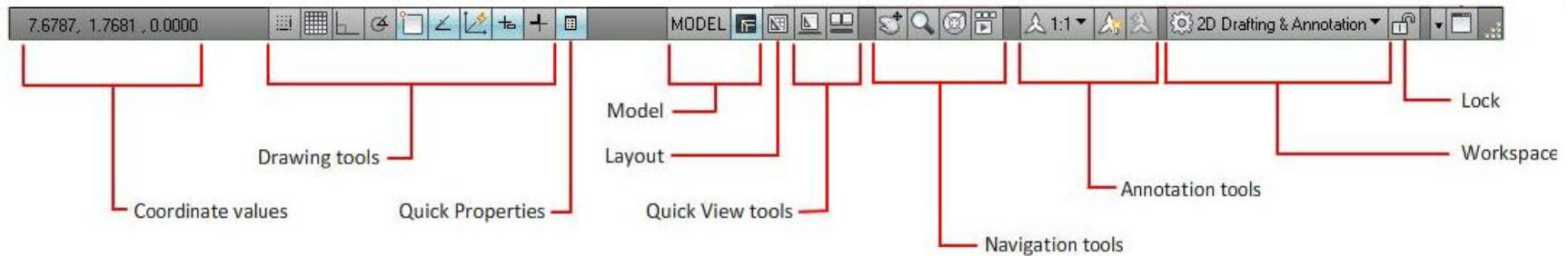


AutoCAD's Status Bar's Drawing Tools Handout



Drawing Tool Toggle Icons (On/Off) Defined

Snap – restricts your draw motions to preset increments such as .0625 (1/16th) mechanical or 2 inches architectural

Grid – allows you to divide the screen by dots or lines visible only on screen to give a sense of space and proportion

Ortho Snap – restricts your drawing motions to one of four 90° angles such as 0°, 90°, 180°, 270°

Polar Tracking – restricts your drawing motions to reset defined angles and allows direct distance input of coordinates

Object Snap – allows you to snap to predefined points of existing object geometry (Osnaps) coincidental with their Grips

Object Snap Tracking – allows you to snap to alignment track paths based on acquired Osnap points of existing objects

Dynamic UCS – allows the UCS to track to corresponding views after you leave the default plan or top view

Dynamic Input – provides a heads-up display by the cursor offering dimensional feedback and command prompts

Show/ Hide Lineweight – allows you to display line weights on screen in model or paper space as may be set in layers

Quick Properties – provides a heads-up display by the cursor of the properties of existing object geometry when selected

Note: Right clicking the mouse over these icons offers additional options in popup windows.

Make sure Dynamic Input is turned off when trying to perform operations such as keyboarding coordinates.

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