

Eversolo Streamer M.2 SSD Installation Tutorial v2

Applicable Models: DMP-A6 Gen 2 Series / A10

Introduction

Eversolo streamers feature a user-expandable **M.2 NVMe PCIe 3.0 2280 interface SSD slot**. Designed with an external, easy-disassembly structure, installation and replacement can be completed effortlessly **without disassembling the device**. Maximum capacity is expandable up to **8TB SSD**. Compared to traditional mechanical hard drives, SSDs offer advantages such as **faster transmission speeds, higher stability, and zero noise**, providing robust support for local high-quality music playback.

Installation Precautions

- **Ensure the SSD golden fingers are fully inserted into the slot!**
- Incomplete insertion may cause poor contact or short circuits. In severe cases, this could lead to the device **rebooting continuously** or even **damage the SSD**.

I. Preparations

1. DMP Streamer x1
2. M.2 NVMe PCIe 3.0 SSD x1
3. SSD thermal interface pad

II. Step-by-Step Installation Guide (with Pictures)

1. Power Off the Device

- **Completely power off** the streamer.
- Flip it over with the bottom side facing up.



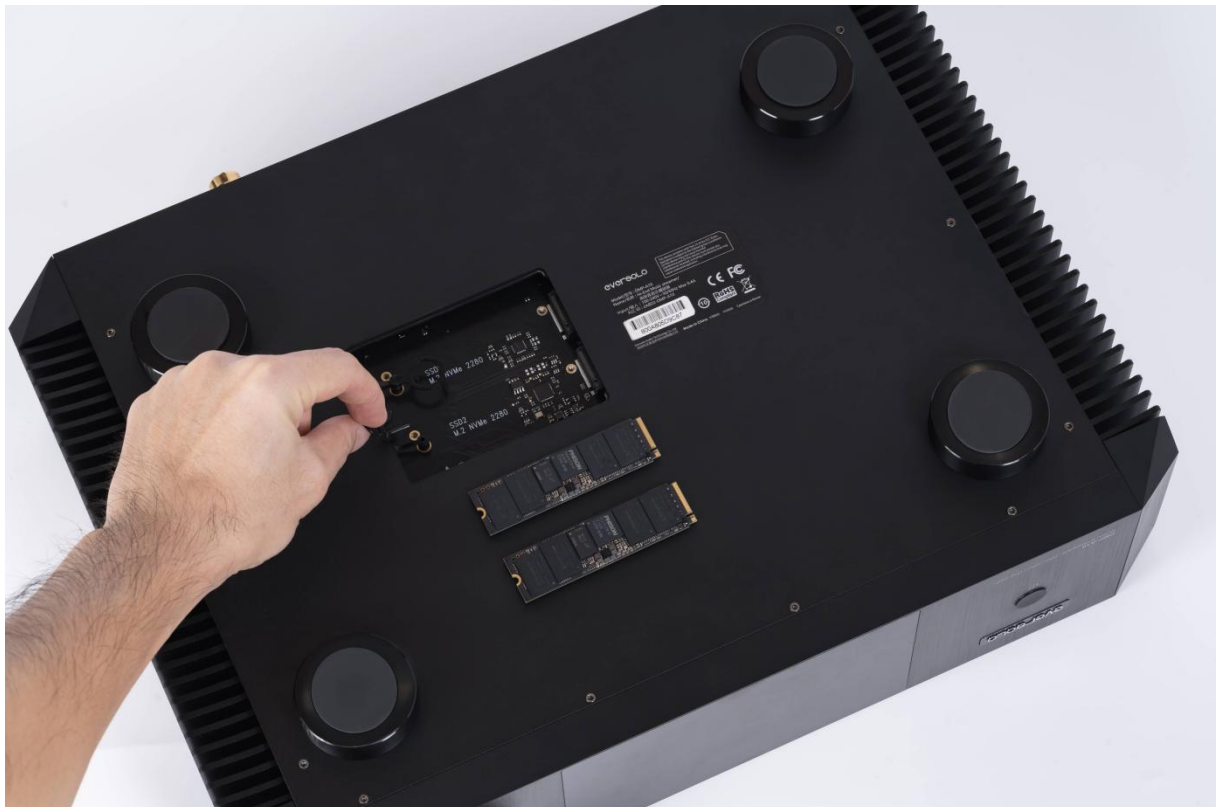
2. Remove the Rear SSD Cover Plate

Slide the nut to lift and remove the cover plate. (No screwdriver needed for removal).



