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QuickGrid

QuickGrid is an offline analysis tool for your SCS.4DJ. With QuickGrid, users can quickly and easily create waveform/beat grid files for their SCS.4DJ's music, as well as prepare a USB device for use with their SCS.4DJ. One advantage of QuickGrid is that your waveform files are stored on your host computer, so, if you need to prepare multiple drives for your SCS.4DJ or change the content often, you only need to analyze a song once since QuickGrid will transfer the music to your drive without having to re-analyze your songs.

Installation: Refer to the following figures for installing QuickGrid for SCS.4DJ on your computer.

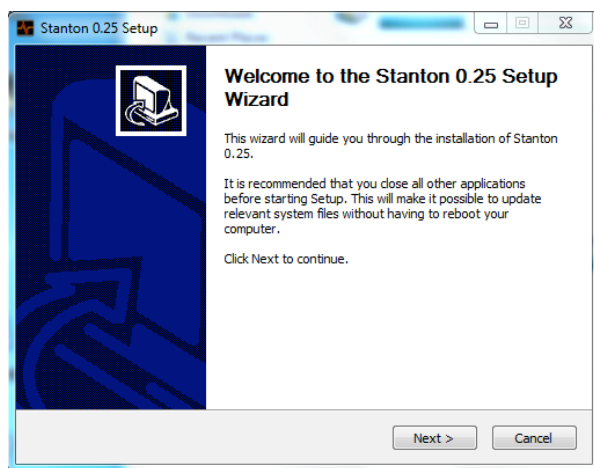
Download available at www.stantondj.com

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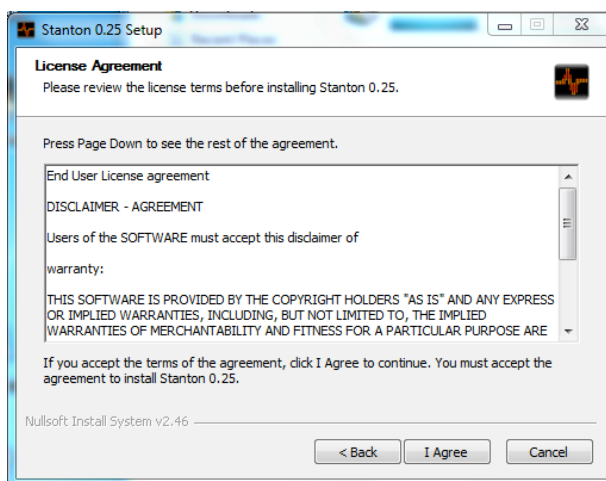
Java MUST be installed on your computer for QuickGrid to function. As well, for any Asian language support, Java 1.71 must be installed on your computer. Java 1.71 is available from the following address:

www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/jre-7u1-download-513652.html

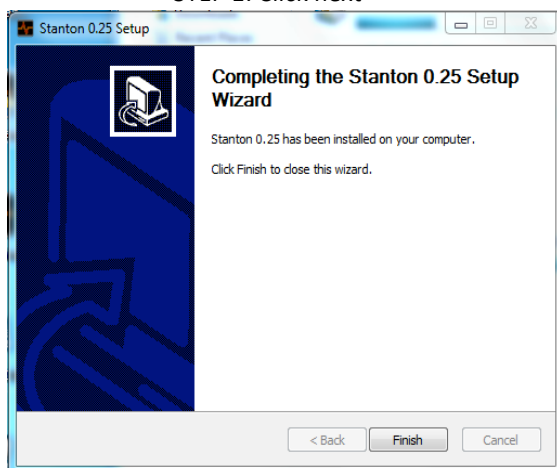
Once you have installed Java:



