

How to Make Things Glow in Photoshop

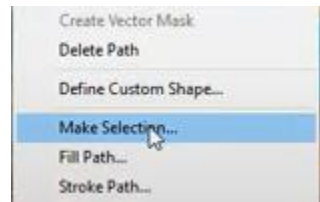
1. Open up Photoshop and open a photo you want to make glow.

2. Select the pen tool and select around the part you want to glow.



3. Once you select the item right-click the area and click make selection don't change anything and click ok.

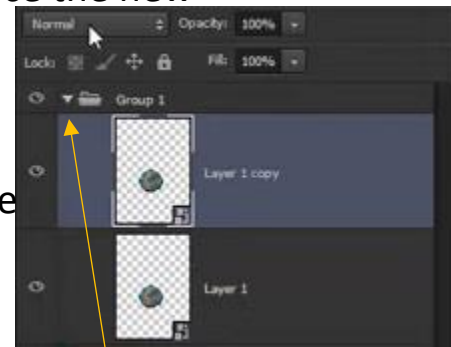
4. Now select the pointer tool and click the background on the right side, then push CTRL + J to duplicate layer



5. Right-click the new layer and convert this layer to "Smart Object" then push CTRL + G to turn it into a group.

6. Select the first layer again and duplicate the layer, once the new layer is selected change the blending mode to "screen"

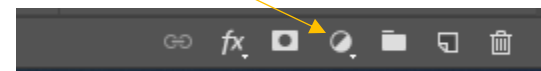
7. Now at the top click Filter > Blur > Gaussian Blur, Once clicked change the radius to 5 click ok then duplicate the layer again.



8. Once duplicated double-click on the new made gaussian blur and change the radius to 150, then duplicate it again.

9. Double-click on the newest gaussian blur and change the radius to 300, now you can click the arrow next to the group to shrink it.

10. Below the layers there's a half moon icon, this changes the Saturation



11. Click on Create Clipping mask, and select colorize

12. Increase the saturation to your

Preference, and change any color you like.

14. Now click your original background

and click the half moon and click Exposure, once

clicked, decrease it and add Gamma Correction.

15. Now click the exposure layer on the right then select the brush tool, and make sure its black, now start shading the areas where the glowing is reaching

16. Click the Hue/Saturation lay and duplicate it, click on it and drag it bellow the Group.

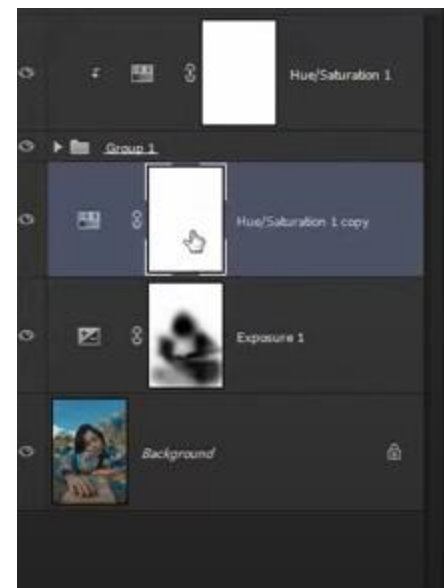
17. Select the Saturation copy and press CTRL + i to

Invert the mask

18. Click the brush tool again and change the color to White, this will add a yellow shine/glow effect to it so put it on Surfaces where the glow of your object reaches, you can also change the opacity to make the glow less dim.

19. Add selective color adjustment layer by pressing the icon left of the half moon.

20. Adjust these colors to your preferences



If you need a visual perspective watch this video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mQSKseBIA4c>