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## Duma and Cerebro: demo versions released



Dear Sirs,

CineSoft has just announced release of two software products: Duma and Cerebro.

- [Duma](#) is a sophisticated render farm management system.
- [Cerebro](#) is a project management solution for visual effects production for movies and commercials.

Our software developers Konstantin and Vladimir are going to [The SIGGRAPH 2008](#) in Los Angeles, August 10th-17th. Would you like to meet us please [send us an e-mail](#) or call **+1 (949) 209-7417** (emails are more welcome as we can plan our schedule more smoothly and prepare a presentation for you). Hope to see you there!

Below you will find detailed information on how to download and try these product demos.

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### **What is Duma?**

Duma is a sophisticated render farm management system. With Duma it is easy to perform parallel processing of heavy jobs to utilize a multi-host computing facility working under various OS.

Nowadays remote working has become very popular and Duma offers a secure and convenient way to control the execution of your render jobs from any place connected to the Internet.

To improve CG artists' productivity we have developed job scheduling tools for many popular software packages. These tools give the option of launching render from a native application interface with the minimum of effort.

Duma has an intelligent scheme of host-attraction levels in conjunction with erroneous hosts avoiding rules to achieve results in the shortest time.

IT departments can use run-time statistics to recognize problems inside the render farm. Rendering billing to SQL database can be provided if you need full scale statistics. Duma uses Alfred® compatible scripts for description of render jobs which have simple plain text structure. So on demand, you will be able to create custom jobs with any text processing tools.

### **What is Cerebro?**

Cerebro is a complete visual project management solution for feature films, commercials, TV series etc. There are three areas where Cerebro will be more than useful:

1. Planning. You can create your own project structure defining elaboration level at each stage. You don't have to fill in all project specifications but you can if you would like to. Cerebro offers you budget and time planning approaches, cloning tools (to avoid routine creation of similar branches), export of project layout with images to Excel® and more.

2. Collaboration. CG artists can post dailies and work reports and supervisors can control tasks execution, making reviews with the help of a wide range of tools. Internal viewer/ player "Eye" allows you to draw on the images, record action scenarios and supply reviews with voice comments. Cerebro also gives single CG artists an opportunity to feel like a team while working together on a project.
3. Control. Cerebro will warn you if something does not go as planned. Every message report contains information about hours spent for the execution of a task. Cerebro calculates these hours and shows the progress and total costs per project branches. Thus you can examine what has gone wrong. You can also view the execution history of every task. Also you can export stats to Excel® and make flexible calculations or prepare a report for your superior/client.

## Download Instructions for Duma and Cerebro

### Duma:

Download setup package for your OS

[http://www.cinesoft.ru/duma/deputat\\_demo\\_win.zip](http://www.cinesoft.ru/duma/deputat_demo_win.zip)

[http://www.cinesoft.ru/duma/deputat\\_demo\\_linux.32.tar.gz](http://www.cinesoft.ru/duma/deputat_demo_linux.32.tar.gz) (32 bits)

[http://www.cinesoft.ru/duma/deputat\\_demo\\_linux.64.tar.gz](http://www.cinesoft.ru/duma/deputat_demo_linux.64.tar.gz) (64 bits)

After downloading please read "Deputat demo crash course" that contains all logins and passwords.

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### Cerebro:

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