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Houseplan 1.0 is a powerful, easy-to-learn, lightweight and compatible 3D modeling and real-time rendering software that can create 3D models quickly and demonstrate your scheme independently. Its multiple modeling methods, convenient real-time rendering and plenty of 3D model and texture resources offer you great work experience and design results with the lowest budget.

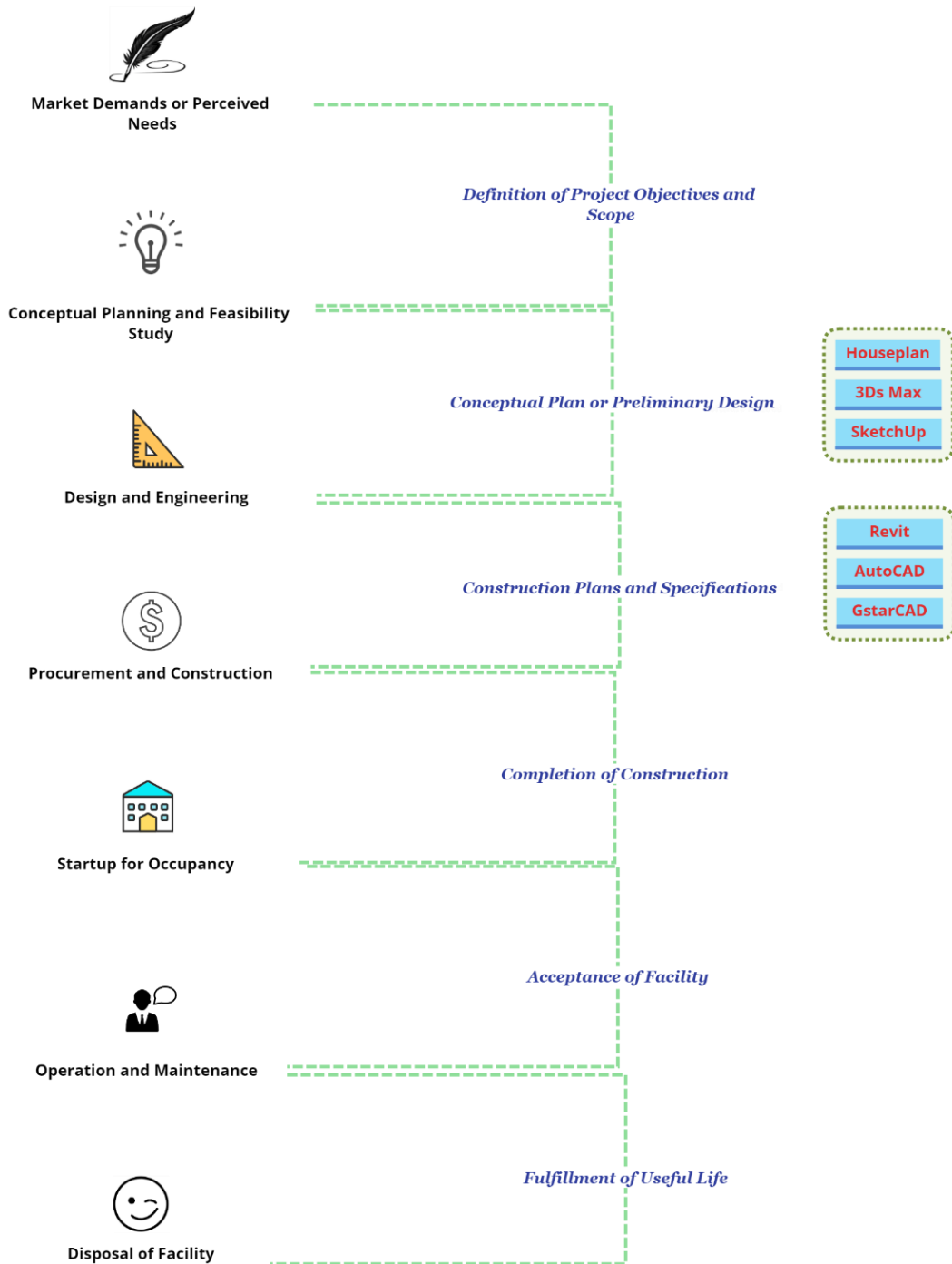## 1. Comprehensive Evaluation

Both Houseplan 1.0 and 3ds Max 2024 are advanced modeling and rendering software used for creating models of various styles and visual effects. They can complete a range of processes from importing drawings to modeling and drawing, whether it is a single-frame picture or animation. They are utilized by different industries for different purposes and provide significant assistance in creating 3D works.

3ds Max 2024 is primarily used for character modeling, animation, and rendering architectural and other realistic images in conceptual planning, feasibility studies, preliminary design, and engineering stages. On the other hand, Houseplan 1.0 is widely used in architectural and scene design drawings, focusing on realizing three-dimensional modeling and rendering functions, primarily in conceptual planning, feasibility studies, preliminary design, and engineering stages.

2. Houseplan 1.0 Advantages

- Affordable price and Perpetual License.

- No need for additional plugins.

- Small software size

- Tools are easier to be understood, making it easier to learn.

- Supports inserting DWG drawing and extrude to a building directly.

- Modeling professional elements like buildings and roads with a few clicks.

- Real-time rendering without additional plugins.

- Comes with an animation library, allowing for easy insertion and movement.

