Resizing an image with GIMP

Training Information

● GIMP Basics can be found at:
http://www.gimp.org/tutorials/The_Basics/

● Tutorials and further training information can be found at:
http://www.gimp.org/tutorials/
http://www.gimp.org/docs/
http://gimp-tutorials.net/

● Also on YouTube at
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8LmW5ndnEqw

● Other sites you may find useful:
http://www.noupe.com/how-tos/30-exceptional-gimp-tutorials-and-resources.html

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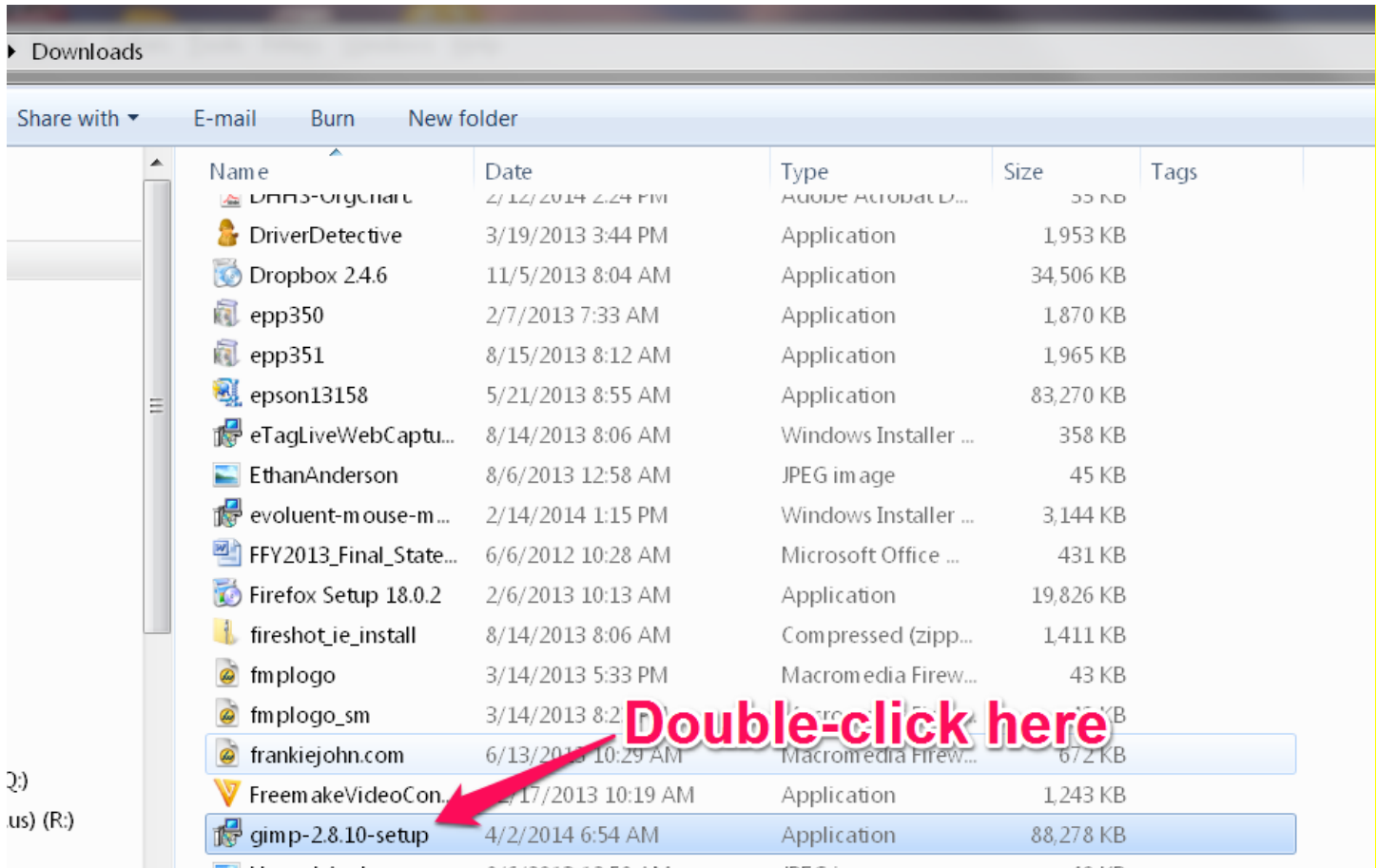**Direct your browser to http://gimp.org and click the Download Button**

