

STOIK Software. Image processing classics



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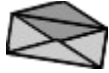
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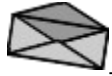


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Company

STOIK Software Ltd. is a private Russian company dedicated to image processing software development.

The company was founded in 1990 by young physicists and mathematicians who started their career in famous Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology, the alma mater for smartest Soviet scientists and richest New Russian bankers. The founders of the company were talented programmers who have been perfecting their skills for years while developing image processing software for military applications.

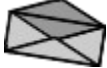
Now STOIK Software employs skills and talents of our best computer scientists to develop powerful and user friendly commercial software. It is our primary goal to provide our users with a set of unique image and video processing tools designed to easily enhance the creativity of designers and graphics artists.

Our History



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Our History

STOIK Software Ltd. was founded in 1990 as a private company.

End-user product line of STOIK Software includes graphics packages **GreyView** (1991), **3DView**(1991), **MDBase** (1992) and **Picture Man** (1992-1996). The company developed also specialized image processing modules and libraries (1994-1996).

These products gained the leading positions among graphics software on Russian market.

Picture Man family of products has become famous worldwide. The award-winning Picture Man 1.5 is a freeware now, the latest commercial version is 3.0 PRO.

1994: SYBEX licenses and publishes Picture Man 2.0 (French)

1995: Inset Systems licenses Picture Man 3.0 modules for Hijaak Graphics Suite:
Hijaak Paint and Hijaak Morph

SYBEX licenses and publishes MorphingMan (French)

1996: NEC Corp. licenses Picture Man 3.0 PRO (Japanese)

1997: Lavix releases PM Rubber (Japanese)

MitCom Neue Medien publishes PM Rubber, MorphMan, PM Painter, Deformer
SYBEX, WSKA Editions release French versions

STOIK Software modules and technologies were licensed for products from Netscape Communications Corp., Quarterdeck Corp., Berkeley Systems, Samsung Electronics, Primax International, Darim, etc.

Now STOIK Software family of Windows'95 products provides very powerful and fast image and video processing for anyone from home user to graphics professional.



Picture Man v.3.0 PRO for Windows 95

Picture Man 3.0 PRO is our flagship product. It is a very fast integrated image and video processing system for Windows'95. Picture Man includes more than 100 tools and image processing functions – almost all you can find in other our products in one package.

Special Edition (SE), the restricted version is available for bundling with hardware only.

Picture Man 3.0 PRO offers you four products in one

Powerful true color image editor, artistic effects generator, video editing/processing program and morphing/dynamic effects maker

Main Features:



Protocols Support



Interface



File Formats



Image Editing/Processing



Video Generation/Processing/Editing



Printing



Integration With Other Applications



43 New Tools for 3.0 PRO



See Picture Man Comments

TWAIN, OLE 2.0, DDE

Windows'95 compatible video capture boards

Drag-and-drop, customized MDI user interface with floating toolbars
Multilanguage support
Context Help
Effects Wizard

TIFF 6.0, PCX, GIF, TARGA, JPEG, BMP, EPS, PCD image file formats
DIB, TARGA, AVI, FLC file formats of video sequences

More than 100 image processing filters and unique special effects, including fractals, textures, 2D & 3D deformations

Processing in 10 types of selected local areas with smooth or sharp edges or in the whole image

Processing via different channels, including RGB,R,G,B,H,V,S

Multilayering

Outstanding retouch tools: Apply any of 100 processings with paintbrush

Built-in editor of macro commands for automatic processing of image packages and video sequences and creation of dynamic special effects

Morphing application MorphMan

Video editing/processing program Video Man with 78 dynamic filters

20 rasters for black&white printing, color printing
High quality CMYK color separation
Raster editor

Programming of Image Processing directly from DEE client applications (e.g. Microsoft Word)

Image Processing directly from OLE container applications (e.g. Microsoft Word)

Automatic Processing of all pictures in your document

You may easily insert video and images into any OLE container applications (e.g. Microsoft Office)

Styling under different painting manners,

36 text effects,

Eye-catching transformations: Explosions, Collapses, Wash-Out etc.,

Advanced Painter with different brushes and various textures.

Impressive special effects, including popular Page Curl, Oil Paint, Automatic Brush,

Colorize, 3D Mosaic, and many, many more.

12 image enhancement filters: Sigma filter, True Despekle, Sharpsmooth, Smartsharp
Shadows up etc.



Morph Man v.2.01

MorphMan was released in November 1995 as a separate morphing making program. Now this program allows to make dynamic morphing between two video sequences, manage color movement and points movement curves, supports single frames sequences in various graphic formats and AVI standard, and provides three algorithms of morphing. The restricted version of MorphMan has become famous worldwide under the title Hijaak Morph (alias MorphMan 1.1), the most popular free morphing application on the planet rated with 5 stars by ZDNet. Full version includes management of motion lines, saving of morphing projects, animated tutorial, samples, and three add-on applications: full-feature video editor VideoMan 1.0, VideoMan Capturer, SoundMan 1.0

Picture Man Art Gallery

Picture Man Art Gallery is the Image Editing and Artistic Effects Generating program with unique effects.

