10 Great iPhone Apps:



The Basics



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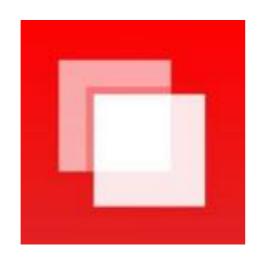


















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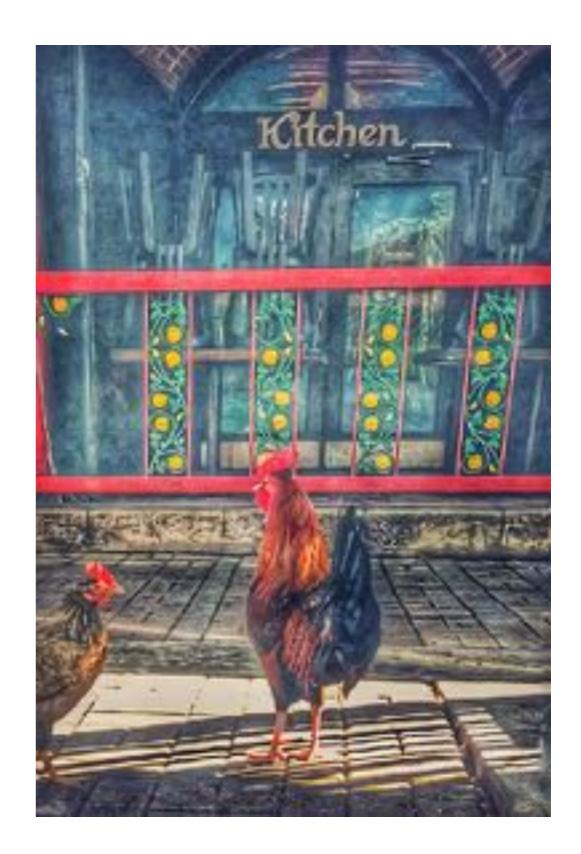
After: Processed in Snapseed and Quickshot.

Stunning Images on Your Phone!

Push your creative edge with a suite of iPhone photo editing apps that can be used together to create compelling images.



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No. 1 Snapseed (Google)

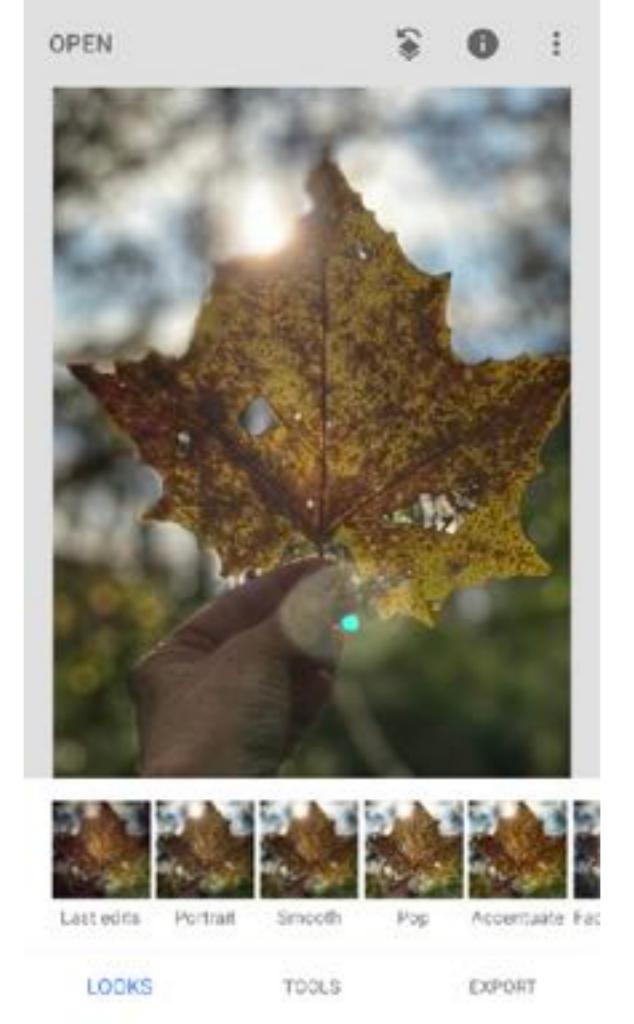
Pros

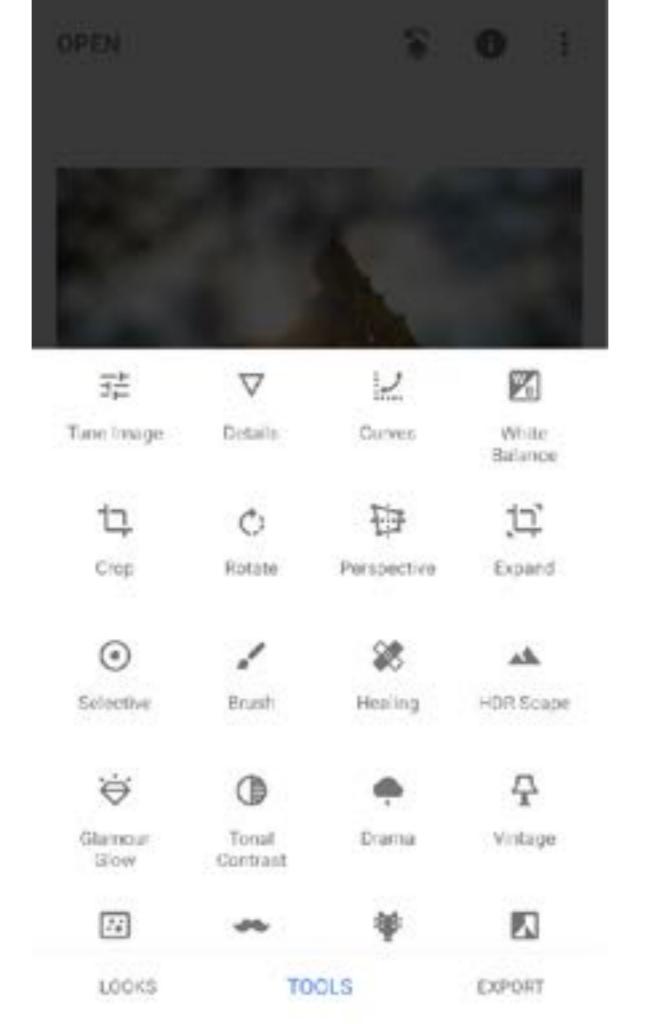
- 28 tools, 12 filters, 30 tutorials
- Non-destructive editing
- Brushes for local editing
- "Stacks" history
- Loupe appears when zooming
- This is my go-to app I regard all other apps as plug-ins
- Free

Cons

Healing and Expand tools











No. 2 Touch Retouch

(Adva-Soft)

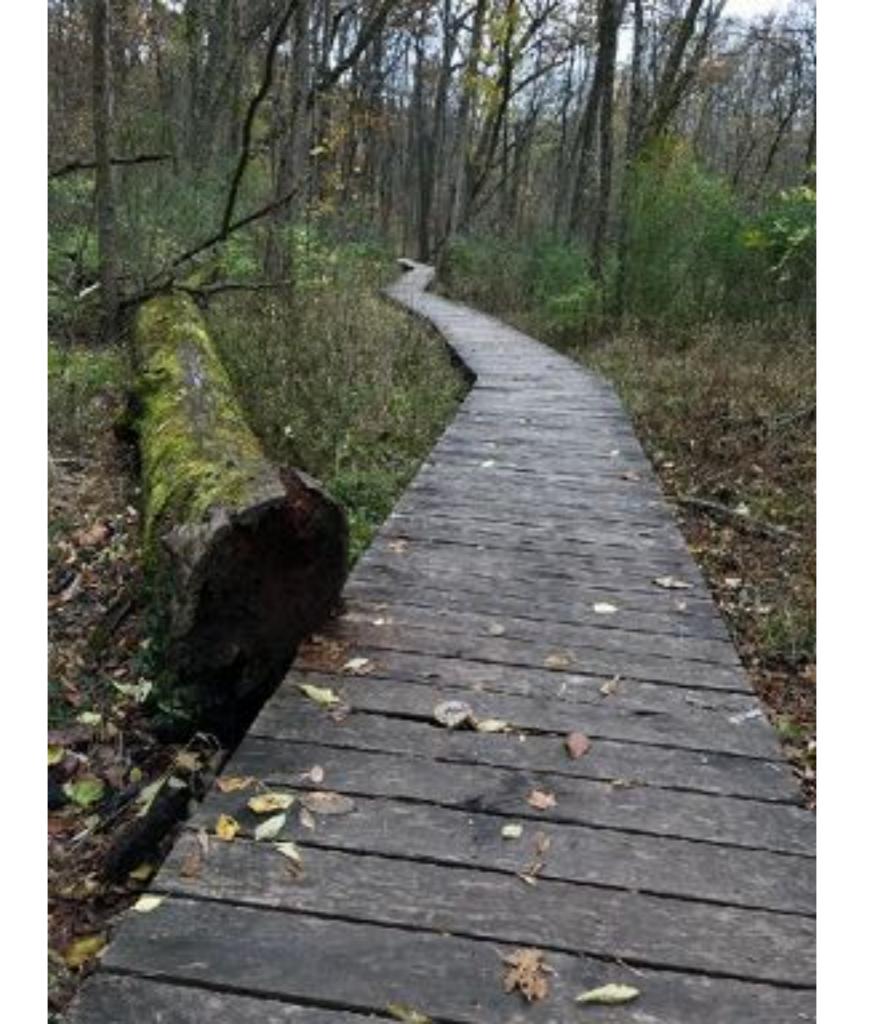
Pros

- At least as good as Adobe contentaware fill
- Multiple ways to remove objects
- Loupe
- Unlimited undo/redo
- Simple tutorials
- \$1.99

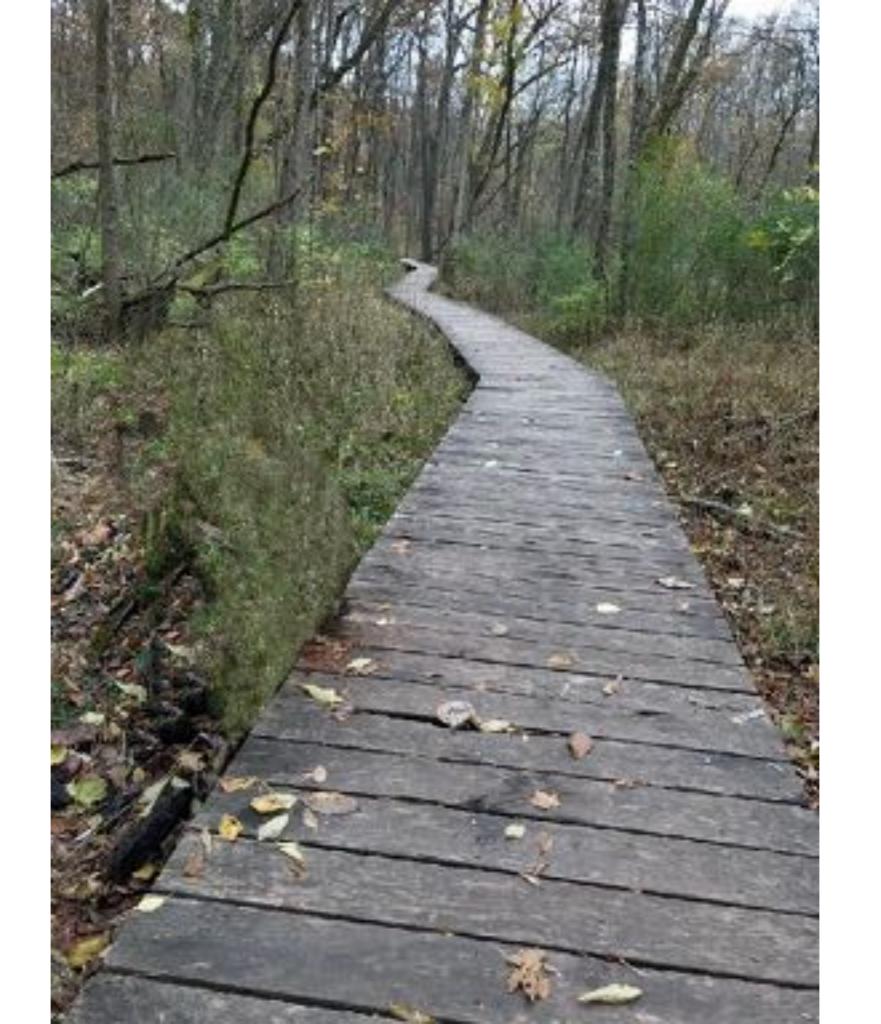
Cons

 Sometimes leaves artifacts unless working in small steps









No. 3 Quickshot (Lightricks)

Pros

- Many primers and filters
- Sky replacement (pro tool only)
- Real-time in-camera adjustments (alignment, strobe, HDR for poor lighting)
- Batch editing
- Help/simple tutorials

