

The Levels Dialogue Box in Photoshop

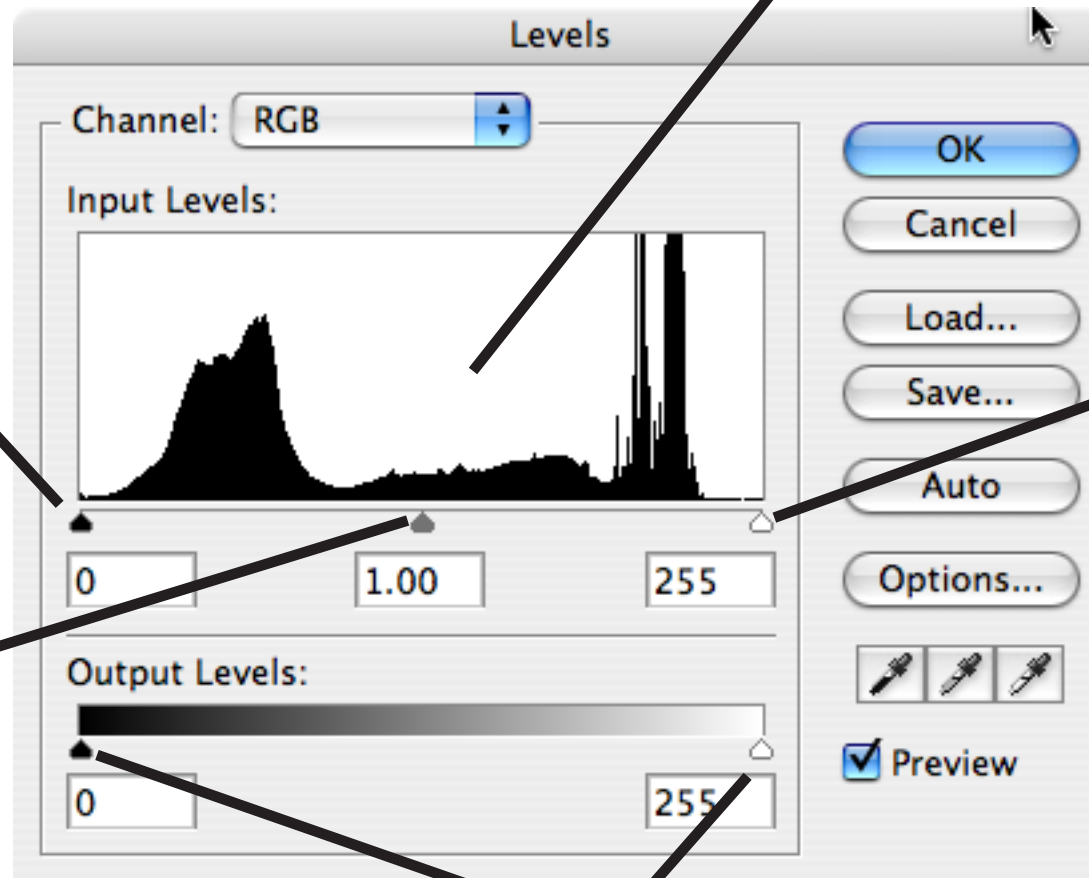
You will find this dialogue box when you choose **Image > Adjust > Levels** in the menu bar. You will use its controls to adjust the **highlight**, **mid-tone** (gamma) and **shadow** tones in an image. You will also use the **output settings** to define the highlight dot and shadow dot if this image is to be printed in a halftone screen.

Each vertical line represents the number of pixels in that gray level contained in the image.

This black triangle is the **shadow** slider, which defines the darkest tone in the image (gray level **0**, or **black**).

This gray triangle is the **mid-tone** (gamma) slider, which defines the tone in the image equal to a **50% gray**.

This clear triangle is the **highlight** slider, which defines the lightest tone in the image (gray level **255**, or **white**).



These triangles are the **output sliders**, which define the size of **shadow** and **highlight dots** in a halftone screen of the image.