

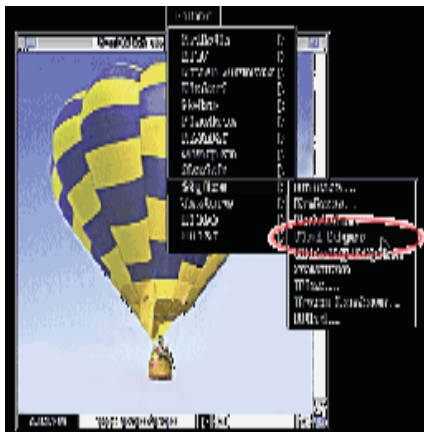


INTRODUCTION TO GRAPHICS

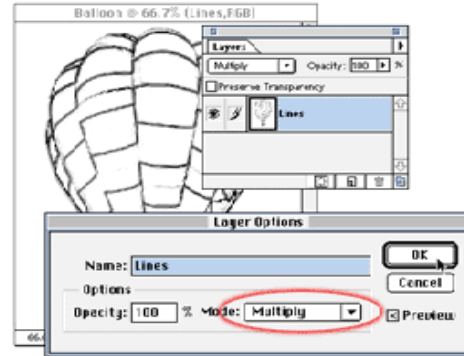
Coloring Book Art from Photos I

Information Sheet No.

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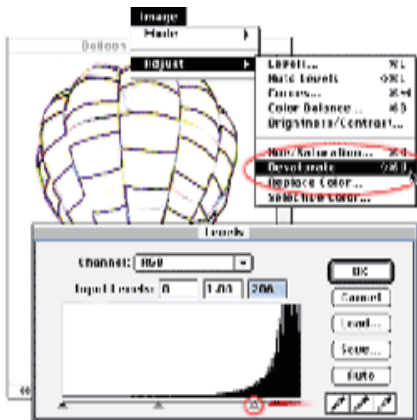
STEP 1:



STEP 3:

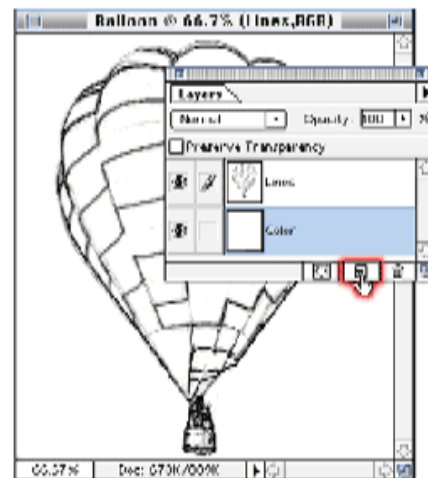
First you need a photograph to turn into our coloring book. A photo with large simple shapes— such as this balloon— work best. Use the “Find Edges” filter to turn it into outlines.

Double-click on the background to turn it into a layer, name it “Lines”, and set the mode to “Multiply.”



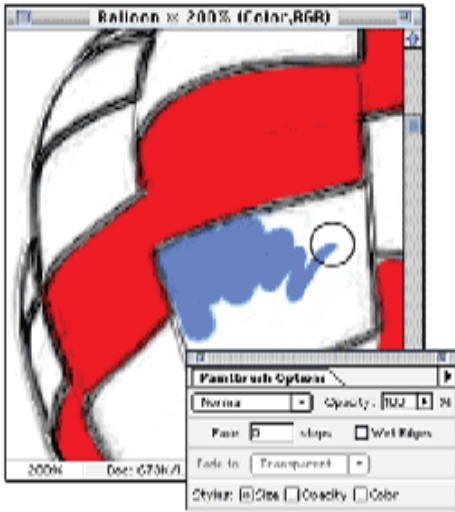
STEP 2:

The next two steps are to desaturate the image, and to adjust the levels to drop out the inevitable greyish noise. To drop out the light grey, slide the white arrow to the left



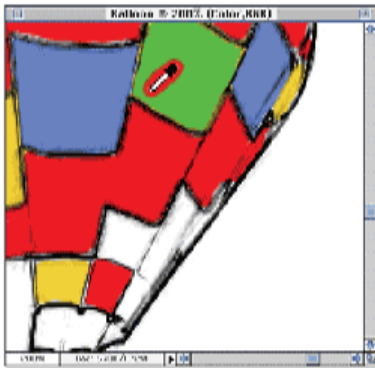
STEP 4:

You're almost ready to take off. Click on the layer icon to create another layer, this one called “Color,” and place it beneath the “Lines” layer.



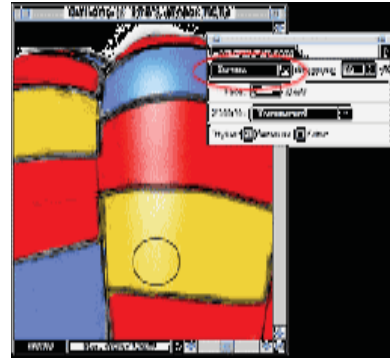
STEP 5:

Now you can use the paintbrush on the "Color" layer and paint away. The Intuos Pen's 1,024 levels of pressure-sensitivity give you the power to paint thick or thin lines with feel and control. Press harder for a fat stroke, lightly for a thin stroke.



STEP 6:

Set the DuoSwitch on your pen for the 'alt' or 'option' key, and you can sample colors from anywhere in your artwork with a quick roll of your finger.



STEP 7:

Now set your airbrush for 'Screen,' and paint in some highlights with white paint.



STEP 8:

And there you are. And remember, you don't have to stay in the lines.