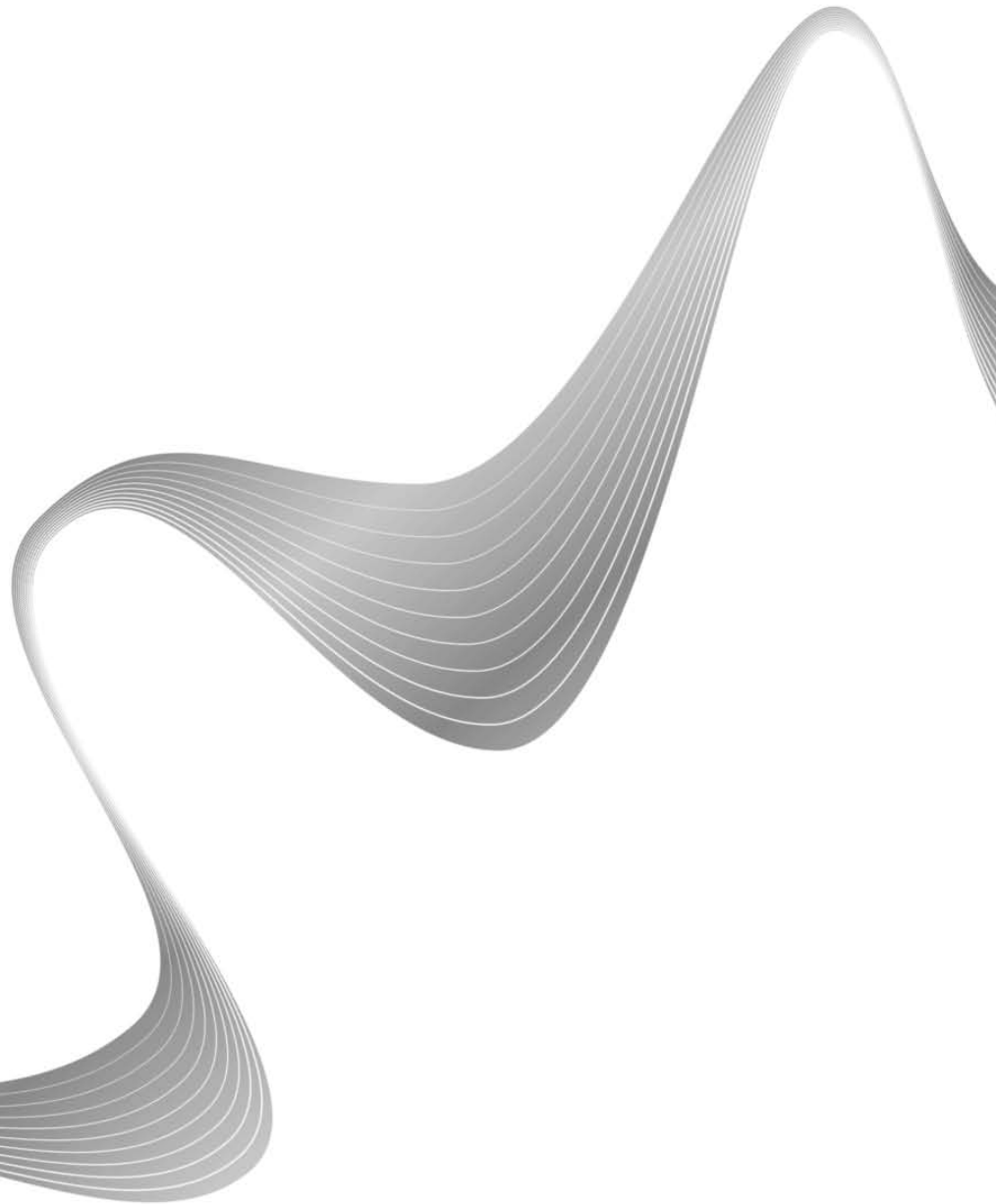


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Nero SecurDisc

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# 1 Start Successfully

## 1.1 About the Manual

This manual is intended for all users who want to learn how to use Nero SecurDisc Viewer. It is process-based and explains how to achieve a specific objective on a step-by-step basis.

