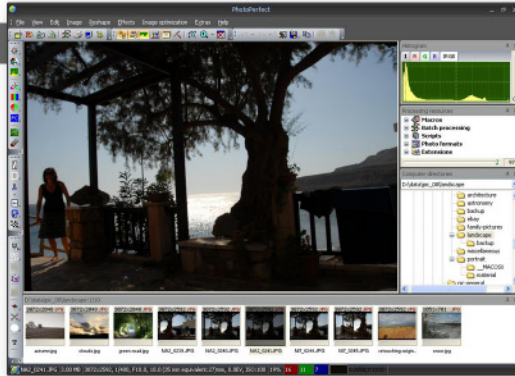


## Tutorial 4: Brighten shadows

STEP 1

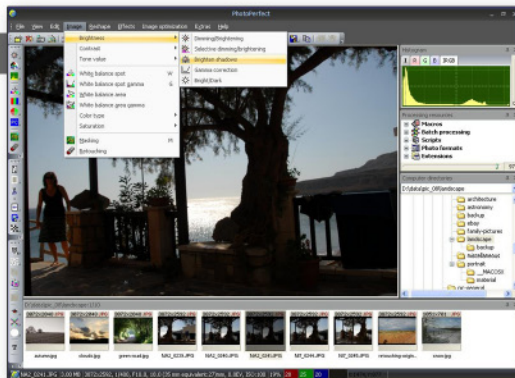


This tutorial shows you how to use PhotoPerfect's "Brighten shadows" function to brighten only the parts of a picture that are too dark.

### ► Open underexposed picture

This happens often in pictures with great brightness differences within the picture.

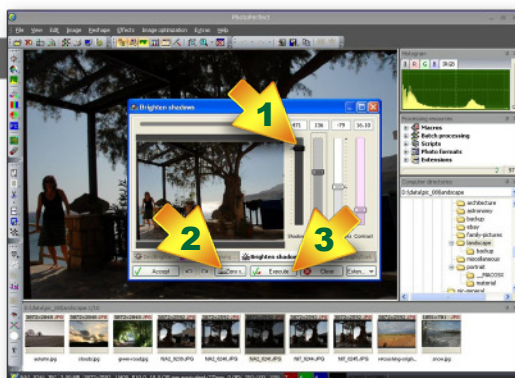
STEP 2



### ► Open "Brighten shadows" dialogue

Select "Image / Brightness / Brighten shadows" from the main menu. The Brighten shadows dialogue opens up.

STEP 3

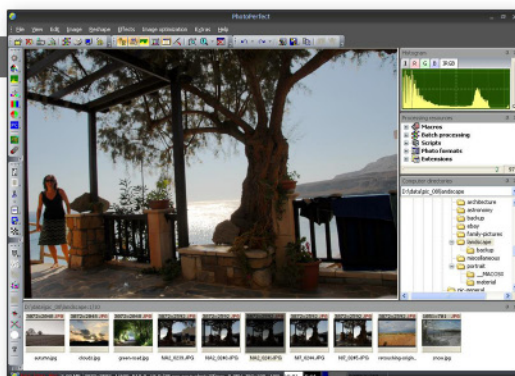


### ► Adjust shadows and hit "Execute"

The picture is brightened with the slider bars on the right side of the dialogue. Move the "shadows" slider up to brighten only the dark tones of the image (1) and leave the middle and upper colors untouched. If you are unsure you can always set the slider back to its original position with the "Zero setting" button (2).

When you are satisfied with the result press "Execute" (3) to apply the changes to the picture and close the dialogue.

RESULT



### ► Result

Brightening shadows is only one of many ways to change the brightness of a picture. Try to play around a bit with the other brightness-correction tools PhotoPerfect has to offer.