

DVD-SD Backup Utility 0.1g

This utility is yet another SD backup program - but hopefully one you'll like!

To use, load up the accompanying dol file using the method you prefer. Then follow the on-screen prompts.

1. Confirm you understand the format warning
2. Insert an original DVD
3. Insert an SD (bigger the better) in your Gekko or SDML adapter in SLOT A
4. Wait for completion of this slice
5. Copy to your PC hard drive
6. Repeat from step 3 till complete.

That's it in a nutshell!

You should familiarise yourself with joining files on your platform. Each slice has an accompanying MD5 checksum file, to ensure the data on your hard drive matches the data from the console.



As the warning says, this utility will format your SD card! Make sure you have backed up any data on the card before continuing.

Frequently Asked Questions

These are some of the questions asked in the forums:

Q. Do I need a Gekko or SDML Adapter ?

A. YES - you do.

Q. What is the smallest SD card I can use ?

A. 64MB physical. Although logically I'd say 512MB, as swapping will take some time.

Q. What is the largest SD card I can use?

A. 2GB is the current maximum.

Q. How long does it take to format a card ?

A. No more than a couple of seconds. Any longer, I'd say your card and my protocol implementation disagree.

Q. How do you join the files ?

A. On Windows, your best bet is HJSplit. For other platforms, MacOSX and *nix use cat.

Q. How do I test the MD5 is correct ?

A. Obtain md5sum for your platform. Follow the instructions.

Q. Does it work with Xeno?

A. Yes, 0.1G has been tested on Xeno 1

Q. Which is the best brand SD to use ?

A. There is no straight answer to this. For example, some people have problems with Kingston 2GB, others don't.

Q. Why is GameCube faster than Wii ?

A. The GameCube included a high speed port for Broadband Adapter and Modem. This has been removed on Wii in GC mode.

Notes

Obviously I don't have access to every known SD card available. It may work for you, it may not.

Credits

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Testing

GC Cedy_NL - as always above and beyond
Edge` - Xeno 0.1g

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