

AI Image Generator vs Stock Images (vsdiff.com)

Feature	AI Image Generator	Stock Images
Uniqueness	Highly unique as images are created from scratch based on user prompts.	<i>Limited uniqueness</i> , as many users may license the same images.
Customization	Extensive customization, allowing users to specify details and styles.	No customization; users must select from available images.
Cost	Can be free or subscription-based, depending on the generator.	Typically involves a one-time fee or subscription for access.
Quality	Quality varies; can be high but requires a good prompt.	Generally high quality as they are often professionally shot.
Usage Rights	Rights depend on the platform; may vary.	Clear usage rights defined at the point of licensing.

Source: <https://vsdiff.com/ai-image-generator-vs-stock-images/>