

Product Change Notification

NAND Flash Transition from WD BiCS4 to WD BiCS5: ST250-M280

Release date: Oct. 29, 2021

Dear Valued Customers,

Apacer hereby announces the product change notice of ST250-M280 series with NAND flash transition plan from WD BiCS4 to WD BiCS5. Details of changing description are listed below:

PCN Number:	E211029-05	Release Date:	Oct. 29, 2021
Affected Product Model	ST250-M280		
Subject			
NAND flash transition from WD BiCS4 to WD BiCS5 in ST250-M280 series			
Description of Change			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NAND flash transition from BiCS4 to BiCS5 is compliant to NAND flash market supply trend for future supply, and BiCS5 flash in ST250-M280 series passed Apacer qualification tests. Firmware version changes to SFMD6110 for supporting WD BiCS5 NAND flash. 			
Recommended Action			
To ensure future supply continuity, Apacer recommends to qualify ST250-M280 with WD BiCS5 NAND flash for following affected part numbers:			
Description of Product Change			
The new part numbers are listed below:			
Capacity	Existing	Capacity	New
64GB	A52.25CGGA.00178	256GB	A52.25CJGA.002D8
128GB	A52.25CHGA.00178		
256GB	A52.25CJGA.00178		
512GB	A52.25CKGA.00178	512GB	A52.25CKGA.002D8
1TB	A52.25CLGB.00178	1TB	A52.25CLGB.003D8
Schedule			
Sample Available Date: 2021/11/01			

Apacer will provide every necessary support to ensure a smooth transition. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this notice, please contact Apacer sales representatives.

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