

# SharePort™ NETWORK USB UTILITY

## USER MANUAL

DNS-323

RELEASE 1.00



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# D-Link® SharePort Utility

## Introduction

The D-Link SharePort Utility allows you to share USB devices such as external storage drives and multifunction printers with other users across your network by simply connecting the device to selected D-Link DNS NAS device. This allows you to use an external storage drive or printer located across your network as if it were connected to your local PC.

## System Requirements

- Windows 2000/2003/XP/Vista® 32-bit
- Pentium 3 800GHz or better
- 256MB RAM or higher
- CD-ROM drive
- A compatible D-Link NAS device (DNS-323 C1 with firmware version 1.08 or newer)

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# Installation

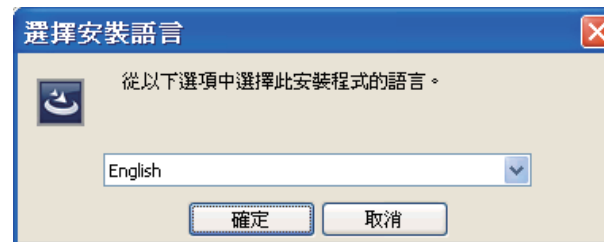
## Install the D-Link SharePort Utility

Carry out the following steps to install the D-Link SharePort Utility:

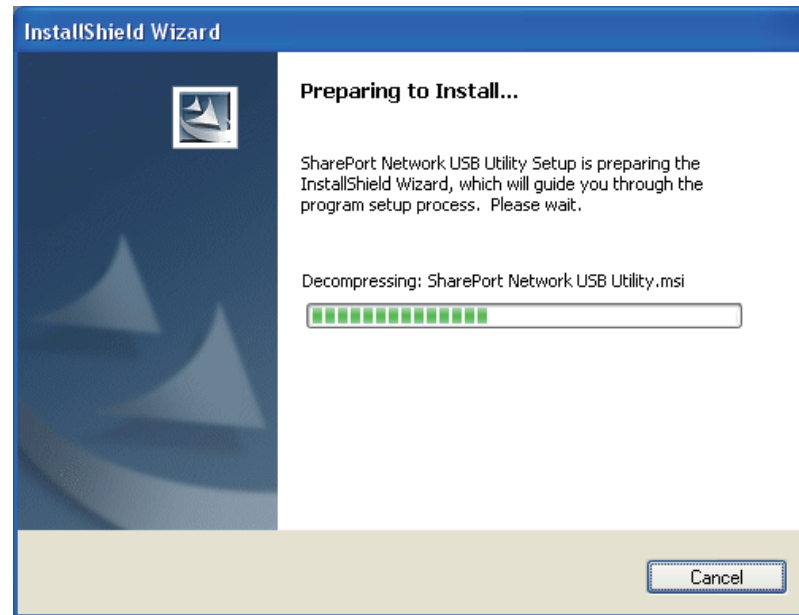
1. Insert the DNS CD into your CD-ROM drive and click the SharePort Utility link from the auto-run menu.

2. Select your language:

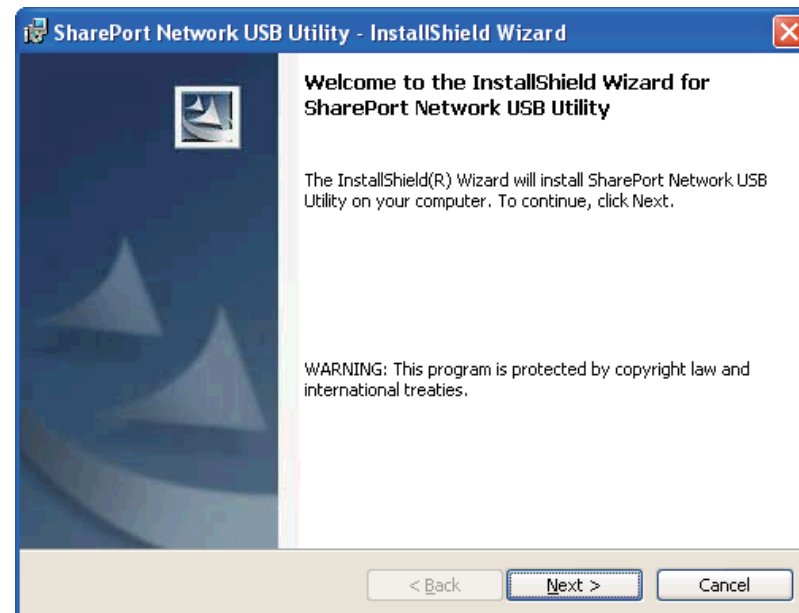
- Click the  button to start the Setup Wizard.



