

### Learning SAAM II

**Q: What documentation is provided with SAAM II?**

**A:** The SAAM II software package includes a Users Guide, an on-line Help system and Compartmental and Numerical application case studies. The Users Guide contains a feature-by feature explanation of the Compartmental and Noncompartmental applications. Case studies provide step-by-step instructions for using the Compartmental and Numerical applications.

**Q: Are there any on-line tutorials for SAAM II?**

**A:** [The Research Facility for Population Kinetics \(RFPK\)](#) at the University of Washington has posted the following tutorials on their web site:

- [An Introduction to Bayesian Forecasting](#)
- [Basic Population PK-PD](#)
- Design and Analysis of Modeling Studies:  
A Short Course Using the SAAM II Software System
  - [Fundamentals](#)
  - [Creating Structural System Models](#)
  - [Model Identifiability](#)
  - [Fitting Models to Data: Parameter Estimation](#)
  - [Algebraic and NonCompartmental Models](#)
  - [Complex Modeling Issues](#)
  - [Pharmacokinetic and Metabolic Examples](#)
  - [Advance Modeling Tools](#)
- [The SAAM II Minimal Models: A Library of Models of Glucose-Insulin Regulation](#)