

trueSpace



TIPS ON USING & INSTALLING THE SPECIAL VERSION

ViewSpace is a special edition of trueSpace, the award-winning modeling and rendering program. You can't save or export your work in this version, but you can get hands-on experience with creating photorealistic, dimensional objects in this program.

To install viewSpace, copy the contents of the DISK1 subdirectory to a 3.5" floppy diskette, then run the SETUP.EXE program from Windows Program Manager. When the installation program is finished, double-click on





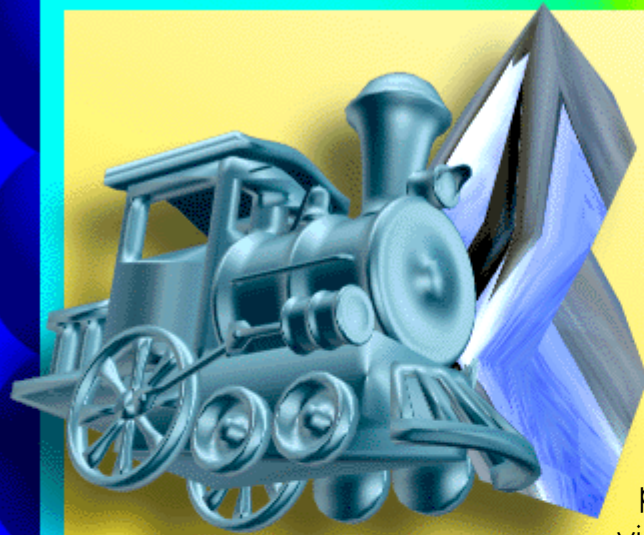
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the new icon on your desktop,
and you're ready to explore
"true space"!

TIPS ON NAVIGATING THE trueSpace INTERFACE:

- 1 To get the menu bar where you'd usually expect a Windows program's menu to be, click on the Settings panel, then choose TopMenu.
- 2 Watch the Status Bar as you run your cursor over stuff. The Status Bar identifies each screen element.
- 3 Right mouse clicking over panels opens submenus. Everything is visual in trueSpace; don't expect menus with text.





④ In trueSpace, you have a point of view of an object, and an object has an orientation toward you (the camera). You can zoom, pan, and rotate both your view, and the spatial orientation of an object. The arrowhead buttons closest to the menu bar are for visual orientation, and the floating panel of arrowhead directions are for orienting the object(s).

⑤ Click+dragging with **both** mouse buttons held provides an added dimension to orienting your view or an object.

★ Print a hard copy of the trueSpace Help file, and use it to answer questions as you explore. You can achieve remarkable results with this trial version, but you have to think in three dimensions. It's definitely a different way of working than the traditional 2D canvas, but then again, so is creating art on a computer!

