

SIMPLE MASKING ANIMATION TUTORIAL

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In this tutorial I would like to show how to make simple masking tutorial using flash. You can use this text animation for any banner, presentation, header. I will use text and motion tween to make masking animation. So if you don't have previous tutorial, download first on MathandFlash.Com. There is no script, and let's open your flash document and follow the step by step below.

STEP 1

Create a new Flash Document.



STEP 2

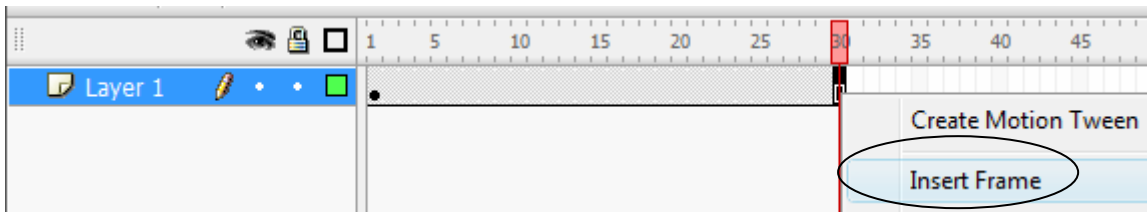
Using Text Tool type "MathandFlash.Com" and go to Properties Panel (Ctrl+F3), then set font: Arial Black, size: 33px on the Panel Properties (Ctrl+F3) and select Bold.



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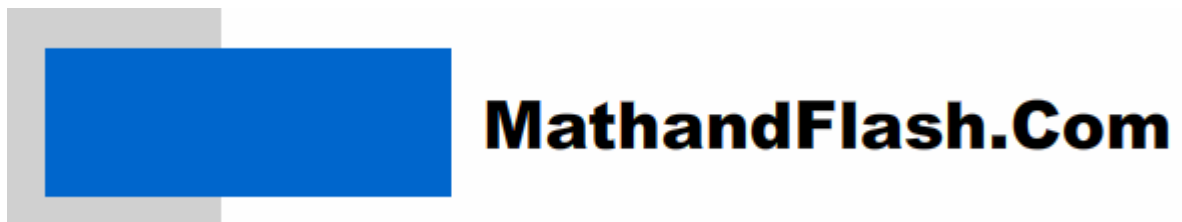
STEP 3

After that, Insert Frame (F5) on frame 30.



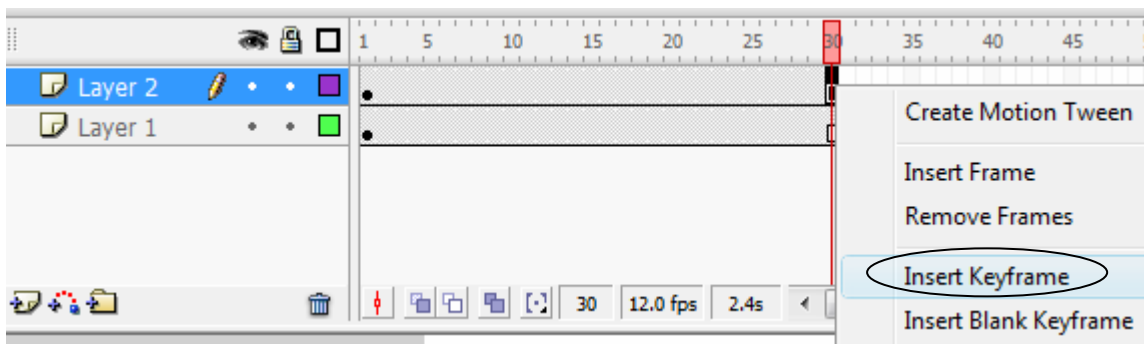
STEP 4

Right click on Layer 1 then select Insert Layer. Now you have two layer. Take Rectangle Tool(R) and set any size and colour as Fill Colour on Properties Panel (Ctrl+F3).



