

Communicate and Market Ideas

Design Feature

Use 2D and 3D graphic presentations to communicate the features of a design to potential clients:



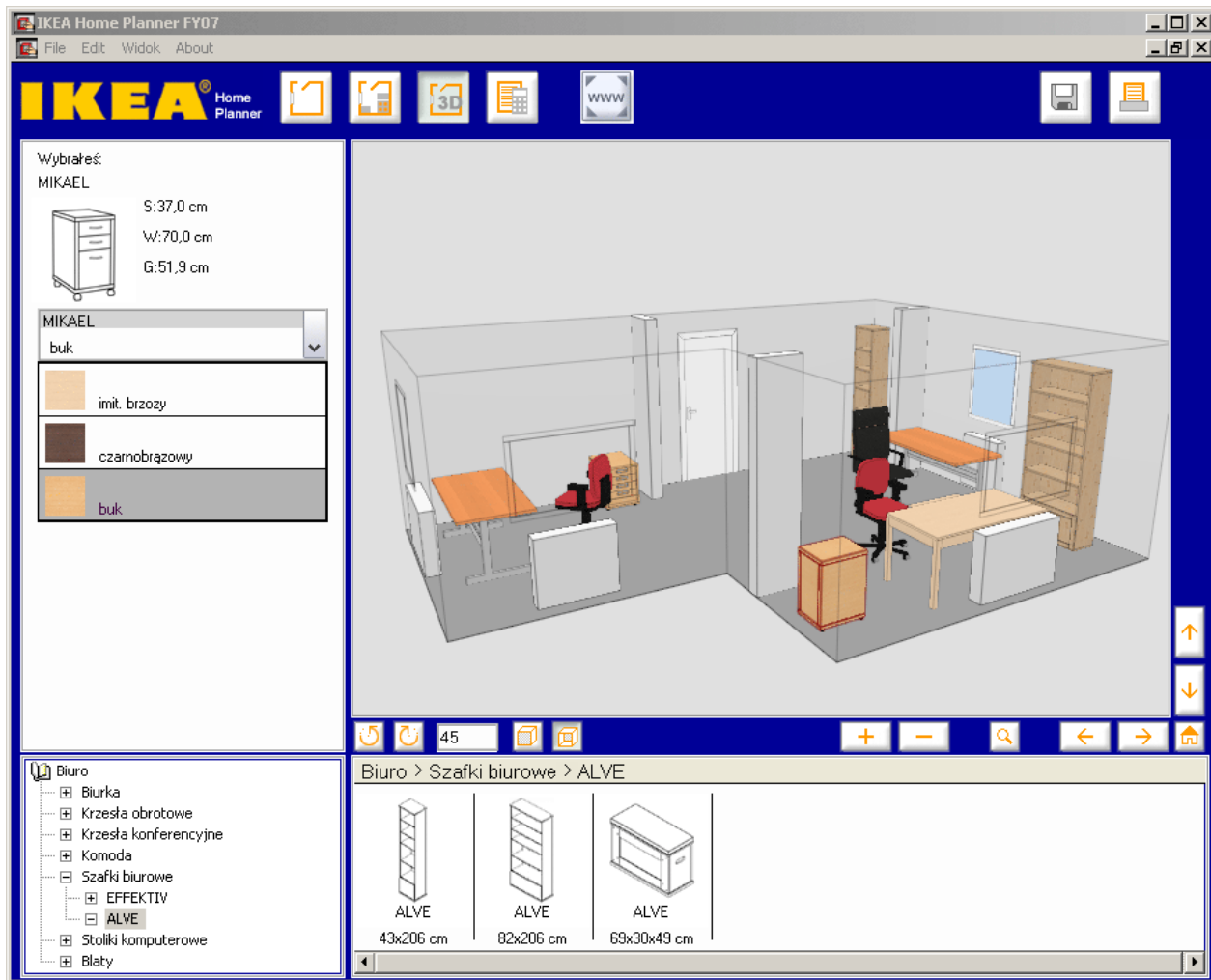
Suggested software with links to sources

IKEA Kitchen Planner also available: PAX wardrobe planner, Bathroom planner and BESTÅ planner (living room storage). These all work in web browsers with IKEA products but allow choice of units and colours.

