



In Time for the Summer Holidays, Digital Imaging and Video Solution from Sony Media Software and Corel Now Available

Transform your Digital Videos and Photos this Summer

Maidenhead, UK - 17 July 2006. Corel Corporation (NASDAQ:CREL; TSX:CRE) and Sony Media Software today announces the availability of a new software bundle in the UK that will help users transform their digital photos and videos into keepsakes - Visual Creation Studio Pro™ - at a considerable saving over standalone products. During the summer holidays, it is easy to be overwhelmed by the sheer volume of photos and video that will sit in video and digital cameras or on computer hard drives.

Available now directly from Amazon.co.uk and the Corel Store (www.corel.co.uk/store), the bundle features award-winning software from Sony and Corel that provides easy-to-use, affordable solutions for video production, photo editing and management and DVD creation all in one box:

Visual Creation Studio Pro - Visual Creation Studio Pro combines Sony's Vegas Movie Studio + DVD Platinum Edition, which supports both DV (digital video) and HDV (high-definition video) formats, with Corel® Paint Shop Pro® X to deliver powerful video production, photo editing and DVD authoring in a single solution.

PLUS over £150 worth of extras FREE!

ACID® XMC™ music creation software

HDV: What You NEED to Know handbook

Pixélan™ SpiceMASTER™ 2.5 TFX effects and transitions

Exclusive video clips, titles and borders

Professional-quality music beds

Limited-edition sound effects sampler CD

Corel Photo Album 6 Standard Edition The easiest way to manage your photos

Tutorials on CD by Lynda.com Learn by watching video clips of Paint Shop Pro

Pixmantec® RawShooter™ Essentials Raw workflow software - a complete package

"This summer users can free the digital images and video trapped on their hardware, or laying around in drawers, to create memories to share with family and friends. As users become increasingly savvy with editing their digital photos, the obvious progression is to

start editing the video taken with their digital video cameras," said Blaine Mathieu, general manager, digital imaging at Corel. "During this progression, it's important that users do not feel overwhelmed by the software. The Visual Creation Studio Pro bundle is designed to provide users with easy to use software with the same level of power they'd come to expect from Sony and Corel."

Pricing and Availability

Visual Creation Studio Pro is available now from Amazon.co.uk and the Corel store www.corel.co.uk/store starting from £129.25 including VAT.

About Sony Media Software

Sony Media Software manages the following media creation software titles: Sound Forge® software, Vegas software, CD Architect™ software, DVD Architect™ software, ACID® Pro software, Sony Sound Series™ music and sound effects libraries, Sony Vision™ series graphics, animations and stock footage libraries, Noise Reduction Plug-In™, Vegas Movie Studio™ software, ACID Music Studio™ software and Sound Forge Audio Studio™ software. The team also runs the ACIDplanet online service (www.ACIDplanet.com), a worldwide community for progressive musicians. For additional product information, please visit www.sony.com/mediasoftware.

About Corel Corporation

Corel is a leading global packaged software company with an estimated installed base of over 40 million users. The Company provides high quality, affordable and easy-to-use productivity, graphics and digital imaging software and enjoys a favorable market position among value-conscious consumers and small businesses. Its products are sold in over 75 countries through a scalable distribution platform comprised of original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), Corel's domestic and international websites, and a global network of resellers and retailers. The Company's product portfolio features well-established, globally recognized brands including CorelDRAW® Graphics Suite, Corel® WordPerfect® Office, WinZip®, Corel® Paint Shop® Pro, and Corel Painter™.

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