



## **NEW TURBOFLOORPLAN 3D HOME AND LANDSCAPE 15 RELEASED**

# Dozens of New & Improved Tools for Easier 3D Home Design

**SYDNEY, November, 2010 – Mindscape Asia Pacific** today announced the latest, Australian and New Zealand Edition of IMSI \*/Design's Home Design Software for the consumer market- *TurboFloorPlan*\* *Home and Landscape Pro version 15*.

IMSI collaborated with CADSoft Australia to create an improved product for designing Australian and New Zealand homes. Offering 3D design tools, *TurboFloorPlan* is perfect for home design, remodeling, kitchen and bath design, landscaping and deck projects.

The Australian & New Zealand edition of *TurboFloorPlan®* Home and Landscape Pro includes 100's of Australian and New Zealand home and garden objects including ceilings, columns, doors, floors, footings, openings, roofs, walls, windows and more...

- Users can create the right style of roof for their home including a roof with eaves, a bullnose or curved roof.
- There are 50 standard window types including sliding, hung, single and double bung, even bay, bow and louvered windows.
- A wide range of doors including bifold, hinged, slider, panel lift and sliding glass.
- Over 300 Australian and New Zealand plants.
- Users can Go Green and create an environmentally friendly home by adding solar panels and water tanks.

New Design Wizards also ease the design process for decks, sheds, bathrooms, kitchens, floors, foundations and many more projects. Users now have the ability to complete a 3D walk through of all design projects. Sectional views of projects, Auto Dimension interior and exterior objects are also available.

Landscape features will help TurboFloorPlan® users create the perfect outdoor design. Users can choose the perfect foliage for the right location so plants will thrive while still fitting all decorative and ground cover needs. Other new landscape features include Plant Growth Over Time; Terrain Building Wizard; detailed plant information; a huge range of outdoor furniture and equipment; and improved landscape paths.

Additional new and improved features include:

- **New Schedule Tools** *Door, Window and Room Region* schedules make it easier to create detailed construction documents. Save time by automatically generating accurate door and window schedules, including markers. When you change your windows or doors, the schedules automatically update.
- Improved Roof Modification Tools Two major improvements make roof design easier than ever.
  - **Move Edge**, now allows you to adjust the support height of your roof so the slope of the roof can be extended or retracted as the support is moved.
  - Match Plane will force the secondary plane that runs in the same direction to be matched

- **New Room Dimension and Polygon Hatch Tools** Communicate construction details more precisely and quickly with these design productivity enhancements.
- Improved SketchUp File Import TurboFloorPlan has extended its file format support to include import from the popular Google SketchUp v7 application
- Additional file export types- Including DXF, 3DS, Bitmap, JPEG- ensuring simple access and viewing of designs

### **Availability and Pricing**

The Australian & New Zealand Edition of *TurboFloorPlan Home and Landscape Pro 15* is now available through Harvey Norman, City Software and computer software outlets \$99.95.

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