

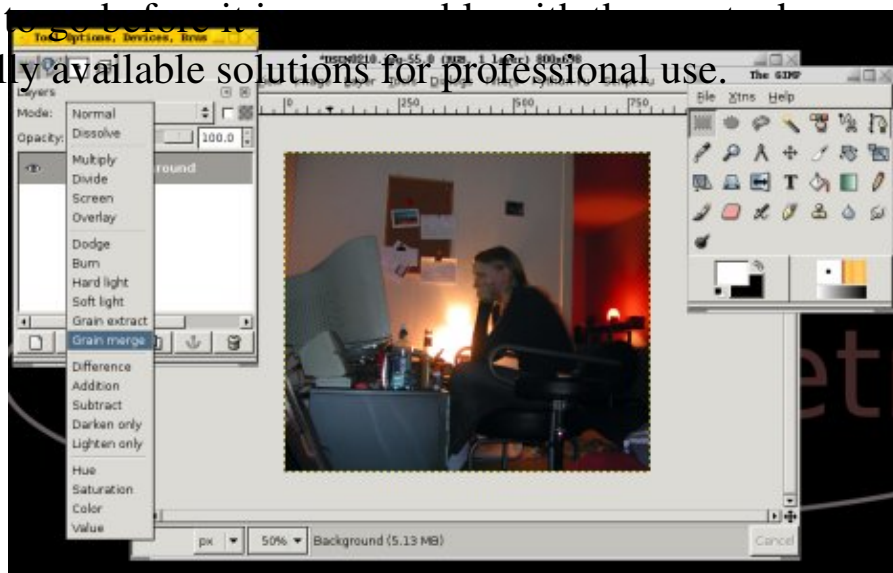
GIMP 2.2.6 Released

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The GNU Image Manipulation Program is the most advanced Linux graphics program. This bug-fix for the stable 2.2.x series fixes a large number of problems and users are encouraged to update. Binary packages are not yet available for most distributions, but packages are expected to appear soon.

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The release focuses more on cleanups and bugfixes than adding new features, a very good choice indeed as this point. Gimp has more features than the average normal person will ever need or understand, but it still has a long way to go before it is a viable alternative to the many commercially available solutions for professional use.



GIMP is also available for Windows.

Recent changes:

1. Changes in GIMP 2.2.6

- reverted change to the print plug-in (see bug #169909)

2. Bugs fixed in GIMP 2.2.5

- fixed double-click behaviour of GimpButton
- properly handle 302 redirect output from wget in URL plug-in (bug #168322)
- fixed loading of layer masks in PSD plug-in (bug #166976)
- fixed bugs in PSD save plug-in (bugs #167139 and #121871)
- fixed Reset in Scale and Resize dialogs (bug #169011)
- fixed filename encoding issues when loading Script-Fu scripts (bug #165002)
- fixed i18n build quirks (bug #169274)
- improve autoscrolling with tablets in Windows (bug #167960)
- fixed setup of size entries in tool-options (bug #169066)
- when opening images as layers, do it interactively (bug #168936)
- fixed precondition checks in gimp_drawable_transform_scale (bug #170195)
- fixed handling of resolution unit in Print Size dialog (bug #170200)
- disable "gtk-alternative-button-order" setting because our code doesn't honor it (bug #170543)
- fixed behaviour of selection tool when dragging from top-right (bug #143887)
- speed up conversion of grayscale images to indexed colors (bug #170801)
- fixed bug in grayscale to indexed color conversion (bug #170825)
- don't offer empty palettes for conversion to indexed color (bug #170973)
- disable search in container tree-views since it interferes with global accelerators (bug #169339)
- corrected mousewheel section of default controllerc (bug #171083)
- fixed build on amd64/gcc-4.0 (bug #300227)
- unset Keep Transparency from Color to Alpha plug-in.
- fixed crash caused by Histogram dockable in RGB mode (bug #170116)
- fixed statusbar display for negative moves (bug #171497)

- fixed a couple of problems in the BMP plug-in (bug #171306, bug #171453 and bug #171562)
- fixed bug in Resize dialog if previews are turned off (bug #171827)
- fixed disappearing previews in Rotate Colormap plug-in (bug #172284)
- fixed deletion of fractals in Fractal Explorer plug-in (bug #172347)
- fixed preview in Deinterlace plug-in (bug #172589)
- fixed crashes on exit in some locales (bug #172581)
- fixed installation directories for message catalogs (bug #169274)
- handle deletion of layers and channels that have a floating selection attached (bug #168582)
- plugged some smaller memory leaks
- fixed preview in Gaussian Blur plug-in for zero radii (bug #173039)
- fixed a couple of problems in the Winicon plug-in
- fixed bug in GIF loader that was triggered with a broken GIF (bug #173119)
- fixed crash in Ink tool (bug #164272)
- let the text tool remember the last-used font (bug #171024)
- quote the print command used in the Print plug-in (bug #169909)

3. Bugs fixed in GIMP 2.2.4

- fixed an out-of-bounds read access in the Edge plug-in (bug #164963)
- limit aspect ratio in crop tool to sane values (bug #164827)
- fixed indexed conversion on floating selections (bug #165342)
- fixed button order in resize and scale dialogs
- improved handling of UNC paths on Windows
- fixed crash in winicon save plug-in (bug #162742)
- fixed image types registration for some python plug-ins (bug #1666650)
- workaround problems with font names ending in numbers (bug #166540)
- show clone source when cloning from a different image (bug #167002)
- corrected coordinate limits in New Guide script (bug #167529)
- fixed crash in gradient editor (bug #167604)
- don't give keyboard focus to combo boxes in image window (bug #167809)
- fixed saving of MNG files with negative layer offsets (bug #166059)
- fixed use of the text tool on floating selections (bug #166829)
- don't create duplicate templates when migrating user settings (bug #167893)
- let the py-slice script ignore out-of-bounds guides (bug #167843)
- store thumbnails in temporary folder if no valid home directory exists (bug #167973)
- fixed Emboss plug-in for small images (bug #168022)
- avoid crashes in toolbox size allocation code (bug #162500)
- switch from display-wide grab to application-wide grab while tool actions are being performed (bug #162823)

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