- High level of integration, enabling quick results and high work efficiency.

Brief Construction Workflow

Market Demands or Perceived Needs

Definition of Project Objectives and Scope

Conceptual Planning and Feasibility Study

Conceptual Plan or Preliminary Design

| Houseplan |
| 3Ds Max |
| SketchUp |

Design and Engineering

Construction Plans and Specifications

| Revit |
| AutoCAD |
| GstarCAD |

Procurement and Construction

Completion of Construction

Startup for Occupancy

Acceptance of Facility

Operation and Maintenance

Fulfillment of Useful Life

Disposal of Facility

3. Comparison Details

1) Modeling

Houseplan 1.0	Houseplan 1.0 is an exceptional 3D design software that can be used in creating houses and environmental models. It offers a wide range of modeling modes to cater to various design requirements and seamlessly integrates graphic design, architectural knowledge, computing, and other advanced technologies. Houseplan 1.0's unique "Sculpture Method" employs specialized functions to simplify the design of buildings and roads, enabling users to efficiently construct models through parameter input, extruding operations, and component carving. Furthermore, Houseplan 1.0 has developed a structured lightweight advanced modeling module that boasts simple yet powerful features, high integration, and ease of use. The module's tools effectively meet complex modeling requirements and offer the modeling capabilities of traditional software, while its user-friendly interface makes it accessible to both professionals and amateurs alike. Houseplan 1.0's comprehensive modeling functions enable users to create complex models effortlessly. It supports the creation of planes and 3D objects such as rings, cones, and pyramids, as well as commonly used editing functions for elements like points, lines, and planes, including extrusion, deformation, lofting, lattice, and mapping. With these advanced features, Houseplan 1.0 enables users to quickly build 3D simulation scenes with ease.
3ds Max 2024	3ds Max 2024 has a stacked structure, it's great at modeling static objects and large scenes, or product modeling with architecture. It also has a strong compatibility in different areas, especially in architectural design and interior design. However, as complex as Maya, it requires a long time to learn the software systematically, which is not very friendly to beginners. Furthermore, the broad industry coverage and extensive support for various plug-ins within 3ds Max 2024 offer both advantages and disadvantages. With the increase of plug-ins, the platform may become chaotic, and sometimes the software will crash due to some plug-in bugs, you might even need to start over if the project is not saved.

2) Material

Houseplan 1.0	An open material system has been developed in Houseplan 1.0, equipped with a user-friendly material editor. It features a unique layered approach to building materials and supports easy and efficient material pasting. Materials can be enhanced with various effects such as bump, reflection, self-

	illumination, and glow. For water surfaces, users can choose between Mapping Reflection and Real Reflection, and adjust parameters such as Glossiness, Reflection Intensity, Fresnel Offset, Fresnel Index, Ripple Height, and more. For simple models, Houseplan 1.0 provides Modal Adjustment and Free Adjustment tools, while more complex models can benefit from the UV Editing tools, which enable the assignment and adjustment of editable polygon materials.
3ds Max 2024	It is convenient to adjust the texture of simple models, and it has a variety of parameters to work on the effect.

3) Rendering

Houseplan 1.0	Houseplan 1.0 provides users with a comprehensive simulation environment that accurately replicates real-world physical characteristics, such as geometry, materials, lighting, shadows, and weather. The rendered images resemble photos and are easily editable. With real-time rendering capabilities, users have access to various environments and customizable scene parameters. The software also supports synchronous dynamic rendering, powered by a high-performance rendering engine that resolves the challenge of flexible 3D graphics editing and simulation synchronization. So, you can design in interactive, responsive environments that immediately display the rendered results.
3ds Max 2024	3ds Max 2024 with the Vray renderer can achieve realistic rendering, but it also has a requirement for computer hardwires, otherwise the rendering process will be slow and may crash.

4) Animation

Houseplan 1.0	Houseplan 1.0 has an animation entity library with set actions, which allows adding animation entities to scenes directly, and formulating and editing the animation path at the same time. The operations are simple and fast.
3ds Max 2024	With the skeletal system, walking animation of a character model can be created. It often requires operations such as binding the skeleton, skinning, etc. The process is relatively complicated.

5) Compatibility

Houseplan 1.0	Houseplan 1.0 supports importing 2D and 3D data and commonly used pictures in osgb(tile), rvt , skp, obj, 3ds, dwg, fbx , cgr, dem, tif, jpg and other formats, and also supports their editing and application. It also allows importing DWG drawings and

	extrude directly, as well as the import of data such as oblique photography and point cloud data.
3ds Max 2024	3ds Max 2024 supports file formats like fbx, 3ds, dwg, dem,obj, rvt, skp, ai, etc.

6) Output

Houseplan 1.0	1) 2D and 3D Output Layouts can be exported as DWG/DXF, or many other 3D formats. 2) Publish You can publish your design with a .exe file that can be operated independently to view images and videos, draw new video paths, display properties, and switch weather environments. 3) Image You can set viewpoints and output a variety of image formats. 4) Video Houseplan 1.0 specially designed an easy-to-use video module, users can formulate and edit drawing paths and view angles, preview or save video results, and then quickly output roaming animations to mp4, mkv and other video files.
3ds Max 2024	The scheme can be exported as 2D and 3D formats files as well as pictures and videos. But it often requires teamwork because it is difficult for a single person to handle all aspects of a project alone.

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