

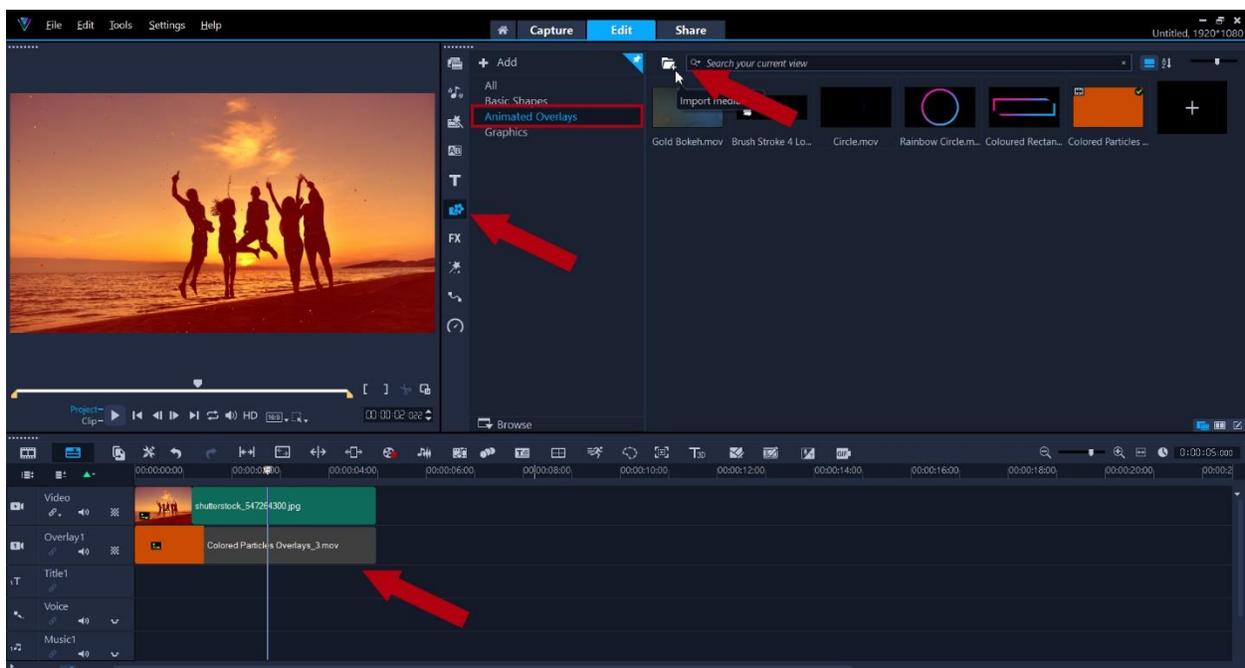
How to Install and Use Video Overlays

[VideoStudio Instructions](#) [Pinnacle Studio Instructions](#)

For VideoStudio users:

*These .mov files (GoPro Cineform) are compatible with VideoStudio 2019 and higher.

1. Download the zip file and extract the file to your computer (folder location doesn't matter).
2. Open VideoStudio and go to the **Edit** tab.
3. Drag and drop the video overlay (.mov) file from your computer directly onto the **Overlay** track in the timeline.
4. You can also drag and drop the file directly into the media library:
 - Click the **Overlays** icon on the media library panel to open the Overlays section of the library.
 - Select the **Animated Overlays** option in the menu.
 - Drag and drop the overlay file into the media library or click the **Import Media Files** icon and browse to the location on your computer where you've downloaded the file. Select the file and click **Open**.
 - Drag and drop the overlay from the media library onto the **Overlay** track in the timeline.



