

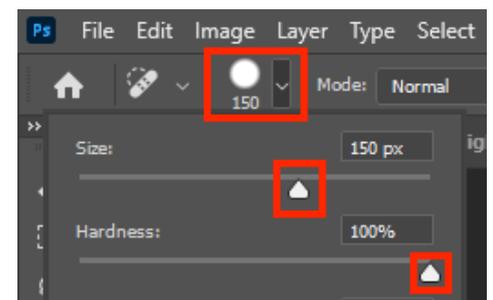
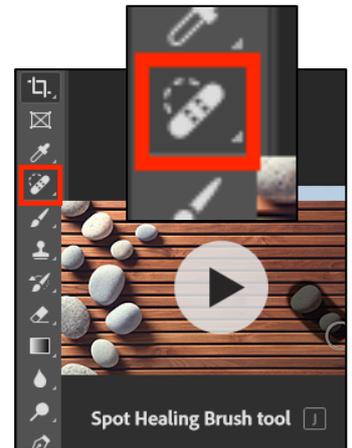
Photoshop – Improving an Image

There are some things we can do to improve the image

Removing objects

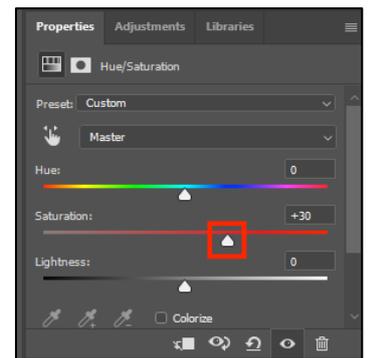
Sometimes it's easy to remove distracting objects. In the example image, there are two seagulls which we can remove

1. Select the **Spot Heal Tool** on the **left toolbar**
2. At the **top**, make the brush size big enough to cover the seagulls easily
3. **IMPORTANT:** Make sure you're using a 100% hard brush – move the **Hardness** slider all the way to the **right**
4. Click **once** on the image where one of the seagulls is. it should be removed. If it doesn't work, check the brush is big enough and the brush hardness is 100%



Brighten the image

1. At the top, click **Layer > New Adjustment Layer > choose Hue/Saturation**
2. Click **OK** if a pop up box appears
3. A set of sliders appear on the **right** above the Layer Stack
4. Drag the **Saturation slider** to the **right** a bit – try about **+30**. This should brighten the image
5. You can experiment with moving the slider around. Try the Hue slider as well – that does something different



Export the image

To use the image you need to **export** it – not just save it

1. Click **File > Export**
2. At the **top right**, change PNG to **JPG** and click **Export** at the **bottom**

Now you can use the image

