Producing Images and Movies

An introduction to several useful tools for creating publication-quality images and movies
In addition to the Actions menu and the Selection Inspector, there are many other tools for tweaking the visualization.

I’m just to highlight my favorites.
The **Nucleotides** tool can be used to obtain highly stylized renditions of nucleotide structures.
Several tools enable you to control the visual components of the scene.
Publication-Quality Images

Support for multiple image formats, antialiasing, high-resolution images

Notes
Chimera can export the current scene in X3D, Pov-ray, and RenderMan formats. Browser plugins exist for X3D. Pov-ray is a raytracing format. RenderMan is used for commercial video.

Image generated by free RenderMan renderer from www.3delight.com
Add annotations in the graphics window using the 2D Labels tool; label color and size are configurable.
The **Movie Recorder** tool enables you to make a movie from the contents of the graphics window; supports encoding in popular video formats.