

Installing and running Perspective Tools 2 Photoshop extension.

Note that this software will only run in Photoshop CC, CC2014..CC2020

1. Installing

A. Native Installers: All Photoshops.

- Note that because I'm not an identified developer, Mac, Windows or AntiVirus software will be suggesting to not use these installers. If you're not comfortable with ignoring your OS advice, please use a different installation method.
- Use `/Install Windows/Install_PerspectiveTools_2.4.3.exe` if you're on Windows.
 - If you have Avast antivirus you can get `ShellExecuteEx 299 error`, ignore it `~_(\`)/~`
- Use `/Install Mac/Install_PerspectiveTools_2.4.3.pkg` if you're on Mac.
 - To open the .pkg from an unidentified developer, Ctrl+Click on it and select Open
- Restart PS if it's running.

B. ZXP Installer: Photoshop CC2015, CC2017+.

- Goto [ZXPInstaller](#), download ZXPInstaller for Win or Mac and drag-n-drop `/ZXP/PerspectiveTools_2.4.3.zxp` to ZXPInstaller window, restart PS.
- Why do you need use 3rd party software? Adobe discontinued Extension Manager after CC2014 and currently there's no official way to install extensions for modern Photoshops.

C. Adobe Extension Manager: Photoshop CS6, CC, CC2014.

- Find Adobe Extension Manager:
 - On Windows: `C:\Program Files\Adobe\Adobe Extension Manager CC\`
 - On Mac: `/Applications/Adobe Extension Manager CC/`
- Or download it from http://www.adobe.com/exchange/em_download/
- Goto File > Install Extension and browse for `/ZXP/PerspectiveTools_2.4.3.zxp`.

D. Manual installation (if nothing worked).

- Navigate to `/Manual Install/`
- Unzip PerspectiveTools_2.4.3.zip to
 - On Windows:
`C:\Users\[USER]\AppData\Roaming\Adobe\CEP\extensions\`
(to get there paste `%appdata%` to file browser and hit Enter)
 - On Mac:
`/Library/Application Support/Adobe/CEP/extensions/`
- If the directories aren't there, create them
- Copy the scripts jsx-files to `%Photoshop folder%/Presets/Scripts` (optional).

2. Running

- Run from Window → Extensions → Perspective Tools 2

3. Using

- There's a manual available at <https://pt2.readthedocs.io/>
- Subscribe to [my YouTube channel](#) for updates and tutorials
- Questions/problems? Drop me a message kritskiy.sergey@gmail.com
- Find more tools on my [Gumroad](#) or [Cubebrush](#)

Version history

- 18 May 2020: PT 2.4.3
 - CC: fixed a rare occurrence of the panel crashing PT2 on some Photoshops
 - CC: an option to hide/show gif helpers in the flyout menu (CC2014+). Gifs were causing slowdowns on Mac Catalina
- 19 Dec 2019: PT 2.4.2
 - CC: Installers were updated to work with Photoshop 2020
 - CC: small fixes
 - CS6: fixed de-perspective not working in some cases.. again
 - Added EULA
- 9 May 2019: PT 2.4.1
 - CS6: fixed de-perspective not working in some cases
 - CC: slight changes in UI
- 25 Nov 2018: PT 2.4.0
 - Possible to recreate paths for newly created Warp and Deperspective layers using Fix Paths command
 - Deperspective can unwarp 2-points (line) paths
 - when no paths and two grids are presented, Deperspective will unwarp the whole document
 - When Horizon and Y grid are presented, Deperspective will unwarp the document to 2p perspective
 - Installers updated for CC2019
 - Some fixes
- 21 Mar 2018: PT 2.3.0
 - Parallel and distant grids are more memory-efficient
 - It's possible to create two grids from one 4-points quadrangle path
 - High Density Grids from selected areas
 - New manual: <http://pt2.readthedocs.io/>
 - Some fixes
- 16 Nov 2017: PT 2.2.3
 - Panel is resizable once again in PS CC2018
- 24 May 2017: PT 2.2.2
 - New grids respect default grid color, set in Ctrl/Cmd+Create Grid menu
 - Grid Width is a multiplier instead of absolute value
 - Fixed broken tip-gif for Change Points Order
- 14 Apr 2017: PT 2.2.1
 - fixed Recolor error in CS6 version
- 28 Mar 2017: PT 2.2.0
 - New De-Perspective algorithm, works in CS6
 - Correct Path and Autowarp work with Parallel grids
 - Create VPs on Horizon line with 1 path
 - All functions are available as scripts, assign them to hotkeys or use on Brusherator
 - Change new Horizon density with Ctrl/Cmd-click on Horizon button
 - Change grid color to custom with Ctrl/Cmd-click on Recolor button
 - Creating grids is 20-50% faster
 - probably fixed something
- 26 Aug 2016: PT 2.1.0
 - CS6 version
 - New warp mode — Autowarp: use Warp with 2 visible Persp layers and no paths
 - Fix path now works with multiple paths
 - Warp now works with multiple paths
 - Fix path now can work with 2-points paths
 - Rotate path shows points order
 - Mirroring paths (Shift + Rotate path) works differently
 - Warped layers keep opacity/blending modes
 - Fixed Bezier Warp weird document canvas changes
 - Fixed weird results with De-perspective when path points are outside the document boundaries
 - Fixed reset of perspective layer color when recreating a grid layer
 - Alt+Click on any button opens correct video link instead of 'Never Gonna Give You Up'

- 18 Jul 2016: PT 2.0.2
 - Fixed 'Fix' which I broke in 2.0.1
- 18 Jul 2016: PT 2.0.1
 - Fixed Re-color for users of non-English Photoshop
 - Remote VPs don't create huge files ('Can't save .psd file because it's larger than 2GB' error)
- 10 jul 2016: PT 2.0