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Thanks for downloading the BretFX Outliner Lite FCP X plugin! I hope you enjoy it and find it useful in your productions. If these instructions don't cover all questions about installation and usage, don't hesitate to contact support@bretfx.com. And be sure to check out the full version of BretFX Outliner at <http://bretfx.com/product/outliner>

OVERVIEW

Outliner Lite is a fun, easy way to add an outline to any video, image or graphic that contains transparency. Control the outline width & color. Outliner Lite can be added to an adjustment layer or compound clip to affect the cumulative transparency of multiple layers at once. Adding multiple Outliner Lite effects increases the fun! For a fully featured plugin that includes fill controls, tinting, textures, drop zones, plus scaling and cropping, check out the full version of BretFX Outliner at <http://bretfx.com/product/outliner>

COMPATIBILITY

Tested with Final Cut Pro X 10.2.3

GETTING STARTED

To install

Double click the DMG file to mount the installer and agree to the license. Double click

the installer and follow the on screen prompts.

Applying Outliner Lite

In FCP X, navigate to the effects browser. Drag BretFX Outliner Lite to a video clip or graphic in your timeline. If the clip has transparency (via alpha channel, key, etc.) the outline will follow the perimeter of the alpha channel. For full screen video without transparency, the video will have to be scaled back and/or cropped and placed in a compound clip before applying Outliner Lite to the compound clip. Outliner Lite can be added to an adjustment layer, in which case it will follow the cumulative transparency of all the layers below it. If one of those layers is full screen, and the wish is for outliner to follow the cumulative outline of the transparent layers, then the layers with transparency will need to be compounded (option+G) along with the adjustment layer.

EFFECT CONTROLS

With the layer you applied Outliner Lite to selected in the timeline, open the inspector (if it isn't already) and you'll find BretFX Outliner Lite under effects. Outliner Lite has two simple controls for width and color.

Outline Width

Controls the width your outline. The width slider stops at 30. Higher values can be entered, but it's not recommended because the outline starts to lose sharpness.

Outline Color

Controls the color of your outline.

Enjoy!

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