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With the help of Reshade, you can improve the graphics of Trainz or make tunnels appear more realistic.

Some preparations must be made for this.

Installation

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Step 1: Download and launch Reshade

Download Reshade via the official link to ensure you get the latest and verified version.

After downloading, open the file you just downloaded.

Step 2: Select Trainz installation path

In the Reshade window, click on "Browse..." and navigate to your Trainz installation directory.

- 1. Open the **bin folder**
- 2. Select the file trainz.exe
- 3. Click on "Open"

Then click on "Next".

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Step 3: Select graphics mode

Please ensure beforehand, as described on the page Steps after installation, that you have switched the graphics mode from OpenGL to **DirectX**. Otherwise, graphical issues may occur.

In the Reshade installer, select **DirectX 9** and click "Next".



Step 4: Select and import preset

You can either use a pre-made preset or configure all shader settings manually. We recommend starting with a preset, as it can still be adjusted later.

We provide a pre-made preset, which you can download here.

In the installation window, click on "Browse..." and select the preset file. Then click on "Next".

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Step 5: Download shaders and finish installation

Now all the necessary shaders are being downloaded and ReShade is being installed

Once the download is complete, click "Finish" in the confirmation window.

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That's it - ReShade will be installed and activated the next time you start Trainz.

Before-After comparison







Add more effects

If the installed effects are not enough, you can install additional ones.

To do so, repeat steps 1-3.

The installer will recognize that Reshade is already installed for Trainz and will ask how to proceed:

- Update Reshade to a new version?
- Update Reshade and effects?
- Uninstall Reshade and effects?

After selecting the second option, you can now add or remove additional effects for Reshade.

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