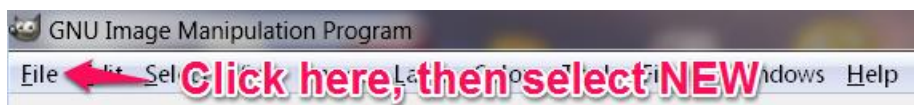**Then click on the Download GIMP 2.8.12 link**
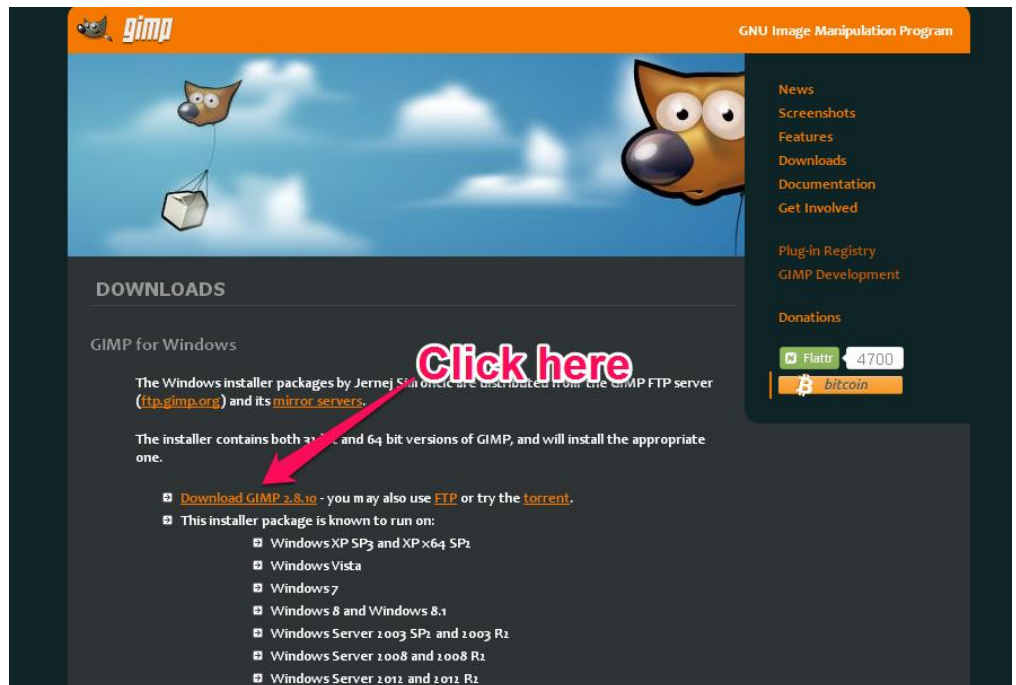
Make sure to save the file in either your DOWNLOADS folder or another location where you can locate it after download.
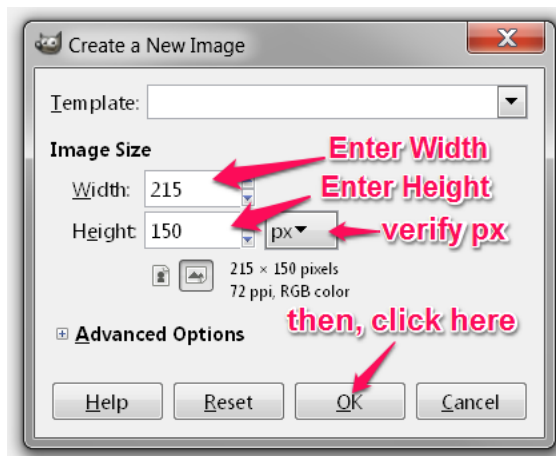
Once the setup file has been downloaded, navigate to it and double-click on it to run the setup file to install the application.

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Dropbox 2.4.6	11/5/2013 8:04 AM	Application	34,506 KB	
epp350	2/7/2013 7:33 AM	Application	1,870 KB	
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Double-click here

Open GIMP. Select NEW from the FILE menu.

