

# Ulead® PhotolImpact® 12

Professional Image Editing Made Easy



## What's New

**Ulead® PhotolImpact® 12** is a complete image-editing suite for managing, editing and sharing all your digital images. Handy ExpressFix™ mode makes common photo enhancements fast and easy. Choose from a full range of effects and powerful yet easy-to-use tools for outstanding results. Create and share photo projects, calendars, prints or slideshows, on disc, Web or email.

### NEW! Easy and Fast ExpressFix Mode

- **Quickly enhance your photos**  
ExpressFix mode is perfect for beginners and great for everyday photo tasks. Automated enhancements and easy-to-understand options get you started fast.
- **NEW! Auto SmartCurves**  
A single button provides you with high-quality one-click tonal correction tailored for your camera.
- **NEW! Auto Reduce Noise**  
Automatically clean up digital artifacts in photos shot in low light conditions or at high ISO settings.
- **Enhanced Workspace**  
Unique panel with one-click fixes and enhancements, and Before, After and Dual Views make the new ExpressFix Mode suitable for beginners and advanced users alike.

### Streamlined Workflow – Pro Results

- **Enhanced Welcome Screen**  
The Welcome Screen saves you time. Go straight to the appropriate tool, mode or program that you want to use.
- **NEW! SmartGuide – “How-to” Help**  
Learn how to edit – while you edit! SmartGuide provides step-by-step directions on-screen that teach you how to accomplish many basic and advanced photo-editing, Webpage, video and DVD menu creation tasks. Links take you directly to the tools you need.
- **NEW! Auto White Balance Control**  
Make the colors in your photos look natural. The enhanced white balance feature uses advanced perceptual technology to correct colors the way your eyes see. Auto presets allow for quick color adjustments. Detailed settings let you fine-tune the colors of your photos, precisely the way you like them.

- **Enhanced Friendlier Interface**

New, big buttons allow you to quickly switch between ExpressFix, Full Edit, Video & DVD and Web modes. Another button lets you start a new or open an existing Photo Project, Calendar, Web Album, or Web Slideshow. Even open the Mobile Image wizard, to output your image to a mobile device, with one click. Jump directly to other programs such as Photo Explorer, COOL 360 and GIF Animator without closing the main program.

- **Enhanced Digital Camera Wizard**

A simplified dialog box provides a more streamlined workflow for transferring your photos from your camera to your computer.

### Attractive Photo Projects

- **NEW! Photo Project Templates**

Share your photos in greeting cards and CD & DVD labels that capture the excitement of any occasion. Choose from 70 customizable templates. The 3-step wizard makes it simple and fast!

### Advanced Photo Tools

- **Enhanced Reduce Noise**

More powerful and much faster, the enhanced Reduce Noise feature uses anisotropic diffusion, providing cleaner, sharper images than ever before. Sliders let you precisely adjust the level of noise reduction you desire.

- **Enhanced RAW file support**

Brighter previews, improved performance and a greater number of supported camera models make working with your RAW images better than ever.

- **Enhanced 16-bit image support**

Take advantage of PhotolImpact's selection tools while editing high color depth images. Create and store full 16-bit color depth objects in the UFO file format.

- **Enhanced High Dynamic Range (HDR)**  
Import, export and save your particular camera model's camera curves for better-looking HDR images.

## Video, DVD & Web Tools

- **Enhanced Component Designer**  
Create DVD menu buttons and video and Web objects, such as lower-third graphics, rollover buttons and banners in three steps.
- **DVD Menu Maker Plug-in\***  
Make custom DVD menus for use in **Ulead DVD MovieFactory® 5** and **Ulead® VideoStudio® 10**. Create various different styles, including Thumbnail, Text and One-Scene menus. Even create high-definition menus! **DVD Menu Maker** gives you complete control over all of the menu elements.

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## Graphics Tools

- **NEW! Web and Blog Page Templates**  
These ready-to-use and customizable templates let you design your own Web and blog pages easily and quickly.
- **Enhanced Path Tool**  
Choose between large and small node sizes for greater flexibility in working with paths. Save time by batch converting multiple path objects to images.
- **Enhanced Z-Merge**  
Maintain the spatial relationships between Z-Merged objects while resizing.
- **Enhanced Text Tool**  
Resize text directly on-screen without leaving the Text Tool.