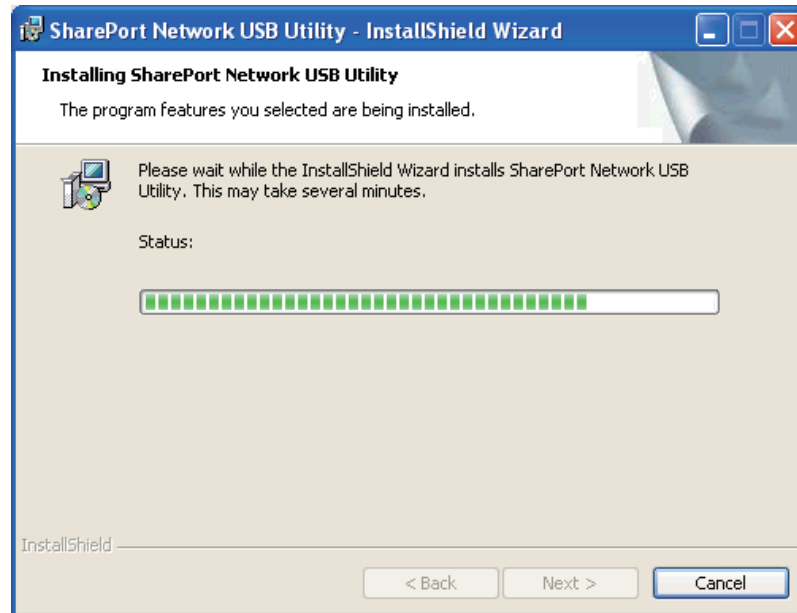
3. Wait while the wizard loads.



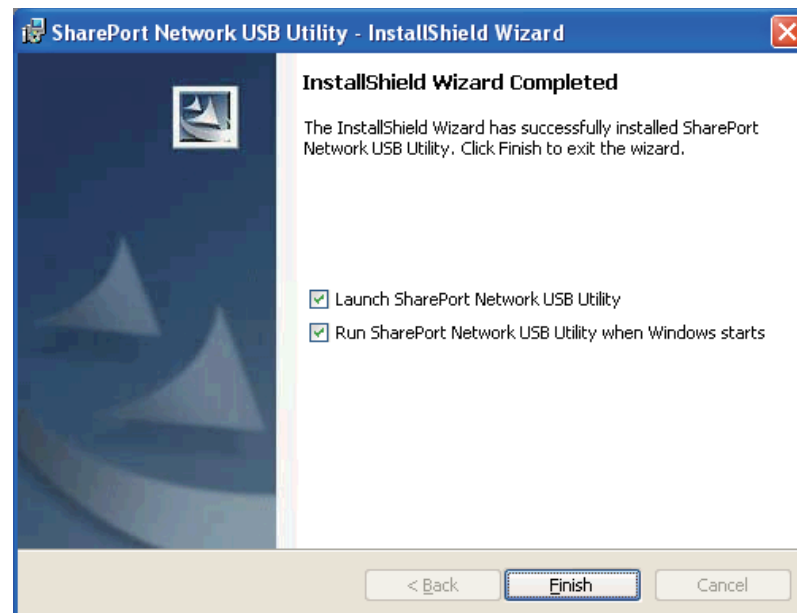
4. Click **Next** to start the wizard:




5. Wait for the installation to complete.



6. Click **Finish** to complete the installation.



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7. The  icon should appear in the notification area of the taskbar.