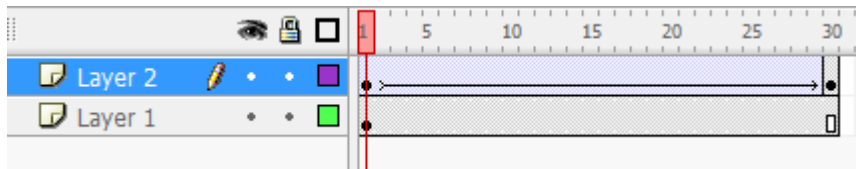
STEP 5

Click on frame 30 and press F6 to Insert Keyframe. Move the box on the left side to right side through text using the arrows key or by mouse.



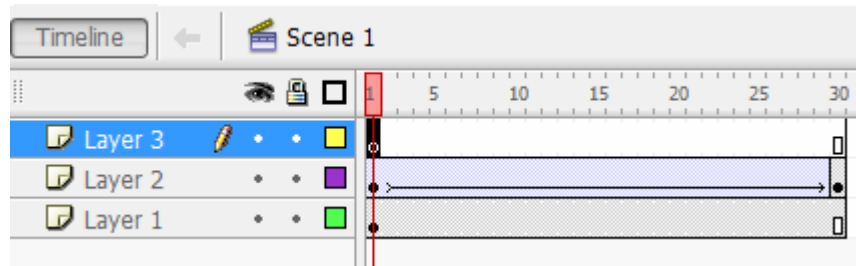
STEP 6

Choose right-click anywhere on the gray area between the frame 1 and 30 on the timeline and choose Create Motion Tween. And your layer should look like this.



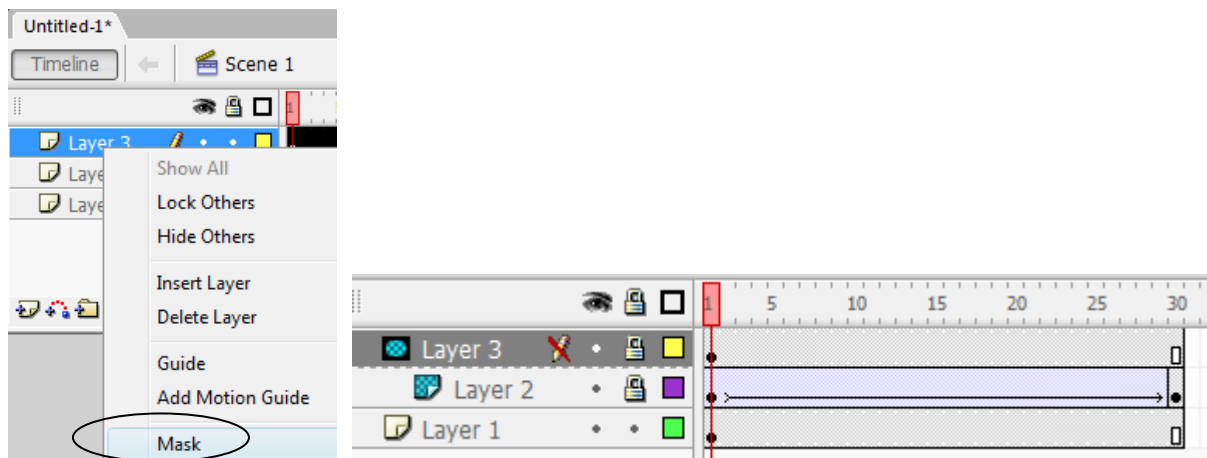
STEP 7

After that, right click on Layer 1 then select Insert Layer. Now, you have three layer. Press Ctrl+C on frame 1 Layer 1. Then go to frame 1 Layer 3 and press Ctrl+Shft+V (Paste in Place).



STEP 8

The last step, right click on Layer 3 then select Mask.



STEP 9

We're done ! Test your movie (Ctrl+Enter).

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