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Subject: DDS Plugin for Photoshop CS4 Extended?  
Posted by [DutchNeon](#) on Tue, 23 Dec 2008 21:00:16 GMT  
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Subject: Re: DDS Plugin for Photoshop CS4 Extended?  
Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Thu, 25 Dec 2008 08:37:23 GMT  
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Just tried the plugin here locally, with CS4 Extended x86 under Vista x64 Ultimate. It "sorta" works in that it can load/save DDS files, but it grays out my entire screen for each file loaded/saved.

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Subject: Re: DDS Plugin for Photoshop CS4 Extended?

Posted by [slosha](#) on Fri, 26 Dec 2008 19:16:35 GMT

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Subject: Re: DDS Plugin for Photoshop CS4 Extended?

Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Fri, 26 Dec 2008 19:23:59 GMT

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Posted by [slosha](#) on Fri, 26 Dec 2008 19:43:08 GMT

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Subject: Re: DDS Plugin for Photoshop CS4 Extended?

Posted by [DutchNeon](#) on Sat, 27 Dec 2008 02:06:36 GMT

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They worked flawlessly for me too on CS3, but at CS4, It won't even open any .DDS files.

Next to that, I already googled around. More ppl had problems with it (DDS plugin + Cs4), but they all got it fixed (without saying/telling how they fixed it)...

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