

Re: Garmin SP 2610 v.4.20

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I tried to rename a route with v.4.20 and it didn't fail (or reboot). Perhaps there's a bug that involves a special combination of characters (or number of characters) that creates this problem? Who knows...

I think I'll stick with v.4.20 for now until I come across an issue.

Thanks!

"Bob Weaver" <rweave41x@xxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:424dfc05.5206296@xx
> On Wed, 30 Mar 2005 18:54:27 -0500, "Rob" <preroll@xxxxxxxxxxxx>
> wrote:
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>>I finally got around to buying a 2610 (upgraded from my SP III). It was
>>shipped with version 4.20. Garmin's site only goes up to v.3.90. Does
>>anyone know what improvements were made between v.3.90 and v.4.20?
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> The 2610 I bought about two weeks ago came with firmware ver 4.20
> installed. Everything worked fine with the exception of renaming a
> saved route. Each time I tried, the display would continue to dim
> until it totally disappeared. The unit would then reboot itself.
> After the reboot everything would again work fine, but any attempt at
> renaming a route would result in another shutdown and reboot. I sent
> an e-mail to tech support reporting this problem. Within 36 hours I
> received a reply that stated the reported condition was a known
> problem with firmware ver 4.20. I was instructed to download and
> install ver 3.90 from the Garmin website. I was somewhat reluctant to
> overwrite a later version with an older one so I telephoned tech
> support to verify that the e-mail instruction was valid. The tech I
> spoke with verified the e-mail was correct. So, I replaced version
> 4.20 with 3.90 and just as tech support indicated the problem was
> rectified. The phone tech said that 4.20 had somehow been released
> prematurely and had not been thoroughly debugged.
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- **References:**

- ◆ **Garmin SP 2610 v.4.20**

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