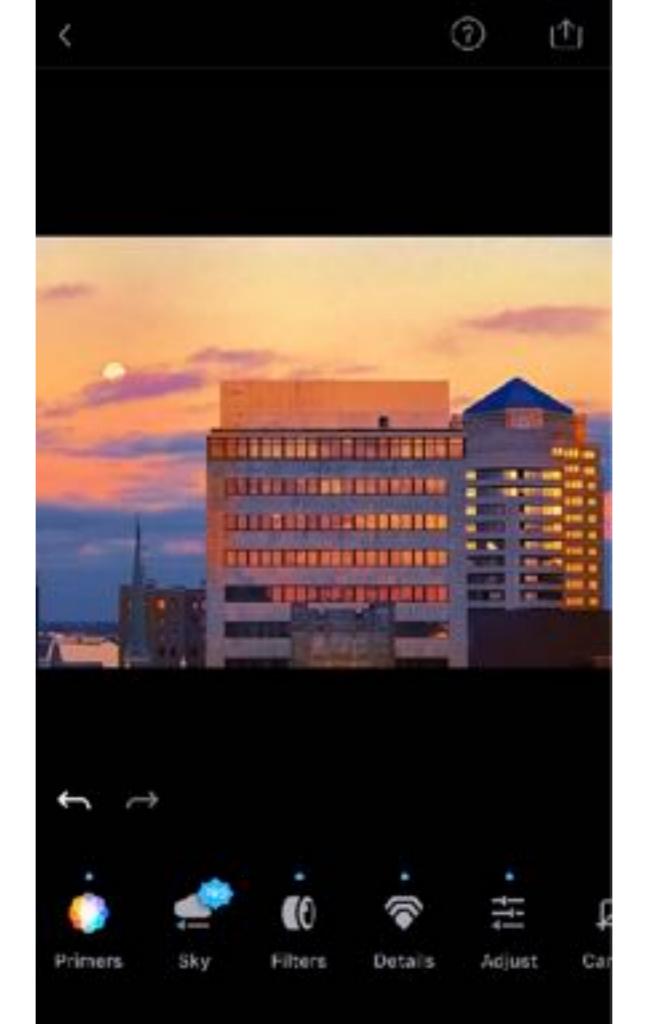
Cons

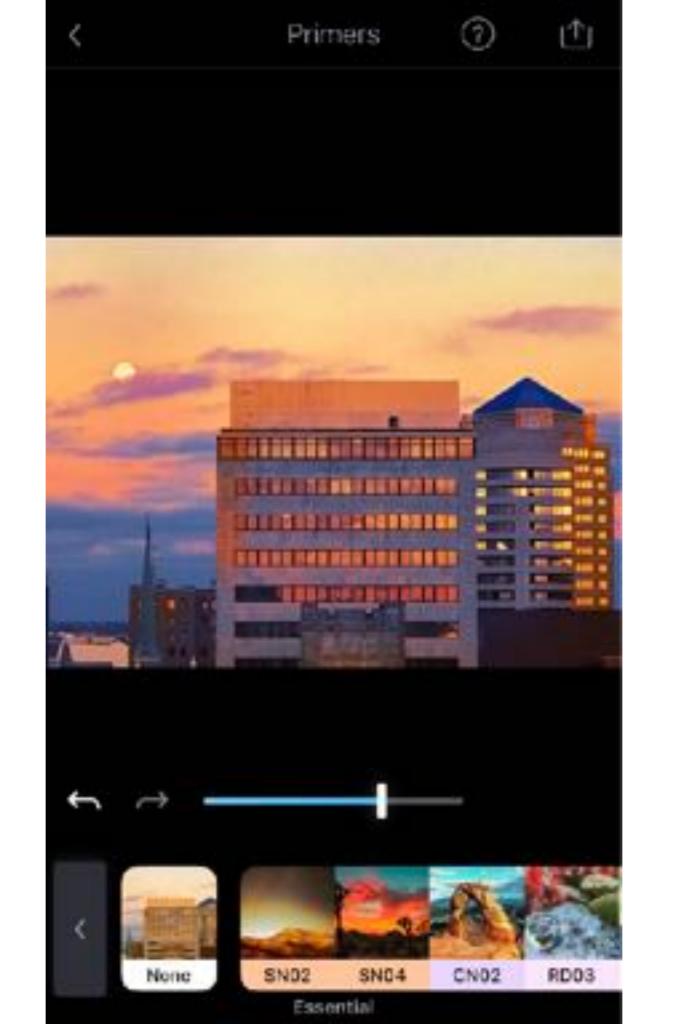
 "Freemium" price model — basic app is free but best tools and filters are costly (\$59.99 for one-time purchase)





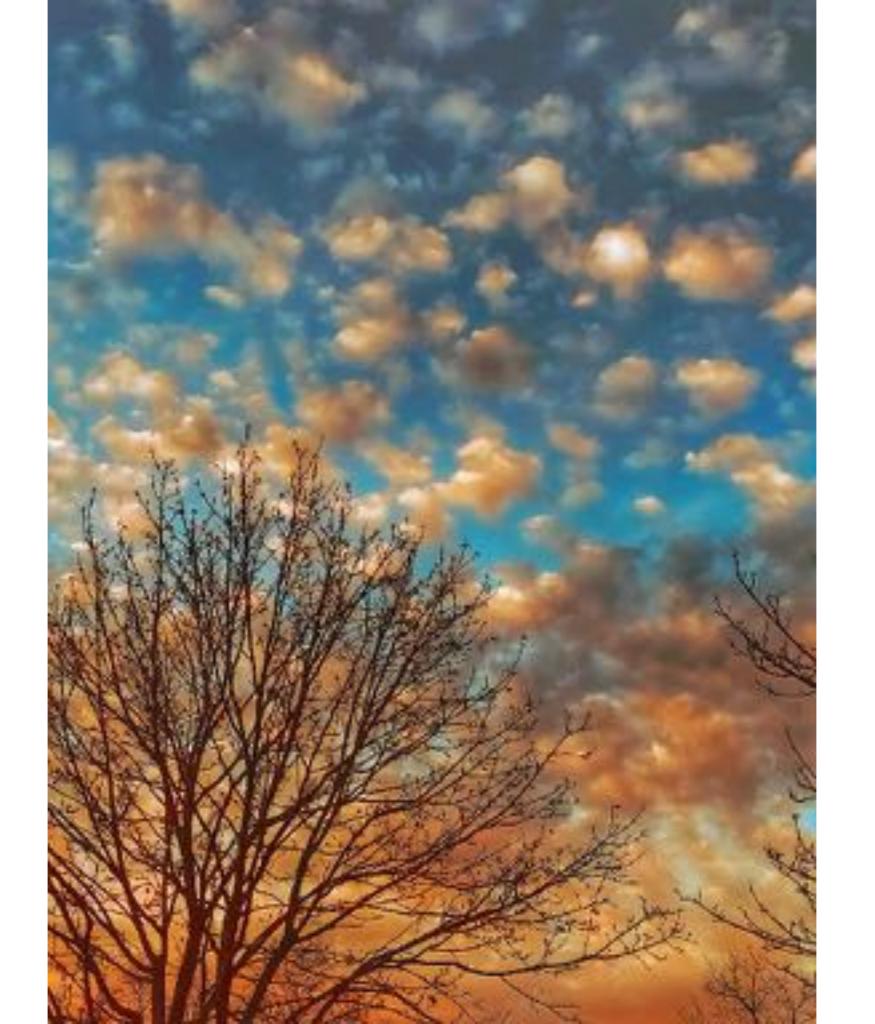


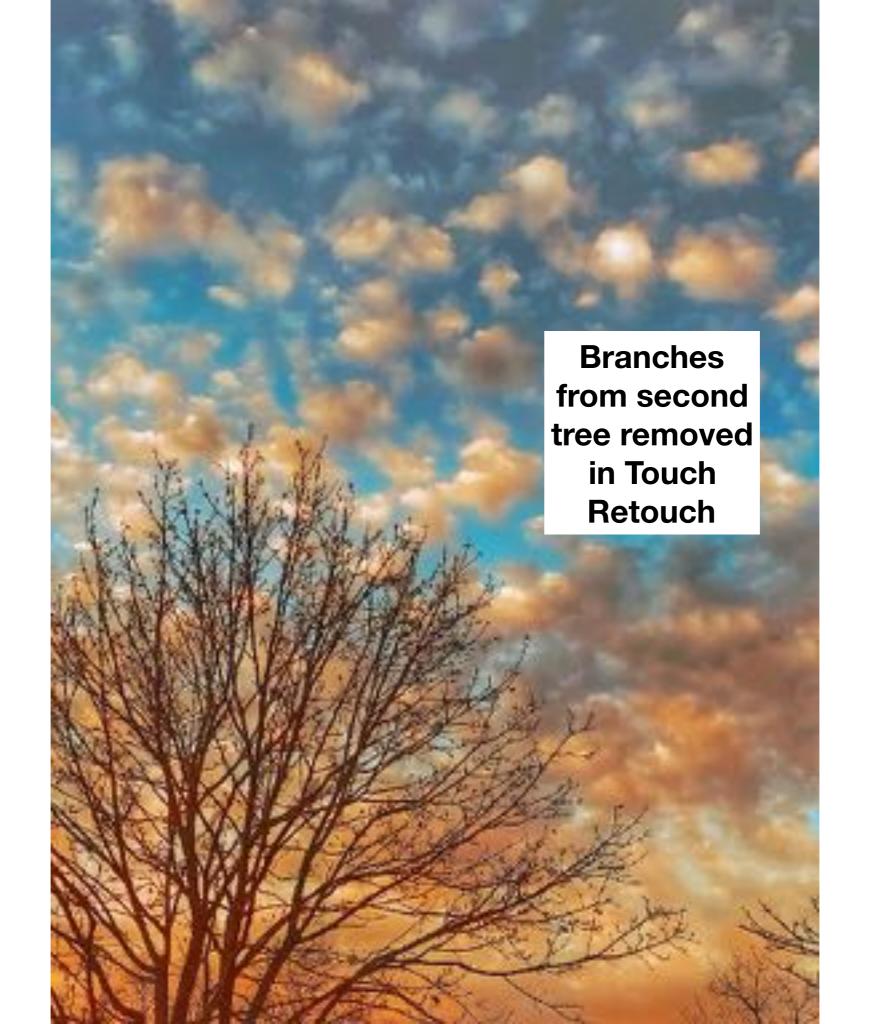
















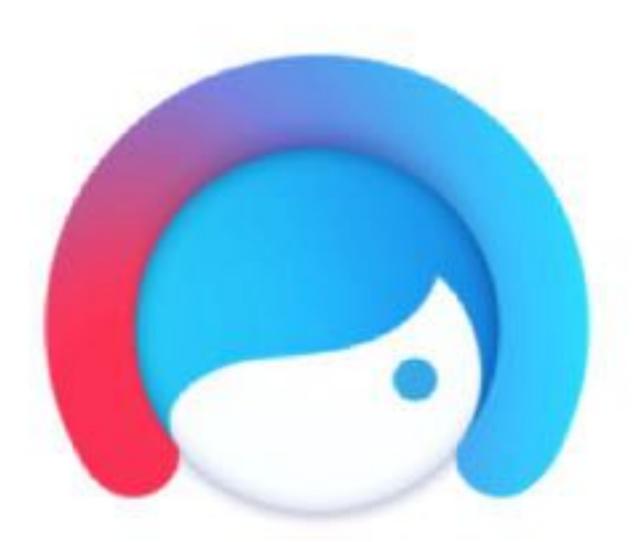
No. 4 Facetune/ Facetune 2 (Lightricks)

Pros

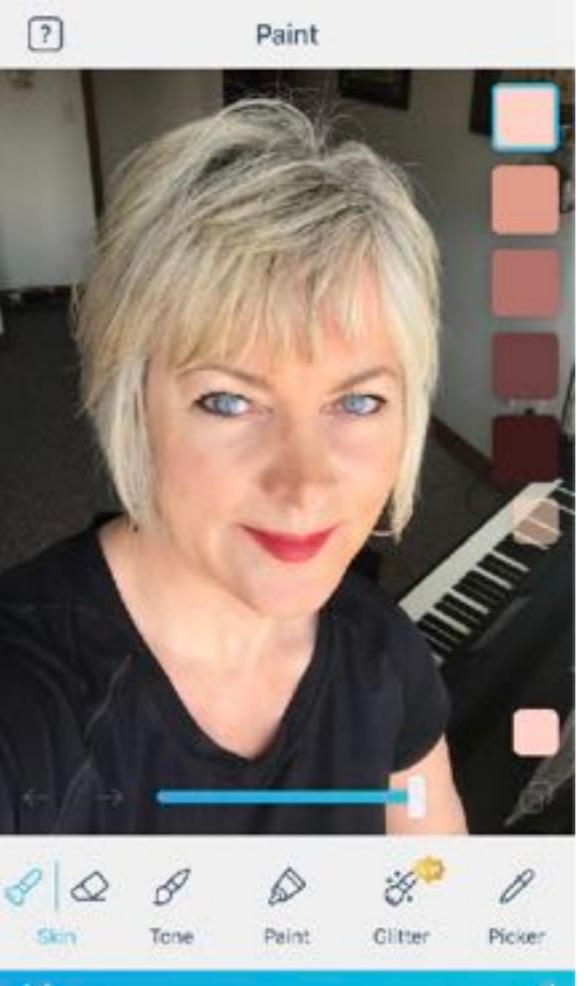
- Best portrait app for the iPhone
- Al and AR facial recognition
- Real-time adjustments (smooth skin, whiten teeth, etc.)
- Original Facetune: \$3.99

Cons

 "Freemium" model for Facetune 2: VIP tools, including healing, cost \$69.99; use TouchRetouch and Snapseed instead













