



QUICK PHOTO POP WITH TOPAZ ADJUST

Quick Photo Pop

In this section, we will walk you through a sample project, step-by-step, to help you become more familiar with the Adjust program and to show you how easy it is to instantly make your photo pop.



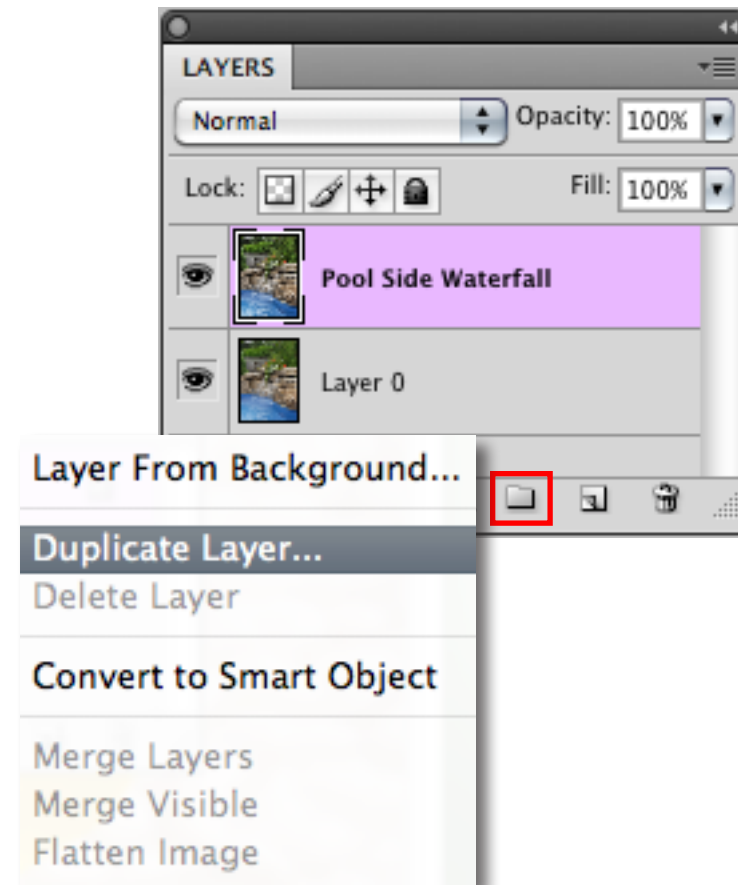
After Topaz Adjust

Before Topaz Adjust

We will be using this photo of a pool side waterfall for our example. You can see the difference in detail and depth enhancement in the Before and After shots. In the following steps, we will show you how to achieve optimal results with your own photos, following this model. Let's get started.

Please visit the Topaz Adjust website at <http://www.topazlabs.com/adjust> for video tutorials, tips, and tricks!

1. Open an image file.
2. Create a duplicate layer of your image. Right-click on your image layer in your layers and select "Duplicate Layer". You can also achieve this by selecting your image layer and dragging it down to the new layer icon.



3. To begin working on your image go to Filters -> Topaz Labs -> Adjust 4

Work Flow

4. Once your image loads, use the zoom tools to zoom in on a specific part of your image. Then you can click on the preview and drag it around until you find an area that you like.

