

SOLIDWORKS Face Selection Issue

CHAT-0333 / REV EXPORT-03 / 2026.07.17

A conversation-specific public summary of solidworks face selection issue, distilled from the supplied export. The detailed excerpts remain available in the released note file.

STATUS	RECOVERED / SPECIFIC NOTE
CLASSIFICATION	SYS
MATERIAL	CHAT EXPORT / BUILD & TOOLS
DISPOSITION	PUBLIC CONVERSATION EXCERPTS / REDACTED
CATEGORY	Build & Tools
RECORD TYPE	build-thread

TECHNICAL NOTES

Conversation-specific knowledge extracted from the solidworks face selection issue discussion.

CONVERSATION / QUESTION AND CONTEXT

when i select things in a solid works assembly it is selcting its face and not the part

CONVERSATION / EXTRACTED GUIDANCE

1. If the Face filter (little square face icon) is highlighted, click it to turn it off.
2. Or simply press F6, which toggles all selection filters off.
3. --
4. Right-click in the graphics area.
5. Look for Selection Priority.
6. Make sure it is set to Component or Automatic, not Face.
7. Right-click the face.
8. Choose Select Other.

SPECIFICATION

SOURCE	Supplied ChatGPT export
CATEGORY	Build & Tools

CONVERSATION 3 user turns / 6 assistant turns

ATTACHMENTS 44 references detected

PUBLIC DETAIL Extracted knowledge + excerpts

DEVELOPMENT HISTORY

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Matched to the supplied export; key guidance is surfaced separately and the raw transcript remains unpublished.

RELEASED MATERIAL / SOURCE LINKS

CHAT-0333-public-note.txt

PUBLIC-SAFE CONVERSATION NOTE / UNIQUE FILE

<https://u225x.com/downloads/chat-records/CHAT-0333-public-note.txt>

RETURN TO THE LIVING RECORD

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This PDF preserves the public notes at this revision. Visit the record for updates and attached images.

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