



Tape Drive Specification Summary

| Format | Manufacturer | Model/ Version | Native | | Typical Compressed | | | Estimated Street Price | Shipping Status |
|---------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| | | | Cap. (GB) | Data Rate (MB/sec) | Typ. Ratio | Cap. (GB) | Data Rate (MB/sec) | | |
| 3570 | IBM | Magstar MP | 5 | 2.2 | 3:1 | 15 | 6.6 | \$8,000 | Now |
| 3590 | | Magstar | 20 | 10 | 3:1 | 60 | 30 | \$28,000 | Now |
| 4mm | Several | DDS4 | 20 | 2.2 | 2:1 | 40 | 4 | \$500 | Now |
| 4mm | Several | DDS5/DAT72 | 36 | 3 | 2:1 | 72 | 6 | \$900 | Now |
| 8mm | Exabyte | Mammoth | 20 | 3 | 2:1 | 36 | 6 | \$2,900 | Discont. |
| 8mm | | Mammoth 2 | 60 | 12 | 2:1 | 120 | 24 | \$5,000 | Now |
| 8mm/VXA | Exabyte/Ecrix | VXA-1 | 33 | 3 | 2:1 | 66 | 6 | \$800 | Now |
| 8mm/VXA | Exabyte/Ecrix | VXA-2 | 80 | 6 | 2:1 | 160 | 12 | \$1,000 | Now |
| AIT | Sony | AIT | 25/35 | 3 | 2.6:1 | 65/91 | 7.8 | \$1,200 | Discont. |
| AIT | | AIT-2 | 50 | 6 | 2.6:1 | 130 | 15.6 | \$2,500 | Discont. |
| AIT | | AIT-3 | 100 | 12 | 2.6:1 | 260 | 31.2 | \$4,500 | Now |
| AIT | | AIT-4 | 200 | 24 | 2.6:1 | 520 | 62.4 | \$6,500 | Q304 |
| DLT-1 | Quantum | DLT VS80 | 40 | 3 | 1.8:1 | 80 | 6 | \$1,500 | Now |
| DLT-1 | | DLT VS160 | 80 | 8 | 2:1 | 160 | 16 | \$2,000 | Now |
| DLT | | DLT-4000 | 20 | 1.5 | 1.8:1 | 36 | 2.7 | \$1,200 | Discont. |
| DLT | | DLT-7000 | 35 | 5 | 1.8:1 | 63 | 9 | \$3,500 | Discont. |
| DLT | | DLT-8000 | 40 | 6 | 1.8:1 | 72 | 10.8 | \$4,000 | Now |
| SDLT | | SDLT 220 | 110 | 11 | 2:1 | 220 | 22 | \$6,000 | Discont. |
| SDLT | | SDLT 320 | 160 | 16 | 2:1 | 320 | 32 | \$7,000 | Now |
| SDLT | | SDLT 600 | 300 | 36 | 2:1 | 600 | 72 | \$9,900 | Now |
| DTF | Sony | DTF1 | 42 | 12 | 3:1 | 126 | 36 | \$15,000 | Now |
| DTF | | DTF2 | 84 | 24 | 3:1 | 256 | 72 | \$25,000 | Now |
| LTO | IBM | LTO 1 | 100 | 16 | 2:1 | 200 | 32 | \$6,500 | Now |
| LTO | IBM | LTO 2 | 200 | 35 | 2:1 | 400 | 70 | \$8,500 | Now |
| SAIT | Sony | SAIT-1 | 500 | 30 | 2.6:1 | 1.3 TB | 78 | \$15,000 | Now |