

Welcome to Vue d'Esprit 2 Demo!

This demo lets you freely test an -almost- fully functional copy of Vue d'Esprit 2 for a period of 30 days! Vue d'Esprit 2 is an amazing package, designed to easily produce breathtaking views of imaginary worlds. The first version produced incredibly realistic pictures. This new version brings the software into a new dimension... As you will notice, it is packed full of new features. Vegetation is one of them, probably the most desired. SolidGrowth(tm), the vegetation generator is there, so unique and incredibly realistic that it's hard to believe! Another milestone in affordable render quality? Be sure to discover many more astounding features at every detour of what looks to be a simple interface... But the true power of Vue d'Esprit 2 remains hidden away: multithreaded technology brings fast response. And you won't even notice it, since it works in the background, for your utter pleasure.

Here are some of the outstanding features of Vue d'Esprit 2:

- Multi-threaded technology for lightning fast response
- Comprehensive World browser to navigate inside scenes
- *SolidGrowth*TM vegetation generator
- Soft shadows, depth of field, blurred reflection/transparency

The restrictions of the demo are:

- Picture size limited to 640x480
- Saving scenes is not allowed
- Anti-aliasing, soft shadows, depth of field, blurred reflections and transparencies are not available.

The full version of Vue d'Esprit 2 is supplied with a 170 pages documentation, over 250 materials, over 30 atmospheric presets, 16 sample scenes and more vegetation species. Please refer to the electronic help files for information on ordering the full product.

Happy virtual trip!

The e-on software team.

Minimum System Requirements:

Pentium 120MHz processor, Windows 95 / NT 4, 16MB of RAM, 50MB of free hard drive space, CD-ROM drive and 16-bit video.

Installing Vue d'Esprit 2:

1. A slideshow begins a few seconds after you insert the Vue d'Esprit 2 CD into your CD-ROM drive.
2. Press the Install button when you are ready to install the software.
3. Follow the on screen instructions.

If the slideshow does not start automatically (i.e. Autorun feature disabled):

1. Select Start menu > Run.
2. Type in the letter corresponding to your CD-ROM drive, followed by ":\Slideshow" and press the OK button.
3. Press the Install button when you are ready to install the software.
4. Follow the on screen instructions.

To install the software without going through the Slideshow:

1. Select Start menu > Run.
2. Type in the letter corresponding to your CD-ROM drive, followed by ":\Setup" and press the OK button.
3. Follow the on screen instructions.

On the CD:

In the Pictures directory, you will find all the sample scenes rendered in 1024x768 resolution, Final quality setting. You will also find sample renders from the tutorials in the Pictures\Tutorials subdirectory. Many sample scenes, objects, atmospheres, materials... are on the CD too!

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