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Subject: External USB drives with Paris?

Posted by [Sharon](#) on Tue, 19 Jun 2007 19:49:10 GMT

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Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Tue, 19 Jun 2007 20:17:57 GMT

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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Tue, 19 Jun 2007 23:17:22 GMT

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You can buy Firewire cases. Graphite Digital makes hot-swappable Firewire cases. USB is way too slow to use for most anything, IMHO.

Gantt

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Posted by [dc\[3\]](#) on Wed, 20 Jun 2007 00:09:38 GMT

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I'm with the other guys. Firewire is much better for audio.

Here's what I use:

[http://www.seagate.com/www/en-us/products/external/pushbutton\\_backup/](http://www.seagate.com/www/en-us/products/external/pushbutton_backup/)

Pick your capacity.

DC

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Subject: Re: External USB drives with Paris?

Posted by [Martin Harrington](#) on Wed, 20 Jun 2007 10:20:41 GMT

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Hmmm.

I'm using it with PT and Nuendo with NO problems at all.

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Martin Harrington

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"EK Sound" <[askme@nospam.com](mailto:askme@nospam.com)> wrote in message [news:46783b49\\$1@linux...](mailto:news:46783b49$1@linux...)

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