

MG09 SERIES

CLOUD-SCALE CAPACITY HDD

The MG09 Series provides 18 TB^[1] of conventional magnetic recording (CMR) capacity. The industry-standard 3.5-inch^[2] form-factor provides 7200 rpm performance, and integrates easily into cloud-scale storage infrastructure, business-critical servers and storage, and File and Object storage solutions.

Toshiba's leadership in precision industrial laser welding technology is put to use to permanently seal helium inside the 9-disk mechanics. The helium-sealed design reduces aerodynamic drag to significantly lower the drive's operational power profile, which helps deliver critical TCO benefits for data center infrastructures. The sealed design and corrosion resistant electronics also mitigate against life-time failure modes due to air bourn pollutants and other environmental factors.

The massive 18 TB CMR capacity is delivered using Toshiba's innovative Flux Control Microwave Assisted Magnetic Recording (FC-MAMR) technology. These advances help the MG09 Series to achieve optimum storage capacity and application compatibility, with unsurpassed data reliability. Available with either a SATA 6.0 Gbit/s or a 12.0 Gbit/s SAS interface^[3], the MG09 Series models integrate easily into standard 3.5-inch drive bays to help reduce the footprint and operational burden of cloud-scale storage infrastructure, File and Object storage systems, and business critical servers and storage systems.



Product image may represent a design model.

KEY FEATURES

- 18 TB capacity
- Conventional Magnetic Recording (CMR) for broad compatibility
- Toshiba Flux Control Microwave-assisted Magnetic Recording (FC-MAMR) Technology
- Industry-leading 9-disk helium-sealed design for superior storage density
- Industry Standard 3.5-inch 26.1 mm height Form Factor
- 7200 rpm Performance
- Choice of SATA 6.0 Gbit/s and 12.0 Gbit/s SAS Interfaces
- Lower operational power profile, providing excellent power efficiency (W/TB) for better TCO
- 550 Total TB Transferred per Year Workload Rating^[4]
- 512e or 4Kn Advanced Format Sector Technology; (512e Model) Includes Toshiba Persistent Write Cache Technology for Data-Loss Protection in Sudden Power-Loss Events
- Sustained transfer rate and power efficiency improvements vs. prior MG Series generations
- Sanitize Instant Erase (SIE) option model and Self Encrypting Drive (SED) option model^[5]

APPLICATIONS

- Cloud-scale Server and Storage Infrastructure
- Software-defined data center infrastructure
- File- and Object-based storage infrastructure
- Tiered Storage Infrastructure Solutions
- Workloads and Use-Cases that Benefit from High Capacity per Spindle disk drives
- Capacity-Optimized Cloud-scale and Rack-Scale Storage Systems
- Compliance Data Archives and Data Life-Cycle Management Storage Systems
- Data Center Data-Protection and Data Back-up Infrastructure

SPECIFICATION

Item		MG09ACA18TA MG09ACA18TE MG09ACA18TAY MG09ACA18TEY MG09ACP18TA MG09ACP18TE	MG09ACA16TA MG09ACA16TE MG09ACA16TAY MG09ACA16TEY MG09ACP16TA MG09ACP16TE
Interface		SATA-3.3	
Formatted Capacity		18 TB	16 TB
Performance	Interface Speed ^[3]	6.0 Gbit/s, 3.0 Gbit/s, 1.5 Gbit/s	
	Rotation Speed	7200 rpm	
	Buffer Size	512 MiB ^[7]	
	Maximum Sustained Data Transfer Speed ^[6] (Typ.)	268 MiB/s	
Logical Data Block Length	MG09ACAxxxA/AY	4096 B	
	MG09ACPxxxA		
	MG09ACAxxxE/EY ^[8] MG09ACPxxxE ^[8]	Host:512 B, Disk:4096 B	
Supply Voltage	Allowable Voltage	12 V ^[9] ± 10 % / 5 V ^[9] + 10 % / -7 % ^[10]	
Power Consumption	Write / Read 4KB Q1(Typ.)	8.35 W	
	Active Idle (Idle-A) (Typ.)	4.16 W	
Acoustics ^[11]	Active Idle (Typ.)	20 dB	