## Set Up the D-Link NAS Device

1. Connect the D-Link NAS Device to the network.
2. Power on the D-Link NAS Device.
3. Log on to D-Link NAS Device and navigate to the **Advanced>Add-Ons** option:

4. Use the **Browse...** button to navigate to the location of the SharePort Application Add-On.

5. Click the **Apply** button to install the SharePort Application Pack.

**ADD-ONS :**

This section allows you to install application packages onto your system. In addition, you can also install language packages to suit your local language needs.

**APPLICATION PACK :**

File Path :

**LANGUAGE PACK :**

File Path :



6. The SharePort Application Pack will appear in the **Add-Ons Summary** section:

**ADD-ONS SUMMARY :**

🟢:Enable   🟡:Disable   ▶:Start   🛑:Stop

NO.	Module Name	Version	Status	Start/Stop	Delete
1	SharePort	1.00	🟡	▶	🗑

7. Click the **Start** button to enable the SharePort Application Pack.


**ADD-ONS SUMMARY :**

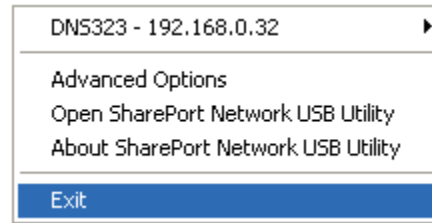
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8. The Status symbol will change to **green** to indicate that the SharePort Application Pack has started.

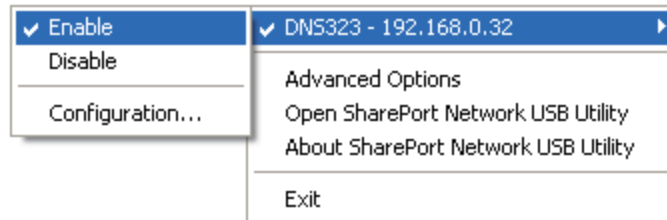
## Enable Network USB on the D-Link NAS Device

1. Right-click the  icon in the Windows System Tray.



2. Select the DNS device from the context menu and select **Enable**.

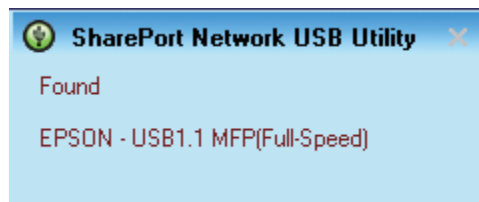
- The  icon in the Windows System Tray should change to a  icon.



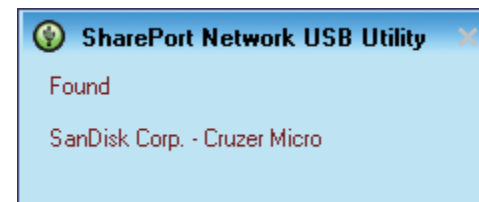
## Connect USB Devices to the D-Link NAS Device

The D-Link SharePort Utility automatically detects connected USB devices. A window will pop up every time a USB device is connected.

