

AKVIS OilPaint

Convert images and photos to an oil-painted masterpiece with a realistic feel, thanks to this standalone, easy to use application

Most people like to take photos of the places and persons they like, then show them off on blogs and personal websites or print them and frame them. However, if you want to make sure your friends will surely notice your pics, you can turn them into oil paintings using **AKVIS OilPaint**.

The application installs without any issues on your PC and you simply need to select the image you want to process. The next step depends on your artistic skills: you can either enhance it manually or you apply one of the presets.

It is advisable to start experimenting with the presets, so as to get a taste of the paintings you can obtain. If you want to create a project from scratch, you can directly adjust the saturation and relief values, as well as stroke thickness, intensity and curvature. You also get the chance to alter the maximum stroke length to make it seem more authentic.

Furthermore, AKVIS OilPaint enables you to overlay a text box then personalize its font type and size. In addition to selecting the position, you can also change the text color, add an outline and adjust the glow to make it blend within the oil painting.

You can generate a more authentic feel for your design by selecting a texture, its scale and various other parameters (brightness, embossing, reveal texture and distortion).

Another function provided by AKVIS OilPaint is cropping the source image to as to retain only the most interesting and beautiful part of a photo.

All in all, AKVIS OilPaint can help all users make the most of their photographs even if they have little or no artistic skills, as their oil paintings will be admired by everyone. You will need to purchase a license if you want to benefit from the app's features beyond the evaluation period.

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