Vignette







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Softness

Brightness





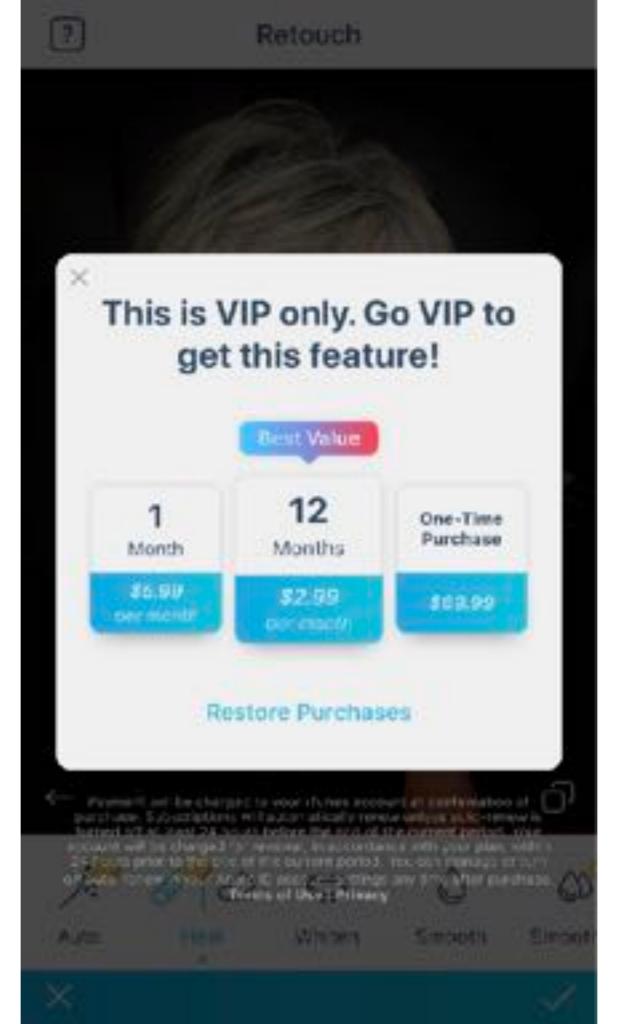




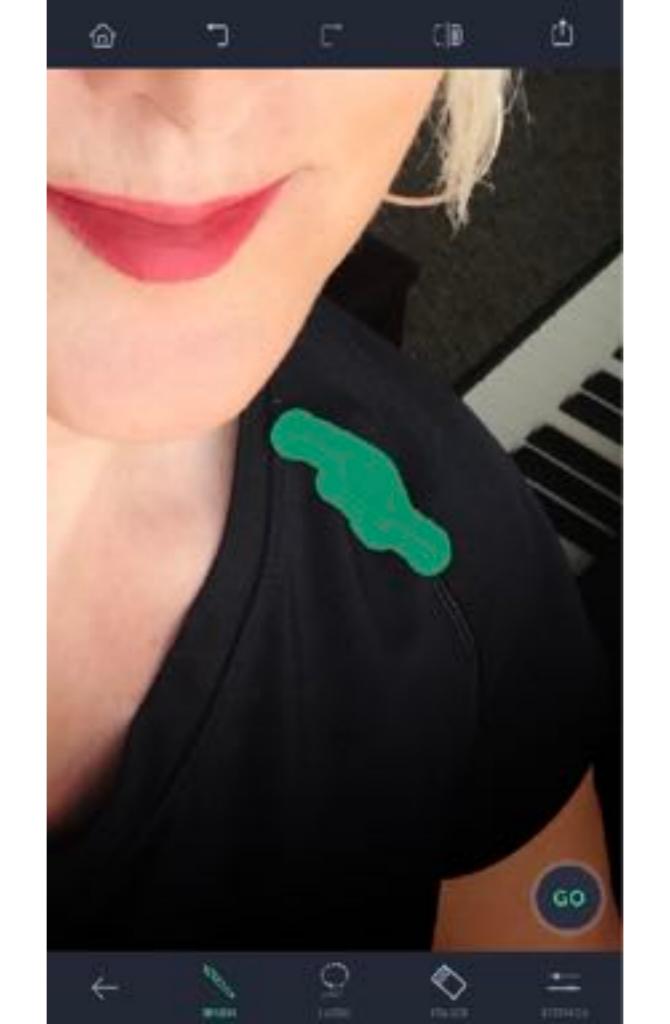
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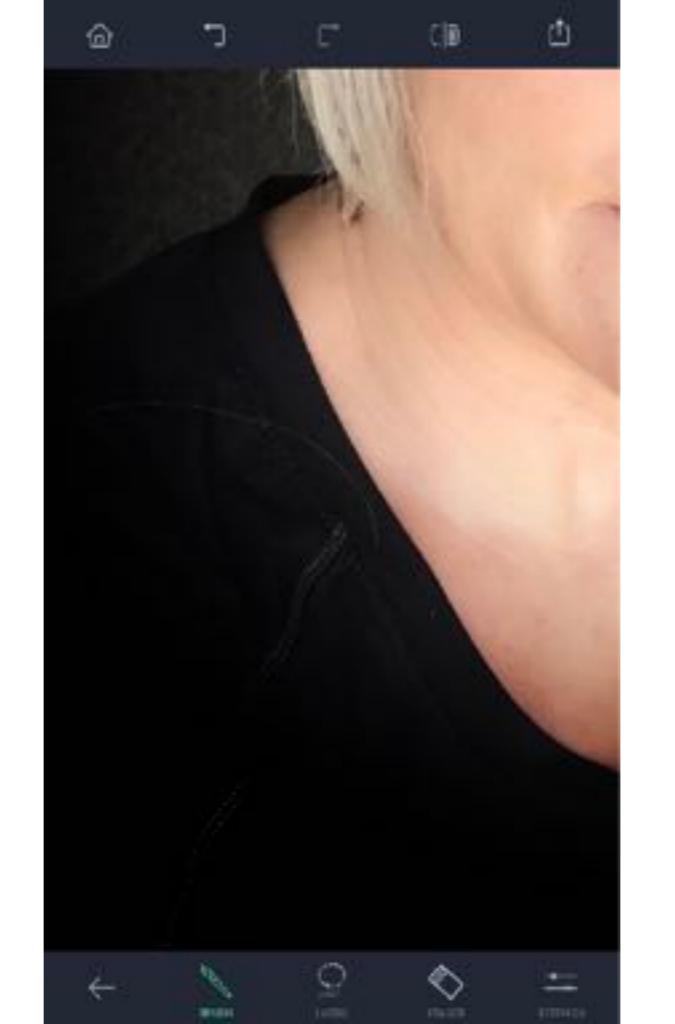
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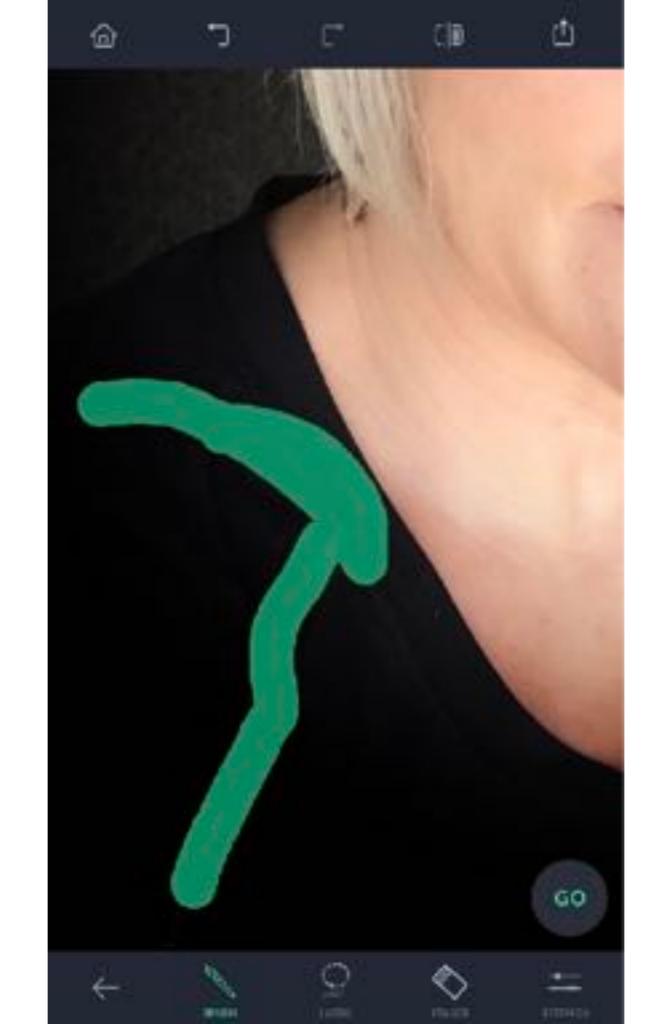


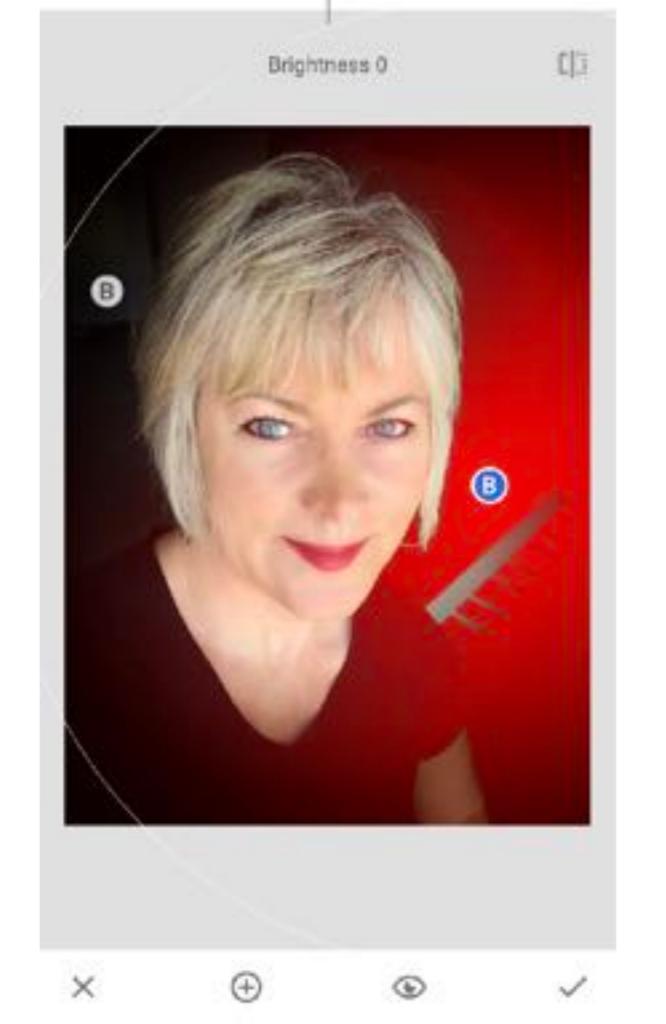
















No. 5 Enlight/ Photofox (Lightricks)

Pros

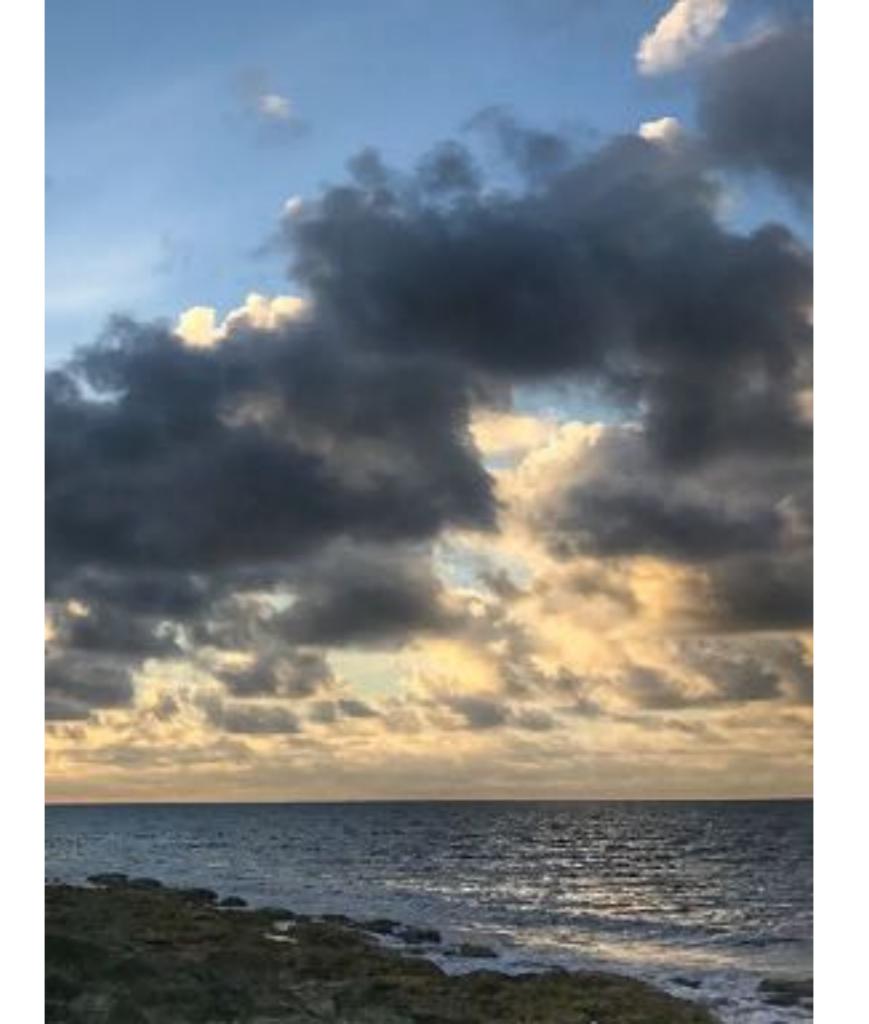
- Outstanding edge awareness for masking
- Very powerful apps
- Lots of tutorials
- Enlight: \$3.99

Cons

 Photofox "freemium" model: Pro tools cost \$139.99 (look for 50% off deal)

