LEICA S3
QUICK START GUIDE
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TOP DISPLAY

Exposure mode
Program shift
WiFi status
GPS status
Exposure compensation +/-
Aperture
Shutter Speed
ISO
SD/CF remaining images
Battery capacity

SWITCH ON CAMERA

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<td>FPS (Focal plane shutter)</td>
<td>all</td>
<td>up to 1/125s</td>
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<td>8s to 1/1000s</td>
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TIP
After booting, the camera will be in Record Mode. Most sequences of this Quick Start Guide will begin in this state.

TAKING PHOTOS / VIDEO RECORDING

Start/Stop
Video recording

Two step Shutter Release
1. Step: AF start / AE activation
2. Step: Release Shutter

TIP
Press the shutter release button halfway to exit menus and return to Record mode.
### VIDEO SETTINGS

- **4K** (4096 x 2160 px)
  - 24 fps
  - 25 fps
  - 30 fps
  - **Crop factor**: Whole sensor width

- **Full HD** (1920 x 1080 px)
  - 24 fps
  - 25 fps
  - 30 fps
  - **Crop factor**: Whole sensor width

### VIDEO STORAGE

- **External Audio**
  - Full HD
  - HDMI Recorder
  - Audio out
  - Audio in

- **4K Full HD SD CF**

- **LEICA Audio-Adapter S 150x2**

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*Images and diagrams not available in text format.*
ENTER STATUS SCREEN & PLAY MODE

Status Screen

Play Mode

ENTER MENU & PLAY MODE

Section CAMERA

Section IMAGE

Section SETUP

TIP

Press the shutter release button halfway to exit menus and return to Record Mode.
**MENU - QUICK ACCESS / CUSTOMIZE CONTROLS**

Long push (1 sec.) leads you straight to your favorite submenu.

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**ISO**

- Exposure metering mode

**Focus mode**

**Stop down button**

- Exposure compensation

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**TIP**

Setup the buttons to your needs in the menu **Setup/Customize Controls**. In LiveView the Stop Down button is reserved for activate/deactivate **Exposure Simulation**.

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**BASIC CAMERA SETUP**

**Language**

- English

**Format Card**

- Format SD

**Storage Backup**

- If Storage Backup is set, the files will be stored simultaneously either on both memory cards (CF&SD) or while shooting tethered on memory card (CF or SD) and on the PC’s harddrive.

**File Format**

- DNG
- JPG
PLAY MODE INFO SCREENS

1. Full Screen
2. Histogram + Clipping
3. Info
4. Focus Peaking

EXPOSURE CONTROL MODES

- long push to access setting
- Turn to switch modes

TIP
Camera always shows the latest mode after coming back to Play Mode. Histogram represents the visible area of the image. Customize the clipping settings under menu Setup/Capture Assistants/Exposure Clipping.

TIP
To exit exposure mode function press one of the soft buttons, the click wheel or shutter button 1st step.
LIVE VIEW PHOTO

- Live View Photo (1st push)
- Live View Video (2nd push)
- Live View Off (3rd push)
- Start/Stop exposure simulation
- AF/AE lock
- Shutter speed
- Move AF cross
- Aperture
- Play mode
- Toggle info
- Menu
- Zoom

LIVE VIEW PHOTO - SCREENS

- Full Screen
- Histogram + Clipping
- Info
- Focus Peaking
- Grid + Horizon

1. Live View
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LIGHTROOM TETHERED PLUG-IN

Lightroom Tethered Plug-in is a plug-in for Adobe Photoshop Lightroom, which enables the direct tethered shooting with Adobe Photoshop Lightroom and the Leica S via USB cable connection.

FEATURES:
- Transfer images for direct control in Adobe Photoshop Lightroom
- Remote control the shutter release
- Display exposure information in Adobe Photoshop Lightroom

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS:
- Leica S
- Lemo USB3.0 SuperSpeed cable
- USB3.0 port (recommended for highest speed and stability)
- Adobe Photoshop Lightroom 6.2 or higher respectively CC Classic
- Mac OS X (10.13 or higher)

INSTALLATION
1. STEP: Download the file “LeicaTethered.lrplugin” to your hard disk
2. STEP: Start Adobe Photoshop Lightroom 6 / CC Classic

3. STEP
Start: File/Plug-in Manager
4. STEP
Add Plug-in

6. STEP
Check, if Leica Tethered Plug-in is listed and enabled

This is for S2 and S(Typ 006) support. Do not delete!
1. Connect the camera with your computer via USB cable.
2. Switch the camera on.
3. Start Adobe Photoshop Lightroom 6 / CC Classic
4. Setup tethered shooting.
**TETHERED SHOOTING - LEICA IMAGE SHUTTLE™ WORKFLOW**

1. Connect the camera with your computer via USB cable (PTP storage mode).
2. Switch the camera on.
4. Setup tethered shooting.

**TIP**
You can also use Leica Image Shuttle in combination with Adobe Bridge or with the hotfolder function of Adobe Photoshop Lightroom or any other software supporting hotfolder.

**MENU LIST**

- **Camera**
  - Drive Mode
  - Focus Mode
  - Exp. Metering
  - Exp. Compensation
  - Exp. Bracketing
  - Mirror Up Mode
  - Max. Flash Sync. Time
  - ISO
  - White Balance
  - Photo File Format
  - JPG Resolution
  - Photo Settings
  - Video Resolution
  - Video Setting

- **Setup**
  - Storage Backup (CF & SD)
  - Format Cards
  - Image Numbering
  - Auto Review
  - Capture Assistants
  - Copyright Information
  - User Profiles
  - Auto ISO Setup
  - Flash Sync. Mode
  - Keylock
  - Customize Controls
  - Display Brightness
  - Acoustic Signals
  - Auto Power Saving
  - WLAN
  - GPS
  - Date & Time
  - Language
  - Reset Camera
  - Sensor Cleaning
  - Camera Information

**LEICA FOTOS APP**
The new app offers Leica photographers the tools needed to easily stay connected through a single app, providing an exemplary mobile experience. Compatible with any Wi-Fi enabled Leica camera, the new app delivers features that enable photographers to capture unforgettable moments remotely, transfer, edit and share images quickly, easily, and on-the-go.