3. Pull Out the SSD Retention Latch

Insert your finger into the ring pull of the **SSD latch**, and **pull it out firmly**.



4. Install the SSD

- Position the SSD with **the front side** facing up, align it with the slot, and **fully insert** the golden fingers into the slot to ensure secure contact.
- Gently press down on the SSD to level it against the slot, then insert the SSD retention **latch** and press firmly until it clicks into place to secure the drive.





5. Install the SSD Thermal Interface Pad

- Peel off the bottom protection film from the thermal interface pad.
- Apply it to the chip area on the front side of the SSD, ensuring proper alignment and firm adhesion.





- After application, peel off the top protection film from the thermal interface pad. This prepares it for contact with the metal cover plate to enhance heat dissipation efficiency.



6. Replace the Cover Plate and Tighten the Screw

Reposition the cover plate. Use a cross screwdriver to tighten the screw securely.





7. Warm Reminder

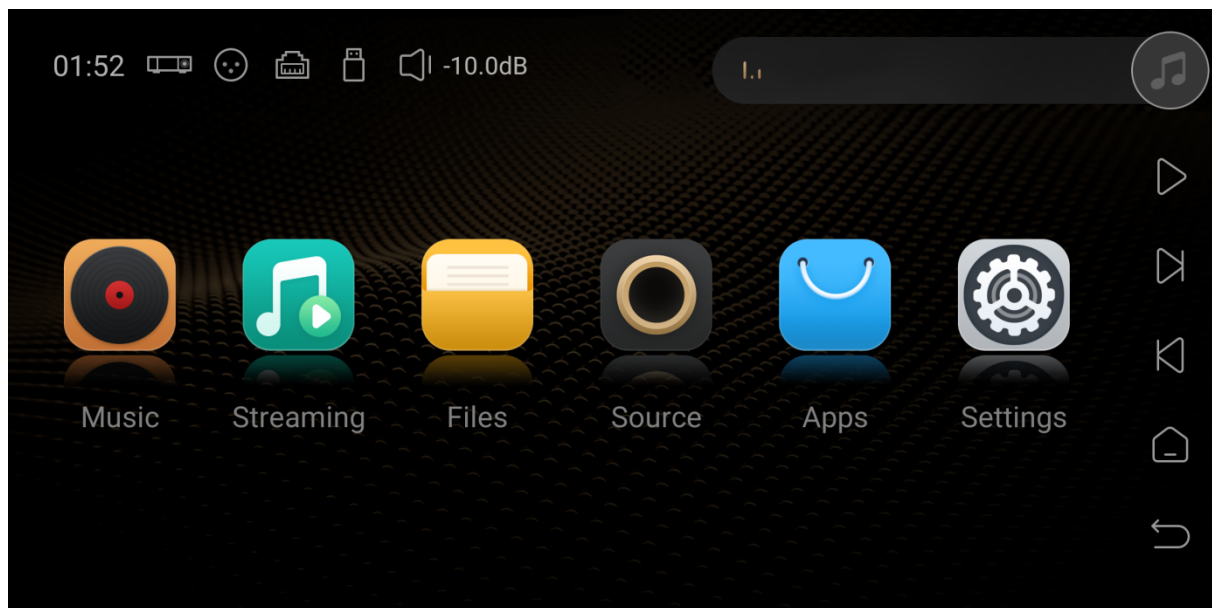
- Newly purchased SSDs are usually **unpartitioned and unformatted** and cannot be used immediately after insertion.
- Please follow the tutorial below to format and **partition** the hard drive for normal use.

