USB 3.0 to SATA Adapter

User's Manual

Safety Instructions

Always read the safety instructions carefully:

- Keep this User's Manual for future reference
- Keep this equipment away from humidity
- If any of the following situation arises, get the equipment checked by a service technician:
  - The equipment has been exposed to moisture.
  - The equipment has been dropped and damaged.
  - The equipment has obvious sign of breakage.
  - The equipment has not been working well or you cannot get it to work according to the User's Manual.

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Introduction

The USB 3.0 to SATA Adapter is an ultra and durable USB 3.0 device for you to connect hard drives of USB 3.0. It is a practical solution to connect with 2.5" or 3.5" Hard Drive. The adapter is fashion designed and featuring unique appearance.

Features

- Compliant with Super-Speed USB 3.0 Specification
- Transfer rate of Super-Speed USB 3.0 interface can be up to 5 Gbps (Max)
- Compliant with the SATA/SATA II
- Support 2.5" and 3.5" hard drives
- Plug & Play

Package Contents

- USB 3.0 to SATA Adapter   x1
- User's Manual   x1
- Power Adapter and Power Cord (Optional)   x1

System Requirements

- Windows$^{®}$ XP, Windows Vista$^{®}$, Windows$^{®}$ 7

Connecting 2.5" SATA HDD

1. Connect your 2.5" SATA HDD to the SATA connector on the adapter.
2. Connect the attached USB cable to the USB port on your computer.
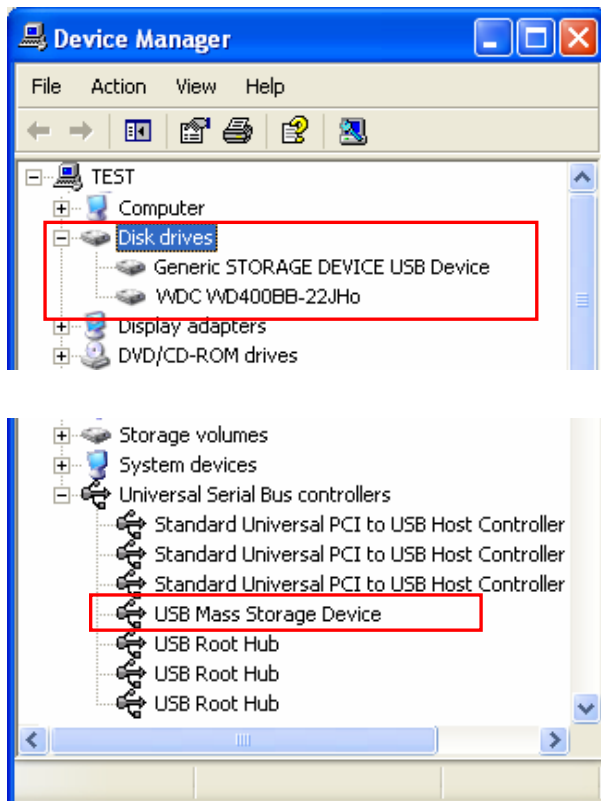
Connecting 3.5" SATA HDD

1. Connect your 3.5" SATA HDD to the SATA connector on the adapter.
2. Connect the adapter with the provided power adapter and then connect the power adapter to a working electrical outlet.
3. Connect the attached USB cable to the USB port on your computer.

Verifying Hard Drive Installation

Upon the USB connection, the system should automatically detect your hard drive. To verify if your new hard disk is detected:

Under Windows: To verify your installation, select **Control Panel** > **System** > (**Hardware**) > **Device Manager**. The device **USB Mass Storage Device** should be displayed under the Universal Serial Bus Controllers group, and your hard disk should be displayed under the **Disk drives** group.

* The screenshot is an example from Windows® XP.
Actual disk drive string varies according to your hard disk brand and model.

An USB device monitor icon will appear on the notification area of the taskbar.
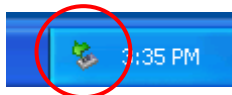
Using the Attached HDD

Now you are ready to use the attached hard drive as external USB 3.0 storage device. (A brand new hard drive must be partitioned and formatted first. You can use Windows Disk Management utility in Windows® XP or other disk management software to perform disk-related tasks. Please refer to your software documentation for instructions.

Under Windows, the external hard drive(s) should be displayed in **My Computer**. An USB device monitor icon will appear on the notification area of the taskbar.

* Drive name and letter vary accoring to your configuration.

Safely Unplug the SATA HDD

The enclosure supports USB hot-pluggable feature. Before unplugging the enclosure, please use the unplug/eject hardware icon in the system tray to safely remove the device.

Under Windows

1. In the notification area, right-click the unplug/eject icon and select **Unplug or eject hardware** or **Safely Remove Hardware**.

2. Select the device you want to unplug, then click **Stop** and **OK**.

3. When Windows notifies you that it is safe to do so, click **OK** and unplug the enclosure from your computer.

Specifications

Items	Descriptions
Data Rate	Up to 5Gbps
Compliance	USB 1.1, USB 2.0 & USB 3.0
Operation Systems	Windows$^{®}$ XP, Windows Vista$^{®}$, Windows$^{®}$ 7
Max Distance	3 meters
Operating Temperature	10-40°C
Storage Temperature	-10~80°C
EMC	FCC, CE

* Specification is subject to change without further notice.

Regulatory Compliance

FCC Conditions

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

(1) This device may not cause harmful interference

(2) This device must accept any interference received. Including interference that may cause undesired operation.

CE

This equipment is in compliance with the requirements of the following regulations: EN 55 022: CLASS B

WEEE Information

For EU (European Union) member users:
According to the WEEE (Waste electrical and electronic equipment) Directive, do not dispose of this product as household waste or commercial waste. Waste electrical and electronic equipment should be appropriately collected and recycled as required by practices established for your country. For information on recycling of this product, please contact your local authorities, your household waste disposal service or the shop where you purchased the product.