Editing screen recordings with Camtasia Studio

This documentation describes how to edit screen recordings created by Camtasia. Professional effects such as:

- Pan and Zoom
- Callouts
- Audio editing
- Record Webcam
- Cursor effects

General Instructions:

On clicking “Save and Edit” in the video preview window, the Camtasia Studio window similar to the one shown below will appear on the screen.

A drop down menu that allows selecting the video resolution of the video output with a list of resolutions appears. Select the resolution according to your requirement and click OK. The Camtasia window will now display your video in the preview section and the window will look similar to the one shown below.
This is where you can add professional effects to your video.
Pan and Zoom

- To add Pan and Zoom to your video, place the timeline slider where you want to add the effect. Then click on “Zoom-n-Pan”. Click on “Add Key Frame”. Zoom markers are added to the timeline wherever Pan and Zoom is added.
Double clicking on the marker allows you to edit the zoom. Here you can select the zoom area and the duration of the zoom.
Callouts

- Callouts can be added in a similar way. Drag the timeline slider to the point where you want to add the callout. Then click on Callouts. Select the shape of the callout you desire and click on the “Add Callout” button as shown in the image below.
- You can also add text to the callout by typing into the text box.
**Record camera:**

- If you haven’t turned the webcam on before starting the recording, but you want to add a webcam video in a particular segment of the recording, you can do that by using the “Record camera” feature.
- Drag the timeline slider to the point where you want to add the webcam recording. Click on “Record Camera”. The Camtasia window will be similar to the one show below.

![Camtasia window](image)

> This is where you will see a webcam preview.

- Click on “Start Recording” once you are ready to record your webcam. Click “Stop recording” when you want to end the webcam recording.
Cursor effects:

- Cursor effects can be used to enhance the cursor for better visibility using highlight, spotlight sound effects and more.
- To add cursor effects, click on the cursor effects tab.

- You can then select the desired effect for highlight, left click or right click by selecting one of the drop-down menus.

- The selected effects will be applied to the entire recording. You can add the selected effects to a particular section of the recording and not the entire video by clicking on the “Add Keyframe” button.
Audio:

- With the Audio tab, you can enhance and improve audio quality by adjusting the sound levels, removing background noise etc.
- Click on the audio tab. The Camtasia window will then be similar to the one shown below.

Select the desired enhancements and the entire audio for the recording will be enhanced as per the selected enhancements. If you wish to enhance just a particular segment of the audio, you can do so by selecting the audio segment using the timeline slider and then adding the enhancement.