To make best use of this documentation, please note the following conventions:

|   |  |
|---|--|
|  | Indicates warnings, preconditions or instructions that have to be precisely followed.                                |
|  | Indicates additional information or advice.  |
| <b>1. Start ...</b>   | The number at the beginning of a line indicates a prompt for action. Carry out these actions in the order specified. |
|  | Indicates an intermediate result.  |
|  | Indicates a result.  |
| <b>OK</b>   | Indicates text passages or buttons that appear in the program interface. They are shown in boldface.                 |
| <b>(see...)</b>   | Indicates references to other chapters. They are executed as links and are shown in red and underlined.              |
| <b>[...]</b>  | Indicates keyboard shortcuts for entering commands.  |

## 1.2 About Nero SecurDisc Viewer

Nero SecurDisc Viewer is a standalone application that is part of the SecurDisc technology platform. SecurDisc is a technology developed by Nero and HLDS to create discs with special protection properties. No special hardware is needed.

Nero SecurDisc Viewer is available as a free download at [www.securdisc.net](http://www.securdisc.net) or [www.nero.com](http://www.nero.com) and is also included automatically in a SecurDisc disc that is burned with Nero Burning ROM or Nero Express.

Discs that are created with Nero and the SecurDisc compilation type include data integrity and reconstruction. Additionally the data on the SecurDisc disc can be protected against unauthorized access by using a password. The data can also be digitally signed. Nero SecurDisc Viewer allows you to copy the protected data to your hard drive and to check the security of the data.

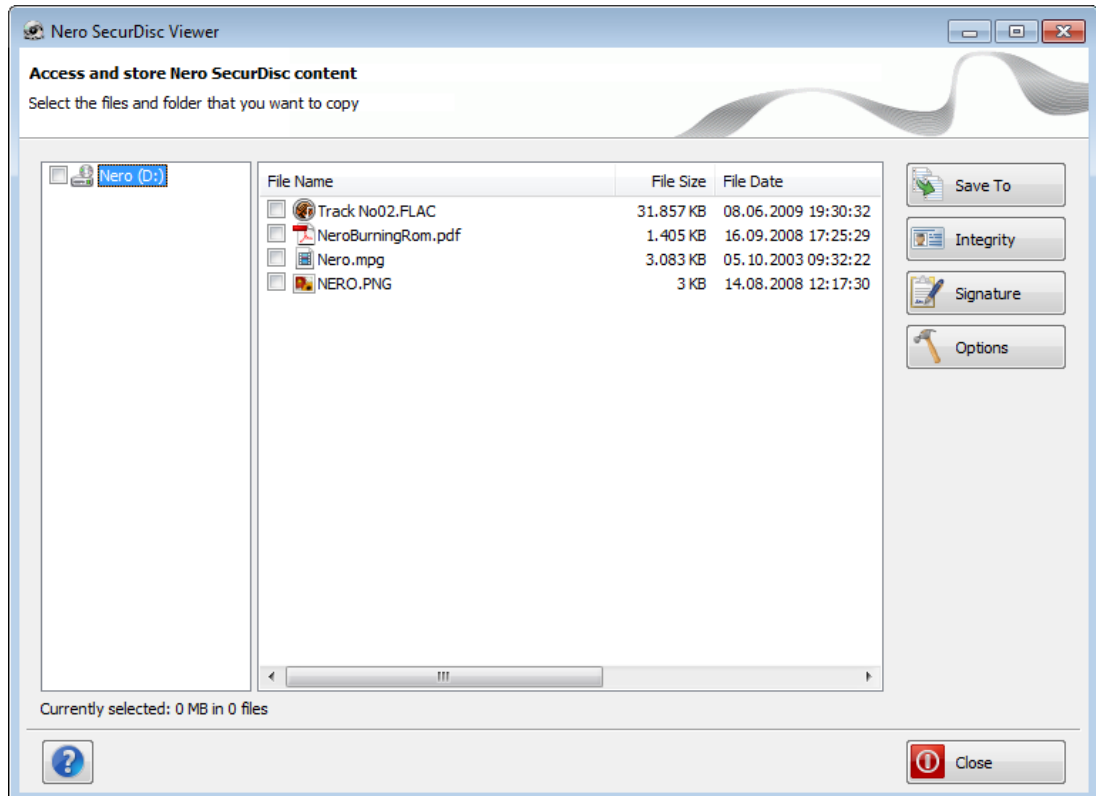


More information on SecurDisc technology can be found at [www.securdisc.net](http://www.securdisc.net).

