Control Data® 91208 Lark™ Module Cartridge

Designed for Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM)



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The Control Data 91208 Lark Module Cartridge is an 8-megabyte, removable, single-disk, data storage cartridge for use with the CDC® Model 9455 Lark Module Drive.

The cartridge consists of an oxidecoated disk clamped to a hub and encased in a plastic housing. Both surfaces are used for data storage, servo positioning and index/timing. Pre-recorded information includes data for servo positioning and sectoring.

The Lark cartridge is enclosed in a permanent plastic housing with a head access door. When the cartridge is inserted into the drive, a door actuator arm opens the head access door. When the cartridge is removed, the door closes automatically, protecting the disk from contamination.

The Lark cartridge is designed for a minimum of 5,000 insertion/removal cycles. The top cover has a ribbed area to aid in handling. The disk and hub are constrained to prevent disk contact with the interior of the housing during normal handling.



Specifications

CDC Drive compatibility		9455
Number of disks		1
Number of recording surfaces		2
Data surfaces		2
Data storage		
Total capability (8-bit bytes)		8 MB
Track density		237 TPI
Primary data tracks		
per recording surface		202
Alternate data tracks		
per recording surface		4
Transfer rate		9.67 MHz
Operating Speed		3510 r/min (+88 - 133)
Environmental		
Temperature range, operating		10°C to 57°C
		(50°F to 135°F)
Temperature range, non-operating		35°C to 65°C
		(-30°F to 150°F)
Relative humidity, operating		8 to 80% RH
Relative humidity, non-operating		8 to 80% RH
Wet bulb temperature, operating	4	26°C (78°F) max
Wet bulb temperature, non-operating		29°C (85°F) max
Physical characteristics		
Height		1 inch
Length		8.375 inches
Width		8.030 inches
Weight		1.5 pounds

Specifications subject to change without notice.

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