Painter Lite Comparison Matrix

Corel Painter[™] Lite is the perfect way to ease into the world of digital art. But if you're ready to take your art one step further, then upgrade to Corel[®] Painter[®] X3 for access to powerful, professional-caliber digital art tools. Take a look at the features below and see why you should upgrade to Painter X3 today.

Features	Corel® Painter™ Lite	Corel® Painter® X3
Drawing & Painting Tools		
Perspective Guides		✓
Cross-hair Cloning		✓
Artist Inspired Color Mixers		✓
Reference Image Panel		✓
Jitter Brushes		✓
Brush Count	97	748
RealBristle™ brushes	✓	✓
Real Hard Media	✓	✓
Markers	✓	✓
Airbrush variants	✓	✓
Mirror Painting	✓	✓
Kaleidoscope	✓	✓
Real Watercolor		✓
Real Wet Oil		✓
Dynamic blending settings		✓
Photo-painting palettes		✓
SmartStroke™ auto-painting		✓
Custom Libraries (Paper and Patterns)		✓
Pattern Pens and Image Hoses		✓
User Interface		
Brush Search		✓
Smart Brush Controls		✓
Real-time Brush Preview		✓
Layers functionality	✓	✓
Customizable user interface	✓	✓
Temporal palettes	✓	✓
High-quality display rendering	✓	✓
Docking	✓	✓
Image navigator	✓	✓
Email image function	✓	✓
Basic tonal control effects	/	✓

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User Interface		
Dynamic blending settings		✓
Workspace customization		✓
Clone source palette		✓
Centralized brush controls		✓
Enhanced library management		✓
Layer Blend Modes		✓
Channels		✓
Quick clone		✓
Brush creation		✓
Scripting		✓
Multi-touch support (Wacom)		✓
Corel Cinco support		✓
Advanced tonal control effects		✓
Toolbox		
Polygonal Lasso tool	✓	✓
Marquee tool	✓	✓
Lasso tool	✓	✓
Magic Wand	✓	✓
Transformation tool		✓
Switch transform modes		✓
Transform layers		✓
Dodge and burn	✓	✓
Divine Proportion		✓
Layout grid tool		✓
Rotate Canvas and Resize	✓	✓
Color Control		
Custom Color Set Control		✓
Artist Inspired Color Palettes	✓	
Custom color sets	Basic*	✓
Color management	✓	✓
Advanced color management		✓
Save color profiles per document	✓	✓
Color profile recognition with PSD files	✓	✓
Resizable color palette	✓	✓
Universal mixer palette	✓	✓

^{*}Basic Color Management not available on Windows 8, 32-bit systems

