

OLM Open Tools OLM Smoother User Manual

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Figure 1
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1. Introduction

OLM Smoother is an After Effects plug-in specialized in smoothing cel animation drawings.

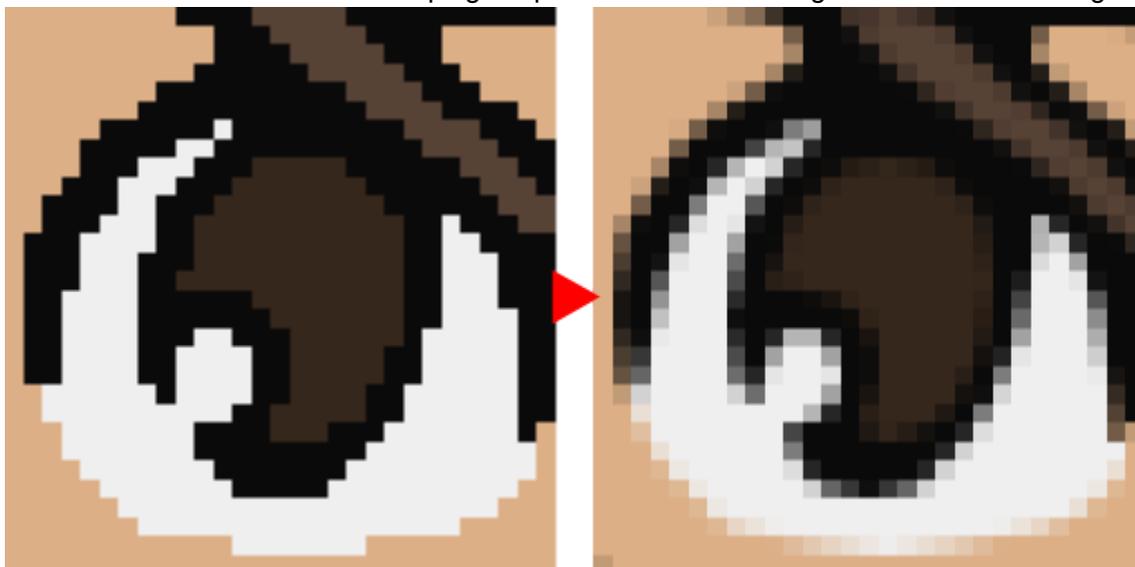


Figure 1 (Left) Original Image, (Right) After OLM Smoother

1.1. Supported Environment

Please refer to OLM Open Tools [website](#) for a complete list of supported environment.

1.2. Install

The zip archive you can download from OLM OpenTools web site contains the files listed in Table 1. To install OLM Smoother copy the plug-in file (for windows: OLMSmoother.aex, for Mac: unzip OLMSmoother.plugin.zip) in A E plug-in directory

(example:

for windows: C:\Program Files\Adobe\Adobe After Effects 2022\Support Files\Plug-ins\OLM
for Mac: Applications\Adobe After Effects CS3\Plug-ins\OLM)

Folder	File Name	Explanation
Plugins\[32/64/Mac] \[Version]	OLMSmoother.aex OLMSmoother.plugin.zip	The plug-in files.
doc	OLMSmoother UserManual.pdf	The user manual for OLM Smoother

Table 1 : Content of the zip archive

2. Using OLM Smoother

To apply the effect, use the menu: (Effects)→(OLM Plug-ins)→(OLM Smoother)

3. OLM Smoother parameters

OLM Smoother parameters are as follows (Figure 2)



Figure 2 OLM Smoother parameters

- **Use Color Key**—When “Use Color Key” parameter is on, you can choose a color to key before applying OLM Smoother. Pick up the color you want to key with the “Color Key” parameter.



Figure 3 (Left) Use Color Key - Off, (Right) Use Color Key - On

- **Color Key** — The color to key when “Use Color Key” is On.
- **Do Smooth Range**—When the layer you want to apply OLM Smoother contains gradations, the lines does not get as smooth as you expect. By adding tuning the “Smooth Range”, you can get smoother lines in that case.



Figure 4 (Left) Do Smooth Range=0 , (Right) Do Smooth Range=6

4. Other

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