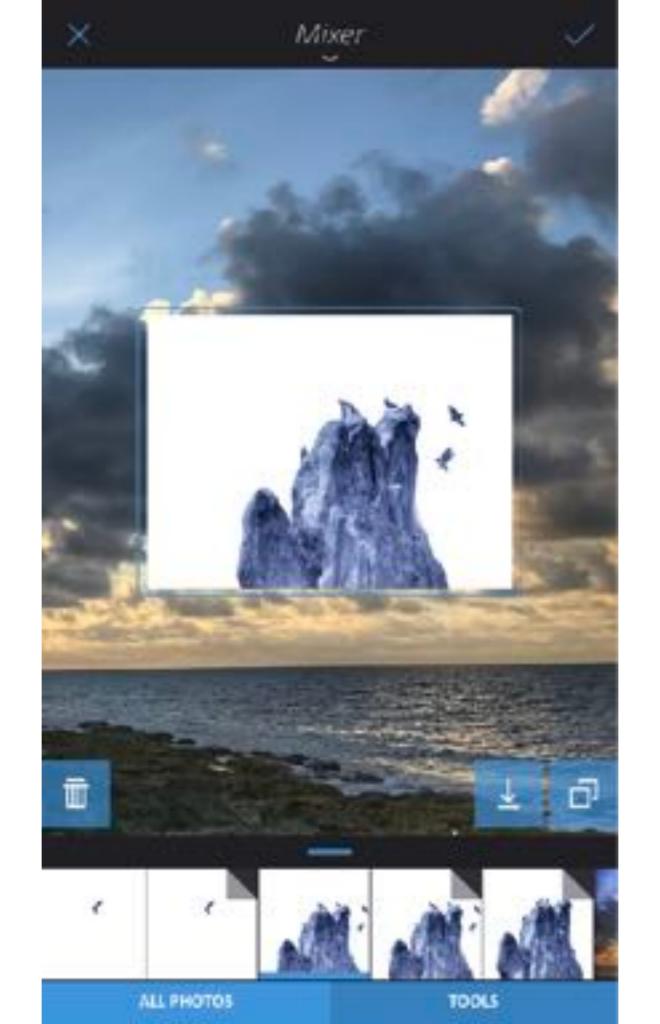


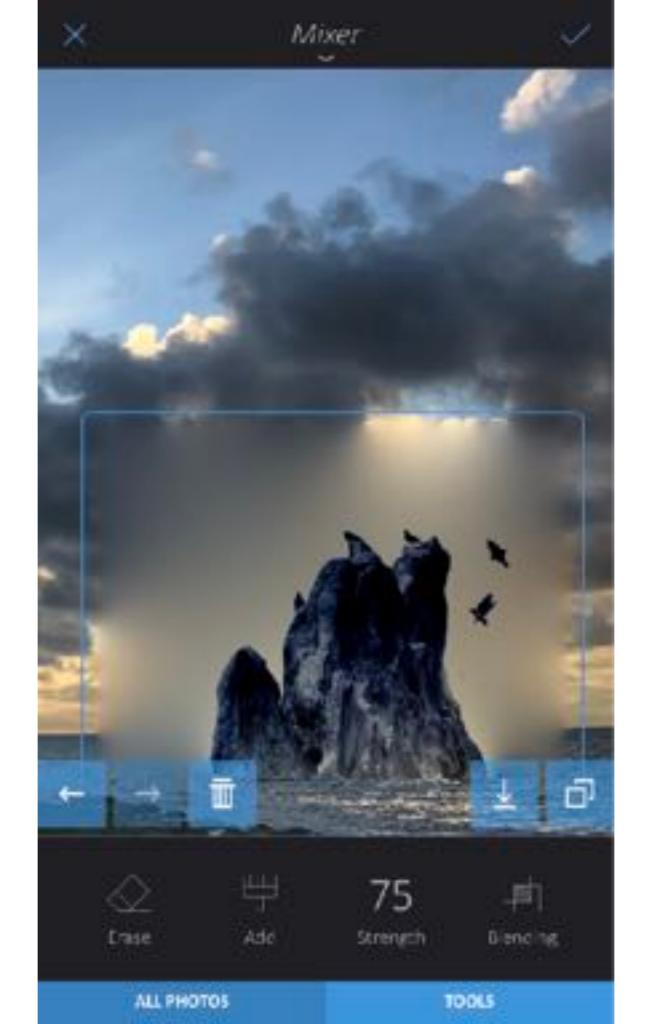


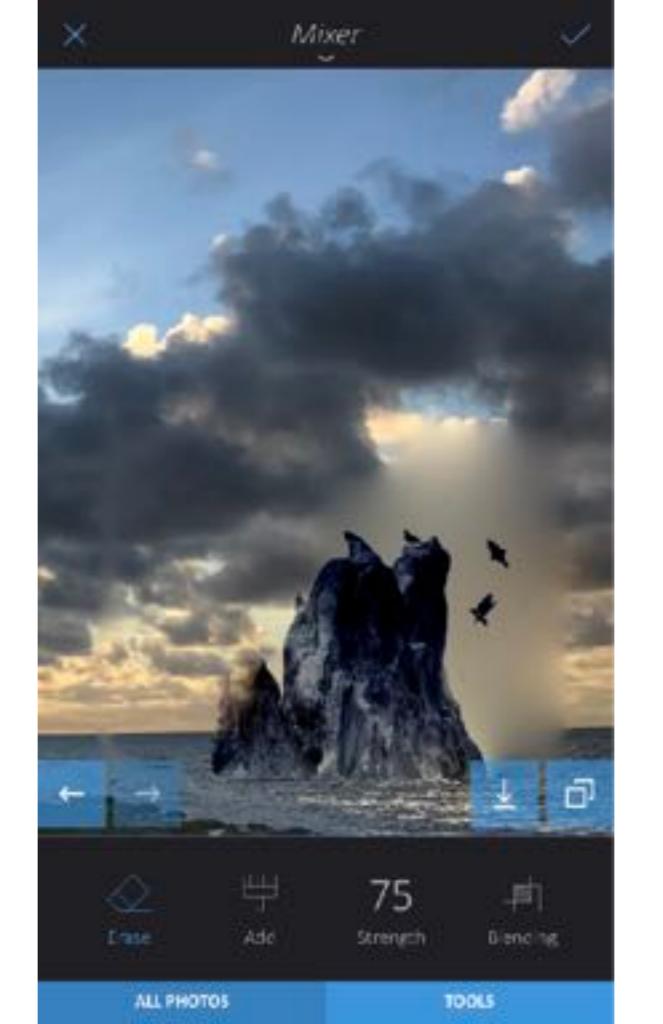




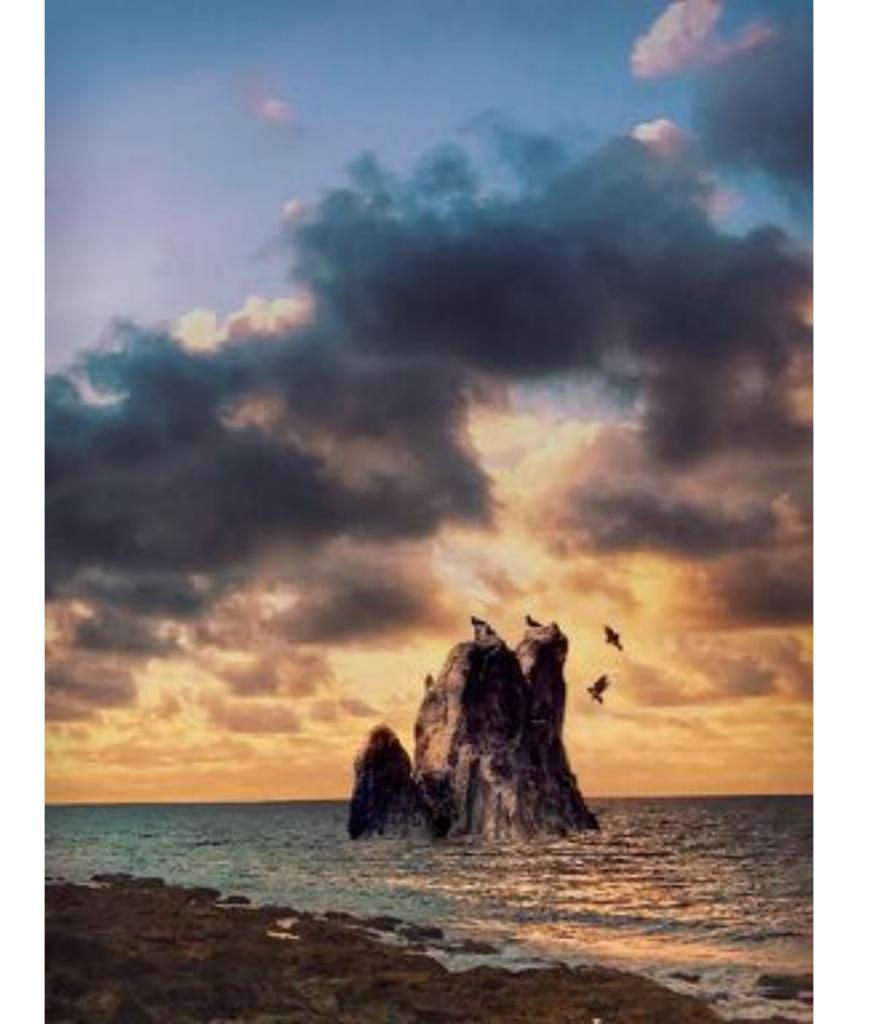












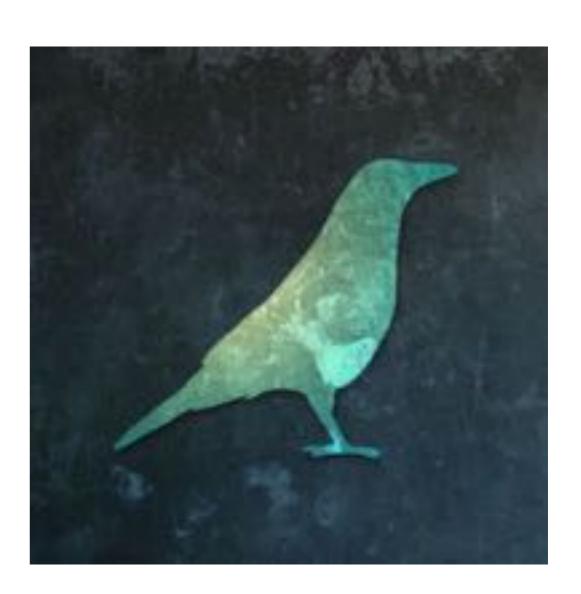
No. 6 Distressed FX (We Are Here)

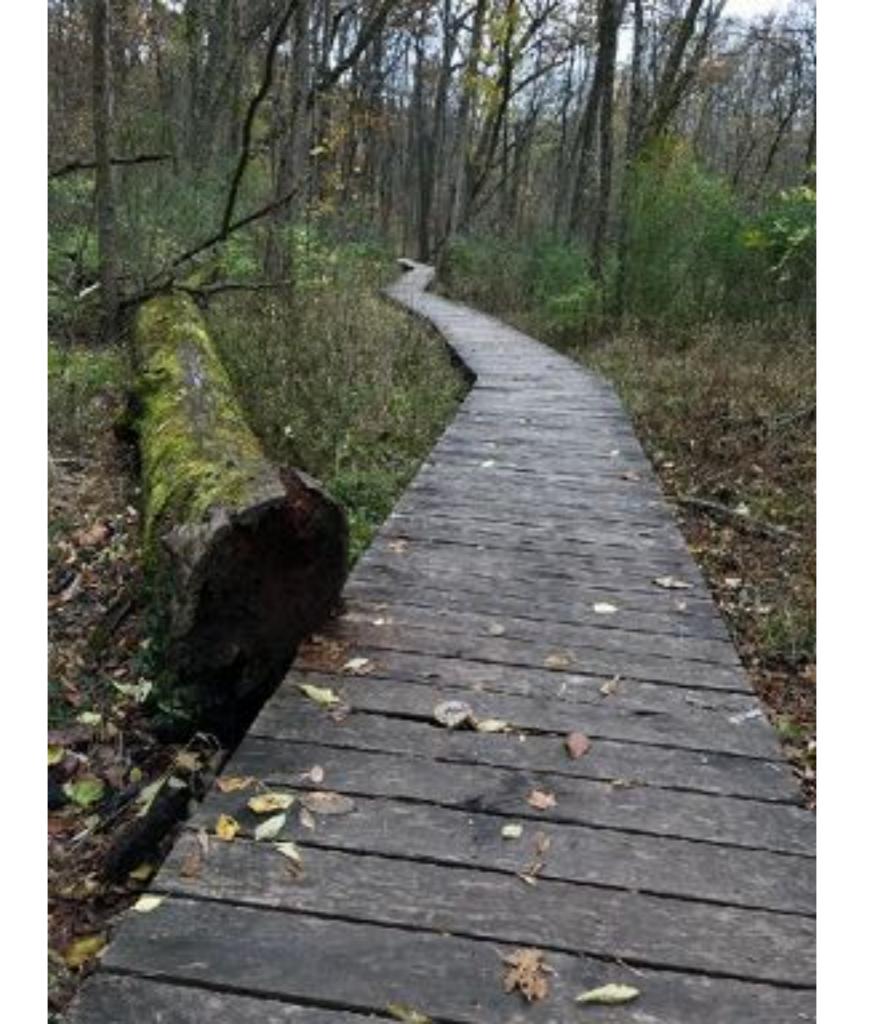
Pros

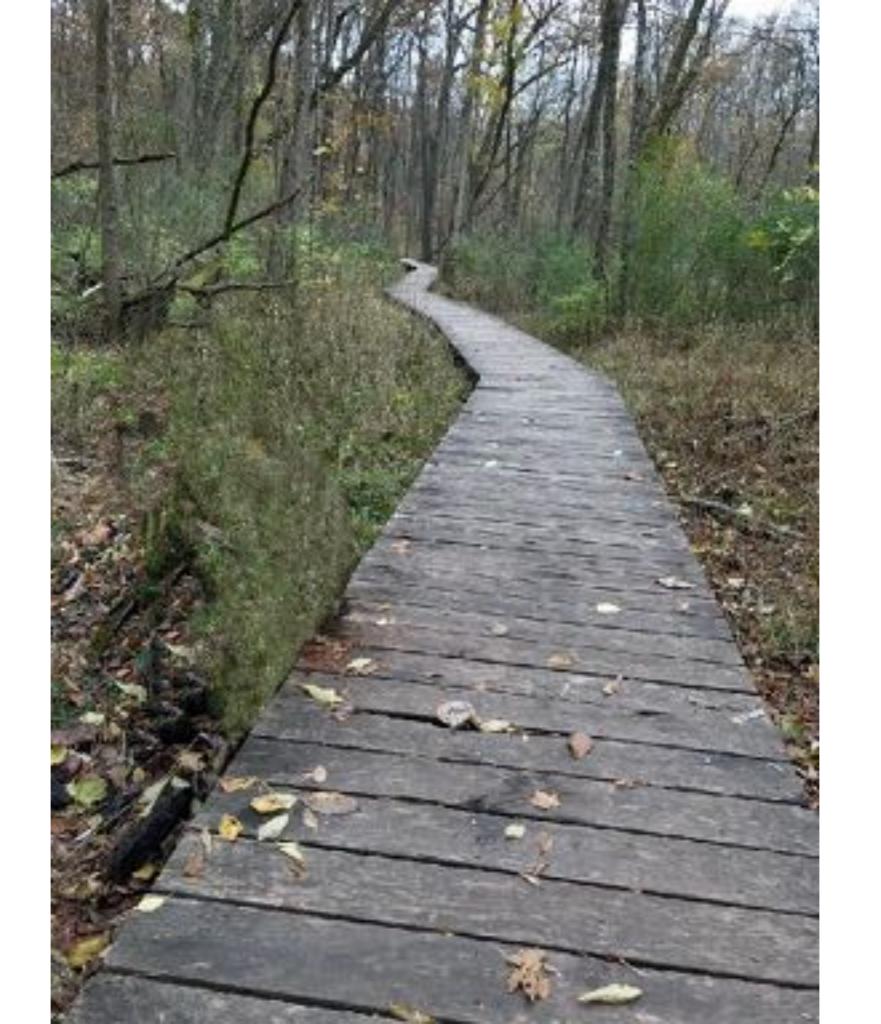
- Best suited for landscape and still life
- Many adjustable gels and textures
- Can flatten and add more layers
- Custom textures
- \$.99, with additional \$.99 in-app purchase sets

Cons

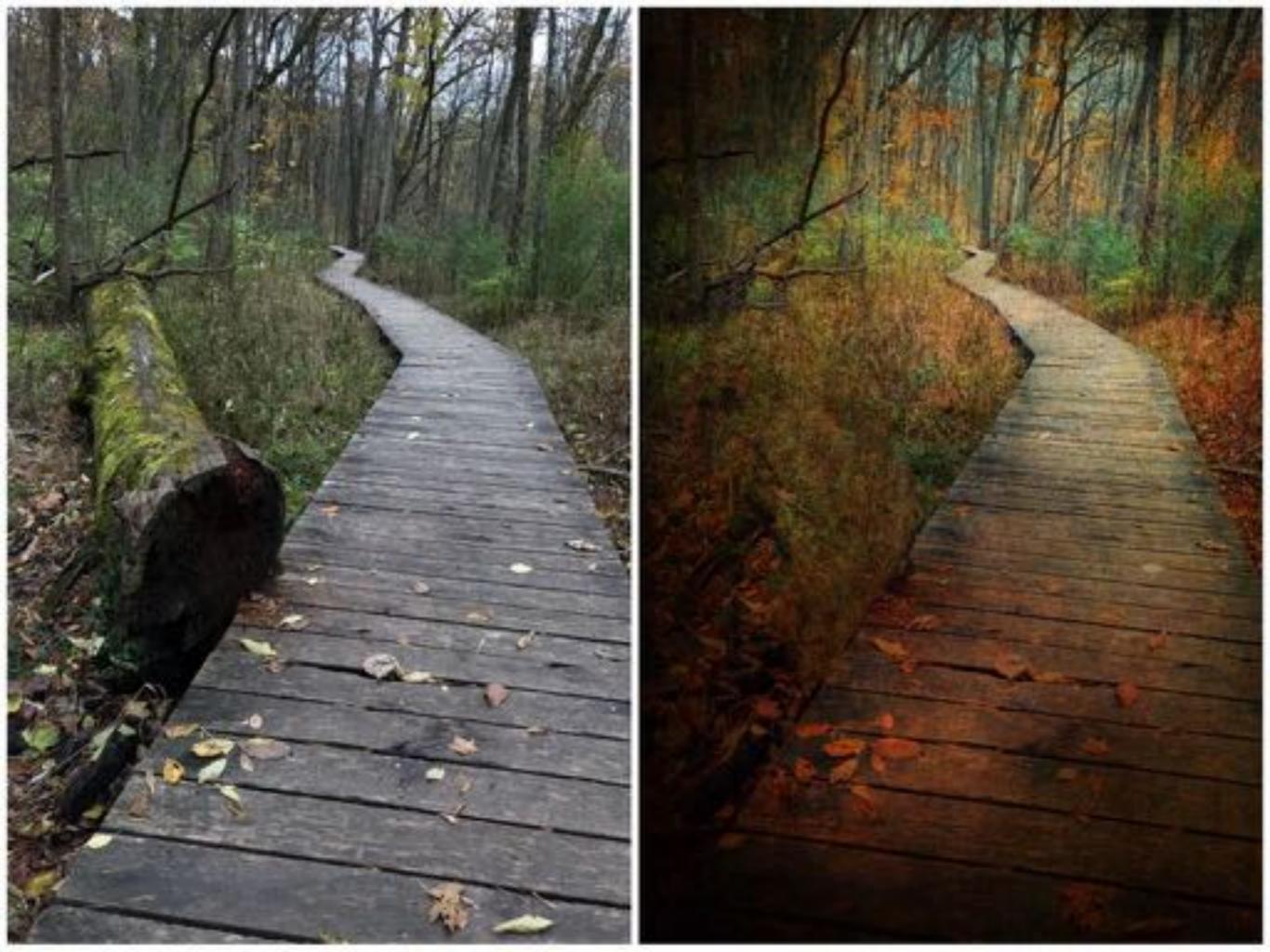
- No local application
- Destructive editing











