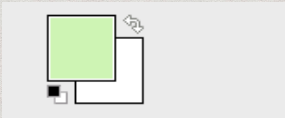


Platinum Caramel Sugar FX Effect Vintage Border

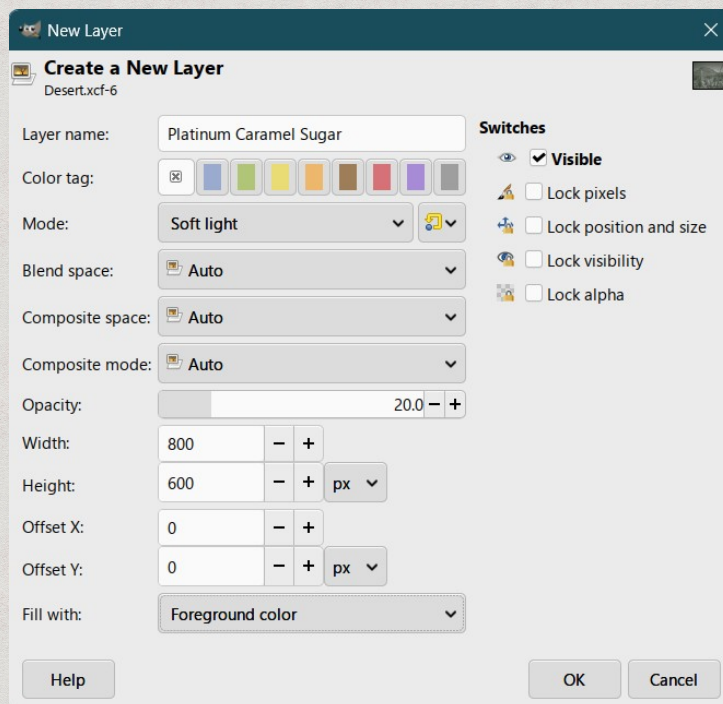
By: Tea Mouse with Gimp 3

1. File > Open > Desert.xcf (*Ctrl + O*)
2. Next name layer to: Platinum Caramel Sugar
3. Now go to Main Menu > Colors > Desaturate > Desaturate (*Default settings*)
4. Then change the active foreground color to HTML Notation to: CEF4B4



800 x 600 @ 72 Ppi

5. Now go to Main Menu > Layer > New Layer... (*Shift + Ctrl + N*)
Name: Platinum Caramel Sugar
Mode set to: Normal
Opacity at: 6%
Fill with: Foreground Color and Click OK



6. Next go to Main Menu > Layer > Merge Down

7. Now go to Main Menu > Layer > New Layer... (*Shift + Ctrl + N*)

Name: Caramel Sugar
Mode set to: Soft Light
Opacity at: 20%
Fill with: Foreground Color
And Click OK

8. Next go to Main Menu > Layer > Merge Down

9. Now go to Main Menu > Layer > New Layer... (*Shift + Ctrl + N*)

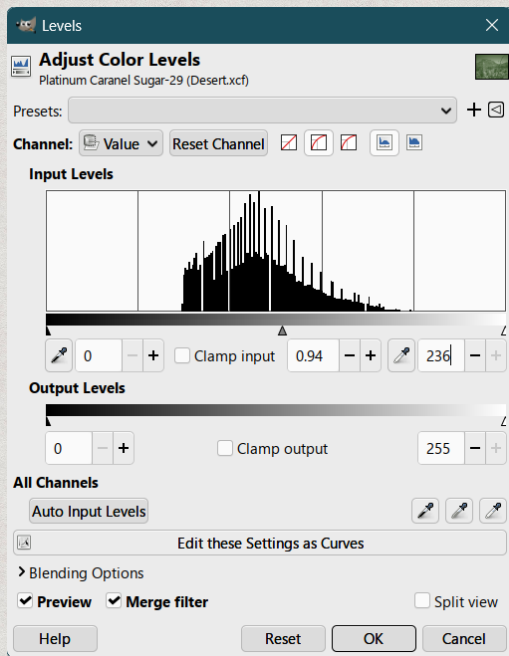
Name: Platinum Caramel Sugar

Mode set to: Burn

Opacity at: 44%

Fill with: Foreground Color And Click OK

10. Next go to Main Menu > Layer > Merge Down



11. Then go to Main Menu > Colors > Levels...

Change the Inputs to:

Black Point to: 0

Mid Point To: 94

White Point To: 236

Outputs: No Change

Merge Filter: Checked

And Click: OK

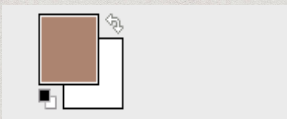
12. Now go to Main Menu > Colors > Desaturate > Desaturate (*Default settings*)

