



Acrylic Shadows

1. Open the acrylic and place within the workspace.
2. Add a flat or raised shadow to the layer.
3. Create a dedicated shadow layer and place shadow behind acrylic in layer's panel.
4. Duplicate shadow layer. Link all layers (two shadows and acrylic) together. Both shadows should be underneath the acrylic layer in the layer's panel.
5. Target the acrylic layer and **CTRL-click (CMD-click)** the layer thumbnail.
6. Target the bottom shadow layer. This is the outer shadow. Press the Delete key.
7. Target the top shadow layer. This is the inner shadow. Press **CTRL-SHIFT-I (CMD-SHIFT-I)** to select inverse. Press the Delete key.
8. Press CTRL-D to deselect the selection.
9. Reduce the opacity of the outer and inner shadow to taste. (Photoshop users may have better results reducing the Fill Opacity of each shadow layer).