

NATURE ~~MANIPULATION~~ ADJUSTMENTS ALLOWED IN NATURE COMPETITIONS

- EXPOSURE ADJUSTMENT (SELECTIVE AND GLOBAL)
- ADJUST HIGHLIGHT AND SHADOW DETAIL
- ADJUST CONTRAST
- WHITE BALANCE / COLOR CORRECTION
(HDR ALLOWED FOR ANY AND ALL OF THE ABOVE)
- BLACK & WHITE CONVERSION (GRayscale ONLY)
- ADJUST SATURATION
- DUST SPOT REMOVAL
- NOISE REMOVAL
- FLARE REMOVAL
- STRAIGHTENING
- CROPPING
- REVERSING (A.K.A. FLIPPING HORIZONTAL - USE CAUTION ON SCENICS)
- RESIZING
- SHARPENING (INCLUDING FOCUS LAYERING)

ALL ALLOWED ADJUSTMENTS MUST LOOK NATURAL

ADJUSTMENTS NOT ALLOWED IN NATURE COMPETITIONS

- ADDING OR REMOVING IMAGE ELEMENTS
- BLURRING BACKGROUNDS

