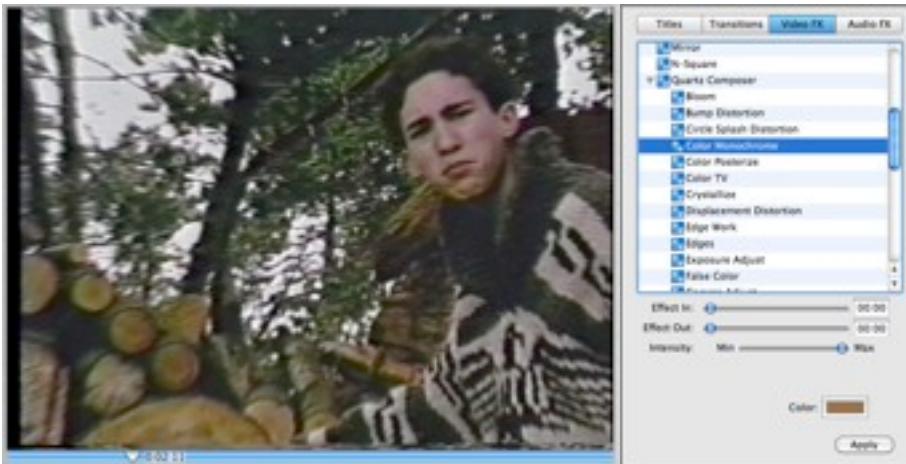


## iMovie Extras – Handout 3

### Effects

iMovie comes with effects you can use to enhance your movie. For example, you can change a clip to black and white, or give it a sharp or soft focus. When you're feeling really creative, you can add effects such as rain, fog, and even adjust the speed of your video.

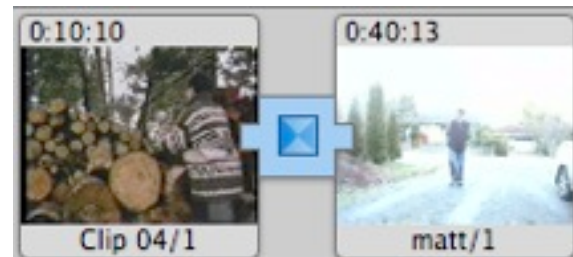
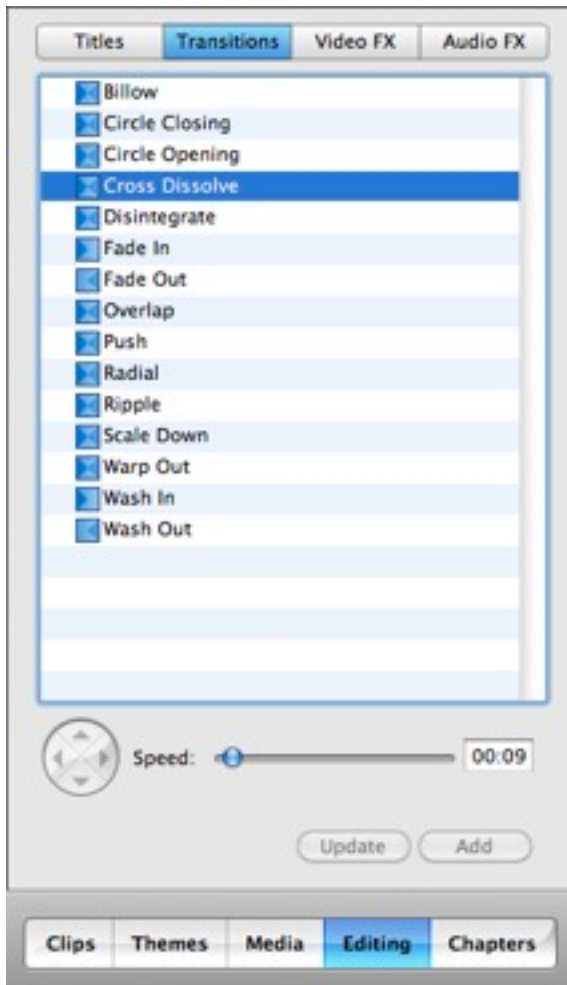
1. In iMovie, switch to the **Editing** Tab.
2. Select the clip that you would like to add an effect from the **Timeline**.
3. Select the **Video FX** Tab on the top of the screen and select an Effect from the list. If desired, set where in the clip to start the effect with the **Effect In** slider and set where in the clip to end the effect with the **Effect Out** slider.
4. Some effects have additional controls that are displayed under the Effects list. Adjust these to achieve your desired effect.
5. If you are satisfied with the changes made by your effect, click the Apply button. Depending on the length of your clip it may take between a few seconds to a few minutes to render.
6. You may apply multiple effects to the same clip.
7. To undo the effect on a clip, select the clip and press the **delete** key on the keyboard. This will remove the effect but keep the video underneath it.



## Transitions

iMovie comes with many transitions that you can easily add to your movie. You can fade between clips, push one clip off-screen as the next clip appears, and even add transitions between video clips and still images.

1. In iMovie, switch to the **Editing** Tab.
2. Select the **Transition** tab.
3. Select a transition from the list,
4. Adjust the speed slider to increase or decrease the length of your transition.
5. Drag the name of the transition in between two clips in the Clip Viewer. It may take a few seconds to render.
6. To remove a transition, select the small transition icon between the two clips and press the delete key on the keyboard.



## Titles

With iMovie, you can add titles to any part of your movie. You can also add captions, and even create scrolling credits for the end of your movie. You have the option to set titles over video, still pictures, or a solid black background.

1. In iMovie, switch to the Editing Tab.
2. Select the **Title** tab.
3. Select a Title from the list of available title styles. Notice the preview window shows the title using sample text.
4. Enter your own title in the lines provided. Some title styles allow you to add additional lines by using the Add (+) button.
5. Adjust the size of the text to fit better on screen. Adjust the speed or duration sliders to your preference. If you don't want the title to be superimposed on top of your video clip select the **Over black** check box.
6. Place the playhead on the timeline spot where you would like your title to appear.
7. Click the **Add** button.
8. To change the Title, select the clip that has the title, make any adjustments required in the Title tab then click **Update**.
9. To remove a title, select the clip with the unwanted title in it and press the delete key on the keyboard. This will remove the title but keep the video underneath it.