STEP 1: Click next >



STEP 2: Read and click 'I Agree' >

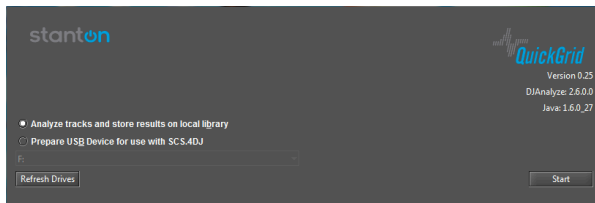


STEP 3: Click finish

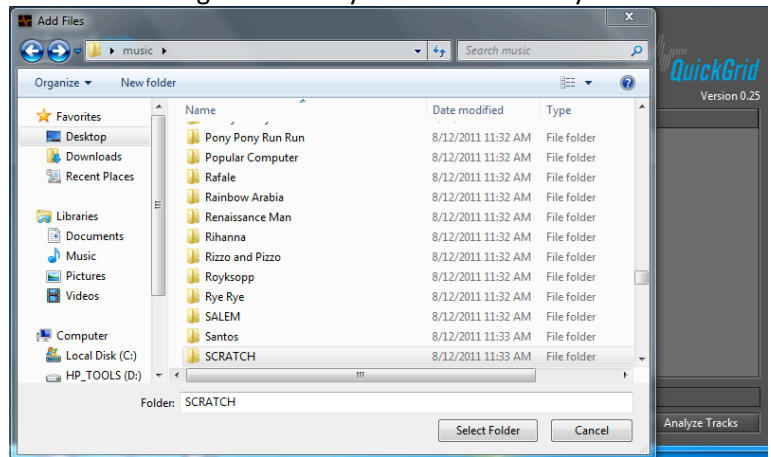
Analyzing your Collection

The first step in QuickGrid is to analyze your music collection on your hard drive. While you can analyze the content contained on an external drive, analyzing on your PC will be faster, due to the lack of limitations in drive I/O speed that comes from USB.

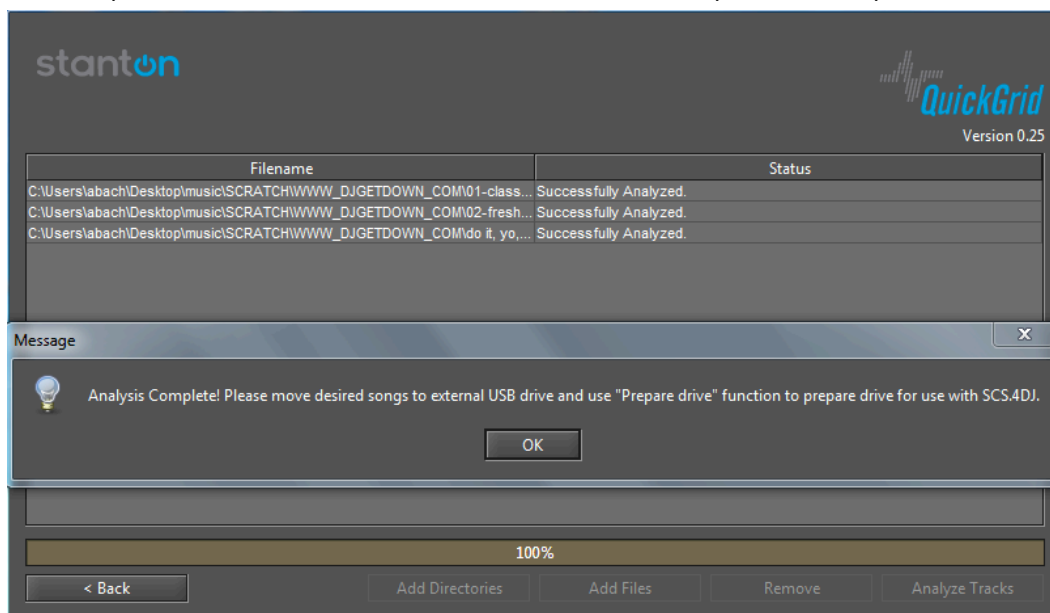
Analyze your collection: Refer to the following figures to select songs to be analyzed and start analysis.



STEP 1: select “Analyze Tracks and store results to local library” and hit “start”.



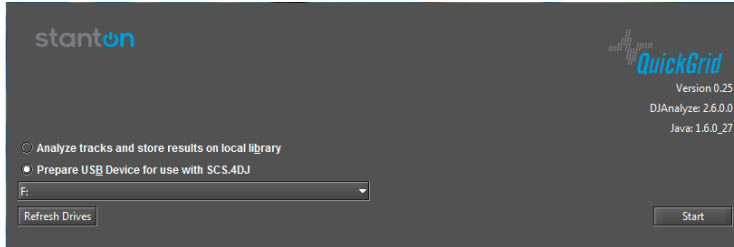
STEP2: select “Add Directories” or “Add Files”, and locate your music on your hard drive.



