

# Introduction to Digital Photography

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### Advanced Techniques (beyond this course)

A folder of digital photos illustrating advanced photo processing techniques using more advanced software covered in other courses. Downloadable from <http://picasaweb.google.com/ohaverma>

### Camera Resolution Comparison

A folder of digital photos illustrating the effect of pixel resolution on photo quality. Shows the same photo taken with 5 megapixel, 2 megapixel, 1 megapixel, 0.5 megapixel, and 0.3 megapixel resolution. To view these photos in Picasa, first copy this folder to your My Pictures folder. The photo captions explain the differences between the photos. Downloadable from <http://picasaweb.google.com/ohaverma>

### Example Pictures

A folder of digital photos for use with "Practice Tasks for Picasa" activity, main handout page page 10-11. Downloadable from <http://picasaweb.google.com/ohaverma>

### Flash comparison

A folder of digital photos comparing the built-in on-camera flash with an external "bounce" flash unit. To view these photos in Picasa, first copy this folder to your My Pictures folder. The photo captions explain the differences between the photos. Downloadable from <http://picasaweb.google.com/ohaverma>

### High resolution scanner comparison

A folder of digital photos illustrating the use of a flat bed scanner to obtain ultra-high-resolution digital images. To view these photos in Picasa, first copy this folder to your My Pictures folder. Downloadable from <http://picasaweb.google.com/tom.mary.ohaver>

### Pics to Fix

A folder of digital photos for use in practicing cropping and other photo enhancement techniques. To view these photos in Picasa, first copy this folder to your My Pictures folder. Downloadable from <http://picasaweb.google.com/ohaverma>

Scanned images from print, slides, and negatives

A folder of examples of images created with a scanner from old family prints, slides, and negatives.

Royalty-free music for slide shows

A folder of music files for use in preparing music slide shows. To listen to these files, simply double-click them. See Main Handout page 23 for an example of how to use these files with Memories on TV. You can download these and other examples from <http://freeplaymusic.com>

FoxitReader23\_setup.exe

The installer for Foxit Reader, a fast and reliable PDF reader and an excellent alternative to Adobe Reader. Download from [http://www.foxitsoftware.com/pdf/rd\\_intro.php](http://www.foxitsoftware.com/pdf/rd_intro.php)

GettingStartedGuide.htm

Picasa Getting Started Guide, Picasa's own illustrated user guide. Covers the basic operations of Picasa 3, with illustrations. Double-click to open. <http://www.picasa.google.ch/support/bin/topic.py?topic=16026>

Handouts Section F (2 pages).pdf

A supplementary handout for the Intro to Digital Photography course. (2 pages)

Intro to digital photography.pdf

The main handout for the Intro to Digital Photography course. (28 pages). You can always get the latest version from <http://www.wam.umd.edu/~toh/adulted/Intro.pdf>

motv410cnet.exe

The installer for "Memories on TV 4", a program for preparing musical slide shows DVDs to watch on TV. This is a free, fully functional evaluation version. \$50 to buy. To install it on your computer, just double-click this file and follow the on-screen instructions. See Pages 23-24 of "Intro to Digital Photography" for instructions. Once you have installed the program on your computer, you no longer need this file (unless you want to install it on another computer). Download from <http://www.codejam.com/>

OOo\_3.0.0\_Win32Intel\_install\_wJRE\_en-US.exe

The installer for version 3 of Open Office, a superb free

set of programs, similar to Microsoft Office, that has a full-featured word processor, a spreadsheet, a database, a presentation program (like Powerpoint), and a drawing program. To install this (free) program on your computer, just double-click this file and follow the on-screen instructions. Once you have installed the program on your computer, you no longer need this file (unless you want to install it on another computer). Download from <http://openoffice.com>

picasa3-setup.exe

The installer for version 3 of Picasa. To install this (free) program on your computer, just double-click this file and follow the on-screen instructions. Once you have installed the program on your computer, you no longer need this file (unless you want to install it on another computer). Download from <http://picasa.com>

The items below are Internet shortcuts. To view them, you need to be connected to the Internet.

Picasa Basics Picasa 3 feature overview

<http://www.picasa.google.co.in/support/bin/answer.py?answer=93773>

Picasa Help Google Groups

<http://www.google.com/support/forum/p/Picasa?hl=en>

VIDEO Google Picasa 3 and Web Albums

<http://www.tomsguide.com/us/google-picasa,video-192.html>

How to Create Photo Collages with Picasa 3

[http://www.gilsmethod.com/how\\_to\\_create\\_collages\\_picasa\\_3](http://www.gilsmethod.com/how_to_create_collages_picasa_3)