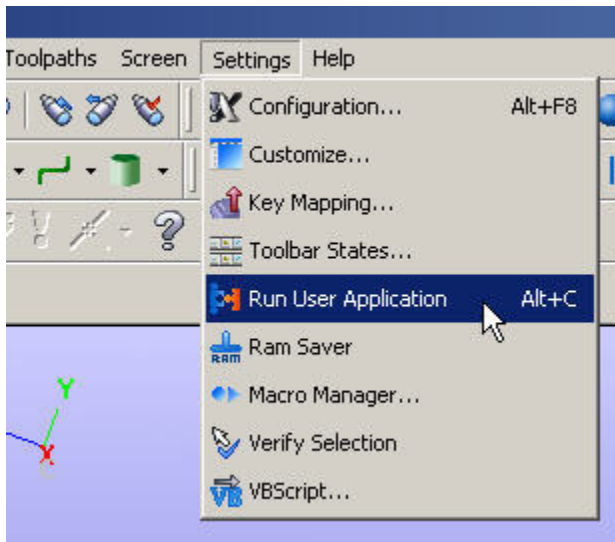


Updating a Mastercam 9 Post to Version X

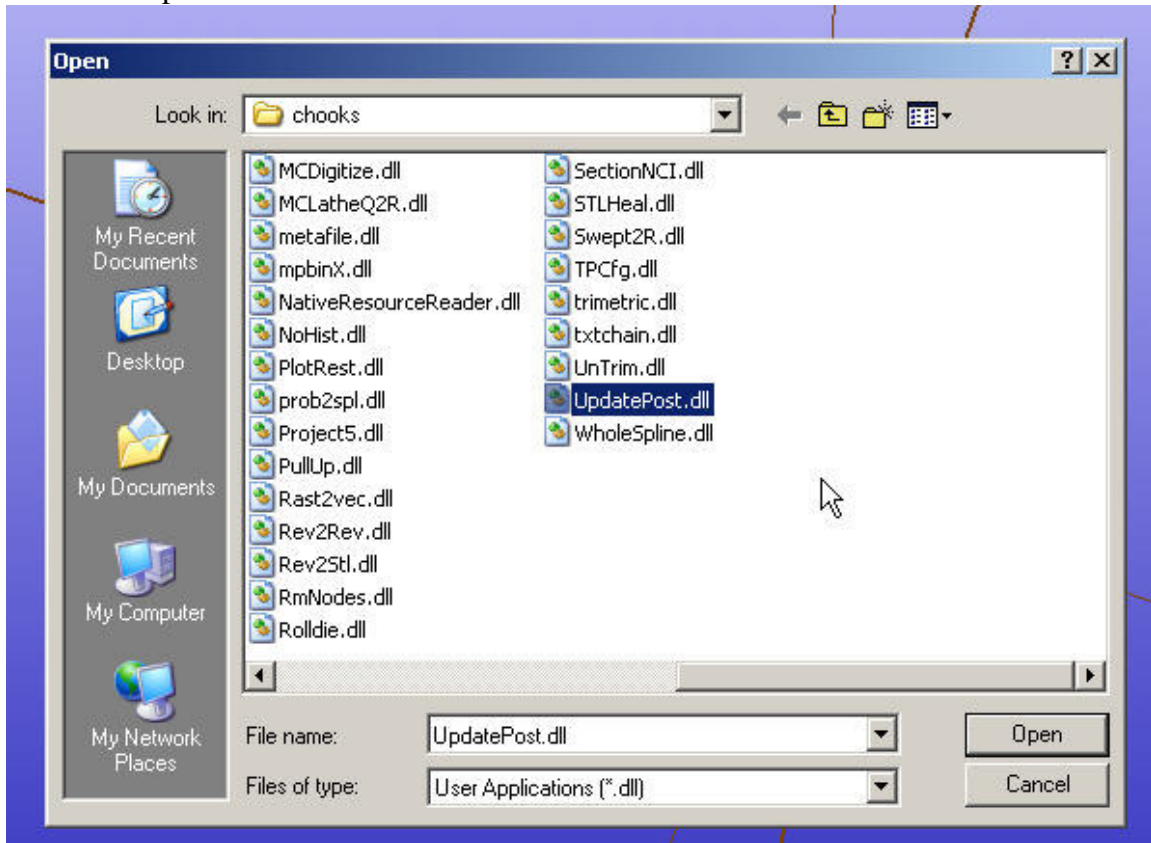
Step 1

Run a C-Hook by clicking Ctrl-C or selecting Run User application from the Settings Menu.



