

Package Contents

- Oyen Digital USB 2.0 Portable Hard Drive
- USB Mini-B to Type A Cable
- User Guide

System Requirements

Windows

- Microsoft Windows 2000, XP, 2003, Vista, 7 or higher

Macintosh

- Mac OS 9.1 or later

Using the Hard Drive

Connecting via USB

1. Connect the drive to the computer using the included USB cable.
2. Wait 10-20 seconds for the computer to recognize the drive.
3. The drive is now ready for use.
4. (**Windows Users**) To access the drive, open My Computer (Computer) and double-click on the drive icon.
5. (**MAC Users**) As shipped, the drive provides read-only access. Mac users must reformat the drive using the instructions in the *Formatting for Mac OS* section.

Notes:

- Front USB ports on a desktop may not be able to provide adequate power.
- A USB port on a PCMCIA or Express Card may not be able to provide adequate power.
- If connecting to a USB Hub, make sure it is a powered Hub (one that uses an AC adapter).

Formatting for Mac OS

The drive is pre-formatted as NTFS, the preferred file system for Windows. For full functionality on **Mac** OS computers, you must reformat the drive before use.

To format the drive for Mac OS X:

1. Open Disk Utility. (Applications folder > Utilities > Disk Utility). From the list on the left, click once on your portable drive with the size in GB (not the indented item underneath).
2. Click the Erase tab at the top of the application
3. Select the format from the drop down menu. Mac OS Extended (Journaled) is best option for Mac OS X systems. If you desire to use the drive on both Mac and Windows, select MS-DOS (FAT32).
4. Once you have selected the format and have named the drive, click Erase. You will be presented with an 'Are you Sure' dialog.
5. Upon completion the drive will be available for use.

Disconnecting the Hard Drive

Windows

1. Close all windows and quit all applications that are accessing the external drive.
2. Click the green "Eject Hardware" (Safely Remove Hardware) icon in the system tray and highlight the external drive.
3. Wait for a few seconds until the system prompts "You may safely remove this device."
4. You can now safely disconnect the external hard drive.

Macintosh

1. Close all windows and quit all applications that are accessing the external drive.
2. Drag the external drive to the Trash/Eject icon to dismount it from the desktop.
3. After the disk icon has disappeared from the desktop, you may safely disconnect the external hard drive.