- http://www.ikea.com/ms/en_GB/rooms_ideas/splashplanners.html

Design Feature

Diagrams and Schematics, Rendered views, Drawings, Fabric simulations, Product simulations (movies)



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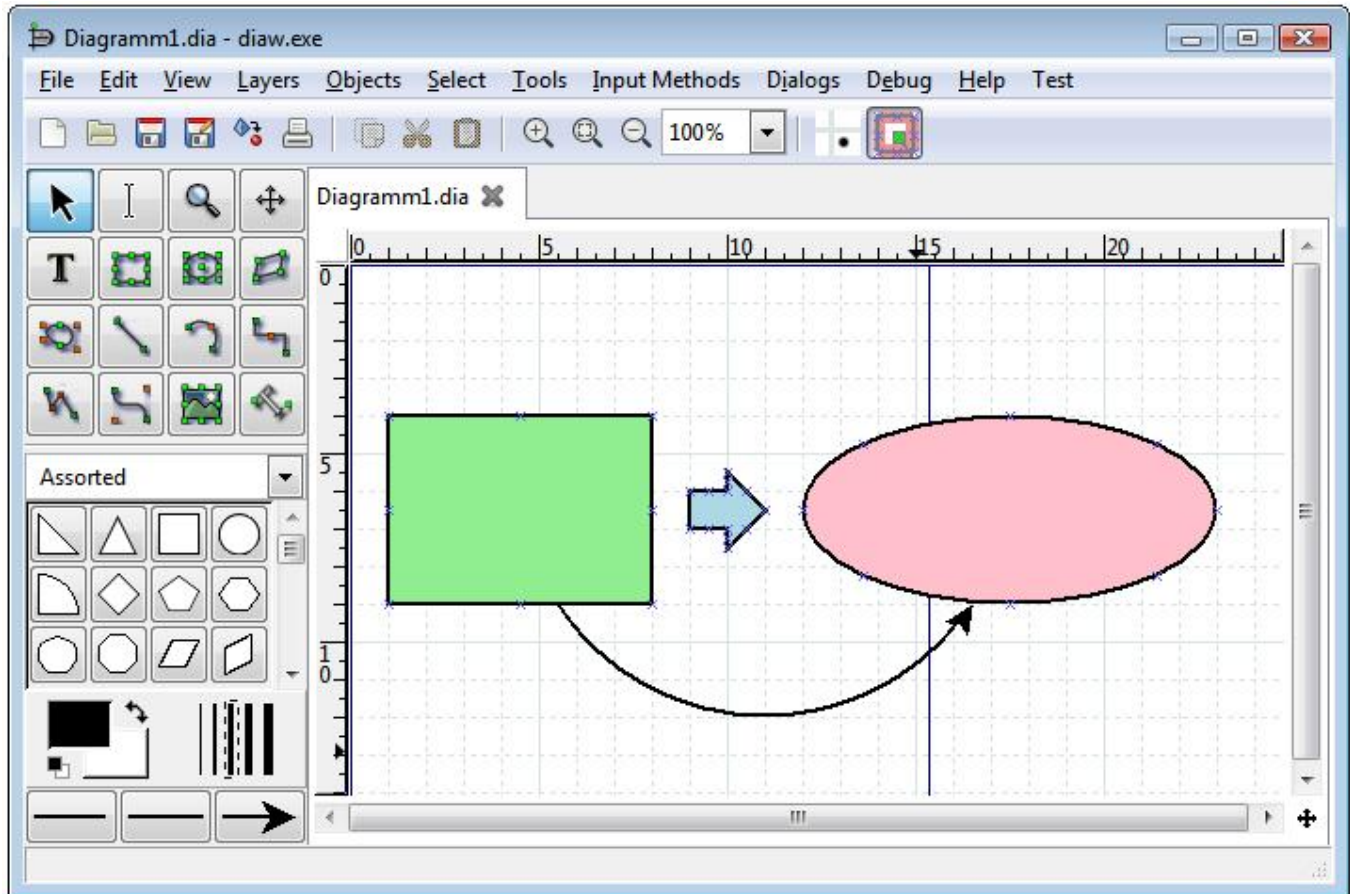
IKEA Office Planner

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Design Feature

Create technical drawings



Suggested software with links to sources

Dia

This is an application for creating technical diagrams. Its interface and features are loosely patterned after the Windows program Visio.

- <http://dia-installer.de/index.html.en>

Design Feature	Most CAD software has a presentation section where models can be given a photo-like quality with colour and texture.
	
Suggested software with links to sources	<p>Autodesk® Showcase® 3D presentation and 3D visualization software provides easy-to-use presentation and design exploration tools for architects, designers, engineers, and marketing professionals. Quickly transform 3D CAD models into interactive walk-throughs and presentations, so that you can evaluate aesthetic and design alternatives in real time with peers, constituents, and customers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://www.autodesk.co.uk/products/autodesk-3ds-max/overview