INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS
USING YOUR TEXTURES / OVERLAYS

HOW TO APPLY TEXTURES & OVERLAYS IN PHOTOSHOP / CREATIVE CLOUD

Step 1: Open Your Image.

Step 2: Select File > Place (or "Place Embed").

Step 3: Select a Texture/Overlay & Click “Place”.

Step 4: Position the overlay, then click the check mark to place the overlay.

Step 5: Change blend mode to suit your needs. We suggest **MULTIPLY**, **OVERLAY** or **SCREEN**.

NOTE: If you are using a PNG overlay, as opposed to a JPEG overlay (such as our Leaf & Branch Overlays), you do not need to use a blend mode since the PNG files are working with transparent pixels. Simply place the image and that’s all there is to it :).

TO NON-DESTRUCTIVELY REMOVE PORTIONS OF THE TEXTURE/OVERLAY SIMPLY:

1. Create a Layer Mask (Layer > Layer Mask > Reveal All)

2. Using a soft, black brush paint over the areas on the layer mask that you would like to erase.

HOW TO APPLY TEXTURES & OVERLAYS IN PHOTOSHOP ELEMENTS

Step 1: Open Your Image.

Step 2: Select "Expert" Mode

Step 3: Select File > Place.

Step 3: Select a Texture/Overlay & Click "Place".

Step 4: Position the overlay, then click the check mark to place the overlay.

Step 5: Change blend mode to suit your needs. We suggest MULTIPLY, OVERLAY or SCREEN.

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HOW TO APPLY TEXTURES & OVERLAYS IN LIGHTROOM USING THE ONONE PERFECT LAYERS PLUGIN

IMPORTANT: To use textures/overlays in Lightroom, you must use an external software such as **OnOne Perfect Layers Plugin for Lightroom**, which you can purchase HERE.

Step 1: Open Your Image in Lightroom

Step 2: To use the OnOne Perfect Layers Plugin, select **File > Plugin Extras > Open as Layers in Perfect Layers**.

Step 3: To add a Texture/Overlay to your image in the Perfect Layers Plugin, go to **File > Add Layer(s) from File...**

Step 4: Select an overlay and click "Open".

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Step 6: Choose the "Masking Brush" set to "Paint Out" mode.

Step 7: Begin brushing over areas on the texture that you would like to erase.

Step 8: When finished, save your image to be brought back to Lightroom, by selecting **File > Save**.

Step 9: Make any final adjustments to your image in Lightroom.

Step 10: That's it! You're all done!