No. 7 ProCamera (Cocologics)

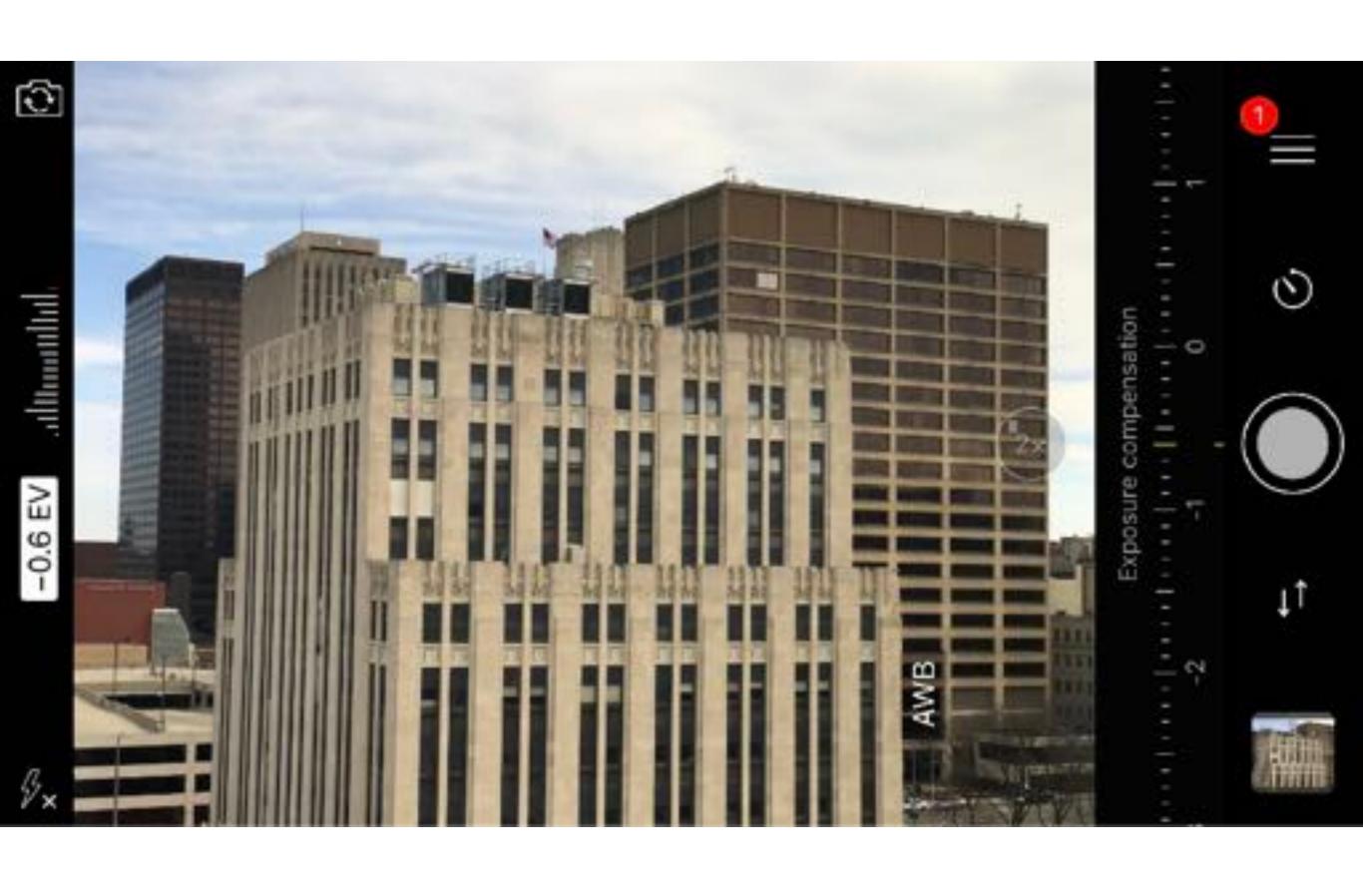
Pros

- Shoots in JPEG and/or RAW
- Many features and modes, including histogram, antishake, manual, HDR and lowlight
- Can be widget for quick access
- \$5.99

Cons

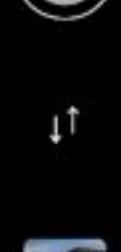
- Lowlight+ and HDR are in-app purchases, each \$2.99
- Best on a tripod





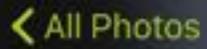


































Aspect Ratio



Standard



Grids



Histogram



Self-Timer





F/E Lock

Natural



White Balance

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Aurto



Anti-Shake











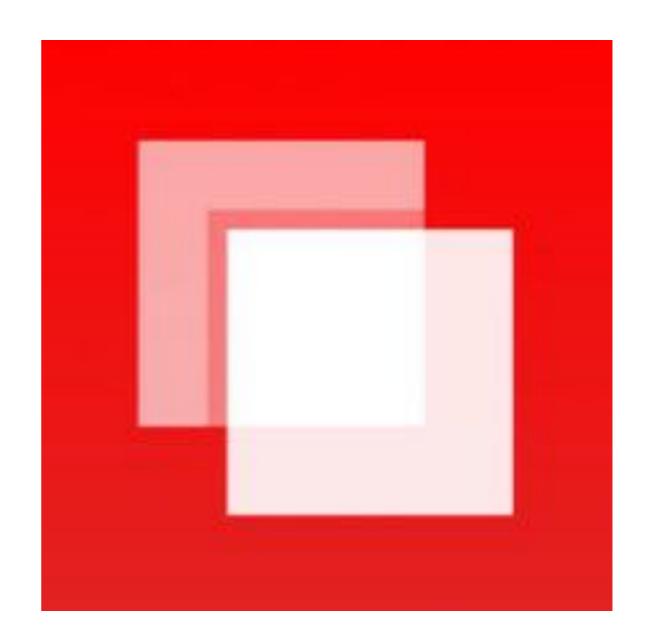
No. 8 Image Blender

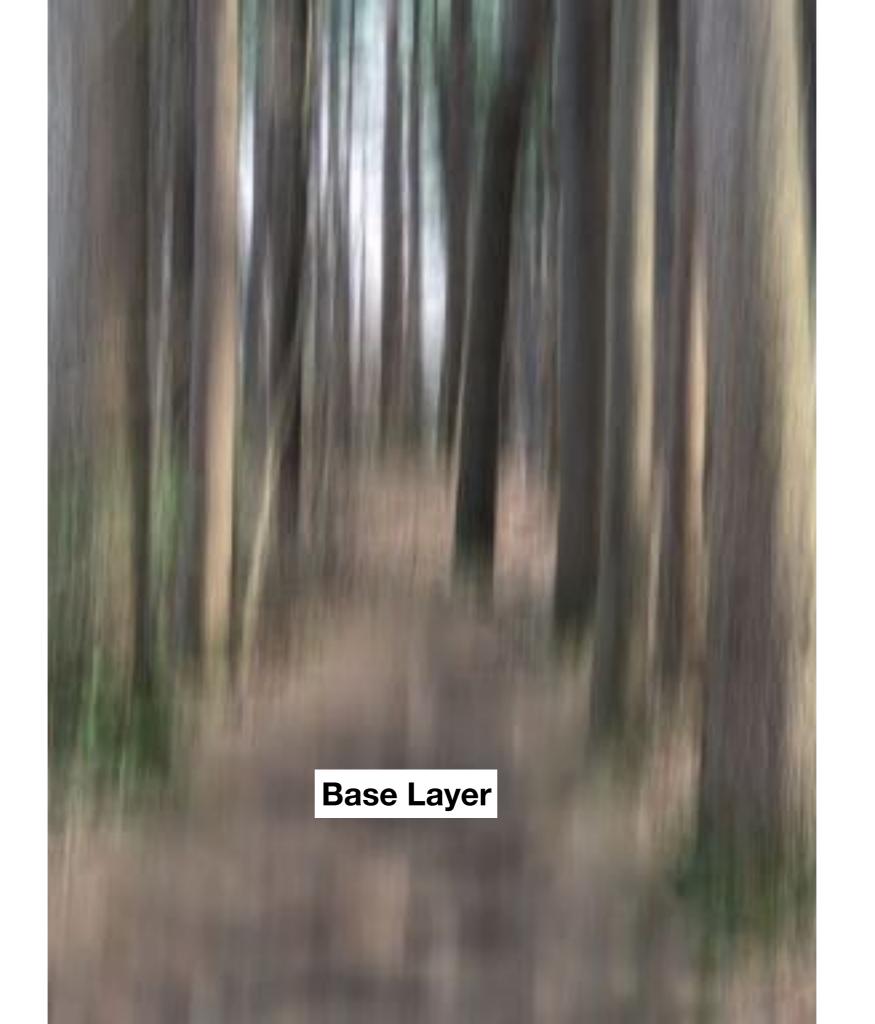
Pros

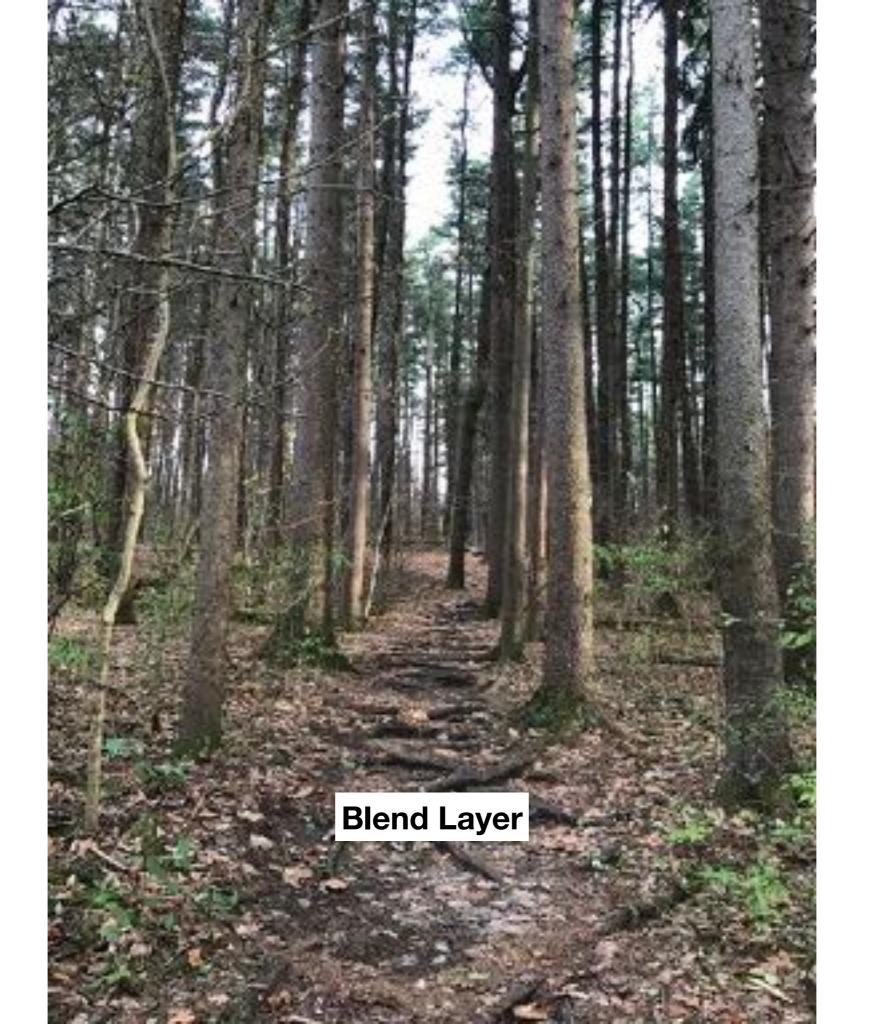
- Very simple interface
- 18 different blending modes (normal, darken, lighten, contrast, inversion and color categories)
- Local editing
- \$3.99

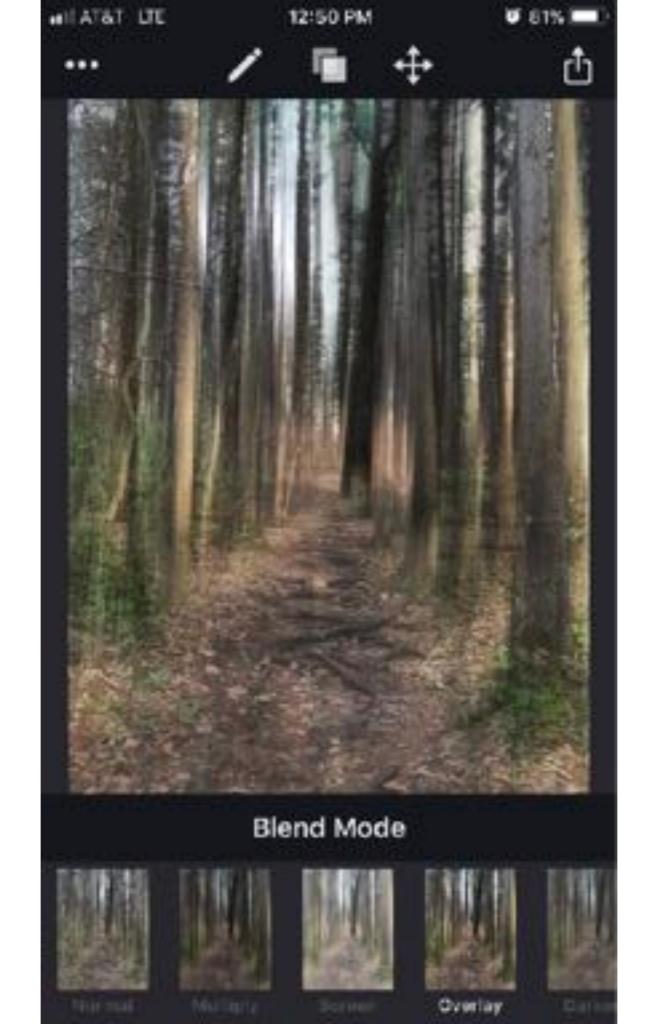
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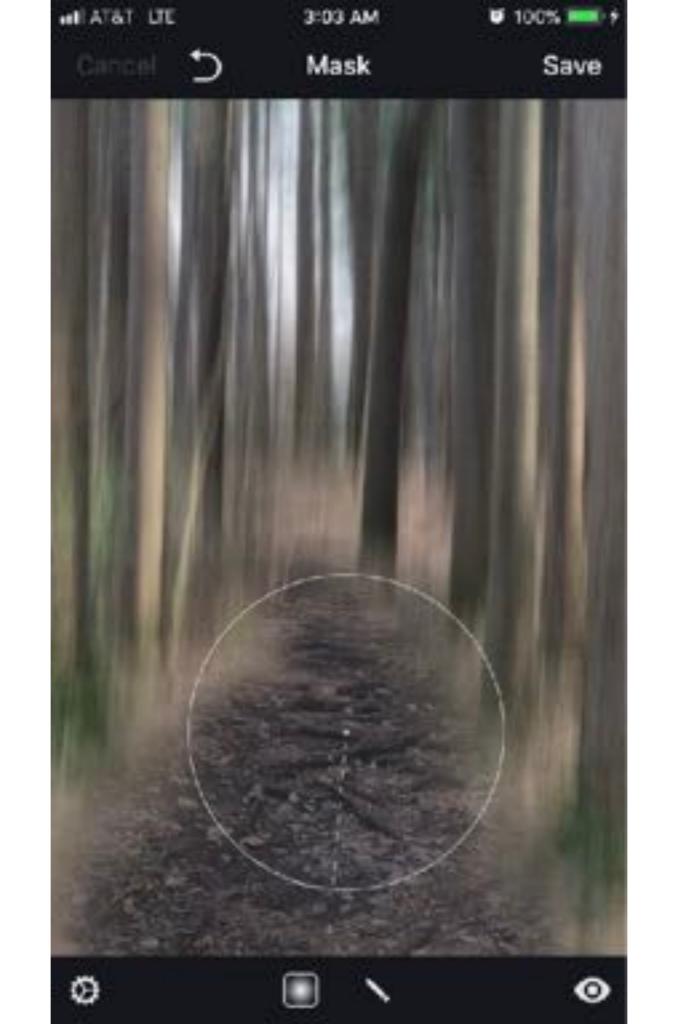
 Edge awareness not as good as Enlight and Photofox