III. SSD Formatting Tutorial

1. Power On and Access File Manager

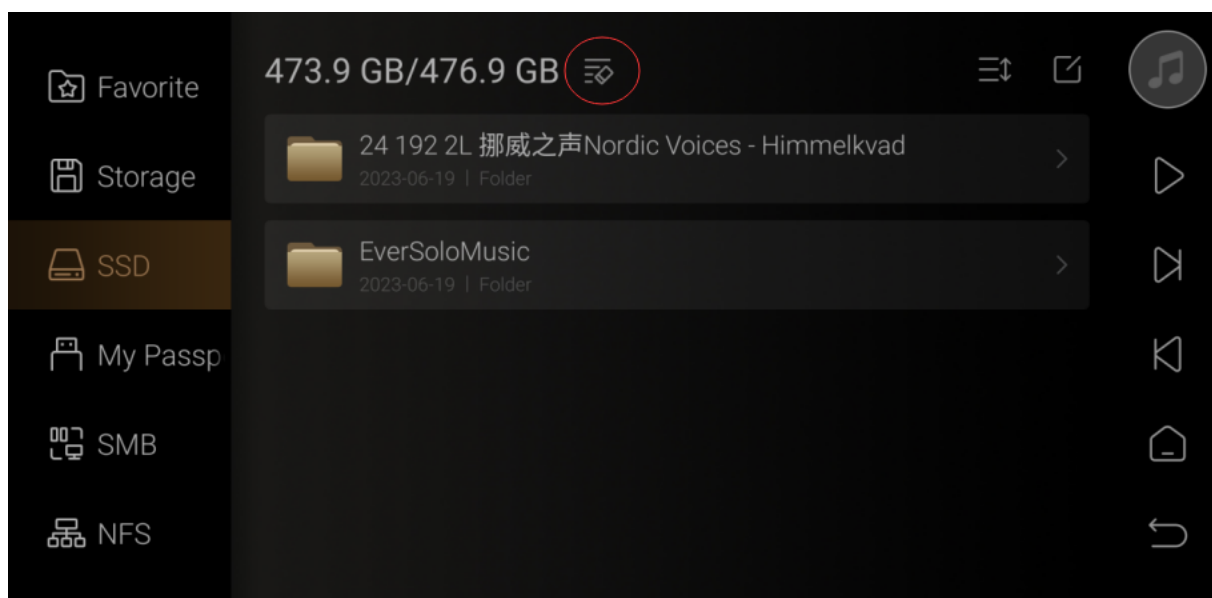
Power on the device.

On the front panel display, enter the "Files" application.