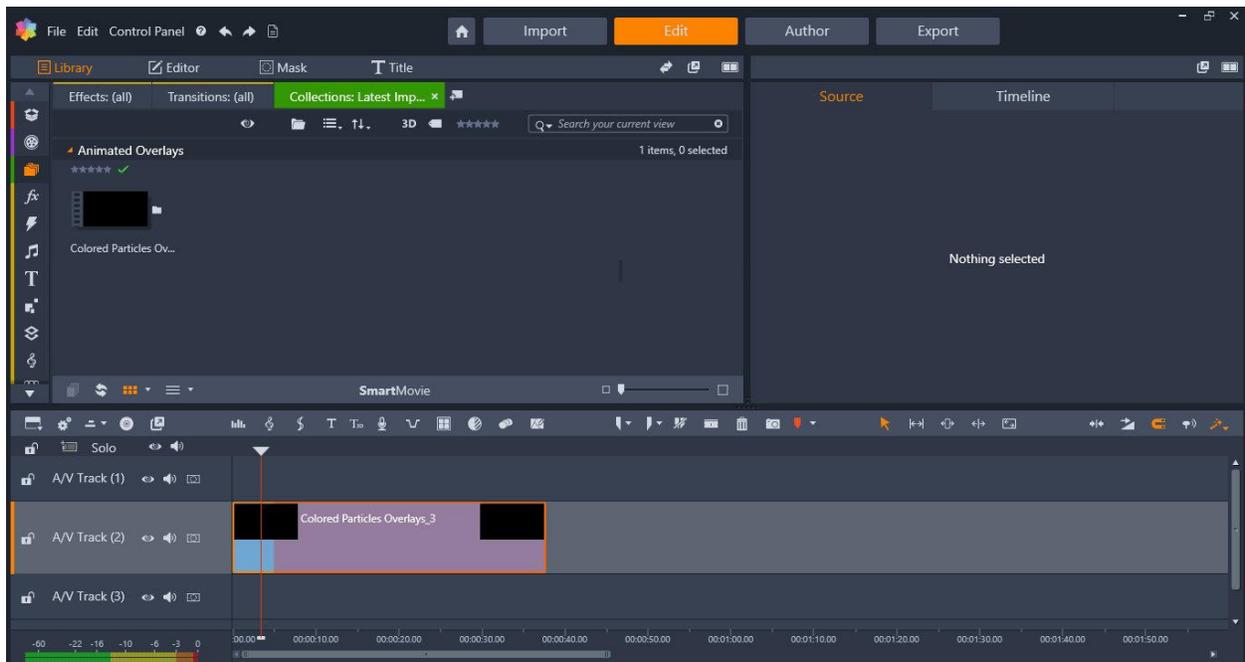
You can use overlays in their original format to enhance your video projects but you can also customize the color, speed, size, position, transparency and other characteristics to suit your needs. To learn more, watch our tutorial [How to Use Animated Overlays in VideoStudio](#).

For Pinnacle Studio users:

*These .mov files (GoPro Cineform) are compatible with Pinnacle Studio 23 Ultimate and higher.

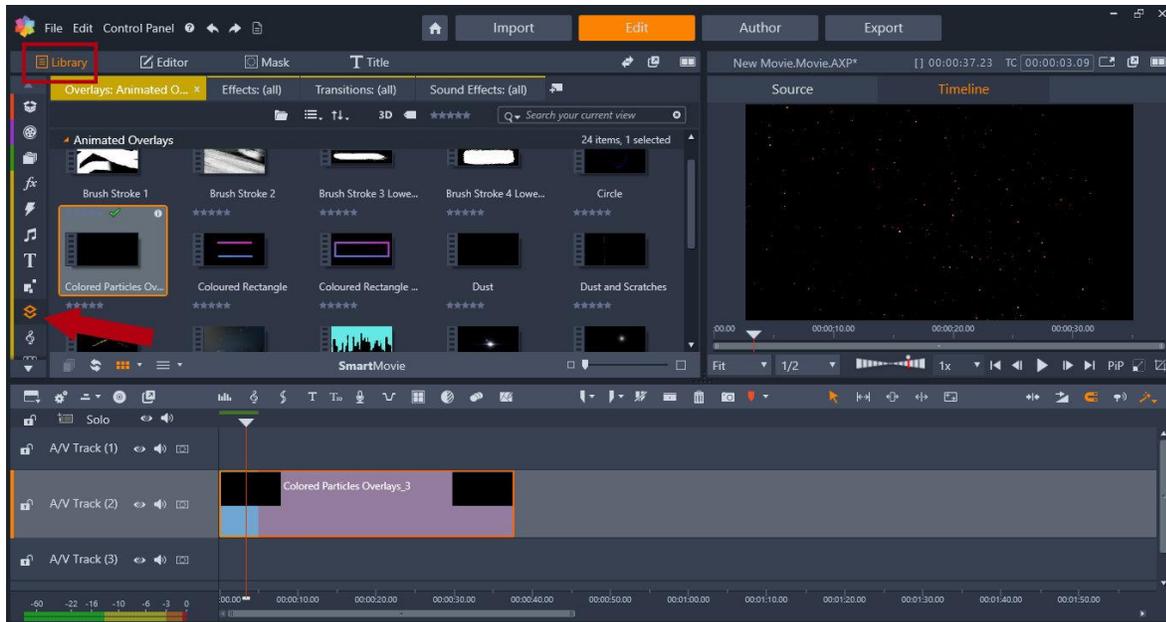
Option 1

1. Download the zip file and extract the overlay (.mov) file to any location on your computer.
2. Open Pinnacle Studio and go to the **Edit** tab.
3. Drag and drop the overlay file from your computer into the media library. This will automatically create a collection called "Latest Imports".
4. Drag the overlay file from the media library onto A/V track 2 on the timeline.



Option 2

1. Download the zip file and extract the overlay file to the following location:
C:\Users\Public\Documents\Pinnacle\Content\OverlayAssets\Animated Overlays
2. Open Pinnacle Studio and go to the **Edit** tab.
3. Click the **Overlays** icon in the media library and you should find the overlay in the **Animated Overlays** section.



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