

### Corel® PaintShop® Pro/Adobe PhotoShop Comparison Comparing the World's "Big 2" Photo Editing and Design Software Products

	Corel PaintShop Pro (PSP)	Adobe PhotoShop
<b>Business Terms</b>		
Pricing Model	Perpetual license (software is licensed forever, for one price)	Monthly Subscription
Suggested Retail Price (or 1 year subscription)	\$79.99 (plus taxes)	\$119.88 (1 year subscription total)
Price for subsequent years	\$0	\$119.88
Total after 3 years	\$79.99 (plus taxes)	\$359.64 or more (depending on subscription price increases)
Software format	Download, Commercial and Education Licensing, boxed/retail on a disc	Download, Commercial and Education Licensing, boxed/retail on a disc, Web
Volume licensing?	Yes	Yes
<b>Key Capabilities</b>		
Professional-quality bitmap and photo editing	Yes	Yes
Vector graphics	Yes	Yes
Digital painting/drawing	Yes	Yes
Portraiture tools	Yes	Yes
Instant effects and filters	Yes	No
Levels and Curves	Yes	Yes
Supports RAW	Yes	Yes
Compatible with PSD	Yes	Yes (native PhotoShop file format)
Text tools	Yes	Yes
High Dynamic Range (HDR) tools	Yes	Yes (No dedicated HDR module; more steps than PSP)
Quick adjustment	Yes	No
Clipping mask	No (Shape & Text cutting provides a similar capability)	Yes
Content-aware fill (Magic Fill)	Yes	Yes
Quick Selection	Yes	Yes

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Photo management	Yes (Manage, Adjust and Edit modes provide photo workflow and creative editing tools in one software)	Yes (Requires separate app – Adobe Bridge)
Face detection/recognition support	Yes (Manage)	No
Geo-tagging support	Yes (Manage)	No
Dual monitor mode	Yes	No
Support for automation?	Yes (“Scripts”)	Yes (“Actions”)
Advanced scripting/automation?	Yes, using Python	Yes, using AppleScript or VBScript
Supports PhotoShop plugins	Yes, to version Adobe Plugin SDK ver 10	Yes
<b>Compatibility</b>		
Operating Systems	Windows	Windows, Mac, Online
Supported File Formats	<p><b>Import formats</b>†</p> <p>AI, BMP, CAL, CALS, CGM, CLP, CMX*, CT, CUR, CUT, DCX, DIB, DRW*, EMF, EPS, GIF, HDP, HGL*, HPG*, IFF, IMG, J2C, J2K, JIF, JP2, JPC, JPE, JPEG, JPG, JPS, JPX, MAC, MPO, MRW, MSP, PBM, PCD*, PCT, PCX, PDF, PGL*, PGM, PIC, PICT, PNG, PNS, PPM, PS, PSD, PSP (PSP image files), RAS, RAW, RIF, RLE, SCT, SVG, SVGZ, TGA, TIF, UFO, WBM, WBMP, WDP, WEBP, WMF, WPG**</p> <p><b>Export formats</b>†</p> <p>BMP, CAL, CALS, CLP, CUT, DCX, DIB, EMF, EPS, AI, PS, GIF, HDP, WDP, IFF, IMG, JP2, J2C, J2K, JPC, JPX, JPG, JIF, JPE, JPEG, MAC, MSP, PBM, PCX, PGM, PIC, PPM, PNG, PSD, PSP (PSPIMAGE FILES), RAS, RAW, RIF, RIFF, RLE, SCT, CT, JPS, PNS, TGA, TIF, TIFF, WBMP, WBM, WEBP, WMF</p>	<p><b>Import/Export formats</b>†</p> <p>Photoshop PSD, Large Document Format PSB, BMP, Cineon, CompuServe GIF, Photoshop DCS 1.0, Photoshop DCS 2.0, DICOM, Photoshop EPS, IFF format, JPEG, JPEG2000, OpenEXR, PCX, Photoshop PDF, Pixar, PNG, Portable Bit Map, Photoshop Raw, Scitex CT, Targa, TIFF, Wireless Bitmap, Photoshop 2.0 (Mac only), PICT (read only), PICT Resource (Mac only, can open only), Radiance</p> <p><b>3D-related formats</b>†</p> <p>3D Studio (import only), DAE (Collada), Flash 3D* (export only), JPS* (JPEG Stereo), KMZ (Google Earth 4), MPO* (Multi-Picture format), U3D, Wavefront   OBJ</p> <p>†Check each vendor's website for the latest and most accurate listing of format support</p>
RAW file support	Support for over 350 camera models with the following extensions:3FR, ARW, CR2, CRW, DCR, DNG, ERF, K25, KDC, MEF, MOS, NEF, NRW, ORF, PEF, RAF, RW2, SR2, SRF, X3F	Yes, hundreds of cameras supported via Adobe Camera RAW
Brush formats supported	Yes. PaintShop Pro Brush (.pspbrush), Adobe Photoshop Brush (.abr), Jasc Brush (.jbr)	PhotoShop brushes only
Audio & video formats supported	<p>None by default (handled separately via Corel Photo Video Suite)</p> <p>†Check each vendor's website for the latest and most accurate listing of format support</p>	<p><b>Audio import formats</b>†: AAC*, AIFF*, M2A*, M4A*, MP2*, MP3*</p> <p><b>Video import formats</b>†: .264*, 3GP, 3GPP*, AVC*, AVI, F4V*, FLV*, MOV (QuickTime), MPE*, MPEG 1, MPEG 4, MPEG-2 if a decoder is installed (eg. with an Adobe video suite), MTS*, MXF*, R3D*, TS*, VOB*</p> <p><b>Video export formats</b>: DPX*, MOV (QuickTime), MP4</p>

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<b>Support and training</b>		
In-app training	Award-winning In-app Learning Center	No
Online training videos	Yes	Yes
Available 1-to-1 or 1-to-many paid training	Yes	Yes
Tech support	Yes	Yes
Online user communities	Yes	Yes
Free trial	Yes	Yes



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\* Supported on 32-bit installs only

\*\* WPG (WordPerfect Vector only) is not supported on 64 bit. WordPerfect Bitmap is supported on 64 bit.