GNU Image Manipulation Program

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Click here, then select NEW

Create the blank image the size you want the finished product to be. In this case, we want the finished product to be 215 px x 150 px, so we enter 215 as the width and 150 as the height, and make sure px is the chosen measurement in the drop-down box, then click OK.

Create a New Image

Template:

Image Size

Width: 215

Height: 150   px ▾

215 × 150 pixels
72 ppi, RGB color

⊞ Advanced Options

| Help | Reset | OK | Cancel |

Enter Width
Enter Height
verify px
then, click here

Go to FILE > Open to navigate to your desktop or another folder and select the image you want to resize.
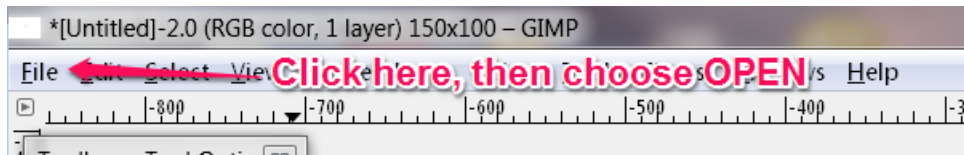

Please note: if you opened an image and do not see it on the screen, go to Windows and choose the image you opened in the drop-down menu.


Once you've opened the image, click on the IMAGE drop-down menu and choose SCALE IMAGE. You want to make either the width or the height the same as the size you want. In this case we will adjust the width to 215 because we know width is 202 and the height is 60 so it is already smaller than we require.
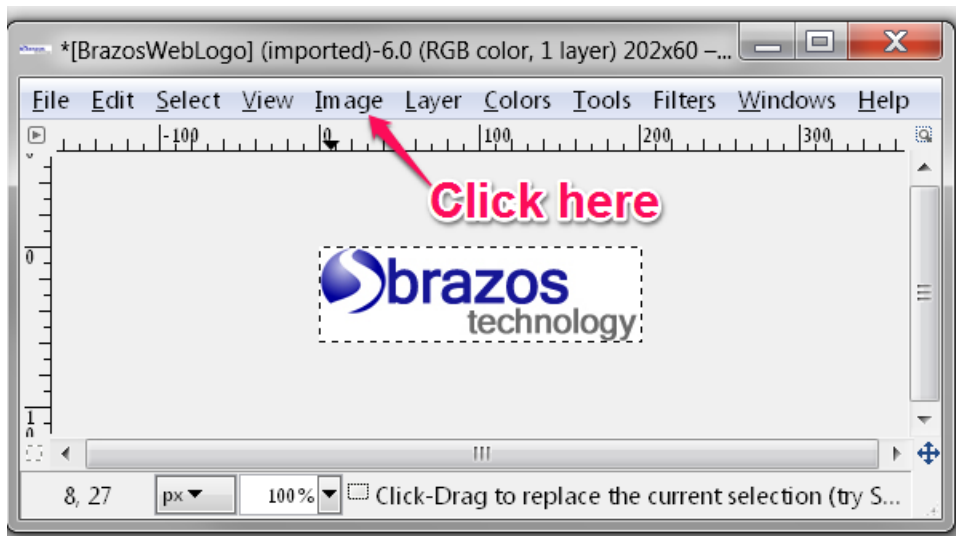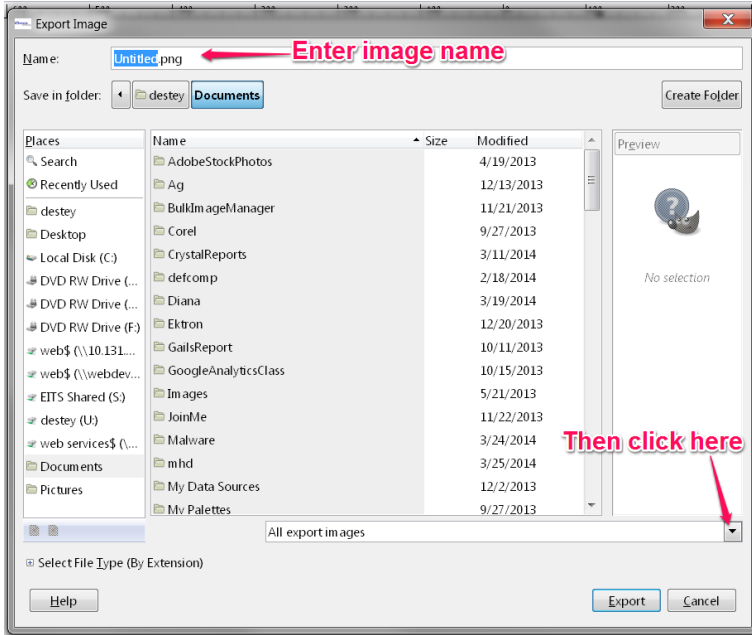