## 2 Starting Nero SecurDisc Viewer

Nero SecurDisc Viewer is included automatically in a SecurDisc disc that is burned with Nero Burning ROM or Nero Express. Insert the SecurDisc disc in a drive to open Nero SecurDisc Viewer automatically.

Nero SecurDisc Viewer can also be opened by double-clicking the **NeroSecurDiscViewer.exe** file. This file can either be found on the SecurDisc disc or it can be downloaded from [www.securdisc.net](http://www.securdisc.net) or [www.nero.com](http://www.nero.com).



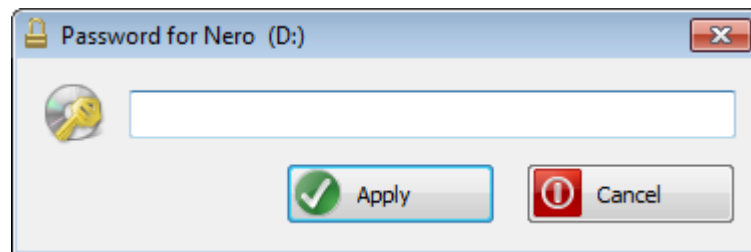
Main screen

### 3 Copying data to hard drive

With Nero SecurDisc Viewer you can copy the files from the SecurDisc disc to your hard drive. If the files have been protected against unauthorized access, you can insert the password here.

Proceed as follows:

1. Select the check boxes of the files you want to copy to the hard drive.
2. Click the **Save to** button.
  - If data on the SecurDisc disc is password-protected, the **Password Protection** window is opened.



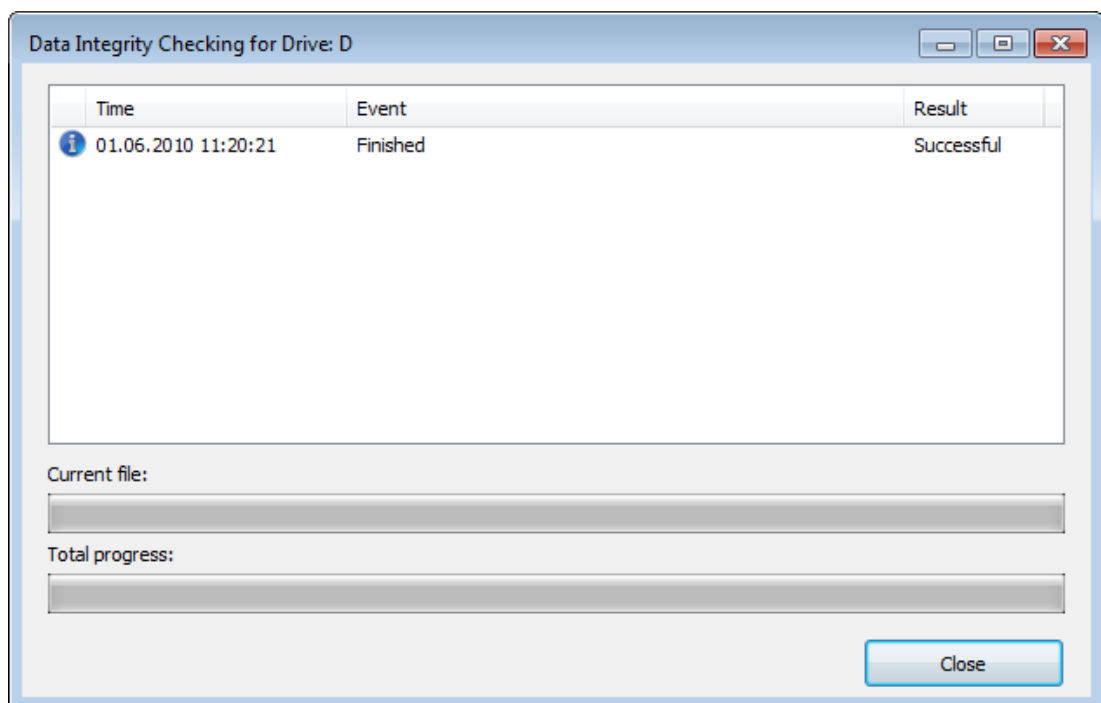
3. Enter the password in the text box and click the **Apply** button.
  - An explorer window is opened.
4. Select the required folder and click the **OK** button.
  - The **Copy Data** window is opened and the files are copied. You can follow the progress with the status bar and the displayed messages. As soon as the copy process is finished, a message is displayed to notify you.
    - The selected files are copied to the selected folder.

