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Thread: [Fortunate's Free Video Editing & Help Desk](#)

Fortunate - July 15, 2017, 11:28 am

Influence's official video-editing help desk

Welcome to my video-editing help desk.

In this thread I will be giving feedback, answering questions, taking editing requests and helping other people with video-editing related problems/questions.

This thread has been made with the help of the group Influence.
You can find more information about the group [here](#).

About me and my editing knowledge

- 4+ years of video-editing experience.
- The programs I use are Sony Vegas Pro 12 and GIMP/Photoshop.
- I can also answer questions about recording software and streaming.
- I'm not an expert in creating intros but I can do something simple.

Video-editing requests

If you have video-editing requests that could possibly be done in 30 minutes or less, let me know by [sending me a private message](#) or by posting your request below.

Frequently asked questions

Q: What's the best video-editing software beginners?A: I started editing with Windows Movie Maker but realized that I should use something better instead. I highly recommend getting Sony Vegas products and starting with them. Sony Vegas is a simple yet efficient and professional editing software that allows you to make nice edits and just casual videos with ease. If you want to learn how to make high quality animations and intros you can do that with Adobe After Effects. It's a bit more complicated than Sony Vegas but after you will get on with it you will realize that it's actually

better than Sony Vegas. It's just not sure beginner friendly at first. Q: What's the best recording software beginners?A: For the best recording software I recommend Shadowplay, FRAPS or OBS. Shadowplay is the best for casual recording and you can set it to your needs with its easy setting choices. The thing with Shadowplay is that it has specific system requirements. FRAPS in the other hands is great for recording high quality footage but needs good PC specifics to record good quality 60 fps recording but overall is a great way to record demos for a gaming montage. OBS is a great broadcasting and recording software. It's a simple way to stream and record any game with and let's you to edit the settings to your computers best.

- More questions and answers will be added shortly. If you have any questions let me know. -

SIM-1729678 - July 15, 2017, 11:30 am

Very nice to see you release this. Keep it up.

Fortunate - July 15, 2017, 11:34 am

(Jul 15, 2017 11:30 AM)ScreemS Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Very nice to see you release this. Keep it up. Thanks for the kind words. Appreciate it.

I'll be happy to answer questions and give feedback if possible.

Makaveli The Don - July 15, 2017, 11:44 am

Great way to give back to the community. Good luck with this Fortunate!

Fortunate - July 15, 2017, 1:43 pm

(Jul 15, 2017 11:44 AM)Makaveli The Don Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great way to give back to the community. Good luck with this Fortunate!

Thanks. I've done this before but without a help desk. I can't wait to answer some questions. ?

Israinsolutions - July 15, 2017, 5:10 pm

Great bro.. nice service!

Menacing - July 15, 2017, 9:46 pm

Awesome thread by a very quality member! Thanks for providing this for the community Fortunate!

Fortunate - July 16, 2017, 6:26 am

(Jul 15, 2017 05:10 PM)Israinsolutions Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great bro.. nice service!

Thanks, if you need anything just let me know ?

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No problem, It's an honor to help.

Obdurate - July 16, 2017, 9:37 pm

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Fortunate - July 17, 2017, 1:37 am

(Jul 16, 2017 09:37 PM)Gamunji Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) seems like a nice service.. will recommend to friends who want to try ;)

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FN3TD - July 17, 2017, 1:45 am

Great thread OP! Posting here so I can post whenever I stumbled on editing problems! Thanks for doing this!

Israinsolutions - July 17, 2017, 2:41 am

(Jul 16, 2017 06:26 AM)Fortunate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks, if you need anything just let me know ? Sure, thanks!

Baadzilla - July 17, 2017, 4:58 am

Great Thread! A big possibility that I would come here to ask some questions im currently learning video editing specifically Sony Vegas and After Effects hope that I would learn a lot from you! Really great service!

Fortunate - July 20, 2017, 7:10 am

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Thanks for the awesome post. I answered your PM, hope to hear from you soon.

If anyone here has any questions, let me know.

sp4ceman - July 23, 2017, 9:21 am

Hey man! Could you rate my video? <3

(Video edited with Vegas, Intro/Outro made with After Effects, Recorded Video and Audio with Shadowplay)

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F1BAdLzRnd0&lc=z12ncvxwqkr3xjld22xf3irdrrufvszs04>]

Fortunate - July 24, 2017, 3:23 am

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You should also time some of your cuts better to cut out the "boring" parts of the video. Other than it's well done and I like the intro. You have a specific style you're going for which is nice.

Recording and video quality 10/10

- Your recording quality and webcam quality is actually very good, keep this!
The only thing that I noticed is that your webcam window could be a bit smaller.

Music 8/10

- I like the upbeat music, although I feel like it could be still a bit more quieter, it felt like it was too loud and too repetitive at some points.

Overall 8.5/10

- I really like your unique style you're going for. If you keep making videos you'll be golden. Just keep practicing and trying new things.

