

## 2. Identifying the different components making up the workspace in Photoshop CS3

At the end of this lesson you will be able identify the different components making up the workspace in Photoshop CS3 by using the mouse to scroll over the image to display the name of each component.

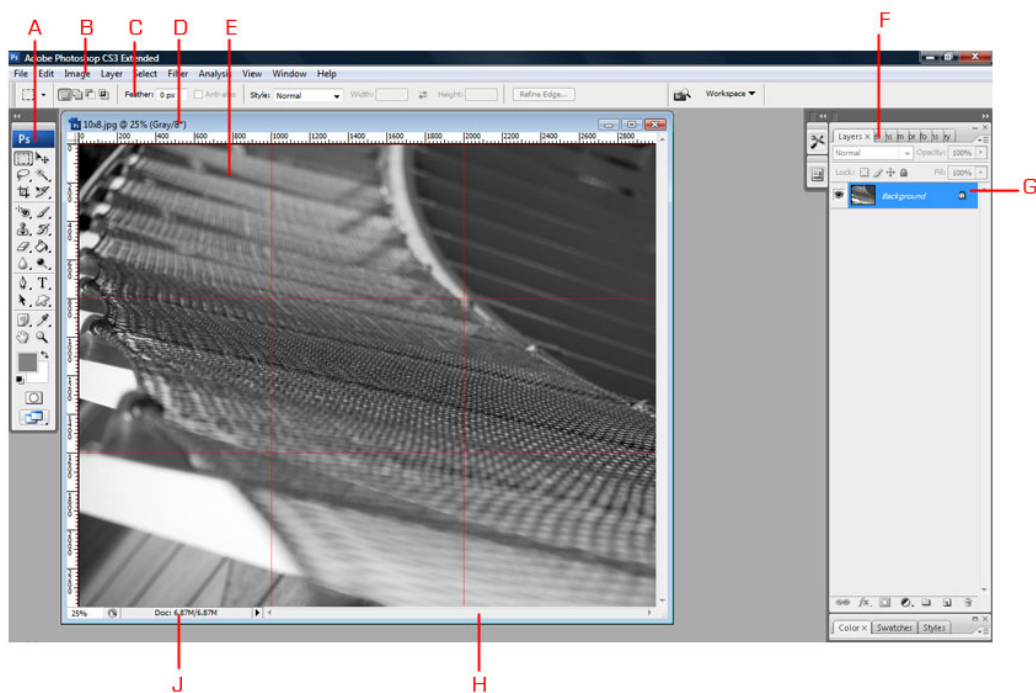


Figure 2.1 Photoshop CS3 Interface

- A – Toolbox
- B – Menu bar
- C – Options bar
- D – Image window
- E – Image
- F – Docking pane
- G – Layers palette
- H – Scroll bar
- J – Status bar

### Toolbox

The toolbox holds tools for creating and editing images. Some of the tools have small black triangles at the bottom right. Click and hold on these tools and the fly out menu containing related menus will appear.

### Menu bar

The menu bar contains menus for performing tasks. The menus are organized by topic. For example, the Layers menu contains commands for working with layers.

### Options bar

The options bar provides options for using a tool. Once you select a tool from the toolbox the options available for that tool are displayed in the options bar. The options bar is context sensitive, which means that it changes as you select different tools.

### Docking pane

The docking pane is a collection of panels displayed together.

In the next lesson we will be resizing digital image photographs.