



AdaptaDrive[®]

ASSEMBLY MANUAL & USER GUIDE



INTRODUCTION

Drive Compatibility

The NewerTech AdaptaDrive is compatible with any 2.5" hard drive or SSD that uses a standard SATA connector. It allows you to use these drives within spaces that were originally designed for 3.5" SATA drives. The example below shows the AdaptaDrive (with an SSD connected) mounted inside a multi-bay, 3.5" drive enclosure.



Package Contents

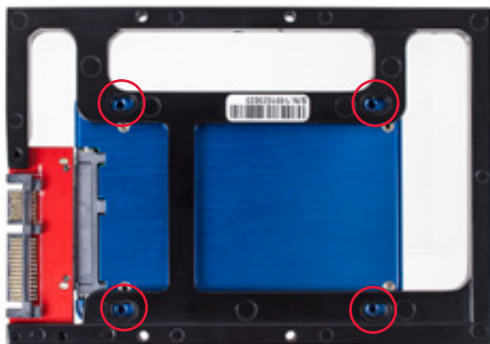
- 1 drive bracket with SATA connector
- 8 pc. screw kit

INSTALLATION

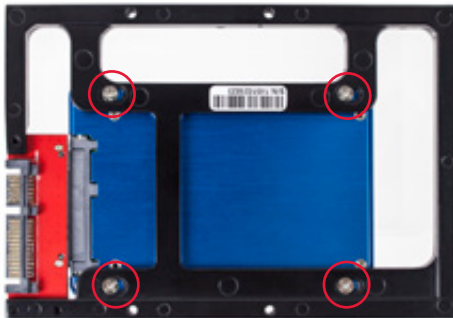
1. Connect your 2.5" SATA drive to the SATA connector on the NewerTech AdaptaDrive.



2. Holding the SSD or hard drive in place, turn the AdaptaDrive over. Notice the four recessed, oval-shaped screw holes.



3. There are eight Phillips head screws included. Use the four with the slightly narrower diameter and smaller screw head to fasten the NewerTech AdaptaDrive to your drive.



Once the screws are fastened the top view should look like the photo at left. The AdaptaDrive can now be integrated with your desktop computer or drive chassis.

4. Insert the AdaptaDrive into the computer or enclosure of your choice. Four additional screws are included, but you may find that your computer or enclosure already includes screws or other mounting components.

As noted earlier, the NewerTech AdaptaDrive can be installed into your computer's 3.5" SATA drive bays as well. The example below shows the AdaptaDrive being installed into an Apple® Mac Pro®.



APPENDIX

If after setting up your AdaptaDrive you are unable to see the connected drive on your computer, the first thing to check is the SATA connection.

If installed in a computer, shut the computer down, disconnect the power and verify that the AdaptaDrive is fully seated into the drive bay (or that it is fully connected to the SATA cable, if applicable). If installed into an external case, disconnect the case from the computer and any dedicated power cord from the case, then check the point of connection to ensure the AdaptaDrive is not partially connected. If problems persist, contact OWC technical support (see below).

TECHNICAL SUPPORT HOURS AND CONTACT INFORMATION

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- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment to an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.

Health And Safety Precautions:

- Use proper anti-static precautions while performing the installation of your hard drives into this drive enclosure. Failure to do so can cause damage to your drive mechanisms and/or the hard drive enclosure.
- Read this user guide carefully and follow the correct procedures when setting up the device.
- Do not attempt to disassemble or modify the device. To avoid any risk of electrical shock, fire, short-circuiting or dangerous emissions, never insert any metallic object into the device. If it appears to be malfunctioning, contact Other World Computing technical support.
- Never expose your device to rain, or use it near water or in damp or wet conditions. Never place objects containing liquids on the drive, as they may spill into its openings. Doing so increases the risk of electrical shock, short-circuiting, fire or personal injury.

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