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Thanks! I appreciate the effort you put into reviewing my work, it means a lot :)

Fortunate - July 24, 2017, 4:21 pm

Thanks. I am taking any video-editing requests you give me, let me know.

Fortunate - August 6, 2017, 1:47 am

I've seen many editing request threads lately. Please come to me and I'll do them for free.

OG ? - August 6, 2017, 5:34 am

i want the same video just in hd and the same song just much better quality.

and i want add my ig user Let there be a stamp. on the video !

if u can do that dm me . i give u my ig user .

this is the video - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2BHxDiP651Q>

i pm u more info :D ???

Jdarlight - August 7, 2017, 9:07 am

I got some highlights on my twitch channel that I could really need some help around them. I tried to edit some things, I picked up 2 clips from CS:GO and Rainbow Six Siege but I would like a frag compilation from PUBG.

Here's the 2 videos I got up with: 1st: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J--arWqLKtM>

2nd: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w3v3mlYIHII>

sp4ceman - August 10, 2017, 9:03 pm

Hey it's me again! I posted my last video here and you reviewed it and gave me some feedback... I just uploaded a new video taking some of your advice and I think this is one of my best yet :) I'd really like your opinion on it! (and constructive criticism)

[Video: <https://youtu.be/shdujL3C2YE>]

Note: Please do not get the wrong idea by this post... I'm not trying to farm views off of this help desk... I originally pm'd Fortunate and he preferred that I posted my video in his thread)

Fortunate - August 15, 2017, 3:25 am

If anyone has any questions or concerns please let me know and fix them!

Fortunate - August 26, 2017, 9:23 am

I'm still doing this. If anyone needs any help or has some video-editing requests/ideas lmk.

Monku_ - August 26, 2017, 10:49 am

ops on my cs edit <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8JQreN3Gxv0>

Fortunate - September 2, 2017, 3:52 am

Just finished a ton of paid and free requests, let me know if you have any jobs for me.

MoneyWarrior - September 2, 2017, 3:53 am

Huge Vouch for this fella right here. Made an perfect work for me love it.

Gonna use him over and over again until he can't stand no more <3

Fortunate - September 4, 2017, 12:08 am

I am still doing free and paid video-editing requests. Let me know what you need.

Fortunate - September 6, 2017, 9:08 pm

I am still offering this service. Let me know and I'll do my best.

prada ? - October 11, 2017, 3:51 am

you should definitely edit a music video for me

Fortunate - October 11, 2017, 6:08 am

(Oct 11, 2017 03:51 AM)Prada. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) you should definitely edit a music video for me
Let me know details, I'd love to do this!

Radeon_ - November 4, 2017, 7:31 am

Hey noticed your current avatar picture and its pretty sick. Did you create it entirely with Sony Vegas or other software? Want to do something similar like that for myself, but have no idea how to lol.

Fortunate - November 4, 2017, 2:24 pm

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It's made in after effects/photoshop and not by me, sorry.

Radeon_ - November 4, 2017, 7:18 pm

Alright, thanks for letting me know.

Fortunate - December 25, 2017, 1:47 am

This is still a thing.

If you need help or have any requests. Let me know below.

RickyTheDragon - December 27, 2017, 3:16 am

Really awesome and nice of you, though, can I receive your sample works?

Thanks

Fortunate - December 27, 2017, 3:41 am

(Dec 27, 2017 04:16 AM)RickyTheDragon Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Really awesome and nice of you, though, can I receive your sample works?

Thanks

I'd rather not share my paid video-editing work since It'll give you a wrong idea what you will receive for free. I only do small video-editing requests and they're nothing too shabby.

Ofcourse if you're interested in my paid work you can PM me.

Sk8eR_PR - January 6, 2018, 7:16 pm

I searched this forum for the word lightworks and the results were:

Quote:Sorry, but no results were returned using the query information you provided. Please redefine your search terms and try again.

So I would like to ask what do you think about Lightworks?

<https://www.lwks.com/>

I just downloaded that software because it is free for personal and commercial use while in the other hand Sony Vegas must be a much better video editing software it is very expensive.

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I know that Vegas Pro and AE cost money, but there was recently a HumbleBundle for Vegas Pro that reduced its price to \$20 from \$400. So if you're looking to buy a license key, you'll get that for \$25-40. Of course, you could crack both of these programs but that's nothing that will be discussed here.

Lightworks can be or probably will be your starter video-editing program. It looks simple and easy. I started with Movie Maker and "mastered" it until I realized I had to move to Sony Vegas.

tl;dr: Lightworks will handle the job but if you want to do something bigger and quicker, you'll need something more advanced like SV or AE.

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Nice! Thanks for the info. I will try to see how I can get myself in that HumbleBundle.

I know I can crack the software but I will be using it for commercial purpose so I don't want to play dirty and steal something that will help me make profit.