Image Enhancement and Editing - Picture Man Art Gallery allows you to crop, to resize your image or make it lighter, darker, negative, more or less contrast, smoother or sharper.

Picture Man Art Gallery ships with 20 filters for artistic effects creation including unique styling under different painting manners, 3D Mosaic, Hand Drawing, color Graphic Pen, Note Paper etc.

Picture Man Art Gallery also provides image viewing and printing functions to provide you complete control over how your images appear. Support for TWAIN compliant scanners is also included. GIF Transparency is fully supported.

Picture Man Art Gallery provides support for the following image file formats:

BMP, DIB, GIF, JPG, PCD, PCX, RLE, TIFF, TGA

Attention:

PM Art Gallery filters are available as **Photoshop Plug-In**.

Picture Man Rubber

Picture Man Rubber is the Image Editing program with the collection of Deformations Effects.

Image Enhancement and Editing - Picture Man Rubber allows you to crop, to resize your image or make it lighter, darker, negative, more or less contrast, smoother or sharper.

Picture Man Rubber ships with 22 filters for deformations effects creation including unique Random Deformations, Explosions, Collapses, Free Warp, etc.

Picture Man Rubber also provides image viewing and printing functions to provide you complete control over how your images appear. Support for TWAIN compliant scanners is also included. GIF Transparency is fully supported.

Picture Man Rubber provides support for the following image file formats:

BMP, DIB, GIF, JPG, PCD, PCX, RLE, TIFF, TGA

Attention:

PM Rubber deformation filters are available as **Photoshop Plug-In**.

Picture Man Painter

Advanced drawing application designed for creation of free-hand graphics and Web content like banners and buttons. Start from scratch with powerful drawing tools like predefined and custom brushes with fine tuning of brush/paint/paper parameters. You can experiment with chaotic colors, fractal fillings, or different paint application logic. Or try using PM Painter instruments for decoration and enhancement of your images: one-click buttonize filter, on-screen text editing, smoothing/sharpening, etc. You can use artistic clone to make free-hand imitation of any picture simulating various brushes, paints and textures. Switchable interface modes of PM Painter allow you to choose most appropriate combination of power and ease-of-use for your current task. Make fine work using advanced interface modes, or enjoy fast and easy click-and-drag drawing of 'baby' interface. And in addition PM Painter brings all functionality of standard image editor - file formats conversion, image resampling, printing and scanning. Windows'95 operating system.



Deformer

An application for real-time creation of image deformations/caricatures and still image animation. Deformer comes with 7 groups of deformation tools: hooks, hammers, drills, brushes, etc. You can easily apply deformations with simple mouse drag to any image imported from hard disk or TWAIN-compliant device and save the image or print it.

Deformed images can be placed on virtual filmstrip and converted to animation.

Animation can be previewed on screen and exported to AVI file. All deformations and animation playback preview run in real time regardless of the size of original image. It has 21 tools for easiest and fastest deformations ever and adjustable power of tool and deformation degree. **Advanced features** - Real time deformation preview, real time animation playback, editable deformation projects. 486DX2 or higher processor



Picture Man Comments



" Picture Man is a surprisingly complete 24-bit image editor written behind the fallen Iron Curtain, but with features that have global appeal... Even if you already have a raster-oriented graphics package, you might want this one, as well, to get some great new tools to play with..." - Windows User, June 1993, p.166.

" Picture Man has plenty of power, putting it ahead of products like PhotoMagic and PhotoFinish..." - David Field, Windows Graphics Funpack, SAMS Publishing, 1993, USA.

" Picture Man for Windows is quite a powerful image processing tool. It has the flexibility to meet most image processing challenges..." - Philip Shaddock, 3D Modeling Lab, Waite Group Press, 1994, USA

" La grande force de Picture Man reside dans ses effets speciaux, tres divers et totalement inedits pour certains..." - Windows News, N 13, 1994

"C'est avec les applications optimisees pour les cinquante-sept nouvelles instructions MMX que le Pentium 200 MMX prend un net avantage sur le Pentium 200 en multipliant par trois la vitesse de traitement des images, ainsi que nous l'avons constate avec l'application Picture Man 3.0 de STOIK Software. Dans ce cas de figure ideal, le Pentium 200 MMX se revele meme 52% plus rapide que le Pentium Pro 200, qui ne comporte pas d'instructions MMX, offrant ainsi un formidable rapport performances/prix pour les domaines tels que les arts graphiques ou le multimedia, qui tirent le mieux parti de la technologie MMX..." - Windows Plus, N 44, 1997, pp.60-62.

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Picture Man Windows User Best Buy, July 1993

