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6 Claude video commands

The six effects from my Reel as your own slash commands. Set them up once, then type /tier-list or /orbit and Claude edits your video.

WHAT IT IS

One word, one effect

Claude Code, Anthropic's app for working with Claude on your computer, lets you save an instruction as a command that starts with a slash. You save each effect once. After that you type the command and the name of your video, and Claude builds the edit and renders it. The effects run on HyperFrames, a free, open-source video tool from HeyGen.

WHAT IT DOES

The six commands

COMMAND	WHAT HAPPENS TO YOUR VIDEO
/tier-list	A frosted S, A, B ranking board appears on your chest, and logos fly in and land in their rows.
/zoom-through	Huge white 3D letters fill the screen, and the camera flies through the hole of the O into your shot.
/reel-wall	Your own thumbnails pop onto the wall behind you, one by one.
/orbit	Glass icons circle your head, passing behind you and then in front.
/pull-back	A glowing dot-matrix wipe turns into your video, then pulls back to show it in an editor.
/phone-demo	A phone floats up beside you with your screenshot on it.

WHAT IT REPLACES

Templates, keyframes, or paying an editor

Each of these effects normally means an editing app, a paid template and an hour of fiddling per video, or paying someone to do it. Here it is one line you type, and you can use it on every video you make.

BEFORE YOU START

Three things you need

YOU NEED	HOW TO CHECK
A Mac	This guide is written for Mac. HyperFrames runs elsewhere too, but the steps differ and we have not tested them.
Claude Code, signed in	Open Terminal (press ⌘ **+ Space**, type Terminal, press Enter) and type **claude --version**. A version number means you have it. Claude Code needs a paid Claude plan.
Your video	Filmed vertically on your phone, under a minute. Send it to your Mac with AirDrop.

STEP 1

Install the helpers

HyperFrames needs Node (version 22 or higher) and ffmpeg. Check first: type each line in Terminal and press Enter. A version number means it is installed.

```
node --version
ffmpeg -version
```

1. If either is missing, or Node shows a number below 22, install Homebrew. It is a free, well-known tool that lets your Mac install programs with one line of text. If you already have it, skip to 2.

   ```
   /bin/bash -c "$(curl -fsSL
   https://raw.githubusercontent.com/Homebrew/install/HEAD/install.sh)"
   ```

   It asks for your Mac password. Nothing appears as you type. That is normal: type it and press Enter. It can take several minutes.

2. Install the two helpers.

   ```
   brew install node ffmpeg
   ```

   If one is already installed, Homebrew says so and moves on.

STEP 2

Add HyperFrames to Claude Code

Type these two lines, one at a time.

```
claude plugin marketplace add heygen-com/hyperframes
```

```
claude plugin install hyperframes@hyperframes
```

The first line tells Claude Code where HyperFrames lives. The second installs it.

STEP 3

Make a folder and start Claude

1. On your Desktop, make a folder called **my-edit** (right-click the Desktop → **New Folder**). Drag your video in and rename it **video.mp4**.

   An iPhone video may end in .mov. That is fine: type video.mov in the commands instead.

2. For **/reel-wall**, make a folder inside it called **wall** and drop in 10 to 20 screenshots or thumbnails. For **/phone-demo**, add one screenshot of your app or website and name it **phone.png**.

   Skip this if you will not use those two commands.

3. Point Terminal at the folder and start Claude Code.

   ```
   cd ~/Desktop/my-edit
   ```

   ```
   claude
   ```

STEP 4

Create the six commands

Paste this whole message into Claude Code and press Enter. You only do this once per folder.

```
Create six slash commands for this folder with the HyperFrames skills. Make each one a skill at
.claude/skills/NAME/SKILL.md with a name, a one-line description and disable-model-invocation:
true. Each one edits the video named in $ARGUMENTS: keep it vertical 9:16, keep my audio, save the
result as a new file next to the original, and show me still frames before the final render. Keep
every effect off my face.
tier-list: a frosted-glass S, A, B ranking board over my chest. Ask me what to rank. The logos or
names fly in from the sides and land in their rows one by one.
zoom-through: huge white 3D letters fill the screen, with my video seen through the hole of the
letter O. The camera flies through the O into my shot. Ask me for the words.
reel-wall: cut me out and put the images from the wall folder on the wall behind me in a grid,
popping in one by one, then a soft light sweeps across them.
orbit: five frosted-glass icon tiles (like, comment, share, save, plus) circle my head. They pass
behind me at the back of the circle and in front of me at the front.
pull-back: a glowing amber dot-matrix wipe turns into my video, then the camera pulls back to show
it inside a video editor with a timeline that is rendering.
phone-demo: a phone floats up beside my head and shows phone.png, scrolling slowly.
When you are done, list the six commands.
```

Claude asks permission to create files and run commands. Allow the ones that stay inside your my-edit folder. If the new commands do not show when you type /, type **/exit**, then **claude** to start again.

STEP 5

Use them

Type a command, a space and the name of your video, then press Enter. For example:

```
/tier-list video.mp4
```

Claude asks what it needs, like what to rank, then shows you still frames. Say what to change in plain words, like "make the board smaller" or "slower". When you are happy, say **"Render the final video"**. The finished file lands in the folder. AirDrop it to your phone and post it.

GOOD TO KNOW

Run one command at a time. Each render takes a few minutes. Your original video is never changed, so you can always start again. /reel-wall and /orbit cut you out of the background, and they are the slowest. To use the commands in every folder, ask Claude: "Copy these six skills to ~/.claude/skills". Your first results will be simpler than my Reel. You are installing someone else's open-source code (HyperFrames, Apache 2.0), and it can change after this guide was written.

WHAT THIS GUIDE DOES NOT COVER

My Reel puts all six in one video, timed to the second, inside a Claude app screen. That comes from my own Reels editor, built on top of these tools. **Join the community.** The link is on my profile. The full editor is in there, with the setup taught step by step.

Install lines checked on the HyperFrames GitHub page and the Claude Code docs on 2 November 2026.