



AiM Webinar
"RaceStudio3 Analysis Public Beta"
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Edited Q&A

1 **Q:** Where can we download the beta?

A1: The link can be found in the description of the YouTube video and on aimsports.com under SW/FW Download.

A2: [Answered live at 1:15]

2 **Q:** Does the beta keep a separate database from RS2A?

A1: Yes.

A2: [Answered live at 5:42]

3 **Q:** Will it use same file format as RS2A?

A1: No.

A2: [Answered live at 6:03]

4 **Q:** Any idea of the eta for final release?

A1: Not at this time. It will depend on some things that happen with the beta.

A2: [Answered live at 6:40]

5 Q: Is it possible to merge old RS2 files if you have the video from the same outing?

A: No. RaceStudio2 devices will not be able to merge video with RS3 Analysis.

6 Q: I keep my track videos on an external drive and the data is on the laptop's built-in drive. Will this present a problem when trying to sync data and video?

A: No. The video will be available no matter the storage location.

7 Q: What are the computer hardware/software requirements for RS3A?

A: Windows 10 64bit is a must. Other than that, the following are not necessarily required but I would suggest for the best user experience: CPU- Intel i5 or AMD Ryzen 5 (4 core or higher). RAM- 8gb (or higher). Storage- 500gb (or higher, SSD preferred). Resolution- 1920x1080p.

8 Q: Are there plans to be able to import log files from other sources (AC, rF2, AMS2, iRacing, custom stuff)?

A: Yes!

9 Q: Do older hardware devices support the new file format?

A: The download format for the hardware data is unchanged.

10 Q: How do we report bugs we find?

A1: There will be a process built into the software.

A2: [Answered live at 59:55]

11 Q: Can we run the beta alongside the current production release?

A1: Yes. Downloading the beta will not replace your current version of RS3. Please continue to use the current version of RS3 for configuring and updated your devices. Remember RS3A is still a beta.

A2: [Answered live at 19:14]

12 Q: Is the grouping of sessions automatic or done by the user?

A: [Answered live at 18:18]

13 Q: Full capabilities will available on all current products, correct?

A: All products managed by RaceStudio3.

14 Q: Will the format for RS2A user profiles and custom math channels work in RS3A?

A: [Answered live at 21:15]

15 Q: Should I assume it is imperative to have the dates/times correct on the SmartyCam and logger in order for them to link?

A1: In order to link data and video, the devices must on the same AiM CAN network and GPS data must be available. The software can make the necessary adjustments even if the date and time isn't set correctly on the unit.

A2: [Answered live at 21:40]

16 Q: Why is there an icon called "roger" in the upper right corner?

A: [Answered live at 23:25]

17 **Q:** As a result of the registration, does the software share any personal information?

A: Only contact information is being shared with AiM to enable the use of the beta. None of that information is shared with any third-party.

18 **Q:** Will there be any automatic recognition of out laps and return to box laps?

A: We are planning to implement recognition of out laps, however, it is not currently included in this beta version.

19 **Q:** Where did you select “Speed” as the variable?

A: [Answered live at 30:22]

20 **Q:** Do I simply copy files from the RS2 file structure over to the RS3 beta file structure to use those files in RS3 beta?

A: No. You'll want to use the export function on RS2A, save the sessions to a folder, then use the import function in RS3A.

21 **Q:** Do you need a live internet connection for the Google track maps to work?

A1: At the moment, yes.

A2: [Answered live at 36:00]

22 **Q:** Can barometric pressure be added to the weather portion?

A: [Answered live at 37:47]

23 **Q:** Any support for Mac/iOS in the future?

A: Not in the near future. The possibility of an iOS app has come up, but we don't have a timeframe or release date currently.

24 **Q:** Is the weather data saved with the session?

A: Technically no but weather data is requested from the weather service at the time and location of the session.

25 **Q:** Does "Erase" delete the file in the database?

A: "Erase" removes the data from RS3 database, but the data file will not be deleted.

26 **Q:** When filling out the driver, championship, etc. page, can you also import a .jpg into the comments section?

A: At the moment, it is text only.

27 **Q:** Can RS3 determine and label tracks as clockwise or counterclockwise?

A: Yes!

28 **Q:** Can we attach files or links to sessions such as setup spreadsheets?

A: Yes, it will be possible.

29 **Q:** Will the data files automatically download onto multiple PC's running RS3 after a single download?

A: Not automatically but once you download data you can import it onto any PC.

30 **Q:** What if you are using multiple SmartyCams, will both videos be able to sync to the same data?

A: Yes, as long as both cameras are connected to the same AiM CAN network.

31 **Q:** Will we be able to import video that was recorded on something other than a Smartycam?

A: No because the video is sync'd to the data based on the GPS time.

32 **Q:** How do you sync video with the data?

A: It will sync automatically.

33 **Q:** Can you pop out the map window and move it to another screen?

A: Yes!

34 **Q:** Can you still change the background to black like in RS2A?

A: Not for this Beta version but it will be possible in the future.

35 **Q:** Could you use iRacing video capture as the video input?

A: Not at this time.

36 **Q:** Can a scale be put on the GPS map that is being shown?

A: [Answered live at 57:57]

37 **Q:** Since you are now going to sync data via GPS, what are you doing about GPS accuracy drift from different days, etc. Basically, gaining and losing satellites?

A: As for this beta version, GPS accuracy is not corrected after data recording. We will consider adding correction in the future.

38 **Q:** Does the feedback button capture context?

A: [Answered live at 1:10:59]

39 **Q:** With video replay, will it use audio when you are both playing and "scrubbing" or just when you are playing?

A: [Answered live at 1:10:49]

40 **Q:** Is managing math channel sets any different than in RS2A?

A: [Answered live at 1:10:10]

41 **Q:** If I send feedback without an internet connection, does the system automatically send it later when connected?

A: Yes, it does.

42 **Q:** Is there a long-term plan to share data files amongst logged-in users? It would be easier than exporting and importing as we do currently?

A: Yes, there is a plan to support this kind of usage in the future.

43 **Q:** Will we need to look for updates or will we be notified when new versions are released?

A: No need to look for updates, you will be notified if a new version of RS3 Beta is available.

44 **Q:** What screen or function are you talking about in your feedback?

A: [Answered live at 1:12:30]

45 **Q:** Will there be sample data and video?

A: [Answered live at 1:14:00]