

GC-Prevue™

Your Free Gerber Data Viewer!

GC-Prevue is the industry standard software for viewing electronics manufacturing data. With over 400,000 users worldwide, GC-Prevue brings ease-of-use and standardization to manufacturing data analysis. A powerful cross-industry workgroup tool, GC-Prevue allows you to examine photoplot data, print check copies, and produce a work file for use by other GraphiCode products.

GC-Prevue can be used and shared by anyone needing to view electronics design and manufacturing data. Users of the product include; PCB Designer, Fabricators, Assemblers, and Testers. They use GC-Prevue to:

- Verify design data accuracy prior to manufacturing
- Evaluate board complexity
- Estimate part and hole counts for job quotes
- Document manufacturing data, including inspection templates, assembly drawings, fabrication documents, and drill drawings
- View stencil files before and after stencil creation
- Share information in a common database format across other GraphiCode products including; GC-PowerStation, GC-PowerPlace, and GC-CAM Edit.

• One Data File, Fewer Errors

By combining all the files needed for manufacturing in one complete work file, GC-Prevue easily transfers work from design to fabrication to assembly to test. This reduces operator data input errors, which is the source of many manufacturing errors.

• A Design Tool

PCB designers use GC-Prevue to view data ensuring data accuracy prior to releasing designs to manufacturing.

• An Assembly Tool

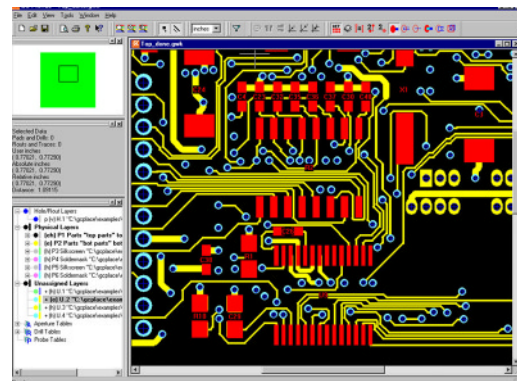
Document printing provides output of basic assembly drawings, inspection templates, and fabrication and drill drawings.

• A Manufacturing Tool

Manufacturers use GC-Prevue to view design data and evaluate board complexity, as well as estimate part and hole counts before preparing a job quote. When issues are detected, GC-Prevue provides a platform to highlight required changes for the customer or designer.

• Easily Convert CAD Aperture Lists

With support for automatic aperture list conversion from the most popular CAD packages, GC-Prevue can automatically load the CAD generated aperture list and then load the actual manufacturing data.



Input Formats

- Gerber-D (RS-274D)
- Gerber-X (RS-274X)
- Barco
- HPGL
- Excellon
- Sieb & Meyer

• Data Analysis Made Easy

Designed for ease-of-use, GC-Prevue requires limited technical expertise to operate. With an intuitive user interface, and mouse-driven menus you will be able to take advantage of GC-Prevue immediately. Its process-oriented on-line help provides practical instructions for getting your work done.

• Absolutely Free!

As shareware, GC-Prevue may be freely distributed by fabricators and manufacturers to their PCB designers. This allows interactive communications between different phases of design and manufacturing, as well as providing a standard platform to resolve issues.

• Worldwide Support and Sales

GraphiCode's technical support and sales staff can be found throughout the world. Offices are located in China, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Singapore, Taiwan, and the United States. Visit our web site for your local representative's complete contact information.

• System Requirements

- 1.8 GHz Pentium or equivalent preferred
- Windows 7, Vista, XP
- 256MB RAM preferred
- 2 GB+ hard disk
- CD-ROM
- Windows accelerator video card with 2MB or more video DRAM
- 17" or larger monitor, 800x600 or greater resolution

• Technical Support and Sales

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