

New Software Version 1.36 for FFD 3.5" Ultra Wide and Ultra Narrow SCSI

Description

A new s/w version no' 1.36 was released for the FFD 3.5" Ultra Wide SCSI and the FFD 3.5" Ultra Narrow SCSI which replaces the current 1.33 s/w version. Major change is to support NAND flash component with 0.13 micron process which commonly available in the market in addition to the 0.16 micron process which have lower availability. The unformatted capacity of the FFD is unchanged. The section in the FFD which is allocated for the internal managing of the FFD was increased from 4% to 6% to support additional bad blocks. As a result the capacity available for the user was reduced from 96% to 94%. (1.34 and 1.35 were intermediate versions).

Ordering Information

The ordering information is as follows:

Product	Capacity (MB)	Updated Ordering Information
FFD 3.5" Ultra Wide SCSI FFD 3.5" Ultra Narrow SCSI	All capacities	FFD35US-CCCC-T-Pxx CCCCC - Indicates disk capacity T – Indicates operating temperature range: Blank: Commercial 0°C to +70°C N: -25c to +75c X: Extended -40°C to +85°C P – Indicates the connector no' P50 – 50 pin connector P86 – 68 pin connector P80 – 80 pin connector

Reason for Change

Lower availability of NAND flash components of 0.16 micron process.

Availability

FFD 3.5" Ultra Wide SCSI and FFD 3.5" Ultra Narrow SCSI will be shipped from 1st December 2003 with 1.36 s/w version. Customers that prefer to keep previous s/w version, based on market availability of 0.16 micron process NAND flash, for new ordered units are required to approach M-Systems and a special ordering information will be given to indicate FFD 3.5" Ultra Wide SCSI and FFD 3.5" Ultra Narrow SCSI with an older s/w version.

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