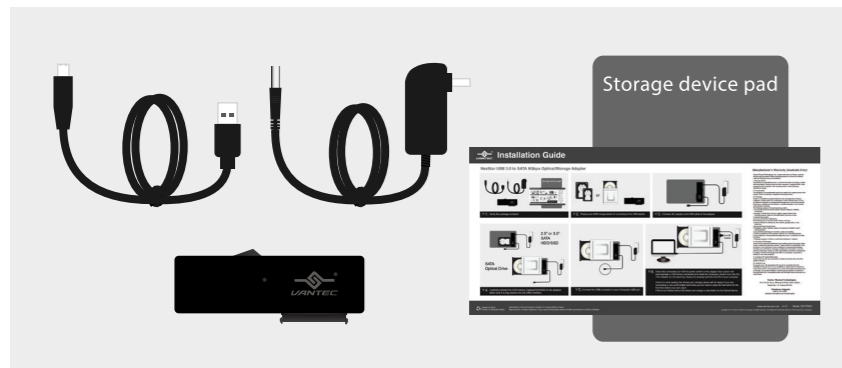


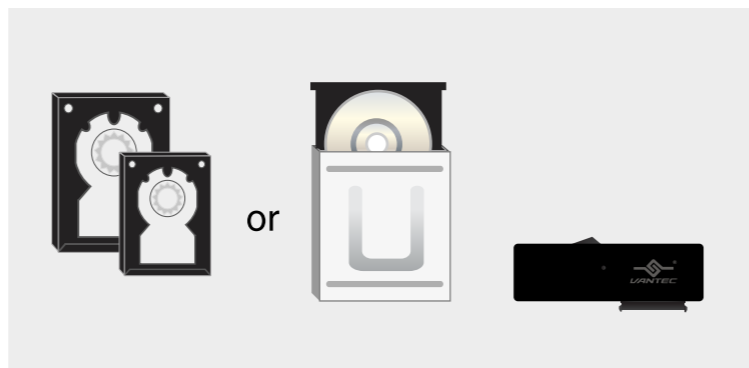


# Installation Guide

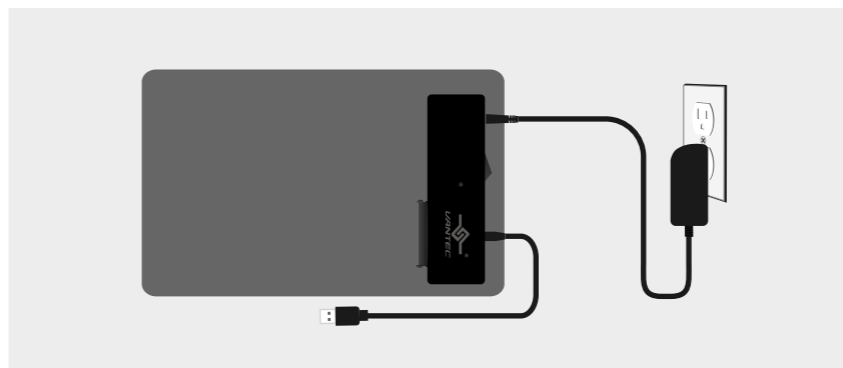
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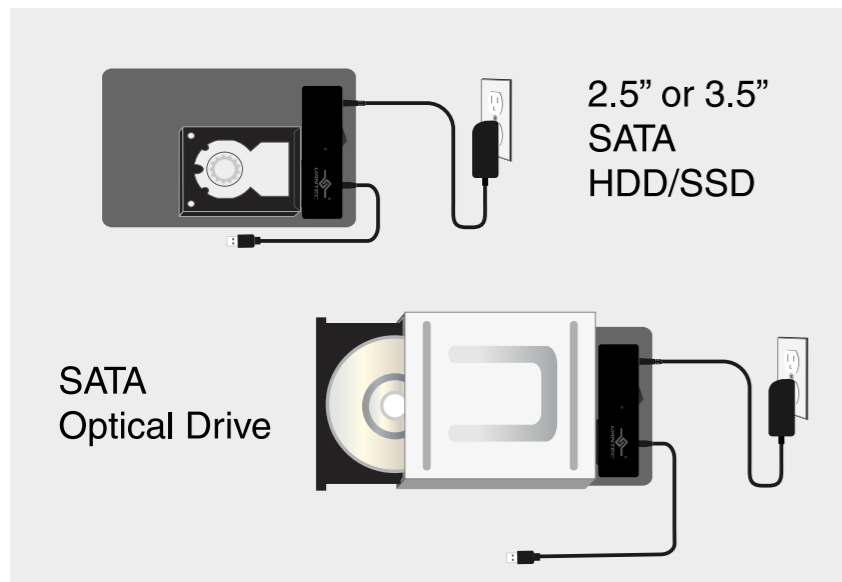
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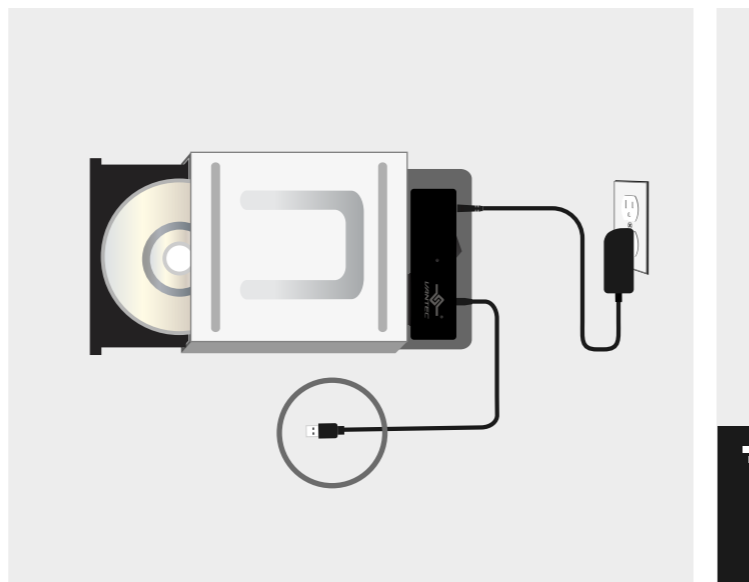
❖ 2. Prepare your SATA storage device for connecting to the USB adapter.



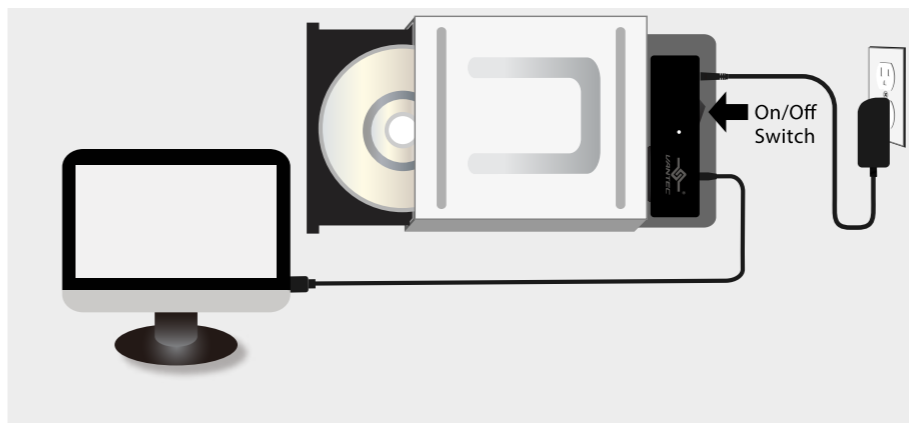
❖ 3. Connect AC adapter and USB cable to the adapter.



❖ 4. Carefully connect the SATA device (Optical/HDD/SSD) to the adapter. Make sure it is fully seated into the SATA interface.



❖ 5. Connect the USB connector to your Computer USB port.



❖ 6. Once fully connected, turn ON the power switch on the adapter. Your system will acknowledge a USB device connected and install the necessary drivers from the OS. This Adapter do not need any drivers, it is already built into the OS of your computer.

Once it is done loading the drivers, your storage device will be ready. If you are connecting a new unformatted hard drive, you will need to prep the hard drive for the first time before you can use it. If this is an Optical drive, it will detect and assign a drive letter for the Optical device.

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