2. Check Hard Drive Recognition Status

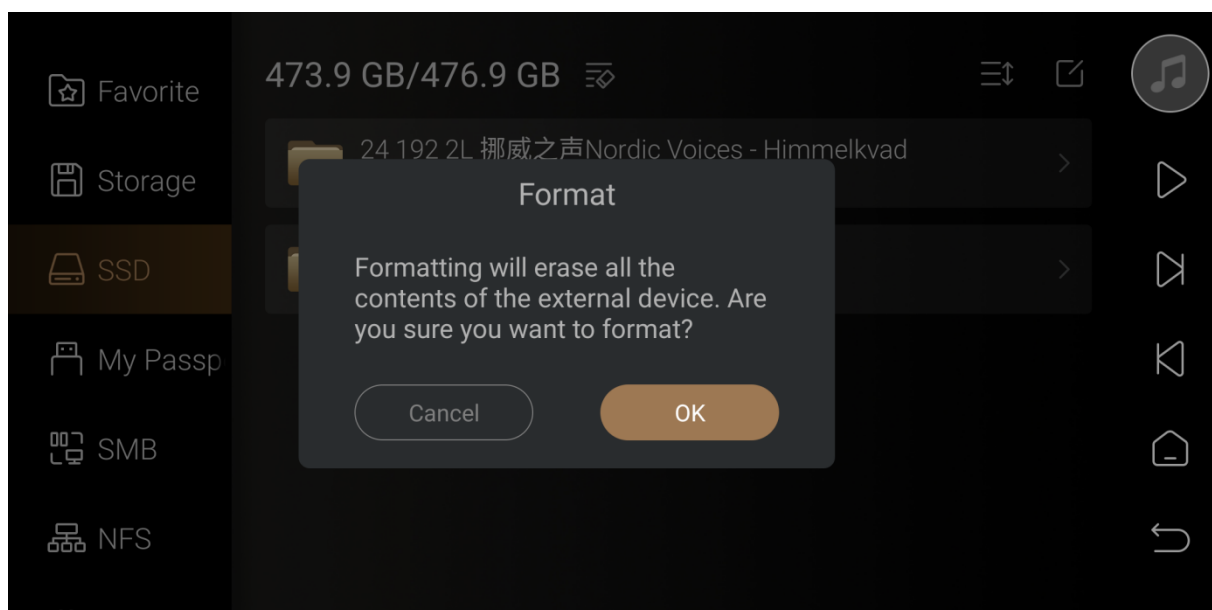
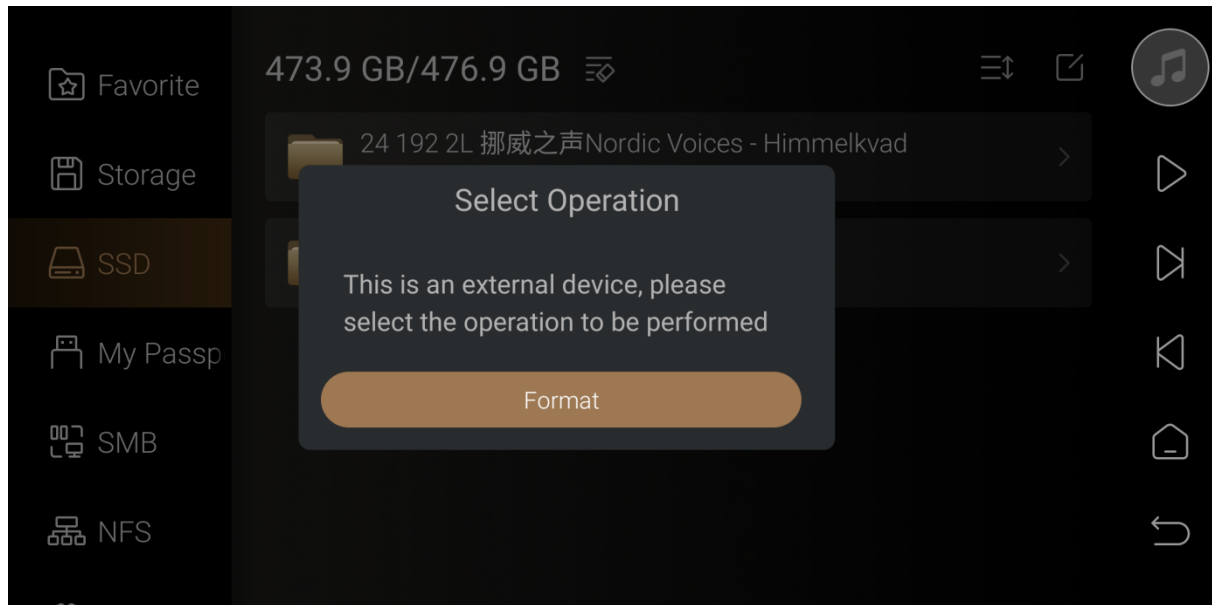
- A newly inserted SSD will be displayed as "**Unknown**".
- If the drive was previously partitioned on a computer and needs formatting, click the "Format" icon at the top to reinitialize it.



3. Select the Drive and Initiate Formatting

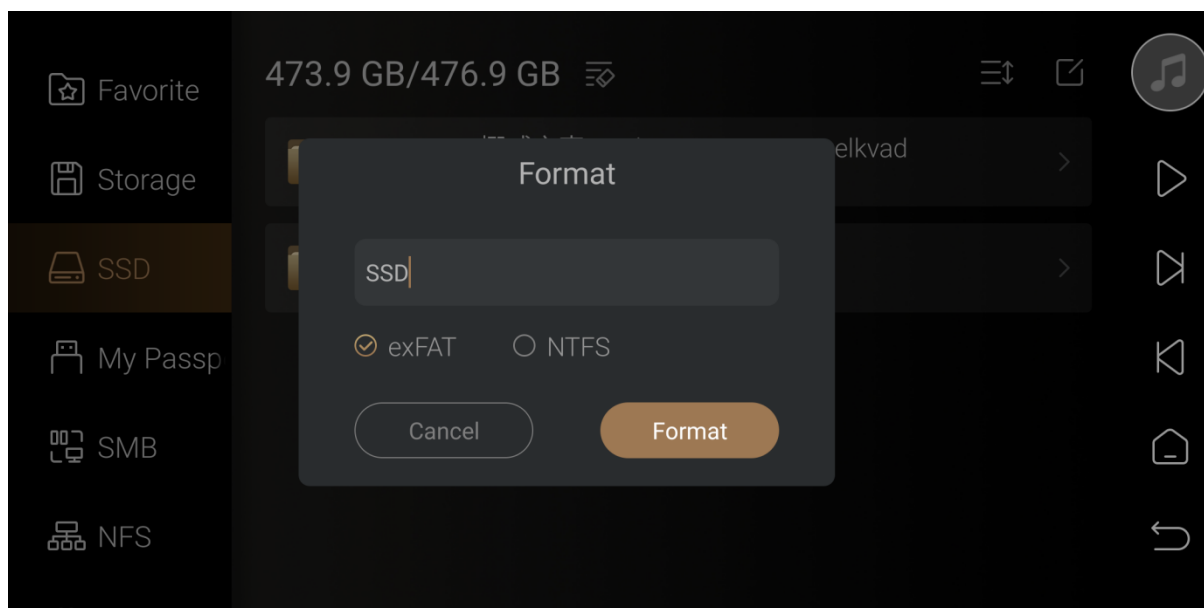
- Click on the drive displayed as "Unknown".
- A menu will pop up; select "Format".

