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M.2 NGFF SSD to 2.5 in SATA Adapter

SAT2M2NGFF25



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Introduction

Packaging Contents

- 1x M.2 NGFF SSD to 2.5" SATA Adapter
- 1x SSD mounting kit
- 1x Mini Screw driver
- 1x Instruction manual

System Requirements

- M.2 NGFF solid state drive (SSD)
- SATA Host Device



Assembled Adapter View Assembled Adapter View

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- 1. Top mounting holes
- 2. Side mounting holes
- 3. SATA DATA & Power Combo (7+15 pin)
- 4. HDD plate
- 5. HDD plate mounting holes

Open Adapter View

- 1. M.2 (NGFF) SSD Connector
- 2. Drive installation bracket
- 3. Drive length adjustment holes
- 4. HDD plate mounting holes



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M.2 NGFF SSD Installation

WARNING:

SSD Drives and storage adapters require careful handling. If you are not careful with your SSD Drive, lost data may result. Always handle your drive 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. Remove the HDD plate from the bottom of the adapter case.



Note: the HDD plate mounting screws may need to be removed if the adapter has already been assembled.





2. Determine if the drive installation bracket requires relocating by assessing your drive length. The board is labeled with the respective drive types for length but if your drive type is unknown, place your SSD next to the M.2 (NGFF) SSD connector, note which drive installation hole matches the height of your SSD. If the bracket is already installed in the correct position please proceed to step 4.



3. (Only required if the drive installation bracket requires relocating)

a) Carefully remove the main board from inside the adapter enclosure.





Note: It may require a small prying tool or tweezers to carefully remove the board.

b) Remove the nut holding the bracket in place on the reverse side using a small set of plyers (Not included).





c) Reseat the drive installation bracket in the drive installation hole that matches your SSD. Replace the removed nut on the reverse side by using a small set of plyers (not included).







d) Carefully reseat the main board inside the adapter enclosure.

4. Using the included screw driver. Remove the screw located in the front of the hard drive installation bracket.





 Slide the M.2 connector on the SSD into the M.2 receprical connector on the SAT2M2NGFF25.



Note: The connector on your M.2 SSD is keyed so the drive will only fit one way.

6. Press the drive down toward the drive mounting bracket, and drive the removed screw through the mounting hole on your SSD drive and into the drive mounting bracket using a Philips head screw driver.





- 7. Replace the HDD plate on the bottom of the adapter case, and drive four of the included case screws into the HDD plate mounting holes on the HDD plate, into the HDD plate mounting holes on the adapter.
- 8. The SSD has now been installed, and is ready to be implemented in your 2.5" SATA drive application.



Refer to the manual for your SATA host device for installation instructions. The side mounting holes and included screw kit may or may not be required to assist in your installation.



Hard Drive Initialization

If the M.2 NGFF SSD is new or otherwise blank, it may need to be initialized and formatted before use. Follow the steps below in a Windows interface to initialize the drive.

 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.



- 2. A dialog window should 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. GPT (GUID partition) is not compatible with some older operating systems, while MBR is supported by newer and older operating systems.
- 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".

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



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