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Running Ulead PhotoImpact 3.0 on Windows NT 3.51

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1. If you need 16-color low resolution display in Windows NT, PhotoImpact 3.0 does not support the one plane four bits display mode. As a result, you can not run PhotoImpact 3.0 in Windows NT's standard VGA mode. There may be other display modes that are affected by this limitation.
 2. Windows NT does not automatically resize combo boxes down if their contents do not fill the predefined size.
 3. You cannot perform drag-and-drop operations to the desktop of Windows NT unless the Windows 95 program shell is installed.
 4. PhotoImpact Capture does not support the **Select Object** and **Select Area** Screen Capture Source options in Windows NT.
 5. Windows NT's common open and save dialog boxes are the same as those in Windows 3.1 instead of Windows 95 style.
 6. Windows NT's read-only edit control always appears with a border.
 7. Because Windows NT does not support the flat thunk which is supported in Windows 95, some PhotoImpact functions in Windows NT are disabled, including support for all 16-bit APS (Adobe Photoshop) compatible plug-in modules, such as Kai's Power Tools 2.0.
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Using Kai's Power Tools and other Adobe Photoshop plug-in filters

PhotoImpact supports Kai's Power Tools and other 16-bit Adobe Photoshop (APS) compliant plug-in effect filters under Windows 95. By performing the installation procedure listed below, you can use these third party special effect filters in PhotoImpact.

1. Install the APS plug-in filters according to their accompanying documentation.
2. Once the APS plug-in filters are properly installed, add the following lines to the ULEAD32.INI file, found in the Windows folder:

```
[PLUG IN]
PLUGINDIR1=C:\KPT
```

where "C:\KPT" is the folder where Kai's Power Tools is installed. (If you are using another APS compliant plug-in filter, use the folder name for that filter.) If you have multiple APS plug-in filter folders, increment the number of the headings as follows:

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```

3. Check the option Load plug-in effects during initialization in the PhotoImpact Preferences dialog box.
 4. After you change the ULEAD32.INI file, additional menu items appear in the Effect menu of PhotoImpact. For example, if you installed Kai's Power Tools, "KPT Extensions" and "KPT Filters" are added.
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Customizing file format support

Ulead PhotoImpact 3.0 employs an open file format architecture to support file reading and writing operations. Additional File Input Output (FIO) modules can be added to the FIO folder to enable reading new file formats. This version of PhotoImpact comes with over thirty modules which are placed in the FIO folder under the program folder.

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(name of the graphics format)=(full pathname of the filter file),(file extension used by the graphics format),(filter type)

[Graphics Filters]

....

Micrografx Designer/Draw=C:\Program Files\Ulead PhotoImpact\FIO\imdrw9.ft,DRW,v

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Note: "v" (or V) stands for vector filter, "r" (or R) for raster filter, and "a" (or A) for vector and raster filter. (no space between comma and string)

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