RAW-based Workflow:

Unsorted RAW Images --> FastRawViewer --> Adobe Lr/ACR or other RAW Converter

Fast RAW Viewer
time to move forward... fast...

website: http://www.fastrawviewer.com
email: support@fastrawviewer.com

1.

Memory Card

open the folder to be sorted in FastRawViewer

Drag-and-drop the folder on FRV icon or into the FRV window

(for more options see File menu)

FastRawViewer

Initial Culling [1], [2]

Choose "keepers" and copy them to the designated folder or folders on a hard drive

copy chosen images one-by-one to a designated folder on a hard drive

C *— new folder*
Shift-C *— same folder*

"Keepers" Folder on the Hard Drive

open the folder with the "keepers" in FastRawViewer

File --> Recent Folders *--> top positions in the drop-down list*

FastRawViewer

Initial Adjustments [3]

1. Orientation
2. Exposure *(brightness)*
3. White Balance
4. Contrast (*Tone*) Curve
5. Shadow Boost

Assigning Labels and Ratings

Add Titles and Descriptions

User adjustments are recorded as XMP sidecar files in the current folder with images

run external program directly from FastRawViewer

R (Alt-R, Ctrl-R)

if using _Rejected subfolder, make sure to uncheck "Include Subfolders" box in Adobe Lr "From" field

External Program [4]
(Adobe Lr/ACR, other RAW converter, RawDigger, etc.)

Catalogue
Converting
Editing
Researching etc.

2.

The Source Folder on a Hard Drive

open the source folder in FastRawViewer

Command-Shift-O

(for more options see File menu)

FastRawViewer

Initial Culling [1]

Cull rejected images and move them into _Rejected Subfolder of the Source Folder

move every rejected image to the _Rejected Subfolder

move current image ***Alt-Shift-Delete***

move previous image ***Shift-Command-[***

The Source Folder on the Hard Drive
_Rejected SubFolder *(of the Source Folder)*

continue to work with the Original Folder in FastRawViewer

files from the _Rejected sub-folder won't be opened

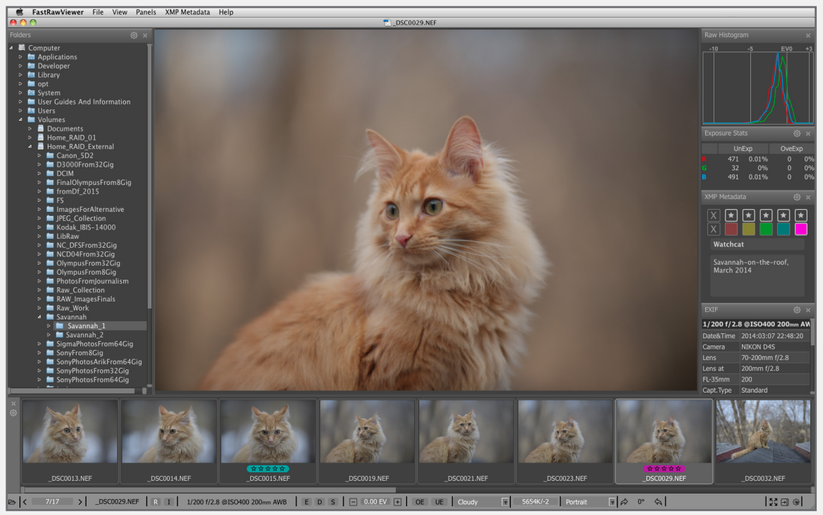
later you can recheck rejected files in order to make sure that you really don't want to keep them

restore from _Rejected Shift-Command-]

Culling Rejected [1]

Check rejected images and if necessary move them from the _Rejected sublfolder back to the Original Folder or to the _Rejected subfold-er of the _Rejected subfolder

FastRawViewer



[1]

FRV Technical Tools for Culling based on RAW data:

1. RAW Histogram
2. OE-, UE indication
3. Per-channel View
4. Focus Peaking

For a quick start, please look at the "Tips" pop-up at every launch of FRV; for detailed instructions, please read the manual.

[2]

Copy or Move?

Instead of copying "keepers" you can move them to the designated folder:

M - new folder
Shift-M - same folder as previous

[3]

Initial Adjustments to an Image Assigning Ratings and Labels

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[4]

Integration with External Programs

Please look at the "Tips" and read the manual to get detailed instructions how to:

1. add an external program to FRV;
2. launch an external program;
3. adjust settings to save changes in XMP sidecar files;
4. match an image display.