

## Quick-start guide

## USB 3.0 Card Reader / Writer for CFast 2.0 Cards

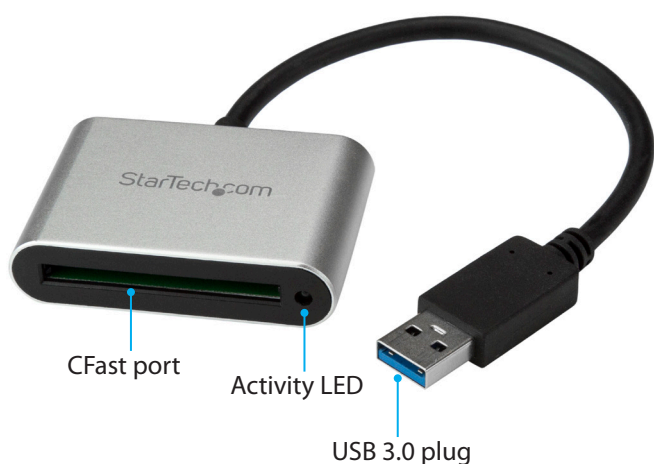
CFASTRWU3

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## Introduction

The CFASTRWU3 USB 3.0 Card Reader/Writer enables you to quickly access and back up photos and videos from your CFast™ memory cards to your tablet, laptop, or desktop computer.

## Product diagram



\*actual product may vary from photos

## Package contents

- 1 x USB 3.0 card reader/writer
- 1 x quick-start guide

## About USB 3.0 and USB 3.1 Gen 1

USB 3.0 is also known as USB 3.1 Gen 1. This connectivity standard offers speeds up to 5Gbps. Any mention of USB 3.0 in this manual or on the StarTech.com website for CFASTRWU3 refers to the 5Gbps USB 3.1 Gen 1 standard.

**Note:** Data transfer rates are dependent upon the speed of the memory card that you are using and the speed capabilities of the USB port on your host device.

## Requirements

- A tablet, laptop, or desktop computer with a USB Type-A port
- A CFast memory card

**Note:** To obtain the maximum USB throughput, you must use a system with a USB 3.0 port.

The CFASTRWU3 is OS independent and doesn't require any additional drivers or software.

Requirements are subject to change. For the latest requirements, please visit [www.StarTech.com/CFASTRWU3](http://www.StarTech.com/CFASTRWU3).

## Connect the card reader/writer

1. Connect the **USB 3.0 plug** on the card reader/writer to a USB port on your tablet, laptop, or desktop computer.
2. Insert a CFast memory card into the **CFast port** on the card reader/writer.
3. To access content on the CFast memory card, follow the instructions specific to the OS that you're running.

When you connect the card reader/writer to your tablet, laptop, or desktop computer, your system automatically detects and installs the required software.

**Note:** The CFASTRWU3 doesn't require an external power supply, as it receives enough power through the USB bus that it's connected to.

## Disconnect the card reader/writer

### Windows

1. On your desktop, click the **Safely Remove Hardware** icon.
2. In the list that appears, click the card reader/writer.
3. When a message appears saying that it's safe to do so, remove the card reader/writer from your laptop, or computer.

**Caution!** If you remove the card reader/writer before it's safe to do so, you could experience lost or corrupted data on your memory card.

### macOS

1. Close any open windows that list the contents of the card reader/writer.
2. On your desktop, click and drag the **USB storage** icon to the **trash can** icon.
3. Wait ten seconds and then remove the card reader/writer.

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## About the LED indicators

There is an **Activity LED** located next to the **CFast port** on the card reader/writer. This LED indicator blinks to indicate activity.

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- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help

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CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B)

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