

## Reducing Pixel Dimensions in Adobe Photoshop CS3

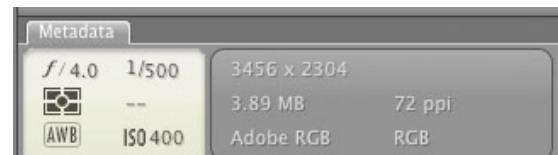
These directions are specifically for turning in Exercise files that are in landscape mode. See the page on [Preparing Files to Be Turned In](#) on the handouts page for portrait format and other directions.

You can modify these steps for your specific use.

Start - open Adobe Bridge

Select file (click on it once to highlight.) Look for the metadata tab.

Examine metadata - in this case the file is a .jpg and in *landscape* format and measures 3456 x 2304 pixels.



Next, while you are *STILL* in Bridge you will open the file into Adobe Photoshop CS3.

From the top Bridge menu:

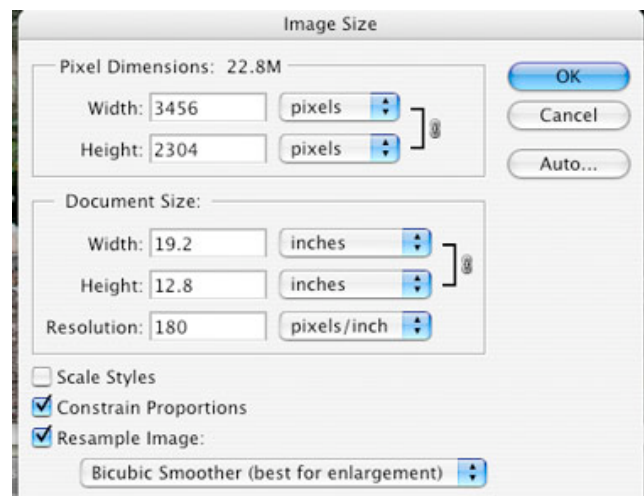
**File > Open with > Adobe Photoshop CS3.**

Note: there are other ways to open the file, but we don't want to open the Camera Raw dialog box at this time. Please follow my specific steps, or the rest of these directions will make no sense.

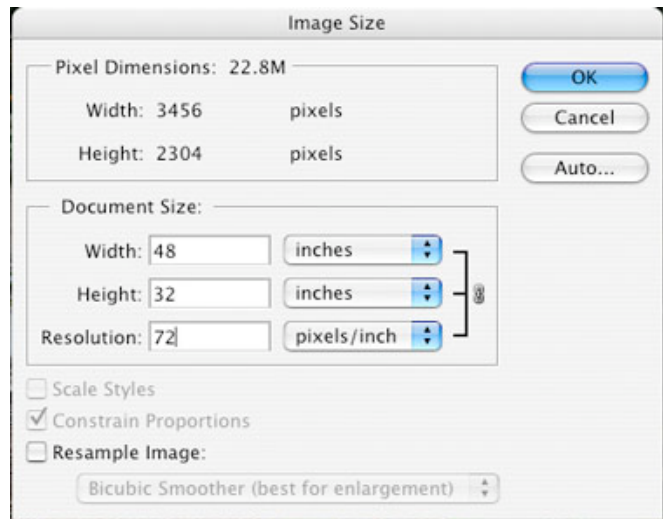
In Adobe Photoshop:

**Top menu > Image > Image size >** to bring up the following dialog box.

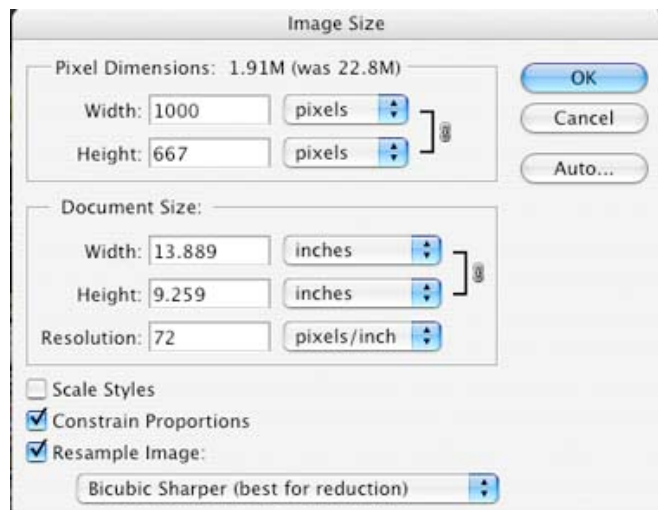
(The illustrations are for my specific image. Yours may vary in pixel size.)



Next step: Uncheck the *Resample Image* box at the bottom and change the Resolution to 72 pixels / inch.



1. Recheck the *Resample Image* box at the bottom and choose "Bicubic Sharper," from the drop-down menu.
2. Now, at the top, change the Pixel Width to 1000 pixels.
3. Click OK.



Your file is now the required pixel dimensions to turn in.

For more information go to Turning Files In on the Handouts Page and see specific information on the exercise or project pages.