

# SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit Installation Guide

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# 1. Introduction

SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit is intended to provide users with de tailed information on SSDs (mainly SK hynix drives), update firmware, erase drives, generate drive performance reports, and monitor drives.)

This document provides instructions on how to install/uninstall and launch SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit on Windows in a standard mode.

Before installing SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit, check whether your system meets the requirements.





# 2. Requirements

Item	Requirements	
	Windows Server 2012 x64	
	Windows 10 x86/x64	
	Windows 8 x86/x64	
Operating System	Windows 8 x86/x64	
	Windows 8.1 x86/x64	
	Windows 7 x86/x64(SATA Only)	
Interface	SATA,PCIe	
Drives	SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit supports all SSDs and HDDs but all features are available only for SK hynix SSDs.	

**Note :** Administrator access privileges are required for installing and accessing SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit.



## 3. Standard Installation

This section provides standard installation instructions for SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit in the Windows environment. The installation package installs in GUI.

#### 3.1 Run the setup File

To run Drive Manager Easy Kit, please click the setup file.

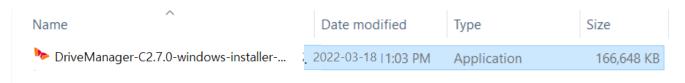
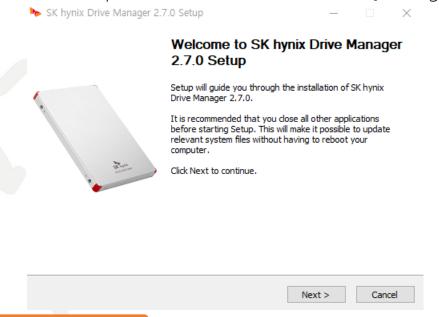


Figure 1. Run the set up file

#### 3.2 Start the Installation

To start the installation process, click **Next** when the **Setup** dialog appears.



# Figure 2. Welcome Screen

#### 3.3 Accept the License Agreement

Read the License Agreement, and to continue the installation, click I Agree.



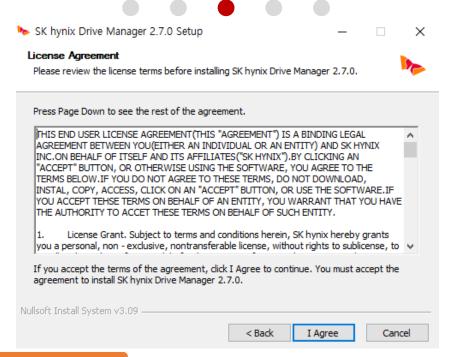


Figure 3. License Agreement

#### 3.4 Select the Installation Directory

To select the installation directory:

Click Next to install the application into the default directory
 C:/program Files (X86)/SK hynix Drive Manager

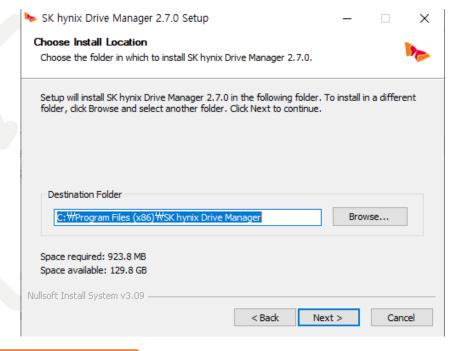
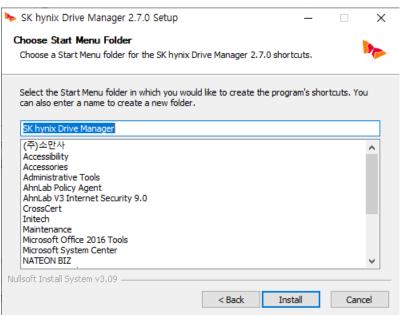


Figure 4. Installation Directory



or

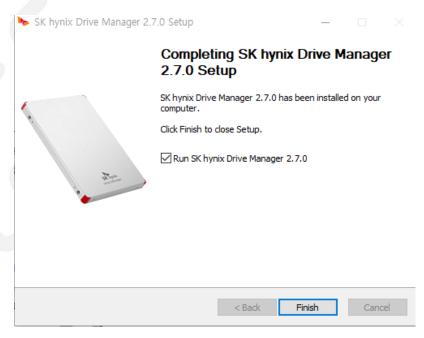
- In the **Installation Directory** field, enter the required directory, and then click **Next**. or
- Click the browse button, and in the **Browse for Folder** dialog, select the folder for the application to be installed in, and click **OK**.



