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Adobe After Effects 5.5 Effect PDFs

The PDF files in this folder provide additional documentation for the effects that come with After Effects 5.5. Refer to the table on the following pages to determine the PDF that contains the information for a particular effect. The effect names are listed alphabetically in the first column. The second column gives the category name under which the effect can be found both in the After Effects Effect menu and in the PDF. The third column lists the name of the PDF that includes the effect information.

Effects listed in bold type are included in After Effects Production Bundle only.

Effects listed with an asterisk are not included on the After Effects CD but can be downloaded from the Web free of charge after you register your copy of After Effects. Effects listed with two asterisks do not work with OS X and have been placed in a separate folder.

Visit the After Effects page of the Adobe Web site (<http://www.adobe.com/products/aftereffects/main.html>) to find additional information about After Effects including tutorials, and links to user groups and other resources.

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Effect	Effect Menu Category	Effect PDF
3D Channel Extract	3D Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
4-Color Gradient	Adjust	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Advanced Lightning	Render	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Alpha Levels	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Arithmetic	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Audio Spectrum	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Audio Waveform	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Backwards	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Basic 3D	Perspective	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Basic Text	Text	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Bass & Treble	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Beam	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Bevel Alpha	Perspective	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Bevel Edges	Perspective	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Bezier Warp	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Blend	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Block Dissolve	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Brightness & Contrast	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Broadcast Colors	Video	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Brush Strokes	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Bulge	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Card Dance*	Simulation	aftWebHelp_04.pdf
Card Wipe*	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Caustics*	Simulation	aftWebHelp_04.pdf
Cell Pattern	Render	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Change Color	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Channel Blur	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Channel Mixer	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Cineon Converter	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Color Balance	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Color Balance (HLS)	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Color Difference Key	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Color Emboss	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Color Key	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Color Range	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Color Stabilizer	Adjust	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Colorama	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf

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Compound Arithmetic	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Compound Blur	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Corner Pin	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Curves	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Delay	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Depth Matte	3D Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Depth of Field	3D Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Difference Matte	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Directional Blur	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Displacement Map	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Drop Shadow	Perspective	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Echo	Time	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Ellipse	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Emboss	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Equalize	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Extract	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Fast Blur	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Fill	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Find Edges	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Flange & Chorus	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Foam*	Simulation	aftWebHelp_04.pdf
Fog 3D	3D Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Fractal	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Fractal Noise	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Gamma/Pedestal/Gain	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Gaussian Blur	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Glow	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Gradient Wipe	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Grid	Render	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
High-Low Pass	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Hue/Saturation	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
ID Matte	3D Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Inner Outer Key	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Invert	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Iris Wipe	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Leave Color	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Levels	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf

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Levels (individual controls)	Adjust	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Lightning	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Linear Color Key	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Linear Wipe	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Luma Key	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Matte Choker	Matte Tools	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Median	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Mesh Warp	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Minimax	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Mirror	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Modulator	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Mosaic	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Motion Tile	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Noise	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Numbers	Text	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Offset	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Optics Compensation	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Parametric EQ	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Particle Playground	Simulation	aftWebHelp_05.pdf
Path Text	Text	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Polar Coordinates	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Posterize Time	Time	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
PS Arbitrary Map	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
PS+ Extrude**	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
PS+ Lens Flare	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
PS+ Ripple**	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
PS+ Spherize**	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
PS+ Tiles**	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
PS+ Twirl**	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
PS+ Wave**	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
PS+ Zigzag**	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Radial Blur	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Radial Wipe	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Radio Waves	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Ramp	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Reduce Interlace Flicker	Video	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Remove color Matting	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf

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Reshape	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Reverb	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Ripple	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Roughen Edges	Stylize	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Scatter	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Set Channels	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Set Matte	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Sharpen	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Shatter	Simulation	aftWebHelp_04.pdf
Shift Channels	Channel	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Simple Choker	Matte Tools	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Smear	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Spherize	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Spill Suppressor	Keying	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Stereo Mixer	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Strobe Light	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Stroke	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Texturize	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Threshold	Adjust	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Time Difference	Time	aftWebHelp_07.pdf
Time Displacement	Time	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Timecode	Video	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Tint	Image Control	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Tone	Audio	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Transform	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Twirl	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Unsharp Mask	Blur & Sharpen	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Vector Paint	Paint	aftWebHelp_02.pdf
Vegas	Render	aftWebHelp_03.pdf
Venetian Blinds	Transition	aftWebHelp_06.pdf
Wave Warp	Distort	aftWebHelp_01.pdf
Wave World*	Simulation	aftWebHelp_04.pdf
Write-on	Stylize	aftWebHelp_06.pdf

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