

## What Is a USB OTG Adapter?

USB OTG (On-The-Go) is a technology that lets your Android phone or tablet act as a host so you can connect other USB devices like flash drives, keyboards, mice, or game controllers directly to your phone.

A USB OTG adapter is a small cable or connector that converts your phone's charging port (usually USB-C or micro-USB) into a full-sized USB port so you can plug in standard USB devices.

It essentially transforms your phone into a device that can read and transfer files to/from USB drives or connect peripherals directly without needing a computer.

Most modern Android phones support USB OTG. You can use apps like "USB OTG Checker" to confirm compatibility.

Example uses include:

Transferring photos or documents directly from a USB stick to your phone.

Using a keyboard or mouse with your phone.

Connecting to accessories like printers or game controllers.

For your use case—transferring Notion export files to a USB drive from Android—an OTG adapter lets you plug a USB flash drive into your phone, copy files over, and later connect that USB drive to your MacBook to move files there.

## Recommended USB OTG Adapters

Amazon Basics USB-C to USB Adapter: Simple, reliable, and affordable.

Anker USB-C to USB Adapter: Known for solid build quality and fast data transfer.

Make sure to get the right connector type for your phone (USB-C or micro-USB).

## Best File Manager Apps for Android to Handle Notion Export Files

You'll want a good file manager app on Android to find, copy, and manage your Notion export zip files before transferring or uploading:

**Solid Explorer:** Powerful dual-pane file manager, easy drag & drop, works well with OTG devices and cloud services.

**FX File Explorer:** Clean interface, supports OTG, cloud accounts, and compression (zip/unzip).

Files by Google: Lightweight, basic but easy to use for file browsing and transfers, integrated cleanup.

Total Commander: Feature-rich with add-ons to support network and cloud services, OTG friendly.

Document Readers for Android and Mac That Are Expensive but Reliable

For reading, annotating, or managing complex documents exported from Notion (especially PDFs, ebooks, or office files), these apps and software provide professional-grade features:

Adobe Acrobat Pro (Android & Mac): Industry standard for PDF editing, annotation, and conversion. Very powerful but comes with a subscription cost.

PDF Expert (Mac): Highly regarded Mac app for PDF annotation, form filling, and management.

Foxit PDF Editor (Android & Mac): Robust, lightweight PDF reader and editor with annotation and shared collaboration features.

GoodReader (iOS but some Android alternatives): Known for detailed document handling, great for heavy PDF users (Android has similar apps like Xodo).

These apps provide extensive features for document review and editing, valuable if your Notion exports include complex formats or heavy annotation needs.