Item		MG09SCA18TA MG09SCA18TE MG09SCA18TAY MG09SCA18TEY MG09SCP18TA MG09SCP18TE	MG09SCA16TA MG09SCA16TE MG09SCA16TAY MG09SCA16TEY MG09SCP16TA MG09SCP16TE
Interface		SAS-3.0	
Formatted Capacity		18 TB	16 TB
Performance	Interface Speed	12.0 Gbit/s, 6.0 Gbit/s, 3.0 Gbit/s, 1.5 Gbit/s	
	Rotation Speed	7200 rpm	
	Buffer Size	512 MiB ^[7]	
	Maximum Sustained Data Transfer Speed ^[6] (Typ.)	268 MiB/s	
Logical Data Block Length	MG09SCAxxxA/AY	4096 B / 4160 B / 4224 B	
	MG09SCPxxxA		
	MG09SCAxxxE/EY ^[8] MG09SCPxxxE ^[8]	Host:512 B Disk:4096 B Host:520 B Disk:4160 B Host:528 B Disk:4224 B	
	Supply Voltage	Allowable Voltage	12 V ^[9] ± 10 % / 5 V ^[9] + 10 % / -7 % ^[10]
Power Consumption	Write / Read 4KB Q1(Typ.)	8.74 W	
	Active Idle (Idle-A) (Typ.)	4.54 W	
Acoustics ^[11]	Active Idle (Typ.)	20 dB	

ENVIRONMENTAL LIMITS

Item	Specification	
Ambient temperature	Operating	5 °C to 55 °C (No condensation)
	Non-Operating ^{[12][13]}	- 40 °C to 70 °C (No condensation)
Enclosure surface temperature	Operating ^[11]	5 °C to 60 °C (No condensation)
Relative Humidity	Operating	5 % to 90 % R.H. (No condensation)
	Non-Operating	5 % to 95 % R.H. (No condensation)
Altitude	Operating	- 305 m to 3048 m
	Non-Operating ^[12]	- 305 m to 12 192 m
Shock ^[14]	Operating	686 m/s ² { 70 G } (2 ms duration)
	Non-Operating	2450 m/s ² { 250 G } (2 ms duration)
Vibration ^[14]	Operating ^[15]	7.35 m/s ² { 0.75 G } (5 to 300 Hz) 2.45 m/s ² { 0.25 G } (300 to 500 Hz)
	Non-Operating ^[16]	29.4 m/s ² { 3.0 G } (5 to 500 Hz)

RELIABILITY

Item	Specification
MTTF / AFR ^[17]	2 500 000 hours / 0.35 %
Non-recoverable Error Rate	10 error per 10 ¹⁶ bits read
Load / Unload	600 000 times
Availability	24 hours/day, 7 days/week
Rated Annual Workload	550 TB per year

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Item	Specification
Width (Max)	101.85 mm
Height (Max)	26.1 mm
Length (Max)	147.0 mm
Weight (Max)	720 g

- [1] Definition of capacity: Toshiba defines a terabyte (TB) as 1 000 000 000 000 bytes. A computer operating system, however, reports storage capacity using powers of 2 for the definition of 1TB = 2⁴⁰ = 1 099 511 627 776 bytes and therefore shows less storage capacity. Available storage capacity (including examples of various media files) will vary based on file size, formatting, settings, software and operating system, such as Microsoft Operating System and/or pre-installed software applications, or media content. Actual formatted capacity may vary.
- [2] "3.5-inch" mean the form factor of HDDs. They do not indicate drive's physical size.
- [3] Read and write speed may vary depending on the host device, read and write conditions, and file size.
- [4] Workload is defined as the amount of data written, read or verified by commands from host system.
- [5] SED supports TCG Enterprise SSCs. And the HDDs which have any security function may not be available in the countries where the use of such HDDs is prohibited or limited due to export control and local regulations.
- [6] The maximum sustained data rate and interface speed may be restricted to the response speed of host system and by transmission characteristics.
1 Gbit/s = 1 000 000 000 bits/s. 1 MiB/s = 1 048 576 bytes/s
- [7] A mebibyte (MiB) means 2²⁰, or 1 048 576 bytes.
- [8] Read-modify-write is supported.
- [9] Input voltages are specified at the HDD connector side, during HDD ready state.
- [10] Make sure the value is not less than -0.3 V DC (less than -0.6 V, 0.1 ms) when turning on or off the power.
- [11] The measuring method is based on ISO 7779.
- [12] Non-operating condition (except storage condition) assumes short term transportation.
- [13] The range of altitude is 3048 m or less. Up to 55 °C at 7620 m. Up to 40 °C at 12 192 m.
- [14] Vibration applied to the HDD is measured at near the mounting screw hole on the frame as much as possible.
- [15] At random seek write/read and default on retry setting with log sweep vibration.
- [16] At power-off state after installation
- [17] MTTF (Mean Time to Failure) of the HDDs during its life time is 2 500 000 hours and AFR (Annualized Failure Rate) is 0.35 %. (POH: 8760 hours per one year (24 hours per one day, 7 days per one week). Average HDA surface temperature: 40 °C or less, workloads: 550 TB per one year, which is defined as the amount of data written, read or verified by commands from host system). Continual or sustained operation at case HDA surface temperature above 40 °C may degrade product reliability.