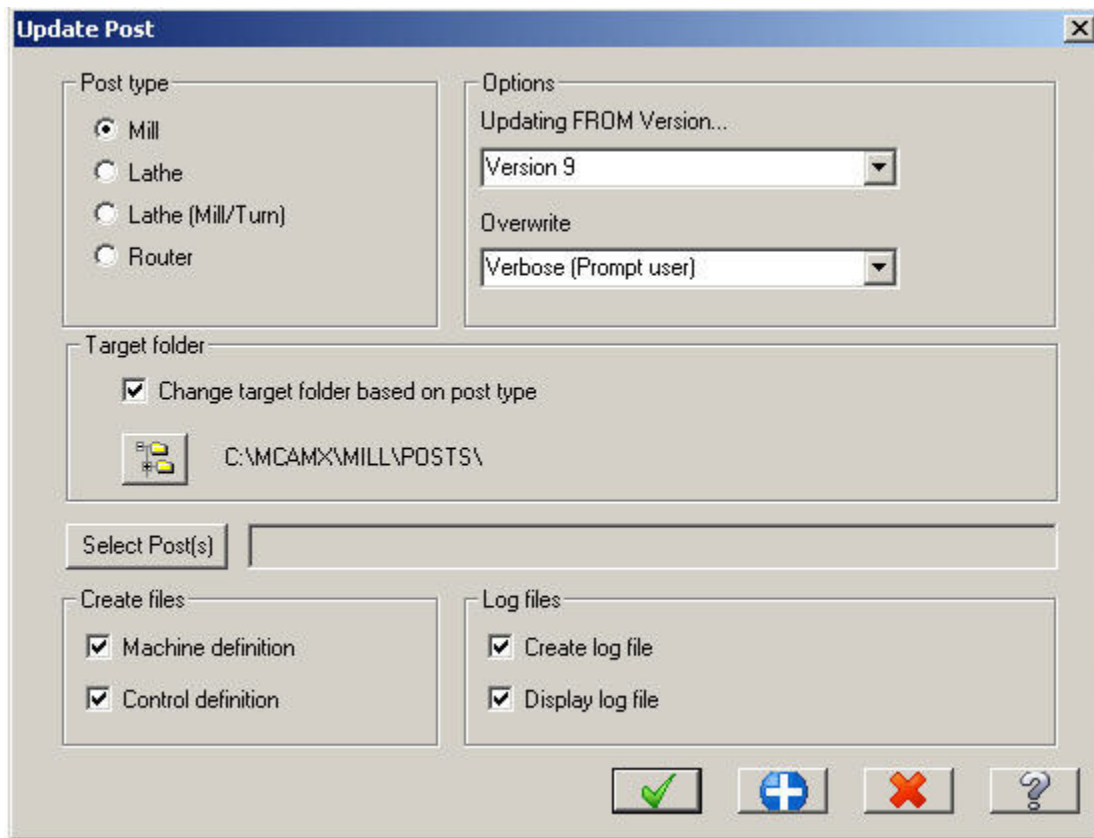
Step 2

Select the UpdatePost.dll C-Hook.



Step 3

Select your current V9 Post. The target directory should default to Mastercam X mill post directory. If create machine definition and control definition is used, it will save you a few steps later if you are creating new definitions.



Confirmation:

You should see something similar to this:

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1 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - UpdatePost Utility
1 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - ***** Starting update processing
*****
2 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - The user has chosen the selected
post(s) type as: MILL
3 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - The user has chosen the selected
post(s) version as: 9
4 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - Option to create the Machine
Definition is: On
5 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - Option to create the Control
Definition is: On
6 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - Option to silently overwrite
existing files is: Off
7 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:08 AM - Processing a single post
processor file.
8 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:10 AM - The original file: C:\DOCUMENTS
AND SETTINGS\AGIL\DESKTOP\4CIMQUEST\4CIMQUEST\MC9PST\MPHUR.PST
9 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:10 AM - Copied to:
C:\MCAMX\MILL\POSTS\MPHUR.PST
10 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:10 AM - The original file: C:\DOCUMENTS
AND SETTINGS\AGIL\DESKTOP\4CIMQUEST\4CIMQUEST\MC9PST\MPHUR.TXT
11 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:10 AM - Copied to:
C:\MCAMX\MILL\POSTS\MPHUR.TXT_v9
12 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:10 AM - The original file:
C:\MCAMX\MILL\POSTS\MPHUR.PST
13 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:10 AM - Backed up as:
C:\MCAMX\MILL\POSTS\MPHUR.PST_v9
14 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:11 AM - Initialize processing the post
15 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:11 AM - Post processor file name:
C:\MCAMX\MILL\POSTS\MPHUR.PST
16 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:11 AM - The post processor file has been
successfully opened.
17 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:11 AM - The post processor file has
finished the read process.
18 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:11 AM - Post version information
(input):
19 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:11 AM - UPDATEPST9 was used to modify
this file.
20 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:12 AM - The post was written to run with
Mastercam Version 9.
21 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:12 AM - The post product type is Mill.
22 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:15 AM - Initialization of pre-defined
post variables, strings, postblocks was successful.
23 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:15 AM - Search for defined post
variables, strings, postblocks was successful.
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24 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - Initiate writing the post processor file(s).

25 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - Post version information (output):

26 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - Post processor file name: C:\MCAMX\MILL\POSTS\MPHUR.PST

27 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - UPDATEPOST Version 10. is processing this file.

28 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - The post is targeted to run with Mastercam Version 10.

29 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - The post product type is Mill.

30 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:16 AM - Writing the post was successful.

31 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:17 AM - UpdatePost has created the Control Definition: C:\MCAMX\CNC_MACHINES\MPHUR.control

32 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:39 AM - UpdatePost has created the Machine Definition: C:\MCAMX\CNC_MACHINES\MPHUR.MMD

33 - 25 Aug 2005 09:58:40 AM - ***** End of update processing *****