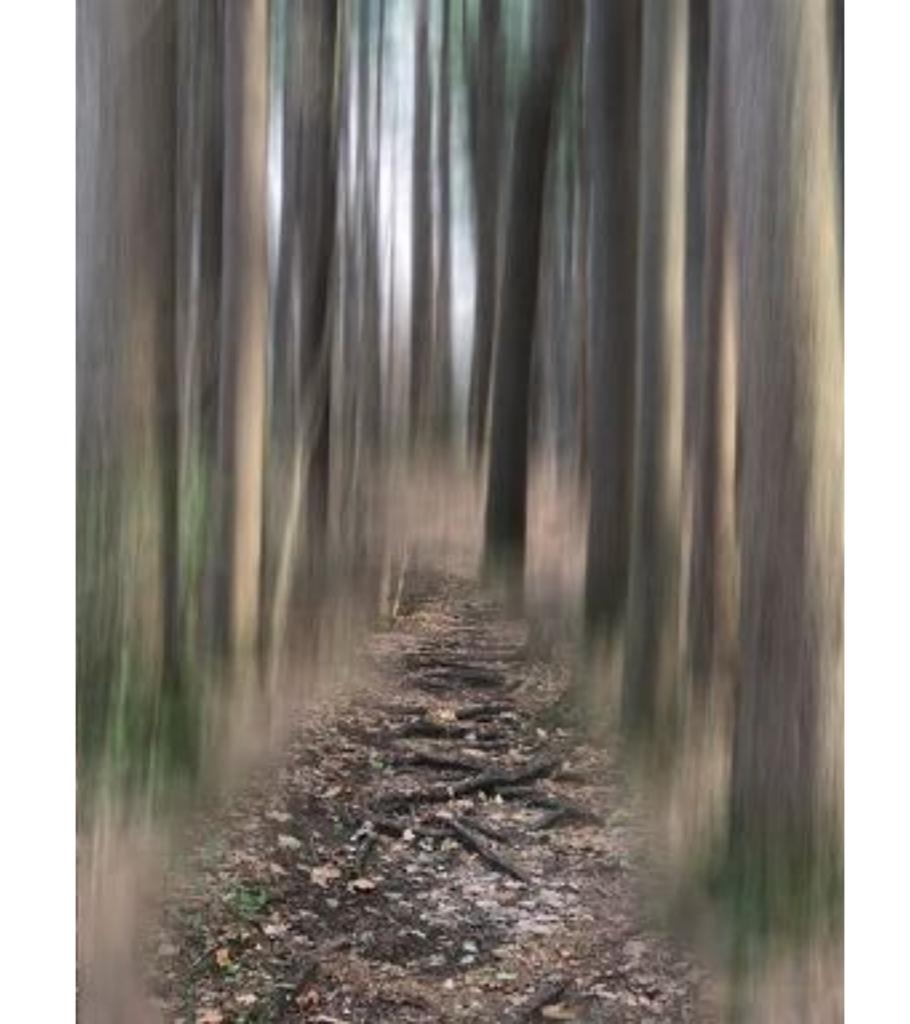




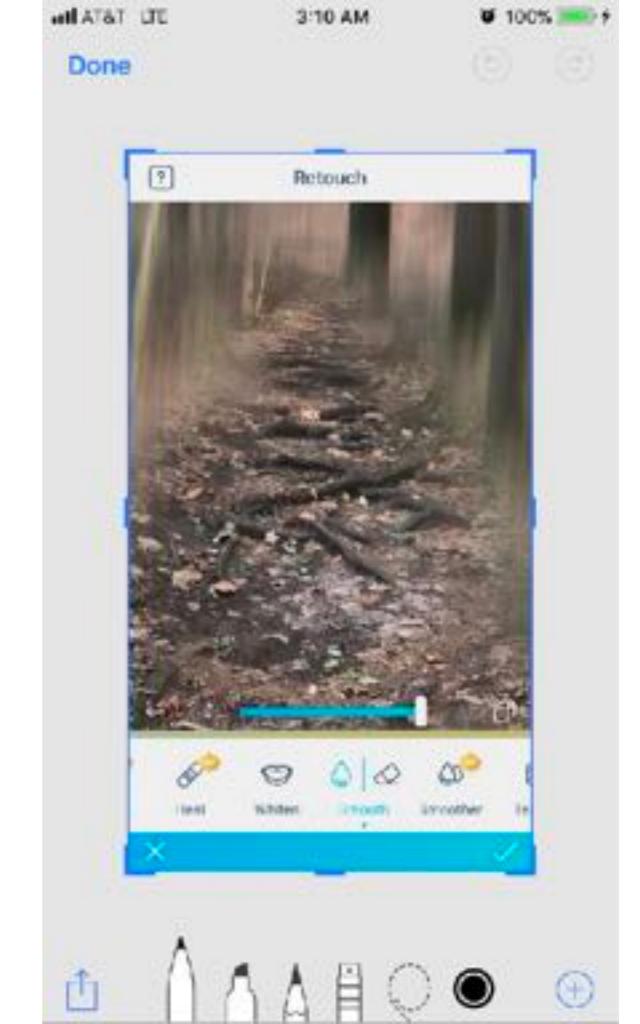




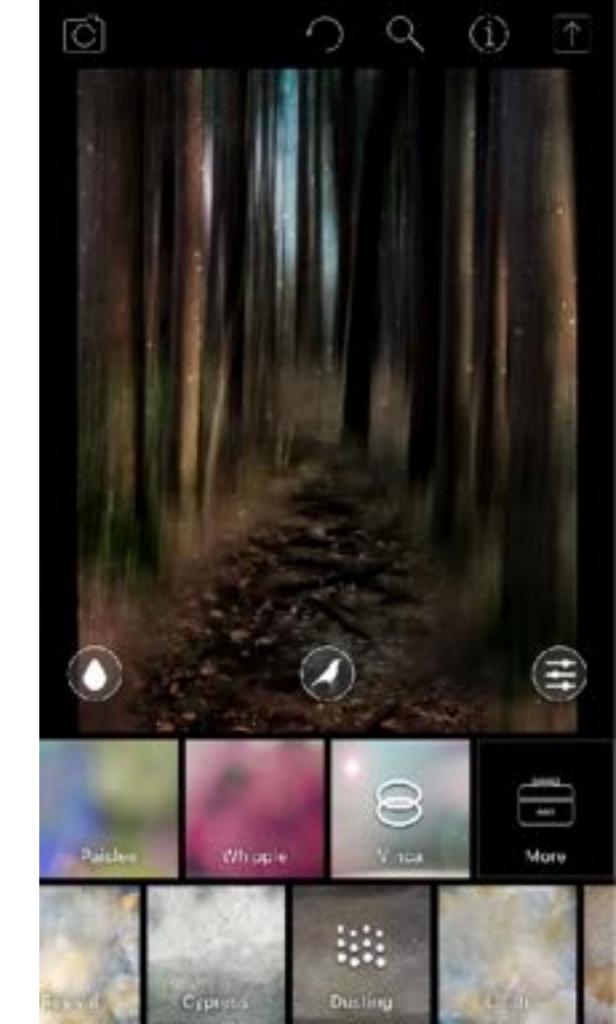




Smoothed in Facetune

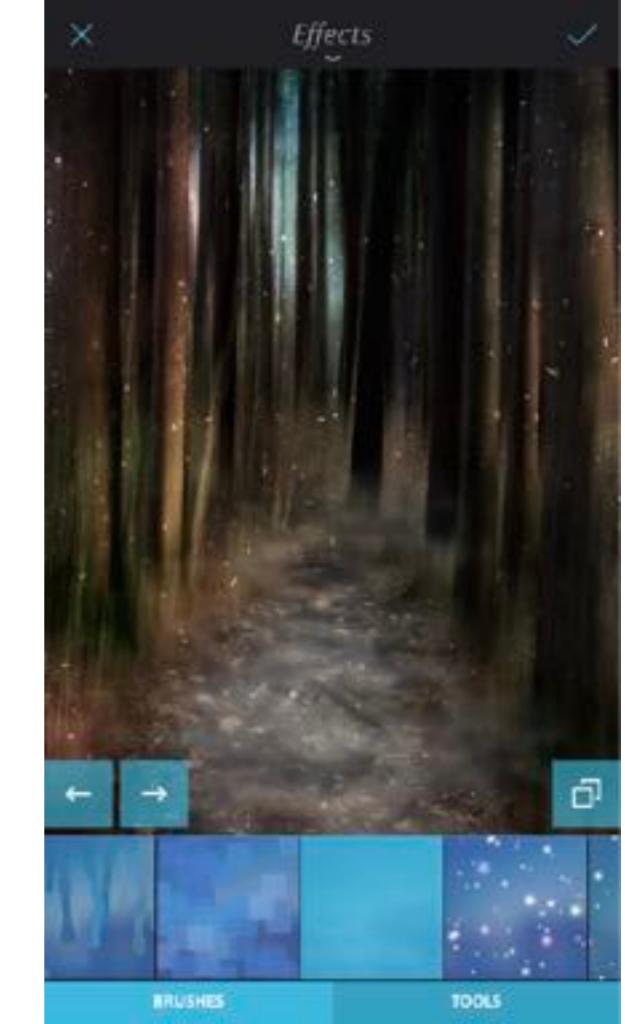


Gel and texture added in Distressed FX.



More gels and textures added in Distressed FX.

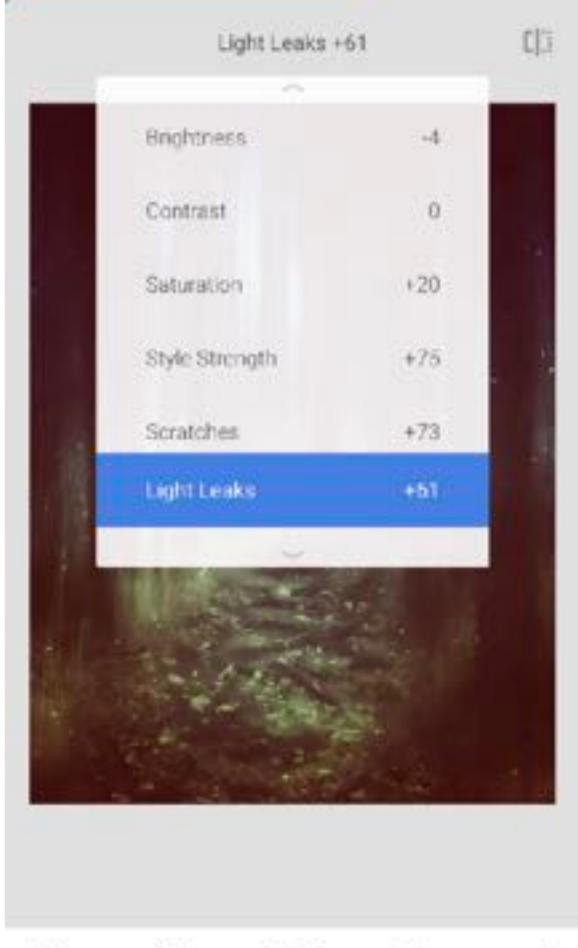
Effect added in Enlight.



Grunge added in Snapseed.



Vintage filter added in Snapseed.













Result: An image with a fairytale book cover feel.



