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DEEP-SKY PLANNER 6 RELEASED

Knightware is pleased to announce the release of Deep-Sky Planner 6, available by digital delivery or on CD. The product helps observers plan what to observe and when, and it gives up-to-the-minute information while observing.

The new version includes an expanded and updated object database, including the Revised NGC/IC (Steinicke, 2012), Extended Hipparcos catalog (2012) and never before published research on the Arp Peculiar Galaxy catalog. The database includes the most up-to-date information available.

Numerous improvements have been made to the user interface, making the data more accessible than ever before. Observing plans can be imported from other software, and they can be exported directly to Argo Navis, Sky Commander and SkySafari (on iOS, Android and Mac OS). Deep-Sky Planner includes Smart Chart Operation™, allowing you to display objects in your favorite planetarium software instantly, and real-time telescope control allows you to move your ASCOM-compatible GoTo telescope automatically to any object.
Deep-Sky Planner 6 includes a fully integrated observing log with the most extensive logging features available, including new support for video and audio clips attached to an observation. Observing logs can be exchanged with other software in **OpenAstronomyLog** format, and they can be posted in HTML format to a web site.

**Deep-Sky Planner** operates on Windows 8, 7, Vista and XP. It includes thorough documentation, online product support and online product updates. The online product community allows licensed users to access an extensive library of pre-built observing plans and equipment lists used by the product. For full product description please see [http://www.knightware.biz/dsp](http://www.knightware.biz/dsp).

**Pricing and Availability**

Deep-Sky Planner 6 is available by digital delivery ($72) and on CD ($80.95) directly from Knightware at [http://www.knightware.biz](http://www.knightware.biz)
Arp Peculiar Galaxies at least 30° altitude at end of twilight on 7 Dec 2012, sorted by best time to view. The image shows several members of Arp 325.

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