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USB 3.0 to Dual 2.5/3.5in SATA HDD Dock with UASP

SDOCK2U33

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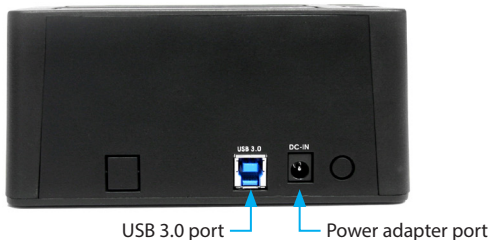Hard-to-find made easy®

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HDD2 eject button

HDD1 eject button

Power button /
Power and Activity
LED HDD2

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Hard drive #2 slot

Hard drive #1 slot

Power button /
Power and Activity
LED HDD1

Rear View

USB 3.0 port

Power adapter port

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Introduction

Packaging Contents

- 1 x USB 3.0 to dual 2.5/3.5 in. SATA hard drive docking station
- 1 x USB 3.0 cable
- 1 x universal power adapter (NA/JP, EU, UK, ANZ)
- 1 x instruction manual

System Requirements

- Computer system with available USB 3.0 (5 Gbit/s) port or USB 2.0 port (480Mbps)
- Up to two 2.5" or 3.5" SATA Hard Drives (HDD) or Solid State Drives (SSD)
- Microsoft® Windows® 2000/XP/Server 2003/Vista/Server 2008 R2/7/8/8.1 (32/64-bit), Apple® Mac® OS 9.x/10, Google™ Chrome OS, or Linux®

Installation

WARNING! Hard drives and docking stations require careful handling. If you are not careful with your hard disk, lost data may result. Always handle your hard drive and docking station with caution. Be sure that you are properly grounded by wearing an anti-static strap when handling computer components or discharge yourself of any static electricity build-up by touching a large grounded metal surface (such as the computer case) for several seconds.

Docking Station Installation

1. Connect the Dock to an available power outlet, using the provided power adapter.
2. Connect the Dock to your computer system, using the provided USB 3.0 cable.

Drive Installation

1. Carefully align and insert the 2.5" or 3.5" SATA drive(s) you wish to dock in the desired hard drive slot on the docking station, such that the SATA power and data connectors on the drive are properly aligned with the corresponding connectors inside the hard drive slot.
2. Press the power button(s) that correspond with the hard drive(s) you wish to access to turn the docking station on.
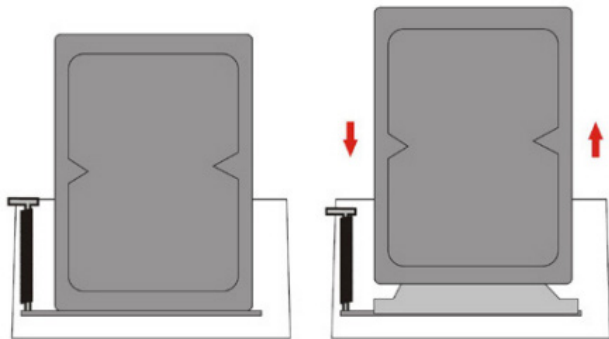
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3. Once the drives have been installed and the docking station has been powered on, the computer Operating System will automatically recognize the drive(s) and it will be accessible as though it were installed in the system internally.

   Note: If your computer fails to automatically recognize your drive it is likely your drive has not been initialized or formatted correctly. (See Drive Initialization in Software operation for further instructions.)

Drive Removal

WARNING! Ensure your hard drive(s) has been disconnected from your computer operating system prior to attempting drive removal. Failure to properly disconnect your drive may result in lost data or drive damage. (See Disconnecting the Hard Drive in Docking Station Operation for further instructions.)

1. Press the power button that corresponds with the drive you wish to remove, in order to turn off the drive.
2. Press the eject button that corresponds with the drive you wish to remove.
3. Carefully grasp the ejected drive and lift it upwards until the bottom of the drive has completely risen above the hard drive slot.
4. Safely and carefully store your drive in a secure location. (See your hard drive manual for proper storage instructions.)

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Docking Station Operation

Drive Initialization

Prior to using your installed drive, it will need to be initialized and formatted to the operating system requirements in order for your computer system to recognize it.

1. From the main Windows desktop, right-click on "My Computer" ("Computer" in Vista/ 7 / 8/ 8.1), then select Manage. In the new Computer Management window, select Disk Management from the left window panel.

2. A dialog window will automatically appear, asking you to initialize the drive. Depending on the version of Windows, it will give you the option of either creating an "MBR" or "GPT" disk.
   Note: GPT (GUID partition) is required for drives larger that 2TB but is not compatible with some older operating systems, while MBR is supported by newer and older operating systems.

3. Once initialized, locate the Disk that says it is "Unallocated" (check the listed hard drive capacity to confirm it's the correct hard drive) and then right-click in the section that says "Unallocated" and select "New Partition".

4. Follow the on screen prompts to initialize the drive in the format of your choice.

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LED Indicators

The docking station offers a power LED indicator (blue) and an activity LED indicator (red) for each drive. When the drive is powered on, the Blue LED Power indicator will illuminate. While the hard drive is being accessed, the Red LED will flash. Do not remove your drive from the docking station while the Red LED is flashing, as it could damage to your drive, resulting in data loss.

Disconnecting the Hard Drive

Windows

1. Select the "Safely remove Hardware and Eject Media" icon, located in the task bar.

2. Select the storage device from the list that appears.

3. Wait for the message indicating that it is now safe to remove the device.

Note: Removing the connected drive prior to receiving notification that it is safe to do so, could result in losing or corrupting data stored on the drive. Once the Safe to Remove Hardware message appears, please remove the drive from the docking station. (See Drive Removal.)

Mac OS X

To safely disconnect the attached drive from the host computer, close any windows listing the contents of the removable drive. Once all windows are closed, click on the USB storage icon on the desktop, and drag it to the Trash Can icon on the desktop. Allow 5 seconds before physically removing the drive from the docking station.

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Specifications

Host Interface	USB 3.0
External Connectors	1 x USB 3.0 B female
Internal Connectors	2 x SATA DATA (7 pin) + Power (15 pin) reciprocal
Maximum Data Transfer Rate	USB 3.0: 5 Gbit/s
Compatible Operating Systems	Windows 2000/XP/Server 2003/Vista/Server 2008 R2/7/8/8.1 (32/64-bit), Mac OS 9/10, Linux, Google Chrome OS

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