No. 9 Brushstroke (Code Organa)

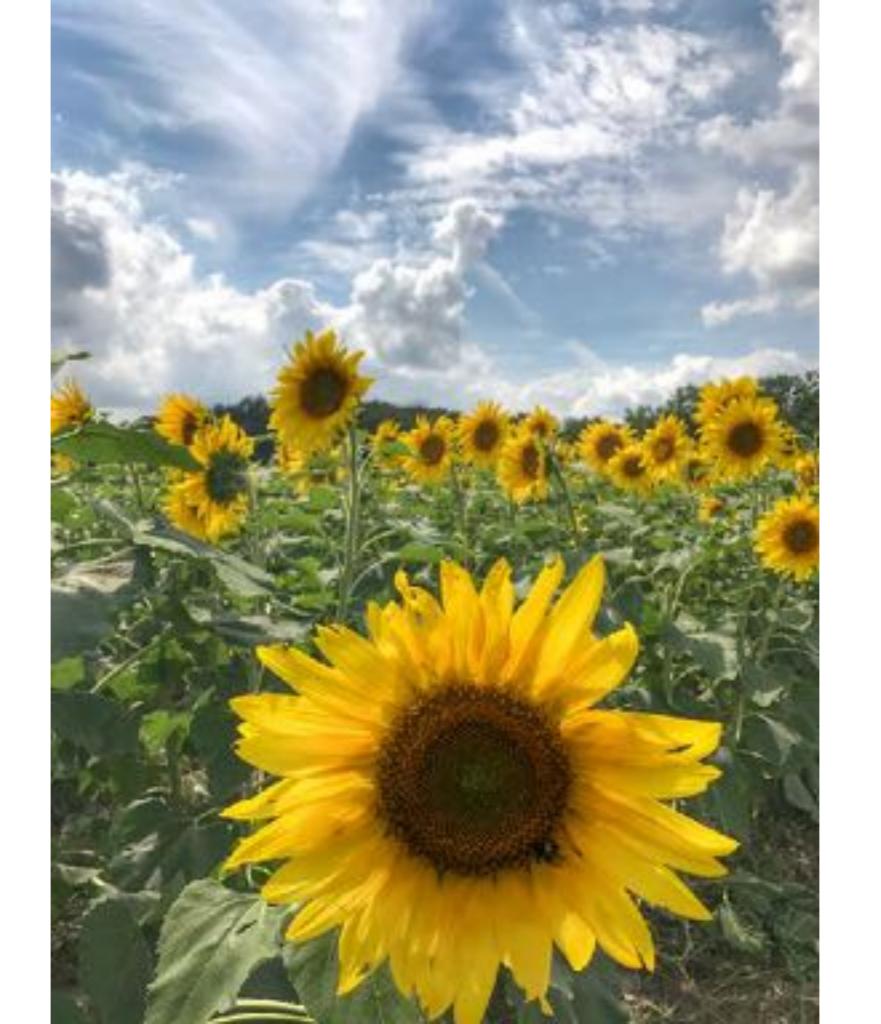
Pros

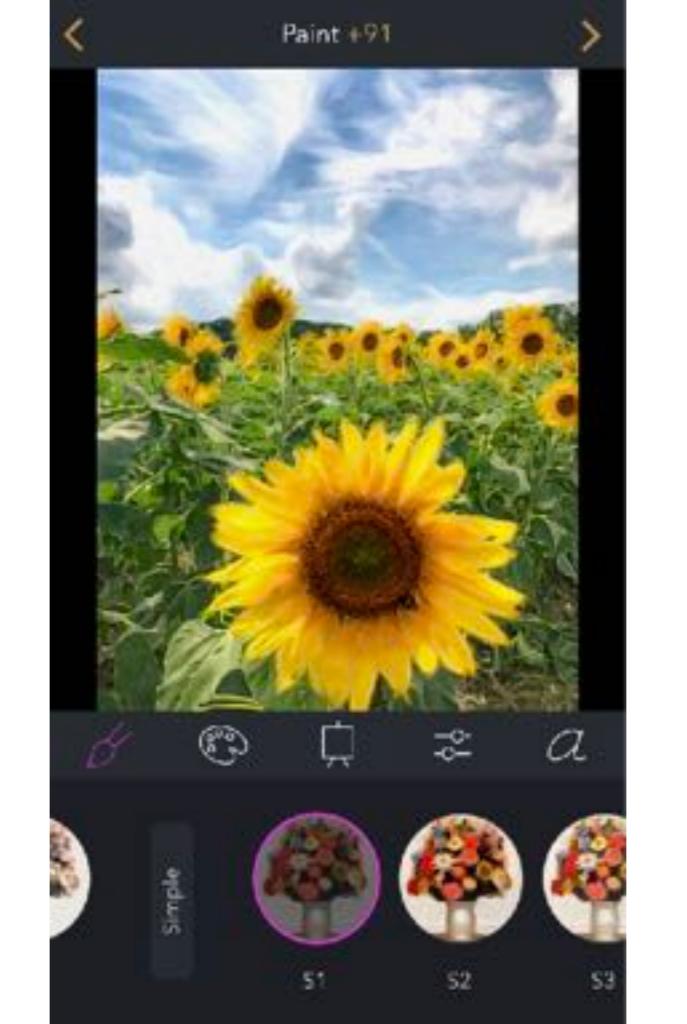
- 73 paint presents (more as inapp purchase), 75 color presents, 31 canvas settings
- Simple interface
- Can be widget for quick access
- \$3.99

Cons

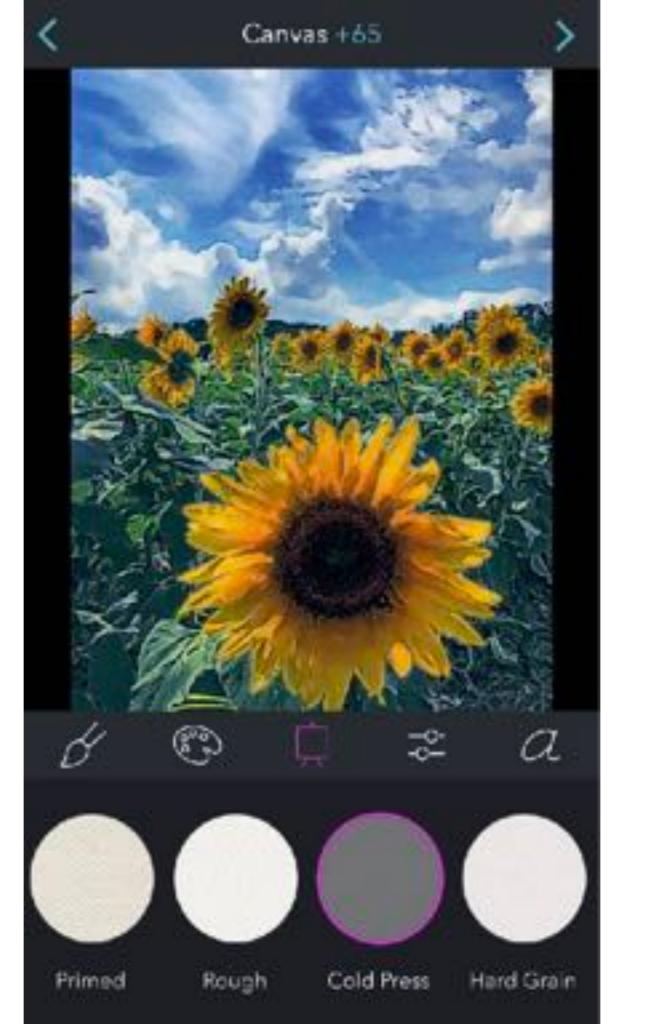
- Cannot eliminate canvas texture
- Can't flatten layers



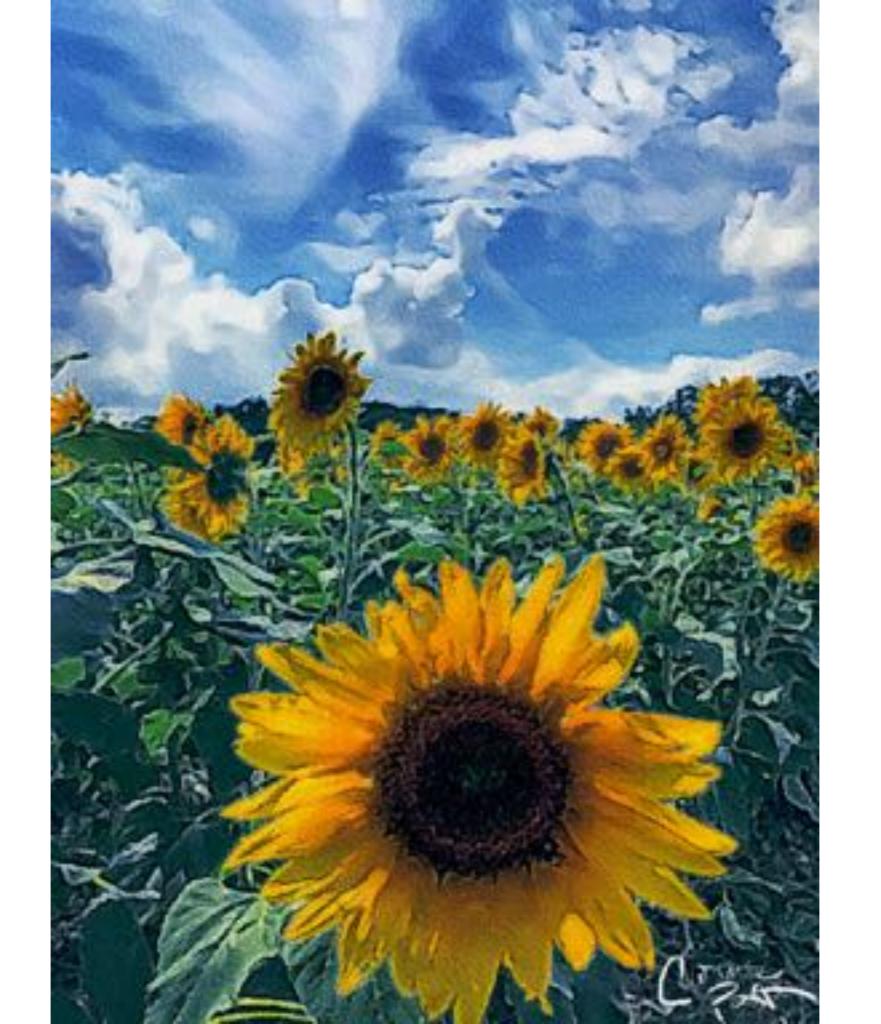


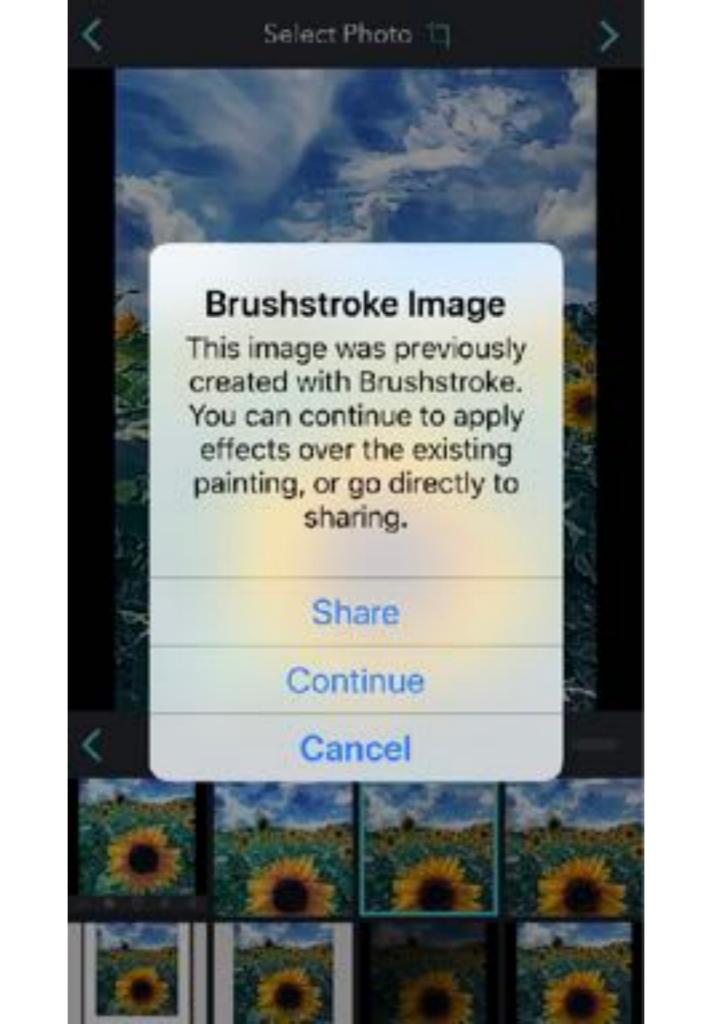












Save your image, then open it and add more paints or colors to it.



No. 10 Dramatic Black & White (JixiPix)

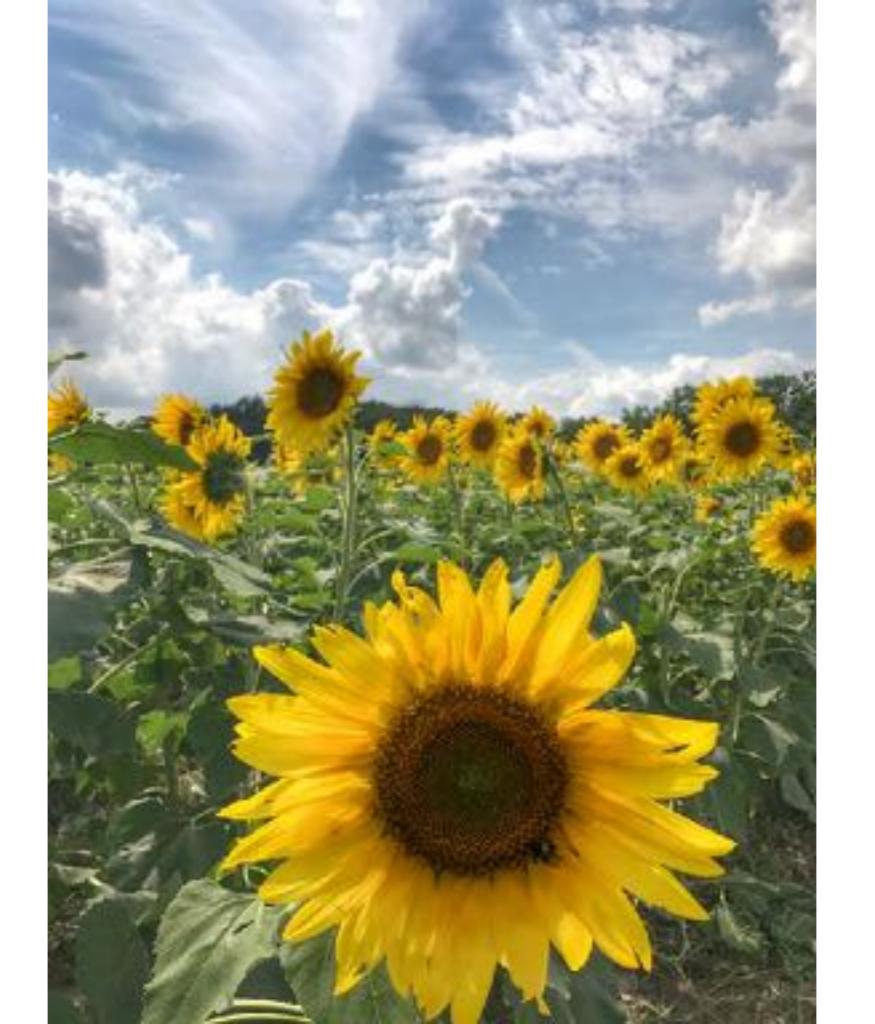
Pros

- 36 presets in 3 styles: B&W, Dramatic B&W and Infrared
- Individual red, green and blue color filters
- \$2.99
- Available for Mac and Windows for \$17.99

Similar Apps

- Noir
- Carbon
- Lenka





















3 more great apps ...

