Adobe Photoshop Filters

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What is a Filter?

- Photoshop filters and plug-ins started to come on to the market in the early 90s.
- A filter/plug-in can take many different forms: image processing, text, file formats, selections, production filters, automation and more, but the most common is probably the special effect. The special effect can take the form of simply shifting a pixel to the left or perhaps adding a frame or a variety of frames or changing the color of a pixel or adding an emboss or fractal to an image.

About Filters

- Filters are Memory-Intensive (Save Files)
- Filters cannot be applied to bitmap-mode or indexed-color images
- Some filters may only work on RGB images
- Some filters are processed entirely in RAM

Types of Filters in Photoshop

- Watercolor
- Render
- Clouds
- Ripple
- Crystallize
- Stylize
- Lighting

- Lens Flare
- Chrome
- Stamp
- Water Ripple
- Torn Edges
- Neon Glow

Examples of Photoshop Filters



Original Image

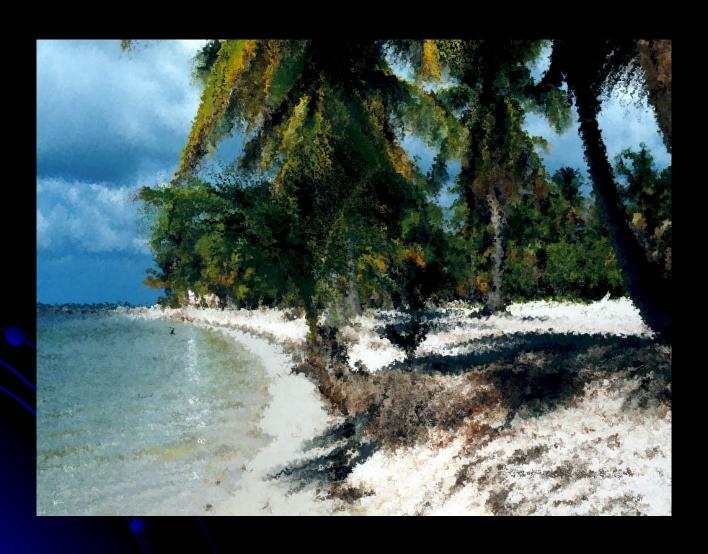
Neon Glow



Sponge



Spatter



Ripple



Wave



Lens Flare



Omni Lighting



Photocopy



Clouds



