

# STRAIGHTEN A PHOTO



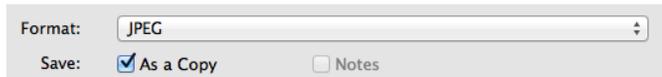
You carefully placed your photo on the scanner or held the camera steady as you took the picture, but when you look at it now, it's crooked! There is an easy way to straighten the photo in Adobe® Photoshop®.

The building top in this photo is not level.



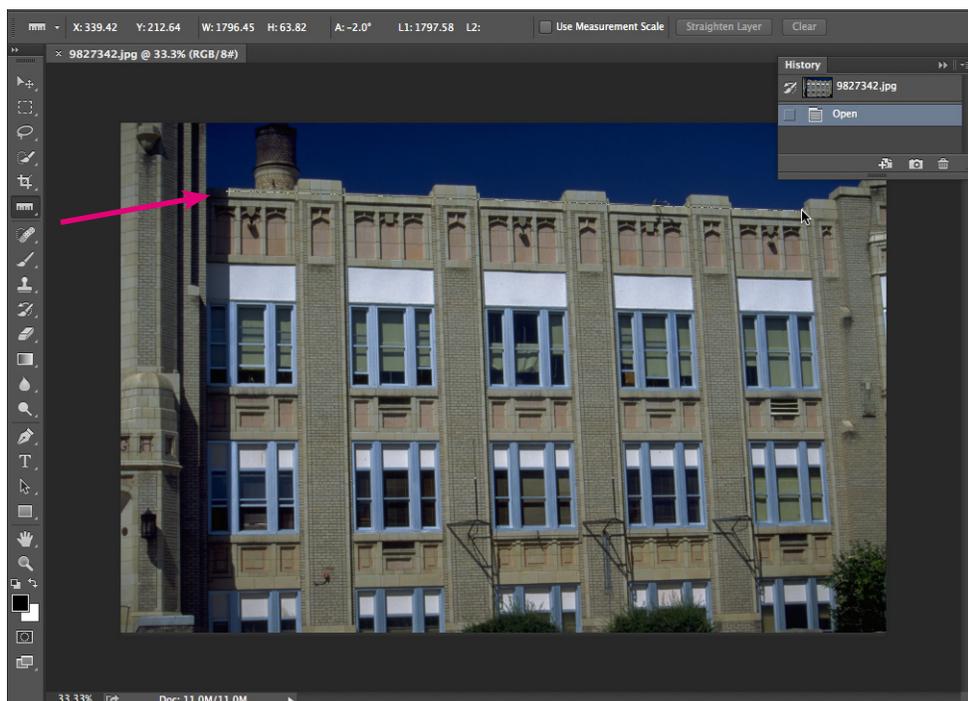
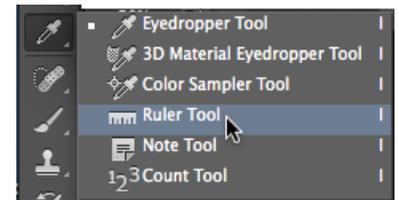
## SAVE A COPY

- Open your photo in Photoshop.
- Work from a copy, not the original; go to **File > Save as...**
- Under the Format field, check **Save: As a Copy**.
- Click **Save**.



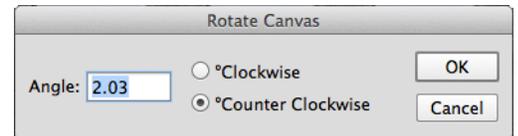
## RULER TOOL

- Select the **Ruler** or Measure tool.
- It is under the Eyedropper tool.
- Click and drag along a line in the photo that is supposed to be horizontal.
- This may be the top of a building, skyline, etc.



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- Go to Image > Rotate Canvas > Arbitrary.
- The dialog box opens with an angle measurement already in it.
- Click OK and your photo is straightened.



- Crop your photo if needed and Save.