Hipstamatic, LLC)

Pros

- Very best app for lomo and other retro analogue looks
- Rich array of adjustable "lenses," "films" and "flashes" that can be combined for myriad looks
- Camera and regular app modes
- Edits any photo on your camera roll
- Can be widget for quick access
- Can order set of 9 4-inch square prints
- \$2.99

Cons

 Extra Hipstapaks cost \$.99 each (you may want them all)





Done



Salvador 84 Lens

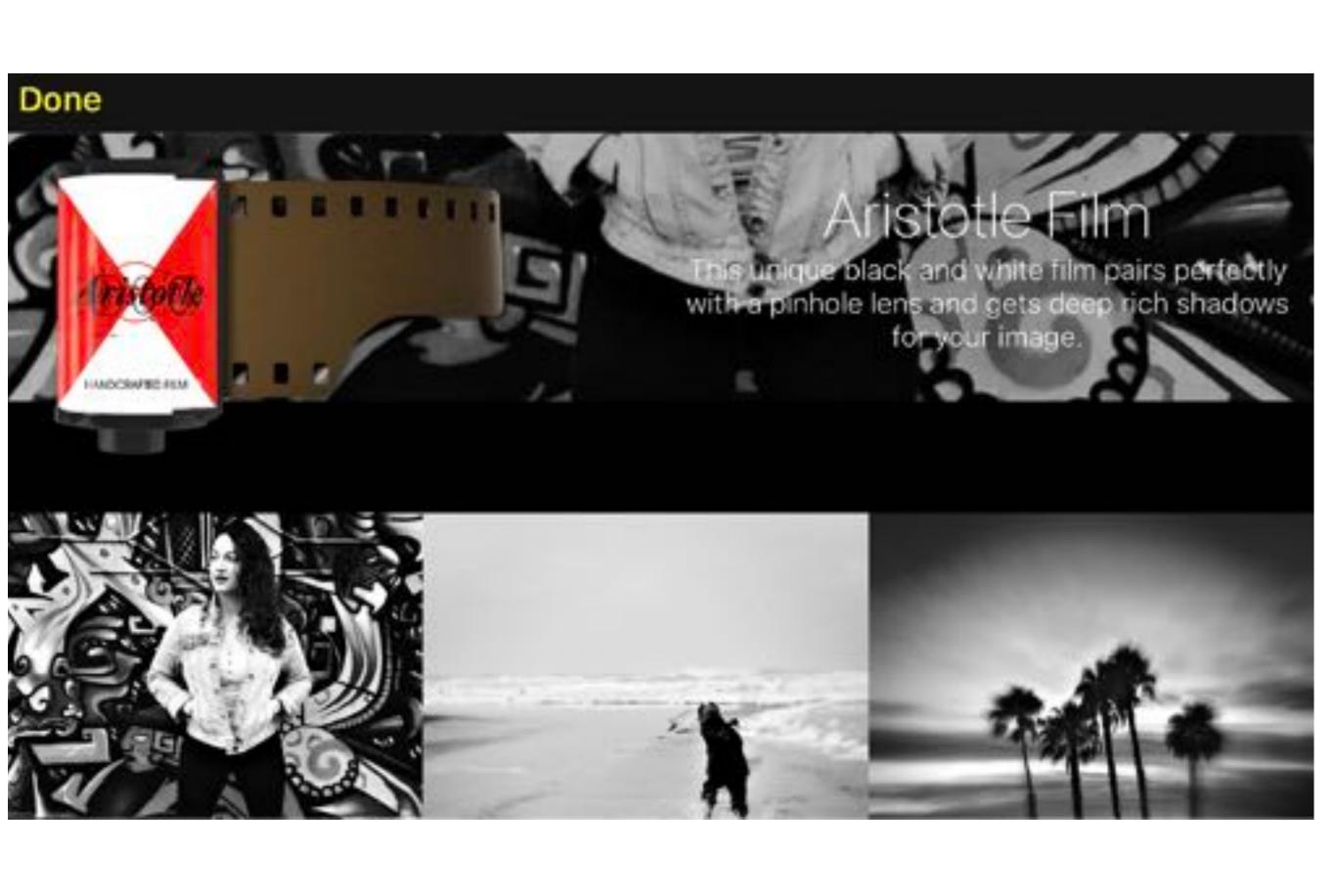
Start getting surreal. View the world through the eccentric lens of Salvador. Distorted reality.

Endless discovery

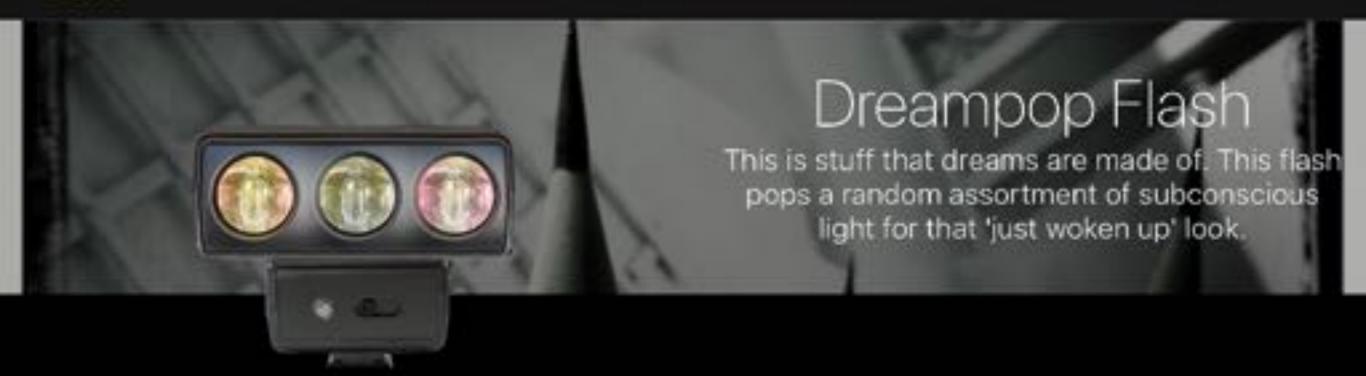








Done

























Painteresque (Simon Funk)

Pros

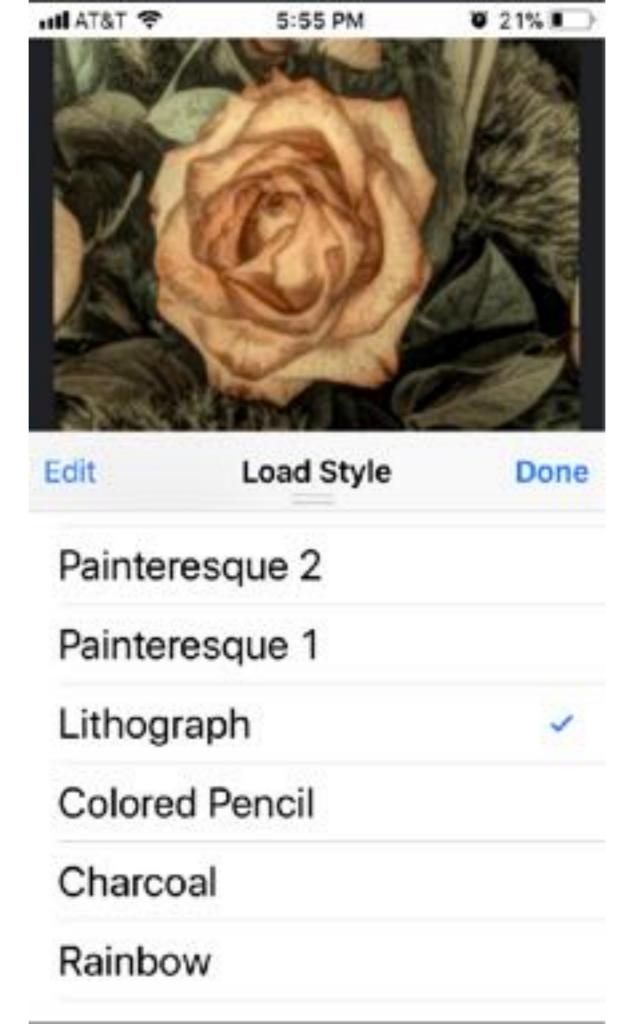
- Creates a variety of painterly effects
- Uses Al to focus on the most compelling features of an image
- Can create custom effects
- \$1.99

Cons

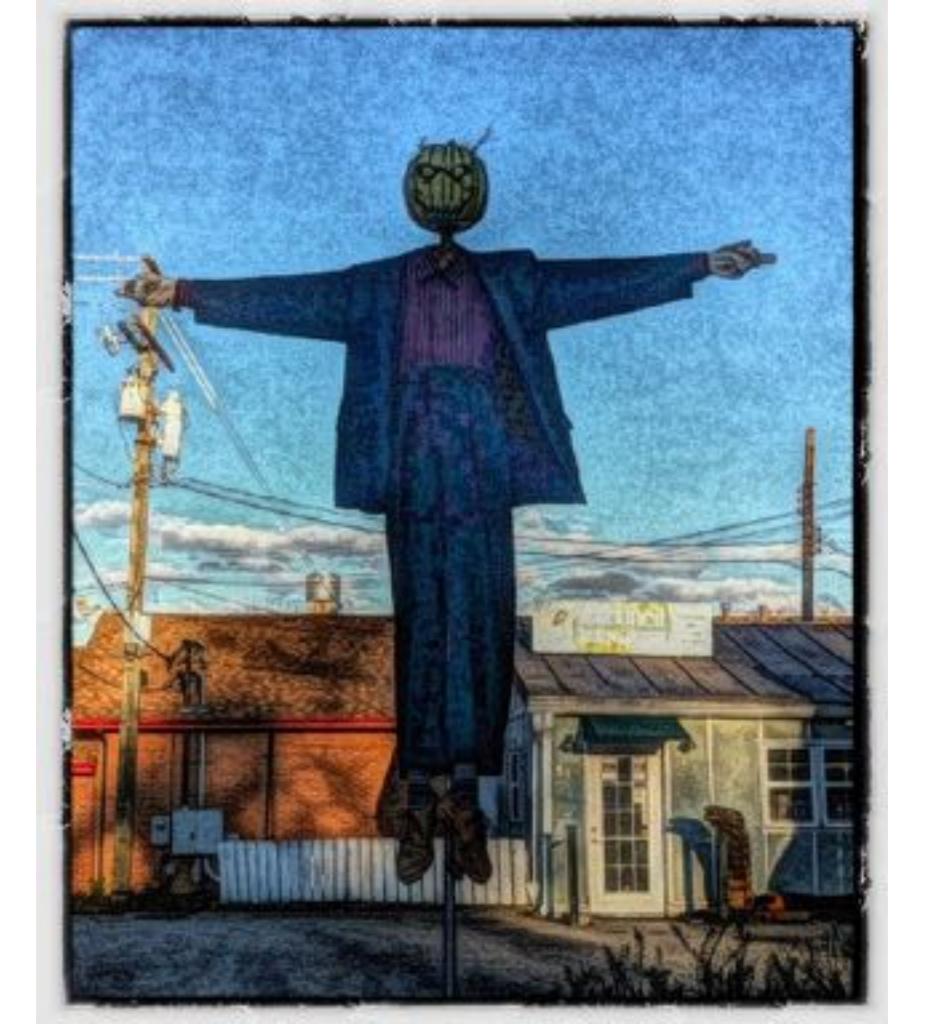
 Unable to sync custom effects between devices via iCloud



















Instagram

(Instagram, Inc.)

Pros

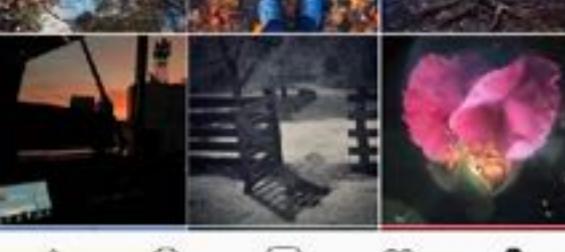
- Best photo-sharing app
- More than 800 million monthly users (9.5% of the world)
- Great place to study others' work and get inspiration
- Can create video
- Free

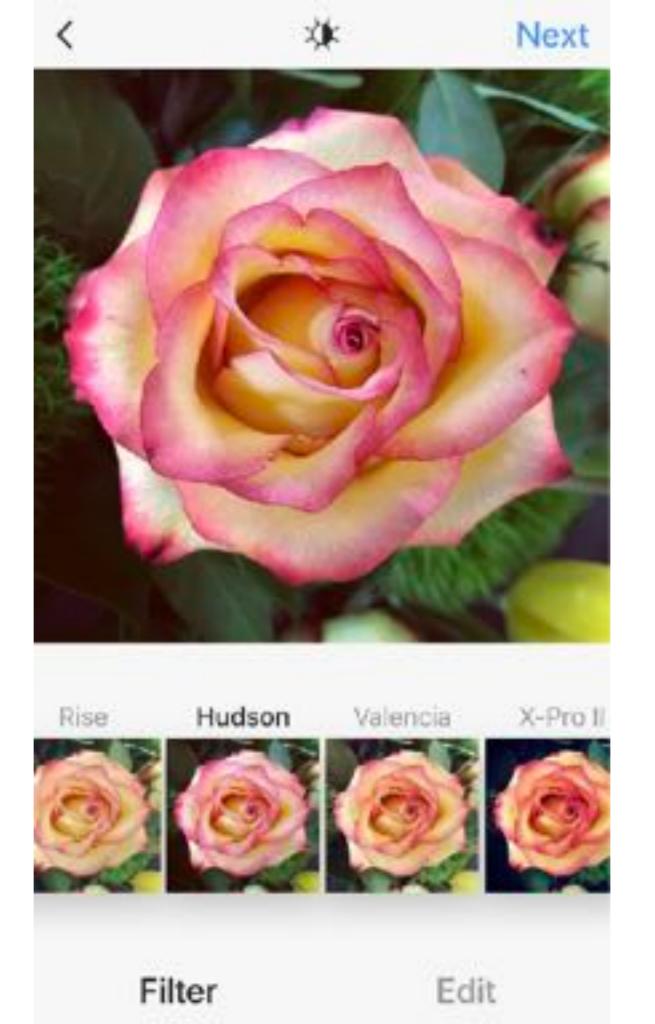
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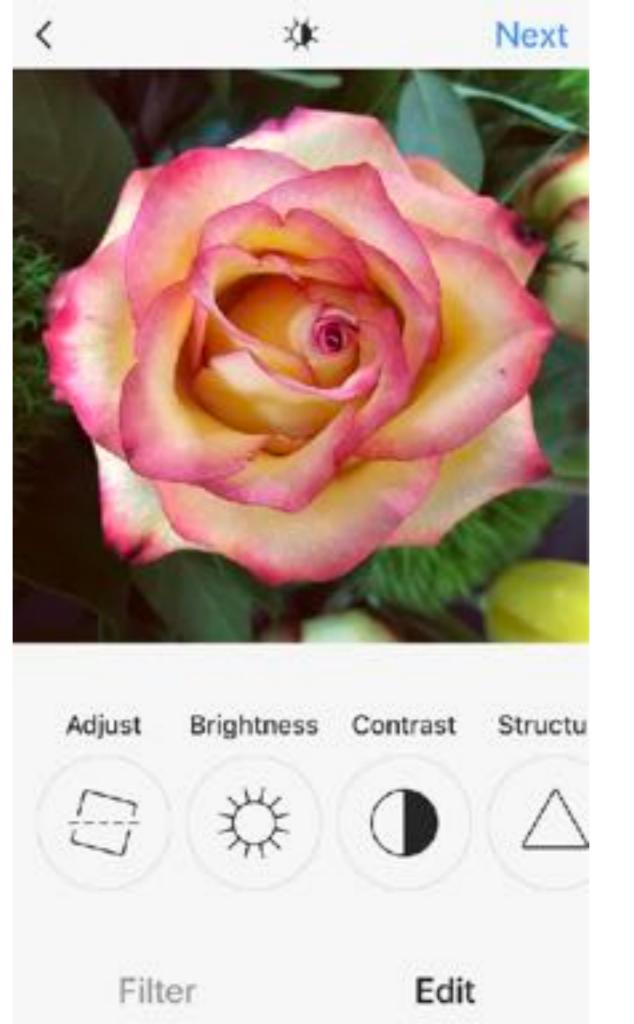
 Limited editing options — 23 filters and very limited editing tools











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