

## USB 3.0 to 2.5" SATA III Enclosure w/Encryption

S2510BU33PW



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# Introduction

## Packaging Contents

- 1 x USB 3.0 to 2.5" SATA III Enclosure w/ Encryption
- 1 x USB 3.0 Cable
- 1 x Drive case
- 1 x Drive installation screws
- 1 x Mini screw driver
- 1 x Instruction manual

**Note:** It is recommended that the contents of this enclosure be regularly backed-up, as lost passwords or hardware failure (SATA drive or enclosure) will result in the stored data being unrecoverable.

## System Requirements

- Computer system with available USB port
- 2.5in SATA Hard drive (HDD) or Solid State Drive (SSD)

**Warning:** To use AES encryption, the SATA drive must be initialized and formatted after setup. This will erase all data on the drive.

# Product Diagram

## Top View

1. OLED Readout Display
2. Touchscreen Keypad



## Front View

1. USB 3.0 Micro B port



# Hardware Installation

**WARNING!** Hard drives and storage enclosures require careful handling, especially when being transported. If you are not careful with your hard disk, lost data may result. Always handle your hard drive and storage device 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.

1. The back panel of the enclosure is held securely in place with two small screws. Use the provided mini screwdriver to remove the screws.



**NOTE:** For brand new out of the box installations, this step is not required as the screws are not installed.

2. Using the small groove located along the top edge of the enclosure, remove the back panel to expose the interior drive bay.



3. Place the 2.5" SATA drive into the bay (label side down) and slide the drive onto the SATA connector. Make sure the drive is fully seated.



**CAUTION:** To use AES encryption, the drive must be initialized and formatted after setup. Do not place a drive containing data you wish to encrypt into the enclosure. The data must be copied over after the enclosure has been setup.

4. Place the back panel back onto the enclosure and fasten using the small screws.



5. With the enclosure fully assembled, connect the USB 3.0 cable from the enclosure to a USB port on the host computer system.



# How to Use

## Initial Setup

1. When connected to a host computer for the first time, the OLED readout will prompt you to setup a password or not. If no password is used, the enclosure will function as a standard external hard drive enclosure without any encryption.

The new HDD is connected. Will you use Passwords? Yes/No

2. If you have chosen to use a password you will receive a prompt informing you it will be impossible to recover data without your password. Select "Yes" to continue.

It is impossible to recovery any data in the HDD after initialization. Do you want to continue? Yes/No

3. After you have selected the option to continue to use a password, you will be prompted to enter a 4 ~ 8 digit password. Press <Enter> when complete.

Enter a password first time

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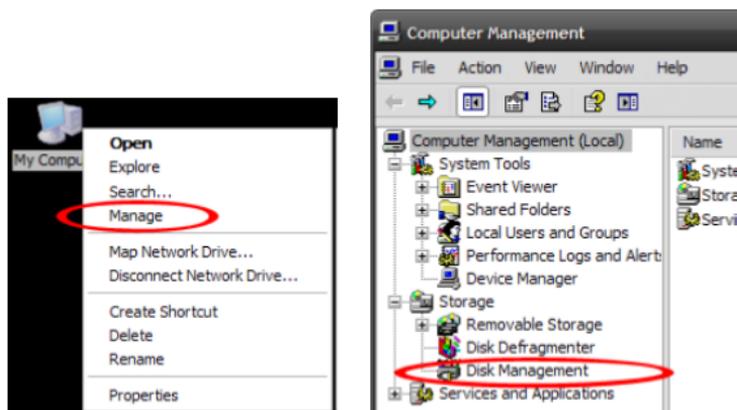
**WARNING:** If the password is lost, the data on the drive will not be recoverable.

4. Re-enter the password as confirmation and press <Enter>.

Re-enter your password

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5. Once the password has been setup, the SATA drive must be initialized and formatted before use. From the main Windows desktop, right-click on “My Computer” (“Computer” in Vista/ 7 / 8), then select Manage. In the new Computer Management window, select Disk Management from the left window panel.