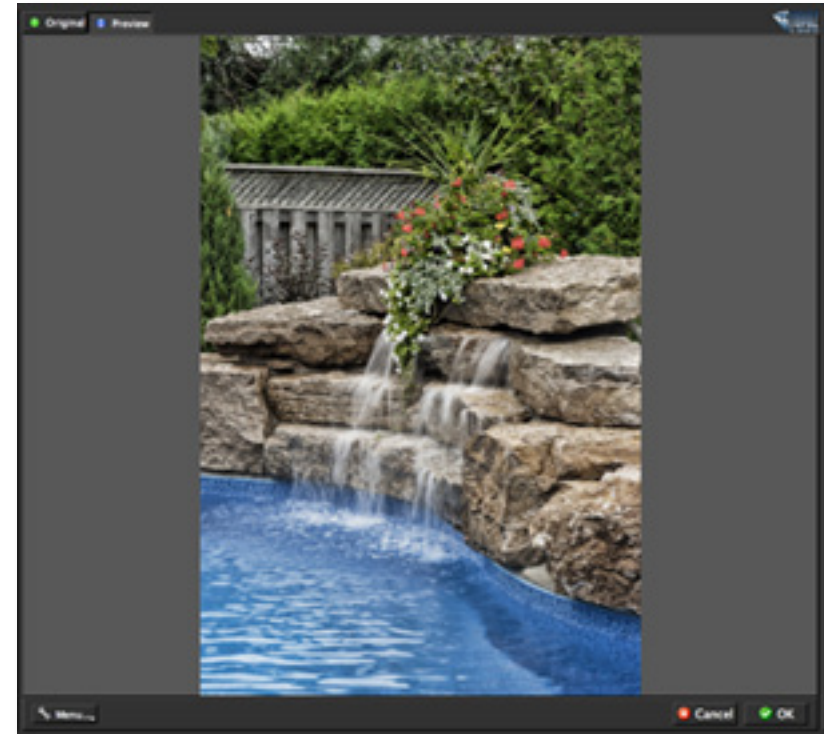
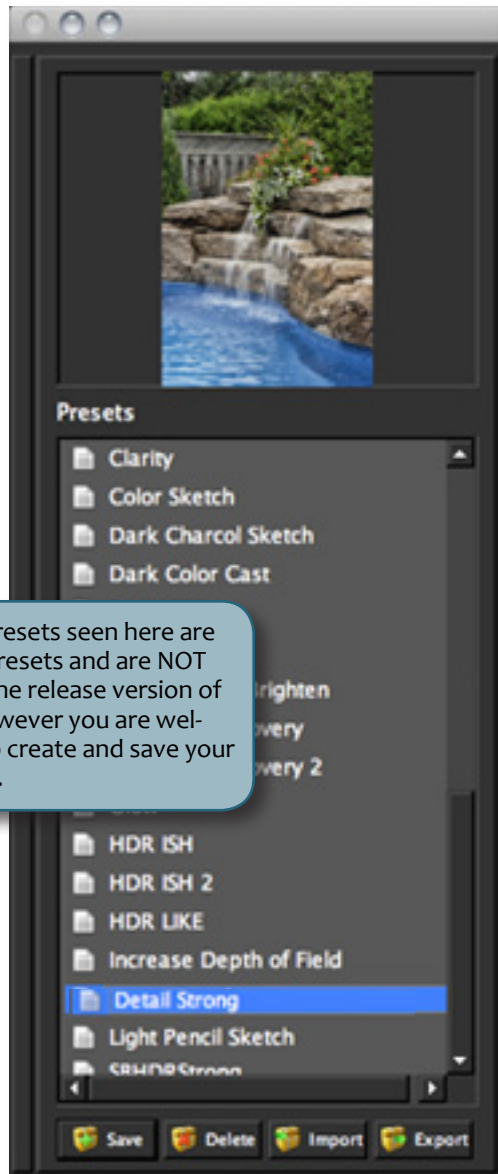
We want to enhance the large details to better define the natural elements of this image, so we will be working only with the default presets for this example, but you can start any way you like.

5. If you want to choose a default preset, scroll through the panel on the left side of the screen. To select it, just click on it and the sliders will automatically adjust to the pre-defined settings and parameters. For this example we will be using the Detail Strong preset.

For more color, exposure and detail tools be sure to check out Topaz Adjust at: www.topazlabs.com/adjust



Work Flow



If you are satisfied with the preset adjustments then you can click “OK” to process your image and save it back to Photoshop.

If you would like to make some additional adjustments to your settings then you can do so by adjusting any of the sliders in the four tabs manually until you achieve your preferred image results.

With a wide variety of presets you will often find that a single selection will give you optimal image results.

Don't forget that you can use the shortcut keys in Topaz Adjust 4 to speed up your workflow.

Work Flow

Once you are happy with your preset selection and your manual adjustments you are ready to click OK and watch your image transform.



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Now you should have a beautifully enhanced image with extreme detail and depth.



After Topaz Adjust

Shortcut Keys

Topaz Adjust uses some shortcut keys to speed up your workflow. Many of these keys are similar to those in Photoshop. The following keys work at all times.

Action	MAC Shortcut	PC Shortcut
View Original Image	Spacebar	Spacebar
Reset All	CMD-ALT-R	CTRL-ALT-R
Zoom to Fit	CMD-o	CTRL-o
Zoom to 100%	CMD-ALT-o	CTRL-ALT-o
Zoom In	+ or CMD - +	+ or CTRL - +
Zoom Out	- or CMD - -	- or CTRL - -
Undo	CMD -Z	Ctrl - Z
Redo	CMD - Shift - Z	Ctrl - Shift - Z

ADDITIONAL SHORTCUTS

Action	Shortcut
E	Expands / Collapses Exposure Tab
D	Expands / Collapses Details Tab
C	Expands / Collapses Color Tab
N	Expands / Collapses Noise Tab
Left or Right Arrow Key	Scrolls through presets
Return (enter) key	Applies selected preset
[key	Reduces selected slider value by 0.1
] key	Increases selected slider value by 0.1
Home Key	Set the slider value to minimum
End Key	Set the slider value to maximum
Double-click slider name	Resets the slider value to 0

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