



Autodesk Softimage

Autodesk® Softimage® software is a 3D modeling, animation, rendering, and compositing solution optimized for artist efficiency.

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More Info:	http://usa.autodesk.com/adsk/servlet/pc/index?id=13571168&siteID=123112
Related Tools(s):	3ds Max
Capabilities:	2-D to 3-D Conversion, 3-D to 2-D Compositing, Allows conversion/export to different formats, Animation, Apply and edit color and/or textures, Cameras, Can read data from other applications, Create 3-D View, Create Perspective Views, Drawing Layers, Edit 3-D Objects, Edit Tracking, Eraser Tool, Lighting and Shadows, Print compatible, Purge Layers
Typical Use:	Data Visualization, Envision Future Scenarios, Landscape Suitability Analysis, Neighborhood Analysis, Visual Analytics
Special Features:	Advanced skills needed, Difficult for novice users
Common Tasks:	Assess Condition of Buildings, Communicate Planning Info to Expert Users, Communicate Planning Info to Novice Users, Create 3-D Animations or Videos, Display Future Conditions, Edit 3-D Images
Audience Profile:	Client, Community, Consultants, Stakeholders
Project Scale:	Building
Project Stage:	Comparing Alternatives, Scenario Development
Target Audience Size:	10-25, above 100, under 10, up to 100
Communication Method:	Same time/same place
Skill Level:	Expert
Set Up Cost:	High
Operating Cost:	Medium
Data Needs:	-
Set Up Speed:	Medium