Next, choose EDIT > COPY.
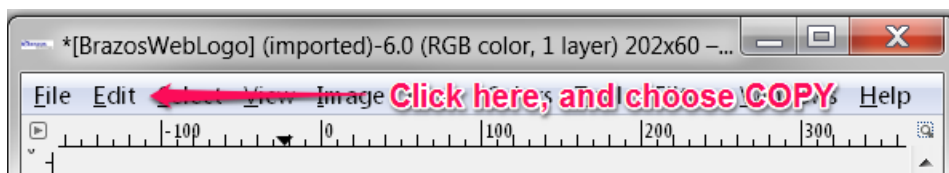
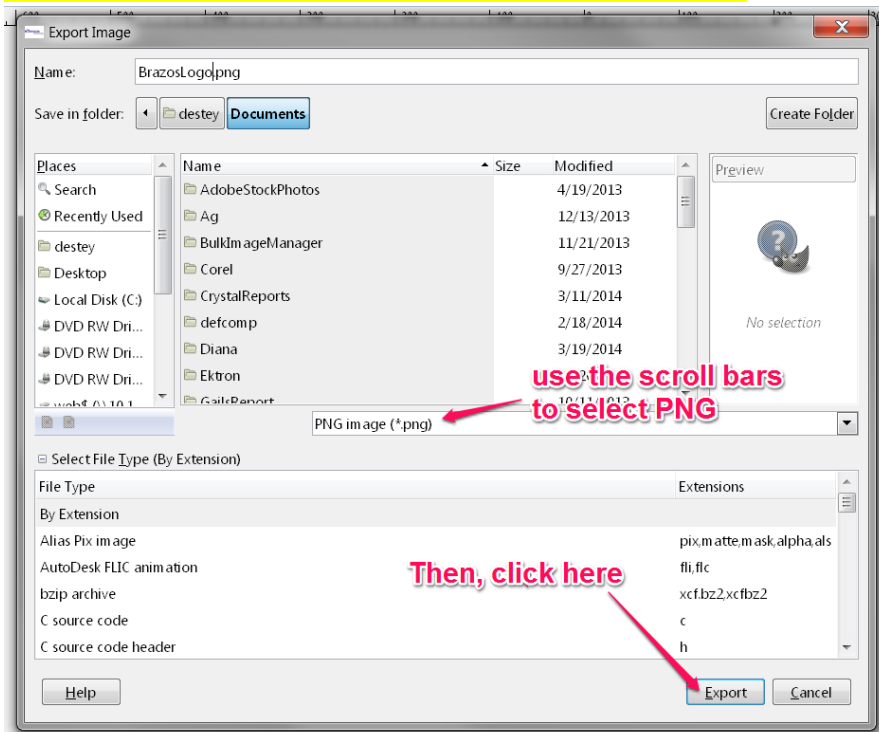**Then, click on the correctly sized blank image and choose EDIT > PASTE INTO.**
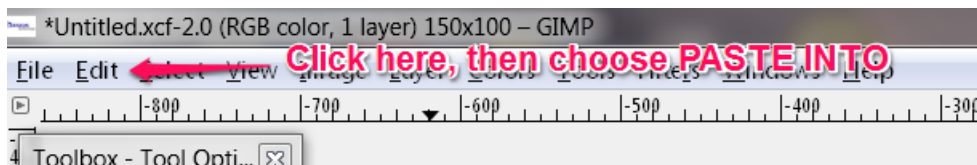
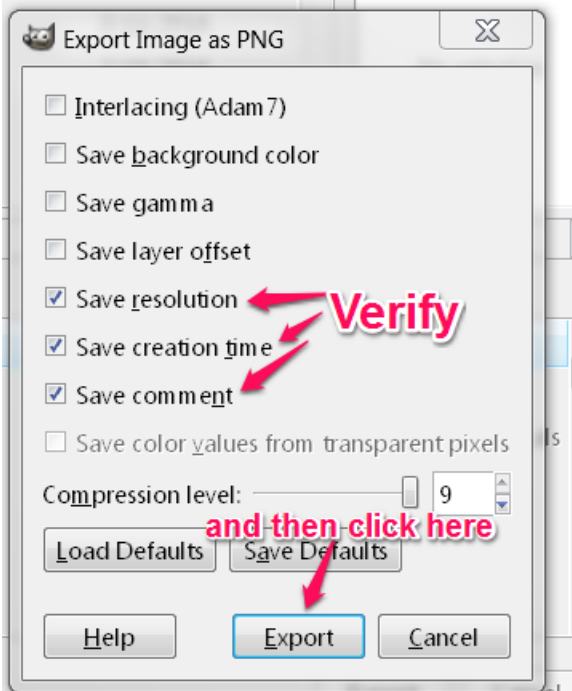**Your image will appear inside the blank image, as shown below.**

