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Here's a list of HyperCard's varied visual effects which may be used in HyperTalk scripts:

- barn doors open/close
- checkerboard
- iris open/close
- dissolve
- scroll right/left/up/down
- shrink to top/center/bottom
- stretch from top/center/bottom
- venetian blinds
- wipe right/left/up/down
- zoom open/close/in/out

For example, the following script zooms opens the Help stack when you click the Help icon in the Home stack.

```
on mouseUp
    visual effect zoom open
    go to stack "Help"
end mouseUp
```

You can also control a visual's speed: very fast, fast, slow, or very slow.

For example:

```
on mouseUp
    visual effect zoom open very fast
    go to stack "Help"
end mouseUp
```

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