

Seagate Powers Innov8 8TB HDD With USB

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Seagate announces the Innov8-- a desktop external HDD the company says is the first to be powered via USB, no plugging into a power outlet required.



Allowing the Innov8 to sip all power through USB is the 3.1 standard offering up to 100W to connected devices while handling all data transfer requirements. As a result, the HDD offers 8TB of storage, making it ideal for large media collections or backups.

The HDD comes in an aluminium enclosure designed by Huge Design (who worked on products for GoPro, HP and Nike) users can mount in both horizontal or vertical positions, while on the software side Seagate includes its Dashboard system for one-click, on-demand and scheduled backups.

The Innov8 should ship from April 2016.

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