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Is VisualARQ a McNeel Product?

VisualARQ has been developed by Asuni CAD, a company specialized in software development and distribution for architectural design, engineering, landscaping and industrial design. Based in Barcelona, Asuni CAD and McNeel Europe belong to the same company group, working in close collaboration with this and other projects.

What kind of program is VisualARQ?

VisualARQ is a plug-in designed for a sector of the architectural market. It allows you to work within Rhino's interface, providing specific tools to create/edit architectural plans, and to work with parametric 3D Objects -such as walls, doors, windows, columns, slabs, roofs, stairs and railings- making the architectural design process and its documentation much easier to handle.

Is VisualARQ available in other languages?

VisualARQ 1.0 (program, User Guide and website) is available in English, French, Spanish, German, Italian and Czech.

Does VisualARQ 1.0 support Rhino 5.0?

Since Rhino 5.0 is still at a development stage and could cause problems, VisualARQ does not support this version. As soon as Rhino 5.0 is production ready, we will release a compatible build for it.

Will you be developing VisualARQ for the upcoming release of Rhino OS X for the Mac? If so, when are you planning to do it?

We certainly are very interested in developing a VisualARQ version for Rhino OSX, but we won't be able to adapt our plugin to run with Rhino's Mac version until that version is 100% ready. Once the definitive Rhino OSX version is released *, our development team will be able to determine how much work/time we need for adapting VisualARQ to the OSX system.

* (<http://community.rrhino3d.com/content/faq.aspx>)

Is VisualARQ based on BIM (Building Information Modeler)?

VisualARQ is not a BIM software; it is a plugin for Rhino which adds a set of useful architectural tools, that make certain design and documentation processes easier and faster.

Is it possible to generate constructive details, construction quantities and specific planimetry (hydraulic, sanitary, electric)?

No, it is not; VisualARQ has a different approach. Our product is a vertical application that complements Rhino with a series of architectural tools. It is NOT –for the moment– a “complete” architectural solution covering all these subjects. After the first commercial version release, we will see more clearly which direction to follow with the product development.

Is it possible to dimension from the plug-in?

No, it is not. For the moment, VisualARQ doesn't bring anything new as to dimensions.