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Thank you for downloading the CG Eyes After Effects template project file. Included with this download are...

• After Effects CC template file (CG_Eyes_AE_CC.aet)
• After Effects CC 2014 template file (CG_Eyes_AE_CC2014.aet)
• After Effects CC 2018 template file (CG_Eyes_AE_CC2018.aet)
• Pseudo effect code (CGEyes_Plugin_v2.txt)
• Sample environment image (IMG_4012.JPG)
• 3D eyeball geometry object (Realistic Eye_SubD_v3.obj)

Which Project File Do I use?:
• If you are running AECC 2018-2020 (Use version 2018)
• If you are running AECC 2014-2017 (Use version 2014)
• If you are running AECC CC (Use version CC)

Software requirements:
• Must be running After Effects CC (12.0) or newer.
• Must have VideoCopilot Element 3D version 2.0 or higher (NOT INCLUDED) You can purchase this plugin at www.videocopilot.net

Below are instructions for installing the pseudo effect required for this After Effects template to operate properly.

Mac Install:
　　　1) Locate After Effects Application
　　　　　/Applications/Adobe After Effects <version>
　　　2) Right click on application and choose "Show Package Contents"
　　　3) Navigate to:
　　　　　/Contents/Resources/PresetEffects.xml
　　　4) Duplicate that file and name it "PresetEffectsBACKUP.xml"
　　　5) Open the original file called "PresetEffects.xml" in TextEdit
　　　6) Scroll all the way down to the very bottom of the document.
　　　7) Now open the included "CGEyes_Plugin_v2.txt" file in TextEdit
　　　8) Select ALL of the text and copy it via "COMMAND + C" keyboard shortcut.
　　　9) Now locate the last two lines in the "PresetEffects.xml" document. It will say...
　　　　　</Effect>
　　　　　</Effects>
　　　10) Enter a carriage return after the "</Effect>" line. The one with NO "s".
　　　　　</Effect>

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　　　11) Now paste the text you copied in step 8 on the new line.
　　　　　</Effect>
　　　　　　　Paste all of the "CGEyes_Plugin_v2.txt" text here
　　　　　</Effects>
　　　12) Before saving the "PresetEffects.xml" file, verify that the very last line of the document
says....
　　　　　</Effects>
　　　13) Save and close the "PresetEffects.xml" file.
　　　14) Pseudo effect is now installed, launch After Effects. Relaunch After Effects if it is already
open.

PC Install:

      1) Locate PresetEffects.xml file

            C:\Program Files\Adobe\Adobe After Effects <version>\Support Files\PresetEffects.xml

      2) Duplicate that file and name it "PresetEffectsBACKUP.xml"

      3) Open the original file called "PresetEffects.xml" in a simple text editor.

      4) Scroll all the way down to the very bottom of the document.

      5) Now open the included "CGEyes_Plugin_v2.txt" file in the same simple text editor.

      6) Select ALL of the text and copy it.

      7) Now locate the last two lines in the "PresetEffects.xml" document. It will say...

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