- Click "OK" to proceed.



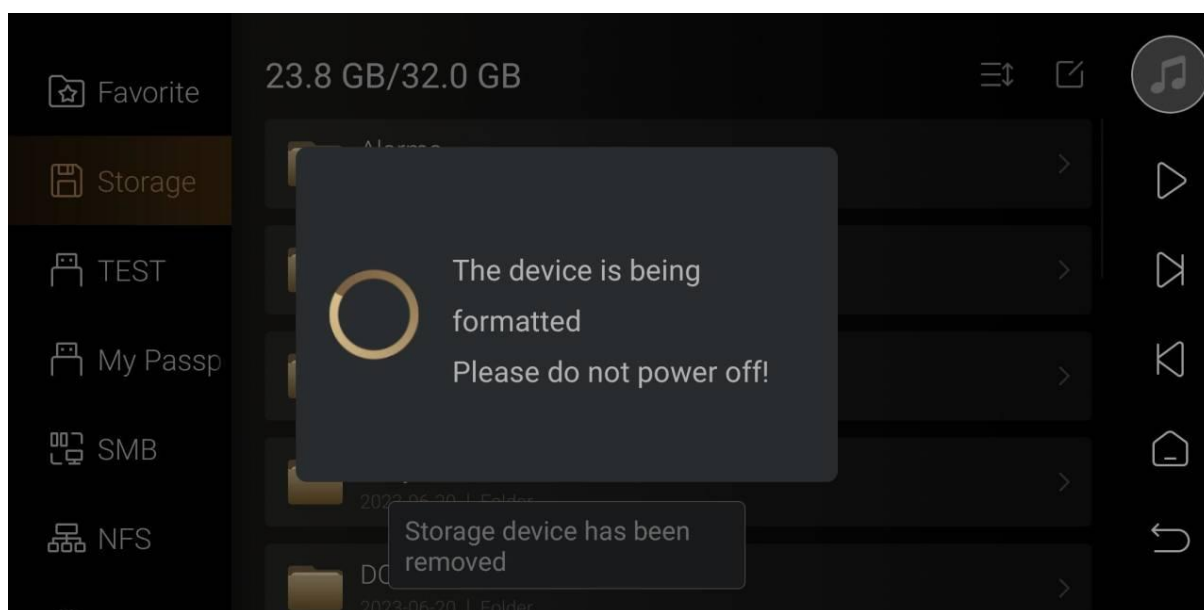
4. Formatting Settings

- **Customize the hard drive volume label name** in the pop-up menu (supports Chinese characters).
- **It is recommended to select the partition format: exFAT.** After configuring the settings, click "**Format**".



5. Wait for Formatting to Complete

The system will automatically perform the formatting operation. Please wait patiently for a few seconds.



6. Confirm Formatting Success

- When the hard drive volume label is displayed at the bottom of the interface, it indicates formatting is complete, and the SSD is ready for normal use.

- **Warm Reminder:** After formatting, the newly recognized hard drive will initially appear at the bottom of the interface. Exit "Files" and re-enter; the drive will automatically be categorized and displayed under the "Storage" directory.

