



Ultrastar® 7K2

Highlights

- Up to 2TB capacity¹ in a standard 3.5-inch form factor
- Enhanced RAFF™ anti-vibration technology for robust performance in multi-drive environments
- Reliable, field-proven design
- SATA 6Gb/s with 512-byte (512n) supports legacy enterprise applications
- 2M hours MTBF² rating & 5-year limited warranty

Applications/Environments

- RAID arrays
- Massive scale-out (MSO) data centers
- Data warehousing & mining
- Cloud storage
- Enterprise NAS
- Disk-to-disk backup & archiving
- Legacy mainstream enterprise capacity applications that require 512n block size



2TB & 1TB | 7200 RPM
SATA 6Gb/s 512n



Value to the Data Center with Performance-optimized Capacity for High-intensity Applications

Data centers that need fast access to data in Tier 2 environments need look no further. The HGST Ultrastar 7K2 delivers fast data access in capacity-optimized, enterprise-class storage systems. Enhanced RAFF™ technology in the 7K2 includes sophisticated electronics to monitor the drive and correct both linear and rotational vibration disturbances in real time—especially helpful in multi-drive arrays and rack-mounted systems maintaining high read/write performance. Designed to handle workloads up to 550TB per year, the Ultrastar 7K2 delivers up to 2TB of affordable storage capacity for high-intensity applications in enterprise-class environments.



Maximize Your Data Center Application Investment with Proven Storage Technology

Data centers face growing pressures to store more with flat-to-shrinking budgets. Keeping systems operational for as long as possible to maximize investments can be an effective part of the strategy, but supporting those legacy applications becomes even more challenging as drive technologies move to next generation formats and interfaces. The 7K2 has a SATA 6Gb/s interface and native 512-byte (512n) sector size to provide consistent, high performance and compatibility with legacy data center applications. Dual-stage actuator technology provides a head positioning system that improves positional accuracy over the data tracks, enabling data to be written to and read from the drive more reliably. Trust HGST to deliver storage options that allow data centers to get the most from their hardware investment.



Designed with Data Center Requirements in Mind

Multi-axis shock sensor technology automatically detects the smallest shock events and compensates to protect stored data. RAID-specific, time-limited error recovery reduces drive fallout caused by extended hard drive error-recovery processes. Ramp load/unload technology keeps the recording heads away from the disk media during idle time and power down, ensuring significantly less wear to the recording heads and media as well as better drive protection in transit. Through the use of dynamic fly height technology, each read-write head's fly height is adjusted in real time for optimum reliability and performance. With a 2M hour MTBF rating and a 5-year warranty, rely on Ultrastar 7K2 to deliver capacity, performance and reliability for more value to your data center.

Features & Benefits

Feature / Function	Benefits
Capacity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2TB and 1TB • Popular capacity points for high-intensity applications
Performance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dual-stage actuator • Rotational vibration sensor technology • SATA 6Gb/s with 512n sectors • 128MB cache buffer • Accurate head positioning, especially in multi-drive environments, for better performance, data integrity and reliability • Maintains drive performance in high rotational vibration environments and multi-drive systems • Supports legacy enterprise systems • Improves response time and data management
Reliability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RAID-specific time-limited error recovery • RAFF™ vibration compensation technology • Multi-axis shock sensor • Load/unload ramp technology • 2M hours MTBF² and 0.44% AFR² • 5-year limited warranty • Reduces drive fallout caused by extended hard drive error-recovery processes • Helps maintain performance in high-vibration environments, common in multi-drive systems • Automatically detects the smallest shock events and compensates to protect the data • Protects user data when power is removed • High reliability rating • Enterprise-class warranty rating



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Specifications

	SATA
Model / Part No.	HUS722T2TALA604 / 1W10002 HUS722T1TALA604 / 1W10001
Configuration	
Interface	SATA 6Gb/s
Capacity ¹ (TB)	2TB // 1TB
Sector size (bytes)	512 native (512n)
Max. areal density (Gbits/sq. in)	638
Performance	
Data buffer ³ (MB)	128
Rotational speed (RPM)	7200
Latency average (ms)	4.2
Interface transfer rate (MB/s, max)	600
Sustained transfer rate ⁴ (MiB/sec, typ.)	191 // 175
(MB/sec, typ.)	200 // 184
Seek time ⁵ (read/write, ms, typical)	7.7 / 8.3
Reliability	
Error rate (non-recoverable, bits read)	1 in 10 ¹⁵
Load/Unload cycles (40°C)	600,000
MTBF ² (M hours)	2.0
Annualized Failure Rate ² (AFR)	0.44%
Availability (hrs/day x days/wk)	24x7
Warranty (yrs)	5
Acoustics	
Idle/Operating (Bels, typical)	2.5 // 2.8
Power	
Requirement	+5V, +12V
Operating (W, typical)	8.1
Idle (W)	5.9
Power consumption efficiency at idle (Watts/TB)	2.95 // 5.9
(Watts/GB)	0.00295 // 0.0059
Physical size	
z-height (mm)	26.1
Dimensions (width x depth, mm)	101.6 (+/-0.25) x 147 (max)
Weight (g, typical)	640 (+/-10%)

	SATA
Environmental (operating)	
Ambient temperature	5° to 60° C
Shock (half-sine wave, G, read operation)	65 (2 ms)
Vibration (G RMS, 10 to 300 Hz)	1.08 (XYZ)
Environmental (non-operating)	
Ambient temperature	-40° to 70° C
Shock (half-sine wave, G)	300 (2ms)
Random Vibration (G RMS, 10 to 300 Hz)	3.8 (XYZ)

¹ One MB is equal to one million bytes, one GB is equal to one billion bytes and one TB equals 1,000GB (one trillion bytes) when referring to hard drive capacity. Accessible capacity will vary from the stated capacity due to formatting and partitioning of the hard drive, the computer's operating system, and other factors.

² MTBF and AFR targets are based on a sample population and are estimated by statistical measurements and acceleration algorithms under median operating conditions for this drive model. MTBF and AFR ratings do not predict an individual drive's reliability and do not constitute a warranty.

³ Portion of buffer capacity used for drive firmware

⁴ MiB/s is 2²⁰ bytes, MB/s is 10⁶ bytes

⁵ Excludes command overhead

How to read the Ultrastar model number

Example: HUS722T2TALA604 = 7200 RPM, 2TB, 512n SATA 6Gb/s

H = HGST

U = Ultrastar

S = Standard

72 = 7200 RPM

2T = Full capacity — 2TB (2,000GB)

2T = Capacity this model (2T = 2TB, 1T = 1TB)

A = Generation code

L = 26.1mm z-height

A6 = Interface, 512n SATA 6Gb/s

0 = Reserved

4 = Data Security Mode

(Secure Erase - overwrite only)

HGST Quality and Service

Ultrastar 7K2 extends the HGST brand's product offerings for capacity-enterprise environments. The proven drive design enables high reliability and availability to customer data. Ultrastar quality, performance and world class technical support and service provides customers with a lower total cost of ownership over previous generations. HGST drives are backed by an array of technical support and services, which may include customer and integration assistance. The HGST brand is dedicated to offering a complete portfolio of HDD and SSD products to help the world harness the power of data.

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