



Overview

The software suite that comes with your camera is specifically designed for your Ricoh RDC-300Z digital camera so you may get the most out of your images. Follow the steps below to get started quickly.



Ricoh PhotoStudio Lite allows you to easily download and upload your images to and from your camera. PhotoStudio Lite also allows you to easily edit and enhance your digital images and save them in a variety of formats.

Installation

1. Insert your RDC-300Z Software CD into your CD-ROM drive.
2. Double-click on the folder containing the PhotoStudio Lite Installer.
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3. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Downloading images from your RDC-300Z

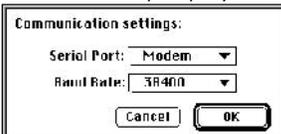
Connecting the camera to your computer

1. Turn the camera's power off by closing the display.
2. Open the terminal cover and connect the small end of the supplied serial cable into the camera's serial port.
3. Turn off your computer's power.
4. Connect the other end of the cable to an available COM port on your PC.
5. Turn on the camera's power by lifting up the display..
6. Turn on your computer.
7. Slide the camera's Play/Record switch to the Play position.

Launch the Ricoh PhotoStudio Lite Browser

Double-click on the Browser application to launch it. Then, either open an existing Browser catalog, or create a new one.

To create a new Browser catalog, select New from the File menu. When a dialog displays asking you to select the image(s) to catalog, click Cancel. (An empty catalog will be created.)



Select the Load from Ricoh Camera option from the File menu to display the Communications Settings dialog box.

Select the port to which the camera is connected from the Serial Port menu. Also select the desired baud from the Baud Rate menu.

Ensure the camera is on, then click OK to close the dialog box.

The connection should now be established, and the following dialog box will be displayed.



The number of the frame currently selected, the total number of frames, and the quantity of frames selected will be displayed. Use the arrow keys to scroll through the frames.

The frame currently selected will display on the camera's screen.

When you see an image you would like to download, click on the checkbox to the right of the arrow keys to select it. You may also use the Select All or Select None options.

Click OK. A standard dialog will display so you can choose a folder in which to save the downloaded files. Make your choice and click OK.

Uploading images from your RDC-300Z

Connecting the camera to your computer

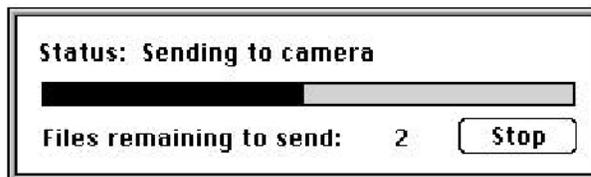
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Launch Ricoh PhotoStudio Lite Browser

In the Browser, select the images you want to save back to the camera. Select the Save to Ricoh Camera option from the File menu to display the Communication Settings dialog box.

Set-up the serial connection by following the instructions for loading images from camera.

When the connection is established, the files will be transferred to the camera, and status information bar will be displayed.



Enroute Imaging's QuickStitch allows you to automatically stitch images together both horizontally and vertically to create wide angle panoramas.

Installation

1. Insert your Bonus Software CD into your CD-ROM drive.
2. Double-click on the folder containing QuickStitch. Double-click on the QuickStitch icon.
3. Follow the on-screen instructions.