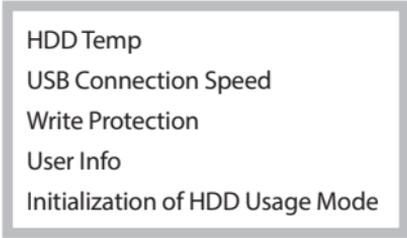
6. A dialog window should automatically appear, asking your to initialize the drive. Depending on the version of Windows, it will give you the option of either creating an “MBR” or “GPT” disk. GPT (GUID partition) is not compatible with some older operating systems, while MBR is supported by newer and older operating systems.
7. 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”.



**Note:** Losing the password or hardware failure (the SATA drive or enclosure) will result in the data stored in the enclosure becoming unrecoverable. Removing the drive from the enclosure or placing it into another S2510BU3PW enclosure will not allow access to the data. It is recommended that all data stored on the enclosure also be backed up to another location regularly to prevent any chance of losing your data.

## Menu Options

Pressing the <Menu> button on the keypad will allow access to additional options for the enclosure. Press the <UP> and <DOWN> arrow keys (<2>, <8>) to scroll through the available options.



HDD Temp  
USB Connection Speed  
Write Protection  
User Info  
Initialization of HDD Usage Mode

### HDD Temp

Displays the current temperature of the installed SATA drive.

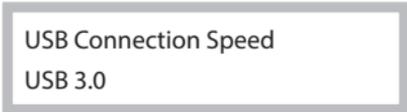


HDD Temperature  
Temp: 33°C

**Note:** Only compatible with select hard drives

### USB Connection Speed

Displays the current USB connection mode (i.e. USB 3.0/ USB 2.0/ USB 1.0).



USB Connection Speed  
USB 3.0

### Write Protection

Enable write protection on the installed SATA drive, which prevents data from being written to or deleted from the SATA drive. Data can only be read.

### User Info

Configuration options for setting and displaying optional user info, such as a name (8 character limit) and phone number (20 character limit). A name can be configured to display on the OLED display on startup, instead of the standard logo and the phone number can be set to display when an incorrect password is entered. This can be used as contact info for returning misplaced units. Check the "User Info Display" option to enable this feature.

- \1. Name ( )
- \2. Phone Number ( )
- 3. User Info display

When entering characters for the “Name”, refer to the following chart. Enter the code for the desired character and then press <Enter>. When finished entering all characters, press the <Menu> button to save and exit

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1	!	15	/	29	=	43	K	57	Y	71	g	85	u
2	“	16	0	30	>	44	L	58	Z	72	h	86	v
3	#	17	1	31	?	45	M	59	[	73	i	87	w
4	\$	18	2	32	@	46	N	60	\	74	j	88	x
5	%	19	3	33	A	47	O	61	]	75	k	89	y
6	&	20	4	34	B	48	P	62	^	76	l	90	z
7	'	21	5	35	C	49	Q	63	_	77	m	91	{
8	(	22	6	36	D	50	R	64	`	78	n	92	
9	)	23	7	37	E	51	S	65	a	79	o	93	}
10	*	24	8	38	F	52	T	66	b	80	p	94	~
11	+	25	9	39	G	53	U	67	c	81	q	95	[ ]
12	,	26	:	40	H	54	V	68	d	82	r		
13	-	27	;	41	I	55	W	69	e	83	s		

**NOTE:** There is no backspace, so if a wrong character is entered, you must exit and re-enter the menu to start over.

### Initialization of HDD Usage Mode

**WARNING:** This will result in all data on the drive being lost.

The installed SATA drive can be re-initialized while connected to the host computer, which will result in the drive partition being deleted and drive being treated as a new drive. The SATA drive will need to be re-partitioned and formatted on the host computer afterwards.

Do you want to initialize HDD?  
0=NO, 1=YES

## HDD Lock

Instead of disconnection the hard drive during extended period no use or while leaving the drive unattended the drive can be Locked and disconnected from the host by pressing and holding the <Menu> button for about 5 seconds. To Unlock the drive, press and hold the <Menu> button again for about 5 seconds. The user will be prompted for the password before the drive will become accessible again.

**WARNING:** Make sure no data is being written or read from the drive when using this function. Doing so may result in damage and/or loss of data.

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