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20/40-GB DAT DDS-4 8 Cassette Autoloader 166504-B21 (Internal) 166505-001

(External)

The Compaq 20/40-GB DAT 8
Cassette Autoloader includes an integrated DDS-4 DAT Drive and changer mechanism with convenient access to an eight cassette magazine, allowing you to develop a media management tape rotation scheme for scheduled backups of servers 40 GB or less.

Industry Standard DDS-4

The DDS-4 technology has a drum rotation speed of 8,503 rpm while the tape moves at 11.6 mm/s. Features of the format allow a linear bit density greater than DDS-3, which increases transfer rate and capacity.

Investment Protection

The 20/40-GB DAT autoloader uses a compatibility mode to read and write DDS-1, DDS-2, DDS-3 and DDS-4 tapes. This offers investment protection for users who have standardized with the DAT technology. Users will also have the ability to restore archived media from previous backups and interchange with previously shipping Compaq DDS-3 6 and 8 cassette Autoloader drives.

Lowers TCO with Automation

Automated DAT backup systems offer lower total cost of ownership with a higher storage capacity and performance than a stand alone tape backup drive and is targeted at the price sensitive environments.

Operating Environment Support

Microsoft Windows NT	Supported on NT v4.0 with VERITAS Backup Exec v7.3 for NT and CA ARCserveIT v6.61 for NT. Both software packages require optional autoloader modules.
Novell Netware v4.x & 5.x	Supported on Netware v4.x and 5.x with VERITAS Backup Exec v8.5 for Netware and CA ARCserveIT v6.61 for Netware. Both software packages require optional autoloader modules

Option Kit Contents

20/40-GB DAT DDS-4 8 Cassette Autoloader Internal

20/40-GB DAT drive w/loader mechanism

Documentation 8 Cassette Magazine

1 Data Cassette and 1 Cleaning Cassette

Live Trial Software

20/40-GB DAT DDS-4 8 Cassette Autoloader External

20/40-GB DAT drive w/loader mechanism in an enclosure

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Power Cord

External LVD SCSI Cable Live Trial Software

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SPECIFICATIONS

Warranty

Maximum The remaining warranty of the Compaq Server product in or onto which it

is installed (to a maximum three-year limited warranty)

(Certain restrictions and exclusions apply. Consult the Compaq Customer Support Center for details. In Canada, consult the Product Information

Center at 1-800-567-1616 for details.)

Minimum Three year parts, one year next-business day exchange

Liquid Crystal Display (LCD)

The dot matrix front panel information display provides user-friendly information on the autoloader's operating status, potential error conditions, current cassette and magazine status.

Recommended Maximum Server Size

40 GB

Performance Specification

Native (maximum)8.4 GB/hourNative (typical)6.0 GB/hour2:1 Compression (maximum)16.8 GB/hour2:1 Compression (typical)15 GB/hour

Note: Typically, users will be able to compress their data at a 2 to 1 ratio; however, compression ratios will vary based

on the type of data being compressed.

Cartridge Swap Time 50 seconds/average
Load Time 58 seconds/average
Unload Time (depending on tape type and position) 32 seconds to 160 seconds

Search Speed 45 seconds average file access for any part of a 150 meter

tape

Maximum Formatted Capacity (unattended)

8-Cassette Magazine

Without compression 160 GB Based on typical 2:1 compression ratio 320 GB

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Mechanical Measurements

Tape Width 0.15 in/3.81 mm
Tape Length 492 ft/150 m

Dimensions (HxWxD) 3.25 x 5.75 x 9.51 in/82.5 x 146 x 241.6 mm

Weight 5.258 lbs/2.4 kg

Tape Speed

Read/Write0.46 ips/11.6 mm/sHead to Tape Speed262 ips/6,670 mm/sRewind/Fast Forward130 x Read/Write Speed

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SPECIFICATIONS (continued)

Tape Format

Recording Method Helical Scan Bytes/Group 38,4296 Data Frame/Group 22 Density/Inch 122,000 Flux Reversal/Inch 1,524,000 Track Density/Inch 2,793 Data Encoding Method **PRML** Data Transfer Rate 2.3 MB/s

Error Detection/Correction Reed-Solomon-3 levels

Reliability Cartridge Swaps > 100,000

MTBF 250,000 hours at 30% duty cycle

RELATED OPTIONS

20-GB DAT Cassette (10 pack)152842-001DAT Cleaning Cassette242781-0018-Cassette Magazine W/7 Data Cassette and 1 Cleaning Cassette171532-B21

COMPATIBILITY

Enterprise Servers

Compaq ProLiant 8000 Family

Compaq ProLiant 7000 Family

Compag ProLiant 6000 Family

Compaq ProLiant 5000 Family

Compaq ProLiant 4000 Family

Corporate Servers

Compaq ProLiant 3000 Family

Compaq ProLiant 2000 Family

Compaq ProLiant 1000 Family

SMB Servers

Compaq ProLiant 800

Compaq ProLiant 400

Alpha Servers

Alpha Server GS Family

Alpha Server ES Family

Alpha Server DS Family

Alpha Server 800

Alpha Server 1200/AS4100

Controllers

Alpha based servers

KZPBA-CA (UWSE)

KZPBA-CB (UWD)

KZPCM-DA (UWSE)

KZPCA-AA (UWLVD/SE)

Intel based servers

 32-bit Fast Wide SCSI-2/E
 142290-001

 Dual Channel Wide-Ultra SCSI-3
 295554-B21

 Wide-Ultra SCSI-3
 272514-001

 64-bit Dual Channel (LVD)
 348757-B21