Pop-Up Window for USB Printer




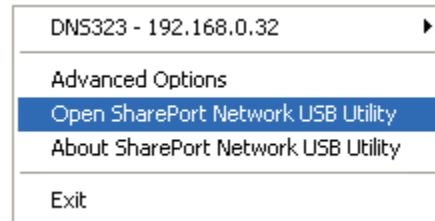
Pop-Up Window for USB Storage Device



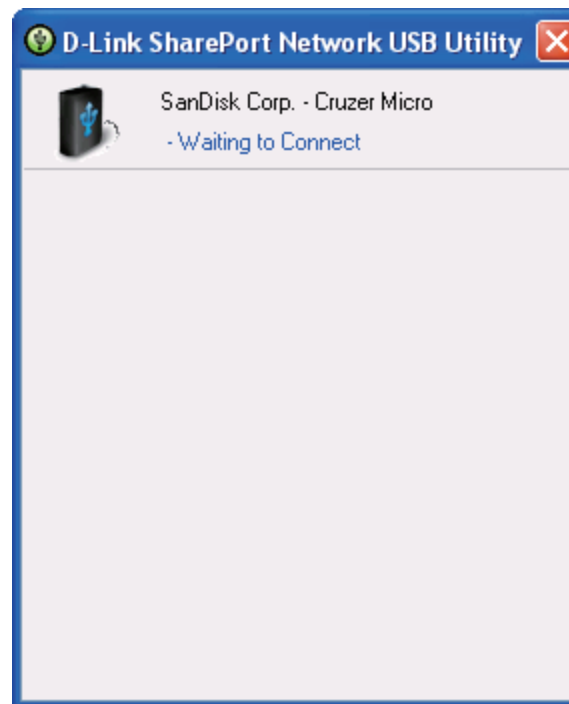
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## Open the D-Link SharePort Utility

1. Right-click on the  icon.
2. Click on **Open SharePort Network USB Utility**.

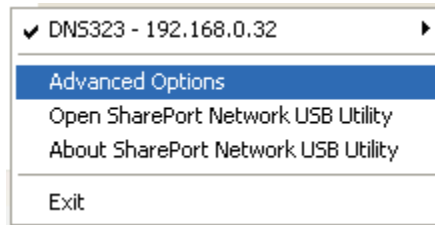


3. The D-Link SharePort Utility displays the connected USB devices on the network.

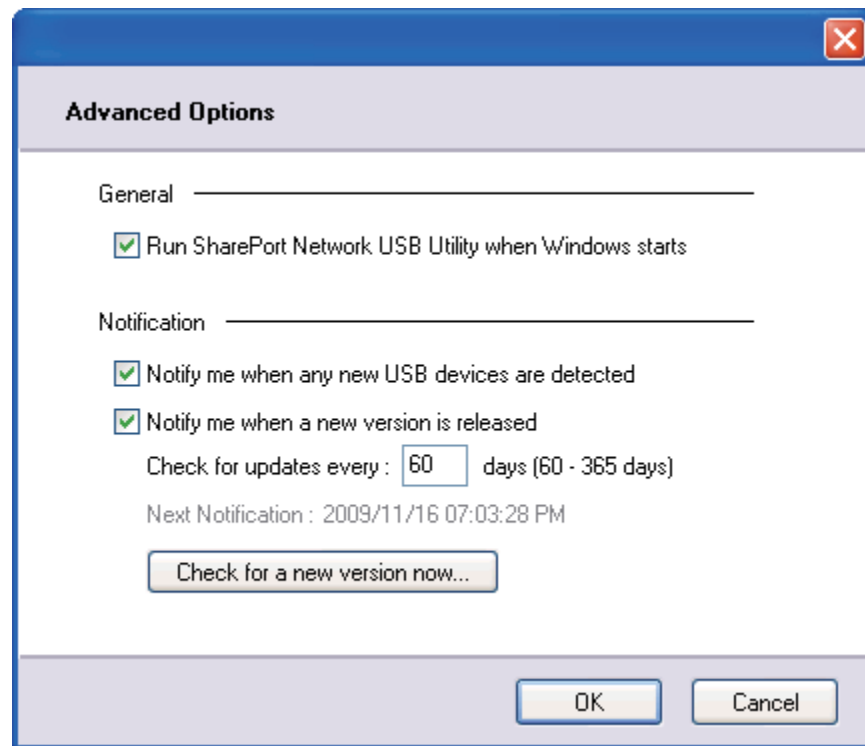


## Configuring Advanced Options

1. Right-click on the  icon.
2. Click on **Advanced Options**.



3. The **Advanced Options** window allows you to configure application start up settings, configure notification settings, and check for new updates.

