

# Dual-Bay 2.5in Hard Drive Enclosure - USB 3.0 to SATA III 6Gbps with RAID

Product ID: S252BU33R



This USB 3.0 2-bay enclosure for 2.5in drives gives you the performance you want in an external storage system - and features a stylish, compact design that looks great next to your Mac or PC. Ideal for professional business settings or home offices, it provides a powerful data storage solution for your desktop computer, laptop, Ultrabook<sup>TM</sup> or Chromebook<sup>TM</sup>.

### High capacity, high performance external storage

The dual drive enclosure lets you install two 2.5in SSDs or HDDs (from 5mm to 15mm) to create high capacity external data storage. To maximize the performance and speed of your SATA III (6Gbps) drives, the enclosure is enhanced with UASP delivering up to 70% faster transfer speeds than conventional USB 3.0. (See testing results below.)





### Sleek, compact design with flexible power options

The compact design, small footprint and sleek finish make this enclosure the perfect desktop companion for your Mac or PC.

Requiring only 5V of power, you have the option to power the enclosure through USB alone, without the need for an external power adapter. It can be powered through a single or two USB sources, such as USB chargers or ports on your laptop, depending on your drive set-up. In stationary applications or configurations where more power is desired, a power adapter is included. The enclosure gives you a convenient, energy-efficient storage solution with flexible storage set-up options - and easy portability.



### Increased performance and data redundancy with RAID

Enjoy peace of mind, knowing your files are continually backed up or take advantage of greater speed and capacity offered with a combined solution. The enclosure supports RAID 0, 1, Spanning, and JBOD, enabling you to choose your preferred backup mode. With the convenience of RAID, you can achieve increased size, performance, or redundancy.

The enclosure is compatible with Windows $\mathbb{R}$ , Mac $\mathbb{R}$ , Chrome OS $^{\text{TM}}$  and Linux $\mathbb{R}$  systems without having to install additional drivers or software.

### **Enhanced performance through UASP**

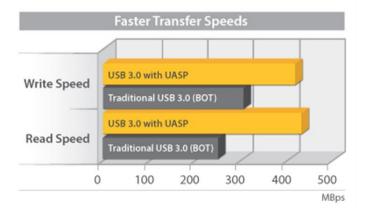
This high-performance SuperSpeed USB 3.0 enclosure supports data transfer rates of up to 5Gbps and is enhanced with UASP support, which can deliver  $\sim$ 70% faster read speed and 40% faster write speed over traditional USB 3.0, when paired with a UASP-enabled host.



### **Data Sheet**

Note: UASP (USB Attached SCSI Protocol) is supported in Windows 8, 8.1, Server 2012 and Linux kernel 2.6.37 or later. Test results were obtained using an Intel® Ivy Bridge system, StarTech.com add-on USB 3.0 cards, a UASP-enabled StarTech.com enclosure, and a SATA III solid state drive.

The S252BU33R dual-bay enclosure is ruggedly built to deliver long-lasting performance, and is backed by a StarTech.com 2-year warranty and free lifetime technical support.







# Certifications, Reports and Compatibility











### **Applications**

- Increase the external storage capacity of any computer by connecting this external storage enclosure
- Take it with your laptop for on-the-go external storage
- Add the security of data redundancy by using this enclosure with support for RAID
- Backup or archive data from any USB computer

#### **Features**

- Create a powerful external USB 3.0 storage solution, supporting two
   2.5" SSD or HDD drives
- Sleek, compact design works beautifully with your Mac or PC
- Transfer files quickly with SATA III (6Gbps) power and USB 3.0 with UASP
- Achieve enhanced performance and data redundancy with RAID 0,1, spanning and JBOD
- Requires only 5V power, allowing flexible power options
- Works with Windows, Mac, Chrome and Linux (2.4.x and up) systems
- Easy set-up with no additional drivers and software required



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	Maximum Data Transfer Rate Noise Level RAID Supported RAID Modes  Type and Rate	total)  USB 3.0 - 5 Gbps  21 dBA  Yes  RAID 0 (Striped Disks)  RAID 1 (Mirrored Disks)  JBOD - (Just a Bunch of Disks)  BIG (Spanning or Concatenation)  USB 3.0 - 5 Gbit/s  SATA III (6 Gbps)
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		total)
	Max Drive Capacity	Currently tested with up to 2TB 7200 RPM hard drives (4 TB
· cromunec	Hot Swap Capability	Yes
Performance	4Kn Support	Yes
		15mm
		12.5mm
		9.5mm
	Supported Drive Height(s)	5mm 7mm
	Number of Drives	2
	Number of 2.5 inch bays	2
	Interface	USB 3.0
	Fans	1 - 40 mm
	Fan(s)	Yes
	Fan Bearing Type	Ball Bearing
	Drive Size	2.5in
	Drive Installation	Fixed
	Compatible Drive Types	SATA
	Chipset ID	JMicron - JMS561
	Bus Type	USB 3.0
Hardware		



## **Data Sheet**

	Host Connectors	1 - USB Type-B (9 pin) USB 3.0 Female
Software	OS Compatibility	OS independent; No software or drivers required
Indicators	LED Indicators	1 - Power LED
		1 - HHD 1 Activity LED
		1 - HHD 2 Activity LED
Power	Input Current	0.4 A
	Input Voltage	100 ~ 240 AC
	Output Current	2 A
	Output Voltage	5 DC
	Plug Type	н
	Power Consumption (In Watts)	3
	Power Source	AC Adapter Included
Environmental	Humidity	10~90% RH
	Operating Temperature	0°C to 40°C (32°F to 104°F)
	Storage Temperature	-10°C to 65°C (14deg;F to 149°F)
Physical Characteristics	Color	Black
	Enclosure Type	Aluminum and Plastic
	Max Drive Height	0.6 in [15 mm]
	Product Height	3.5 in [90 mm]
	Product Length	5.2 in [132 mm]
	Product Weight	12.4 oz [350 g]
	Product Width	2 in [50 mm]
Packaging Information	Shipping (Package) Weight	25.8 oz [730 g]
What's in the Box	Included in Package	1 - USB 3.0 Dual 2.5" SATA HDD/SSD RAID Enclosure
		1 - USB 3.0 cable
		1 - USB to Power Cable (Type H Barrel)
		1 - Universal Power Adapter (NA/EU/UK/AU)
		1 - Installation screw kit
		1 - Quick install guide

Product appearance and specifications are subject to change without notice.