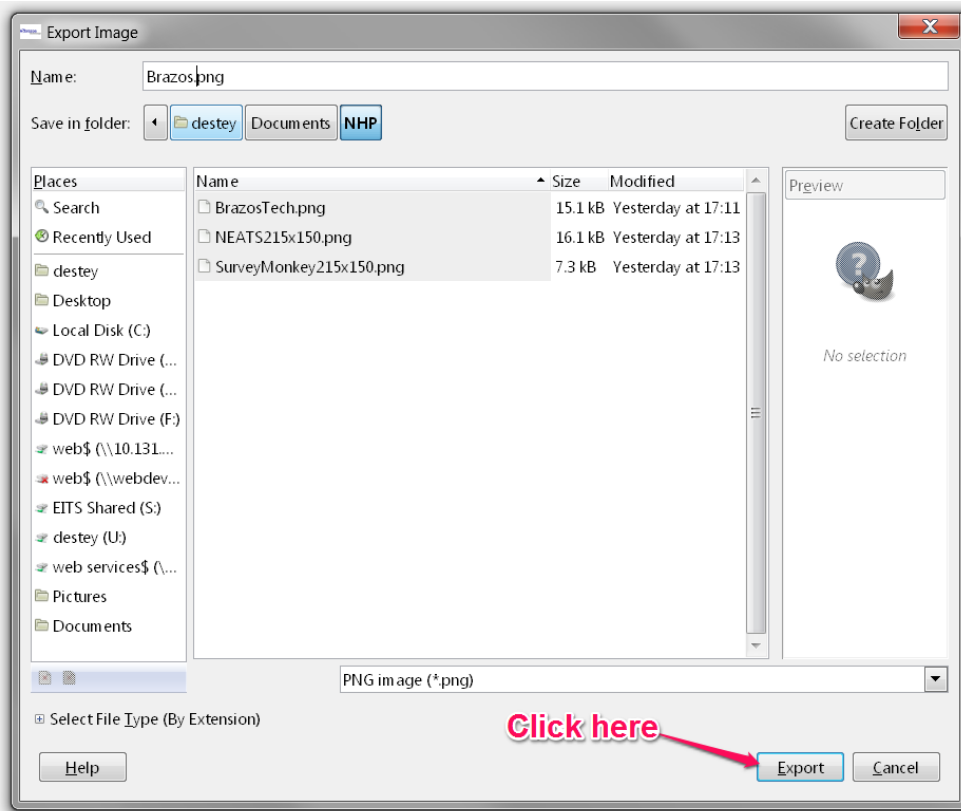**To save the image, go the FILE menu > choose EXPORT AS and click the Export Images drop-down box.**

Choose PNG from the drop-down list, and then click EXPORT.

When the Export Image as PNG dialog box appears, make sure the following are checked, as shown below, and then click EXPORT.

Navigate to the folder you want to save the image to, and then click EXPORT.

Your resized image is ready for use.