# Figure 5. Browse for Folder

#### 3.5 Finish the Installation Process

When the installation is completed, click Finish.



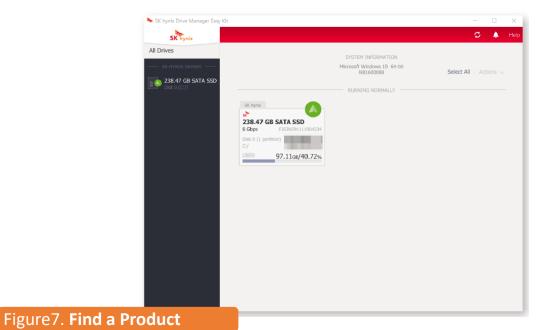
# Figure 6. Finish the Installation

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## 3.6 How to upgrade the Firmware

1) Click on the SK Hynix SSD that you installed.



2) Click update firmware.

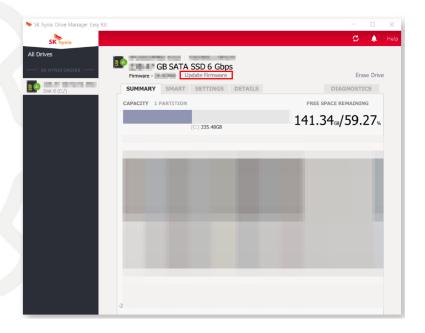


Figure 8. Update Firmware



3) When this page appears, find the FW that you downloaded then click on the upload to 1 drive.

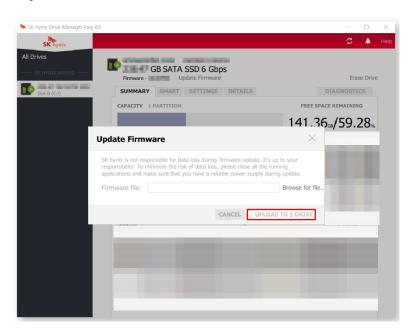


Figure9. **Upload to 1 drive** 





# 4. Launching SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit

## To launch the program from the Start menu:

#### 1. For Windows 7, 10:

In the Start menu, click All programs (Windows 7) / All Apps (Windows 10), and then open the SK hynix folder.

#### For Windows 8, 12:

- a. Press the Windows key 📢 on your keyboard to open the Start screen.
- b. To get the all Apps view:

  Click the arrow button

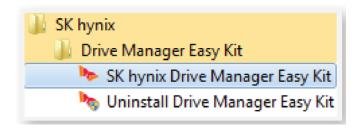
  or

Right click on the **Start** screen, and then click the **All Apps** button at the bottom of the screen.





- c. Find the **SK hynix** folder.
- 2. Click the Drive Manager Easy Kit folder, and then click SK hynix Drive Manager Easy kit or SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit Command :







# 5. Uninstalling SK hynix Drive Manager Easy Kit

To uninstall the application, in the directory where the installed files are located, find and run the *Uninstall Drive Manager Easy Kit:* 

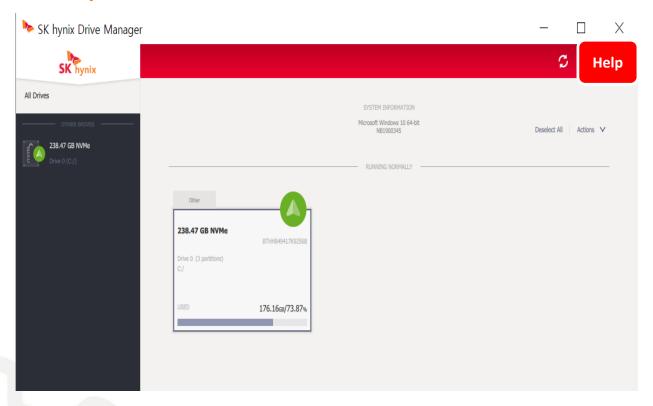






# \* English/ Korean/ Chinese (simplified/Traditional)/Japanese manual

## 1 Click the "help"



## 2 Select Languages

You can choose English/ Korean/ Chinese (simplified/Traditional)/Japanese.

