

Feathered Edges in Photoshop



This tip explains how you can feather a soft edge around a photograph:

1. Open up your image.
2. Set feather to desired amount



3. Draw a selection with the marquee tool or with the lasso tool.



4. At this point you may copy the image and paste it into a new file or invert the selection (SHIFT+CTRL+D) then (CTRL+SHIFT+I) and then fill the selection (EDIT...FILL) with a color you want it to blend into (I used a feather of 5 and the color white in this case).



5. To make a larger blend, increase the feather pixel amount (In the example below I used 10).

Note that you can use an odd shape for the selection area or it could be a box or a circle.



Feathered edge!