

R4i Save Dongle - member first impressions review

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R4I save Dongle Design Features:-

1. Single unit design (no wires, plugs, etc. required for use)
2. Small & compact
3. Lightweight
4. Sleek, ergonomic design
5. Finely engineered games card slot
6. Gold USB connector (finely engineered to fit snugly into PC USB port).
7. Moulded inner packaging.
8. Outer box design (with easily recognisable R4I-SDHC logo).

R4I Save Dongle Functionality:-

Extremely easy to read and understand functionality information printed on the rear of outer box packaging.

1. R4I and games-engine website addresses clearly and concisely shown on outer packaging.
2. Full online backup support and regular firmware updates from a well trusted team of experts.
3. Full online listing of game saves on file for sharing.
4. Easy to follow online instructions on how to upload and share game saves.
5. Full online backup support discussions forum.

Negatives (I find only one for such a new and innovative product):-

1. Comes as a blank unit (no software).

Improvements (I would like to see with the Save Dongle):-

1. For the new user, it would make life easier if the basic first time installation software was pre-installed (auto-install on inserting into PC / plug-and-play feature) onto the Save Dongle, with insert packaging instructions on how to load firmware and where to find update firmware on the website.
2. Insert instructions on how to use.

Member Summary:-

The R4I Save Dongle is paving the way for the future of Worldwide interactive game save sharing & gaming. It is a fantastic concept and opens up so many new possibilities for better gaming in the future.

I feel privileged to have been one of the chosen members to evaluate this awesome new device. I look forward to fully testing it with original game saves, and sharing game saves with other gaming enthusiasts.

Thank you R4I team and Games-Engine for what will become a gigantic successful innovative product on the market.

R4i Save Dongle - member review (PART II):

With an original game I possess presently (Guitar Hero on Tour), I carried out the test 'save game file' function. My review as follows:

1. Easy to follow instructions on saving game.
2. Fast file transfer rate from Card to PC.
3. Very professional upload 'game save file' online display.
4. Easy to understand online guide for uploading.

Once uploaded, I received on-screen message display, that I would be notified once the resource was verified. Received notification via PM a few hours later!

Upon receiving notification that the uploaded resource was available on site, I proceeded to delete the original save file from the original game, This left my genuine NDS game in it's original factory setting state once more. I then downloaded my uploaded on site game

save file to my PC.

1. The file had been renamed into numerical title. (I left this name as is).
2. Fast file transfer rate from PC to Card.

I am delighted to report that the save file transferred BACK ONTO the original game successfully!

This truly is an awesome invention by pure geniuses at the R4I-SDHC team.!!!

I must apologise for the save file as it was a test to ensure that I had carried out the operation successfully. It was a mere 26%, single player, easy mode game save. But I can now move on from this and share game saves with other members in the future.