

BART'S LAB

Here's an action set I developed for my scanned images in PsCS4. It is fully non-destructive, uses smart objects and works on any type of image with or without previous existing layers.

It removes noise with Noise Ninja (replace with your own favourite), increases color with a fine lab technique and smartsharpens with a little extra masking to keep the noise in dark regions in check. It's modular (you use what you want) and includes an example of a 'meta-action'. Try it by running SmNinja+Lab4+sharp4.4+contrast50 click 'continue' twice and 'ok' twice (or tweak it to make it fully automatic).

If you don't have Noise Ninja, just remove the line and the action.
create your own flavour!

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