## 4 Checking data integrity

Nero SecurDisc Viewer can be used to check the data integrity of a SecurDisc disc by using the checksum feature. The data integrity check warns you if the data on a disc is at risk of disc decay so that you have time to back it up to another disc.

Proceed as follows:

1. Click the **Integrity** button.
  - The **File Integrity Check** window is opened and the integrity check is carried out. You can follow the progress with the status bar and the displayed messages.
  - As soon as the integrity check is finished, a message is displayed to notify you about the result of the check.



## 5 Checking signature

With Nero SecurDisc Viewer you can verify the authenticity of the SecurDisc disc if it is digitally signed. You need the public key from the distributor of the SecurDisc disc for this purpose. By checking the public key, Nero SecurDisc Viewer is able to confirm that the data is authentic and has not been manipulated.

Proceed as follows:

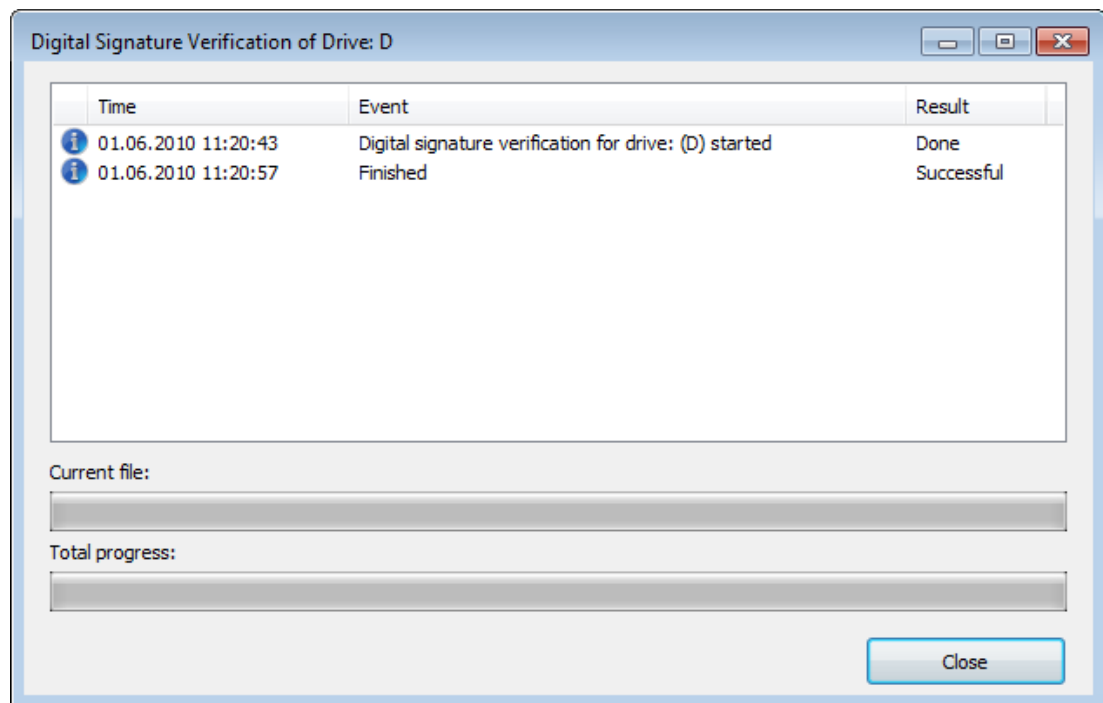
1. Click the **Signature** button.
  - An explorer window is opened.
2. Select the public key (\*.bpk) which the SecurDisc disc is signed with.



### Public key

The creator of the SecurDisc disc has also created or selected the public key for the disc. The key is to be distributed by the creator of the disc, too.

3. Click the **OK** button.
  - The explorer window is closed and the **Check** window is opened.
  - The signature is checked. You can follow the progress with the status bar and the displayed messages.
    - As soon as the copy process is finished, a message is displayed to notify you about the result of the check.





## **6 Technical Information**

### **6.1 Supported Operating Systems**

- Windows 2000
- Windows 2003
- Windows XP
- Windows Vista (32 bit)

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