13. Next go to Main Menu > Colors > Brightness and Contrast

Brightness set to: 3

Contrast set to: 11

14. Then change the active foreground color to HTML Notation to: AC8470



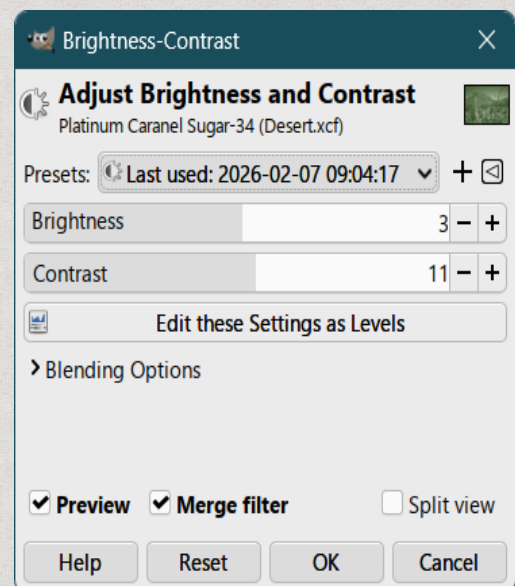
15. Now go to Main Menu > Layer > New Layer... (*Shift + Ctrl + N*)

Name: Platinum Caramel Sugar

Mode set to: HSL Color

Opacity at: 100%

Fill with: Foreground Color And Click OK



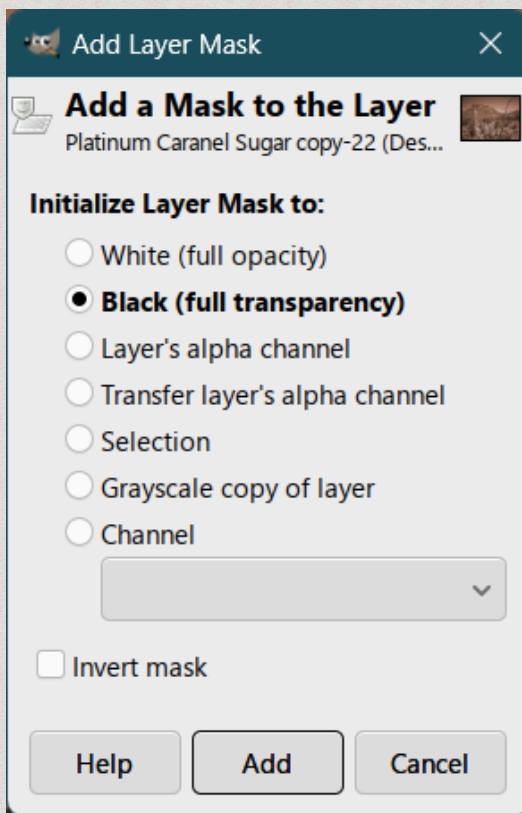


16. Next go to Main Menu > Layer > Merge Down

Now you have a Nice Caramel Sugar Platinum FX Effect!



The Following steps are for the Vintage Border



1. Press the Letter "D" to reset the Active Foreground and Background Colors

2. Now go to Layer > Duplicate Layer (*Shift + Ctrl + D*)

2. Next go to Main Menu > Layer > New Layer
Shift + Ctrl + N)

Layer Name: Vintage Border

Mode: Normal

Opacity: 100%

Fill with: Foreground

Everything else set to the default setting and click OK

3. Then main menu > Layer > Mask > Add Layer Masks...
Black (*full transparency*) > Add

4. Next go to Main Menu > File > Open (Ctrl + O)
and find and open Vintage Mask-10.xcf (*Can be downloaded*

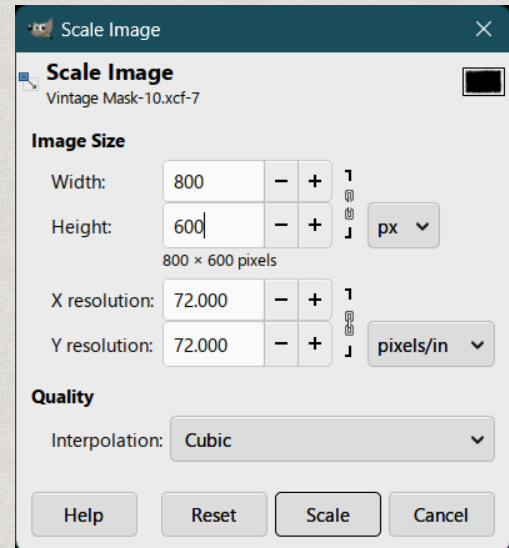
from Gimp Chat website)

5. Now go to main menu > Image > Scale Image
What you want to do here is scale the Masking layer to match the Image size that your using.

1st. Change the X and Y resolution to match your image Pixel size. In this case set the resolution to: 72 Pixels / Inch

2nd. Next click the Image icon chain to unlock image ratio aspect, so the width and height can be set to specific sizes.

3rd. Then change the width and height to match your image size your working with. In this case the width is 800 pixels and the height is 600 pixels.
Quality Interpolation: Cubic *(default)* and click Scale



6. Next go to main menu Edit > Copy *(Ctrl + C)*

7. Now go to main menu >File > Close View *(Ctrl + W)* > Click Discard Changes



8. Next go to Edit > Paste *(Ctrl + V)*

9. Now go to Layer > Anchor Floating Layer to Mask *(Ctrl + H)*

10. Then Layer > Merge Down

And your all done!