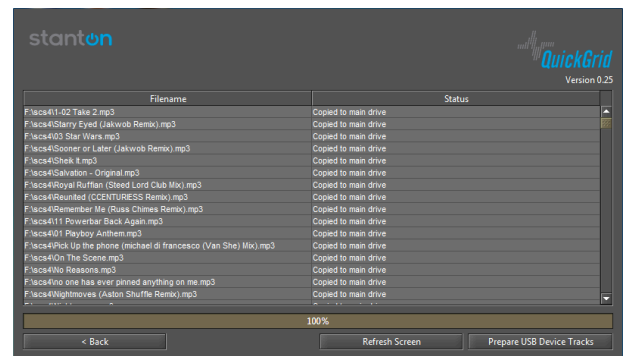
STEP3: select “Analyze Tracks”, and wait for the process to complete. You will see a popup window informing you when this is finished.

Preparing your USB Device

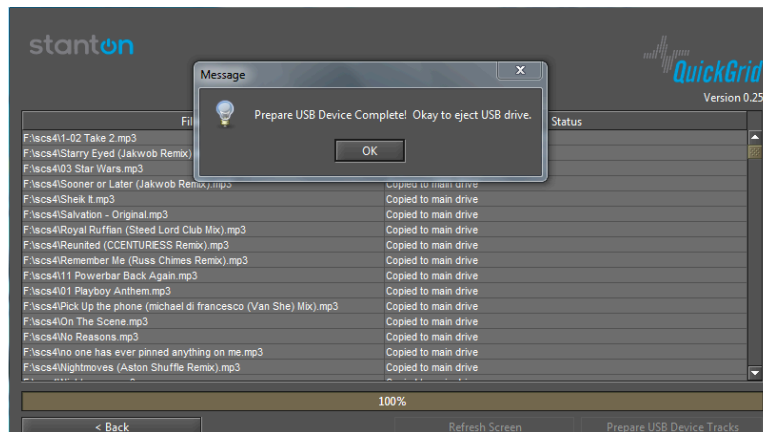
Preparing your USB Device: Refer to the following figures to process your music on your USB device. Start by copying all of the songs that you want to use on SCS.4DJ on to your USB device using any browser you choose. You may organize your songs in any folder structure that you desire anywhere on the USB device.



STEP 1: Select "Prepare USB Device for use with SCS.4DJ" and select the drive using the drop down box. Only USB connected removable drives will be listed in the drop down box. Hit "Start"



STEP2: Hit "Prepare USB Device Tracks" and wait for the process to complete.



STEP3: A popup window will inform you when the process is complete. Safely eject your drive and plug it in to your SCS.4DJ.

Using the Back button: If you wish to change the contents of your list that is being analyzed after you have started analysis, use the Back button to terminate analysis. Rearrange the content using a browser or the Add and Remove buttons in the Library case then start analysis again.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS:

- CPU: Intel Pentium 4, 1.7 GHz processor or above
- RAM: 1gb MB
- DISK Space: 15% of local drive must be free for analysis
- OS: Microsoft Windows 7, Windows XP XP3, Vista SP2

When I plug in my drive, it still says it is analyzing files!

This is normal. The drive has to associate each analysis file created on the PC with the database created on SCS.4DJ. On large collections this can take anywhere from a few minutes to a half hour.

My SCS.4DJ is not associating the files created on my PC with the songs in the database!

In rare instances, SCS.4DJ may not associate the files created on the PC with the songs on the drive. Turn off your unit and turn it back on, and it should correct the issue.

QuickGrid says my file is not supported!

If your file is not supported by SCS.4DJ (FLAC, OGG, Apple Lossless files) it won't be analyzed by QuickGrid either.

QuickGrid won't see the songs on my drive!

Certain MP3 players and smart phones have protected areas of their file system that are not readable by a PC, and require third party applications to read the files when connected to a PC. Due to the low-level nature of SCS.4DJ's Linux operating system, SCS.4DJ can often read these files when you connect the MP3 player to your unit. However, when connected to a PC, QuickGrid has to follow the same protocol that every other application has to for reading drives, and may not be able to quickly analyze these files. If this is the case, either transfer your music to an unprotected Hard Drive or Thumb Drive and analyze, or analyze your MP3 player on your SCS.4DJ itself.

QuickGrid says my drive is too full to analyze!

QuickGrid will stop analyzing your drive when less than 15% or 40 mb of free space is available whichever is greater. Use a browser to free up some room on the Drive then use the "Refresh Screen" button then "Prepare USB Device tracks" to resume analysis. This requirement is put into place so as not to cause corruption in your hard drive and file system.



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