

CAPI Release Summary - 2025

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3 Dec 2025

Platform	Version
Android	2025.12.1

NOTE: CAPI for iOS was not updated as part of this release

Maintenance release

8 Oct 2025

Platform	Version
Windows	2025.10.1
Android	2025.10.7

NOTE: CAPI for iOS was not updated as part of this release

Maintenance release

13 Aug 2025

Platform	Version
Windows	2025.8.1
Android	2025.8.1

NOTE: CAPI for iOS was not updated as part of this release

Improvements

Screened and QuotaFull Respondents device retention change

Respondents with status Screened or QuotaFull are now removed from CAPI after successful upload on the next subsequent Sync performed. E.g.

- Sync – upload
- Sync – remove

If the survey setting “Allow respondent to re-enter a completed interview” is enabled for a survey, respondents are removed 30 days after completion. This applies to all “completed” status: Complete, Screened, QuotaFull.

22 July 2025

Platform	Version
Windows	2025.7.6
Android	2025.7.2

NOTE: CAPI for iOS was not updated as part of this release

Improvements

Support multiple CAPI for Windows installation locations on the same device.

It is now possible to install CAPI for Windows to multiple separate instances on the same Windows device. This can be used to provide connecting to separate Forsta Plus sites from the same Windows device and Windows user account.

This is supported using the Enterprise installation option. Use the following command options:

```
/SEPARATEINSTALL  
/DIR=<path>
```

Example usage:

```
C:\Users\UserA\Downloads\Forsta_CAPI_Setup.exe /SEPARATEINSTALL  
/DIR="C:\Program Files\NEWLOCATION\CAPI"
```

Searchable single question causing start block to be executed

Start block scripts are no longer triggered when a searchable single question input is triggered

13 May 2025

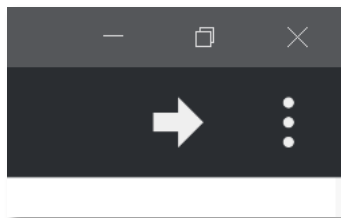
Platform	Version
Windows	2025.5.4
Android	2025.5.2

NOTE: CAPI for iOS was not updated as part of this release and remains at version 2025.2.5

Improvements

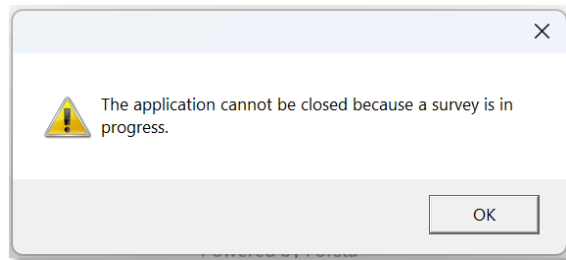
Prevent closing app if respondent is in progress

The CAPI for Windows application can be closed by selecting the top right "X" icon. However, because it is very close to the in-app kabob menu, it can be mistakenly selected by interviewers.



The respondent in progress is cancelled when the app is closed.

Starting in this release, if the app is attempting to be closed but a respondent is in progress, a dialog will appear preventing the app from closing



Option to disable description text requirement when postponing interview

When selecting menu > Pause Interview, the Postpone Interview dialog displays a text field to allow the interviewer to provide a reason for postponing the interview. In some situation this may not be required. To disable the description field from being required, add the following to your survey:

```
SetSurveyDeviceVariable("__systemPostponeMenuReasonRequired","false")
```

The default description text applied to the respondent will be "postponed"

Disable Pause Interview menu item

To prevent interviewers from selecting menu > Pause Interview, apply the following to your survey:

```
SetSurveyDeviceVariable("__systemShowPostponeMenu","false")
```

Note that this can be changed at any time during the survey.

19 Feb 2025

Platform	Version
Windows	2025.2.5
iOS	2025.2.5
Android	2025.2.5

Merge Server Response Data on CAPI Sync

It is now possible to have CAWI (server) response data merged with CAPI (local) response data!

This can be helpful in situations where the same survey respondent is being completed on both CAWI and CAPI. However, it is best reserved for situations where different questions are asked on CAWI than CAPI.

To get started, add a new respondent (background) variable to your survey:

```
"__CAPIMergeServerResponse"
```

The data merge feature is enabled per respondent, to enable, set this variable to enabled / "1":

```
SetRespondentValue ("__CAPIMergeServerResponse", "1");
```

During synchronization, **provided the response on CAWI and CAPI is not complete**, CAPI app will:

- Download the response from CAWI
- If __CAPIMergeServerResponse = "1"
 - For each question, if the existing CAPI value is blank, null, or unanswered, copy the CAWI value
- As part of normal sync process, upload the response to CAWI

At this point, the response on CAWI and CAPI will be the same.

Please note that the reserved system variables will not be modified. For example, the dropout question will be different if the respondent reached Q10 on CAWI but only Q5 on CAPI, the dropout question will still appear as Q10.

Note that only response data can be merged, respondent data is not available for merging.

27 Jan 2025

Platform	Version
Windows	2025.1.8
iOS	2025.1.5
Android	2025.1.5

Improvements

The following changes have been made for CAPI App:

- Updated survey engine with latest from CAWI (web)
- Survey Overview tab – ability to show custom variable counts
- 3DGrid input validation failing
- SetRespondentRecordValues() now flags the respondent for upload.

Overview tab – Custom Variable Counts

It is now possible to display counts for a specific survey variable.

Define the list of answer item labels to display and the value as defined for the variable:

```
var answerItems = [{ label: "No one home", value: "1" },  
  { label: "Busy, come back later", value: "2" },  
  { label: "Will not respond", value: "3" } ];
```

Indicate which survey variable counts to display and include the answer items defined above. In the following example, the survey question ID is "LastOutcome"

```
var jsonString = JSON.stringify({
  variable: {
    id: "LastOutcome",
    label: "Last Outcome Counts"
  },
  answerItems
})
```

Finally, apply this definition to a reserved device variable

```
SetSurveyDeviceVariable("__systemOverviewTabVariable", jsonString)
```

Optionally, you can hide the default summary stats. The following example will hide the stats:

```
SetSurveyDeviceVariable("__systemOverviewTabShowStats", "0")
```

Requirements:

- The variable must be of type single or multi choice
- The variable must be a respondent variable and shown on the Respondent tab
- The information displayed will be the counts of each category item associated with the variable and will only be data contained on the current device (so essentially only data shown on Respondent tab). For example, if a respondent is unassigned, the counts shown on the Overview tab would adjust to reflect only what is current on the device.
- Only one variable can be designated per survey

8 Jan 2025

Platform	Version
Windows	2025.1.2

Improvements

The following changes have been made for CAPI App for Windows:

- Auto-complete for open text fields now disabled
- Test Survey option not shown for surveys using Jscript.NET scripting engine