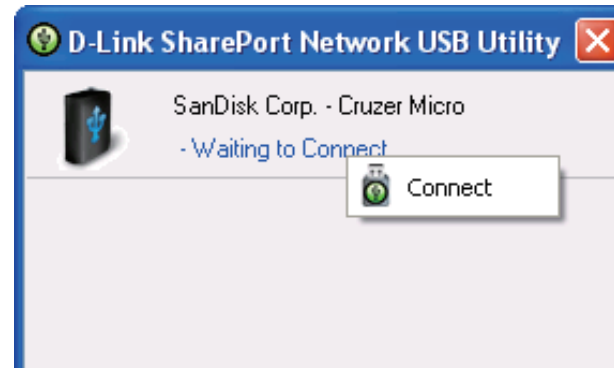


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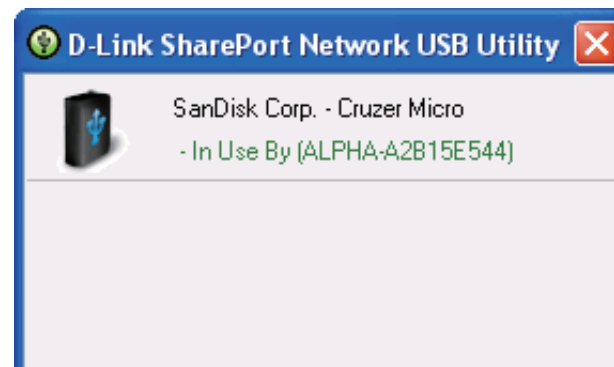
## Virtually Connect and Disconnect a USB Device

Carry out the following to virtually connect a USB device:

1. Move the cursor to **Waiting to Connect** and click on **Connect** to virtually connect to the USB device.



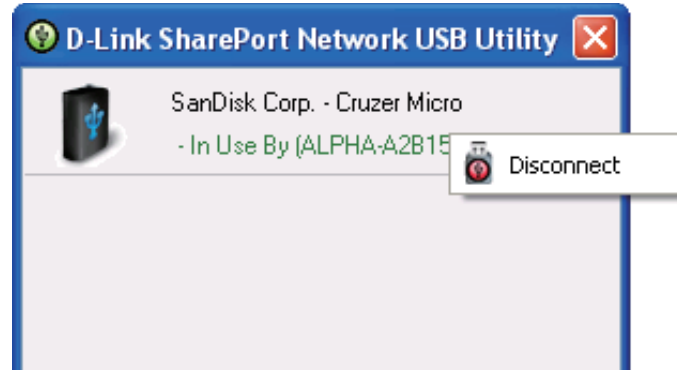
2. The D-Link SharePort Utility displays which user is virtually connected to the USB device.



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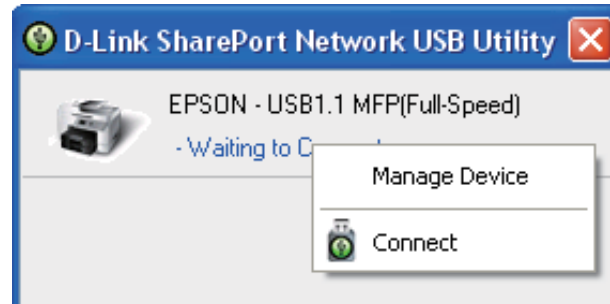
Carry out the following to virtually disconnect a USB device:

1. Move the cursor over **In Use By (Owner)**.
2. Click on **Disconnect** to virtually disconnect the USB device.



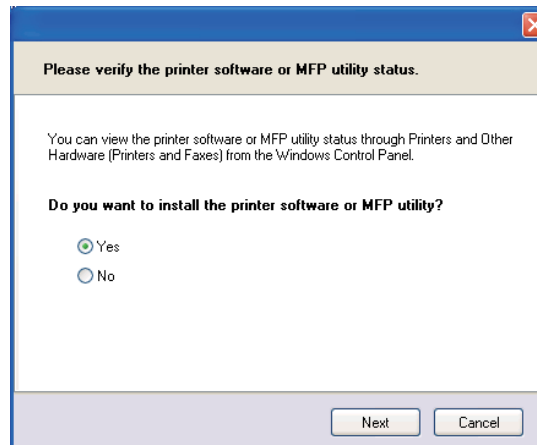
## When the USB Device is a Multifunction Printer

