

Here at the ser-cat beamlines  
USER support staff have  
experienced failure of USERs  
firewire drives with metal cases

It is typically at the beamline to  
run a firewire drive for a long  
duty cycle. During this use  
they increase in temperature  
significantly



the firewire drive failure is  
attributed to insufficient  
cooling of the drive during long  
duty cycles, and thus thermal  
failure.

**Firewires and metal  
cases = meltdown**



*Dual firewire and USB2.0 support is great, but metal  
cases should be avoided!*

