

Re: Visio Video Production and Lighting Templates

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- Step 1. Get an example of the shapes you need to create.
- Step 2. Decide on a scale and create a Visio drawing to contain the shapes.
- Step 3. Decide on any special features, colouring or fill (control handles, custom properties)
- Step 4. Use the various drawing tools to create the shapes.
- Step 5. Drag the shapes to a stencil.
- Step 6. Make them available online so I can add them to the list. ;-)

Step 1 is the hardest. The rest are relatively easy. If you need help with Step 3 or 4, just let us know.

oh, Step 1a should be to make a collection of similar shapes or functionality to modify or use as a reference.

John... Visio MVP

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Thanks for the tip. So I guess the next question is, how do I create a stencil? Do you know of any sure-fire template creators so I don't have to search and try a million that a rejunk?

Thanks

Mike

"John Marshall, MVP" wrote:

I doubt there will be an official stencil. This is a case where you will have to roll your own.

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There may be 3rd party stencils, but I have yet to come across them. I have a marker on my 3rd party page requesting them.

For the lighting side, one shape I would like to see is a rectangular shape for the light connected to an oval to indicate the area of stage illuminated.

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Will there be a template for designing technical studios – such a video production and lighting? All these years, there's never been a template, or plug-in I could find to do such a thing...

Any chance there might be for the 2007 release?

Thanks

Mike