1. Move the cursor to **Waiting to Connect** and click on **Manage Device**.

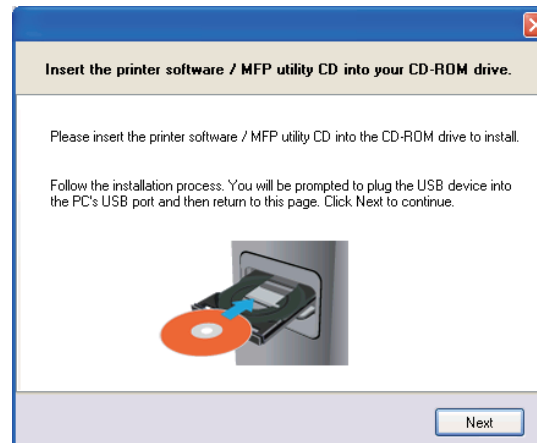


2. Click **Yes** on the question “Do you want to install the printer software or MFP utility?”

Click **Next**.

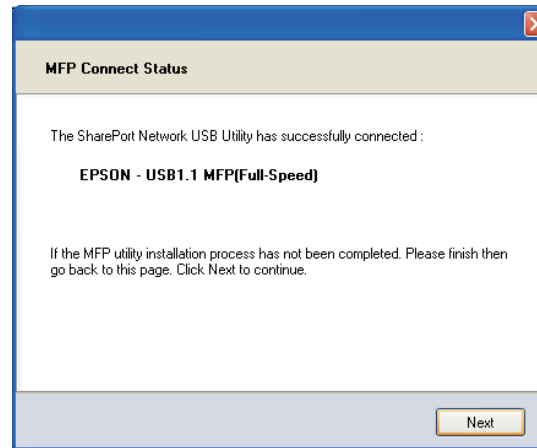


3. Insert the CD-ROM of the multifunction printer and follow the instructions to install the multifunction printer’s driver. When the installation process prompts you to connect the multifunction printer to your PC, click **Next**.

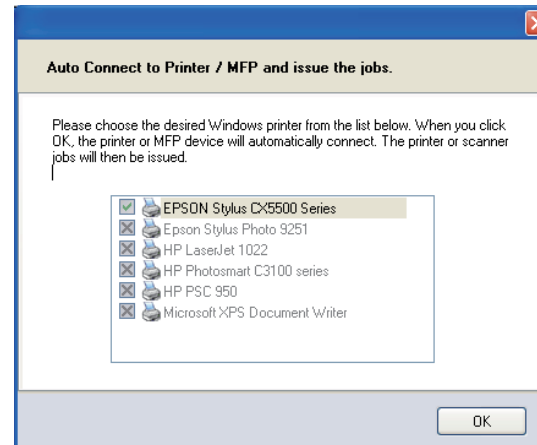


4. The D-Link SharePort Utility virtually connects to the multifunction printer.

Click **Next**.



5. Choose the printer driver that you want the D-Link SharePort Utility to auto-connect to when you print.

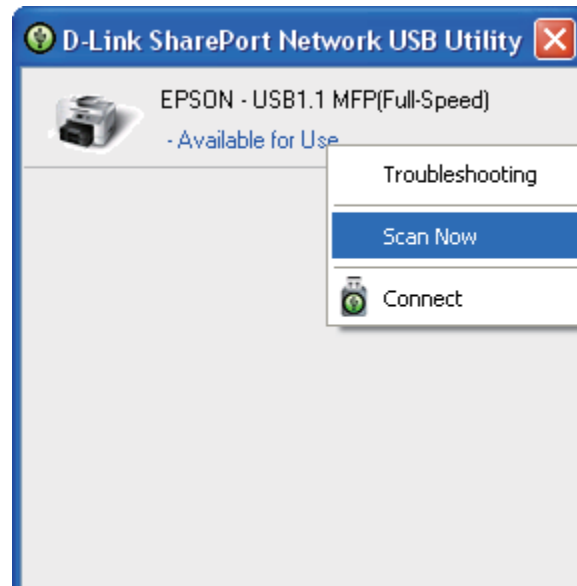




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## When You Want to Scan

1. Move the cursor over **Available for Use**.
2. Click on **Scan Now**.



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