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Engineering Information Notice (EIN)

PRODUCT AFFECTED

For Generic, Standard, KPM7 series

KPM71RUGxxxx Series: 1 DWPD
KPM71RUG1T92: SDFU005GyAzz
KPM71RUG3T84: SDFU004GyAzz
KPM71RUG7T68: SDFU003GyAzz
KPM71RUG15T3: SDFU001GyAzz
KPM71RUG30T7: SDFU000GyAzz

KPM71VUGxxxx Series: 3 DWPD
KPM71VUG1T60: SDFUY05GyAzz
KPM71VUG3T20: SDFUY04GyAzz
KPM71VUG6T40: SDFUY03GyAzz
KPM71VUG12T8: SDFUY01GyAzz

For Generic, SIE, KPM7 series

KPM7XRUGxxxx Series: 1 DWPD
KPM7XRUG1T92: SDFU085GyBzz
KPM7XRUG3T84: SDFU084GyBzz
KPM7XRUG7T68: SDFU083GyBzz
KPM7XRUG15T3: SDFU081GyBzz
KPM7XRUG30T7: SDFU080GyBzz

KPM7XVUGxxxx Series: 3 DWPD
KPM7XVUG1T60: SDFUY85GyBzz
KPM7XVUG3T20: SDFUY84GyBzz
KPM7XVUG6T40: SDFUY83GyBzz
KPM7XVUG12T8: SDFUY81GyBzz

For Generic, SED, KPM7 series

KPM7VRUGxxxx Series: 1 DWPD
KPM7VRUG1T92: SDFU055GyBzz
KPM7VRUG3T84: SDFU054GyBzz
KPM7VRUG7T68: SDFU053GyBzz
KPM7VRUG15T3: SDFU051GyBzz
KPM7VRUG30T7: SDFU050GyBzz

KPM7VVUGxxxx Series: 3 DWPD
KPM7VVUG1T60: SDFUY55GyBzz
KPM7VVUG3T20: SDFUY54GyBzz
KPM7VVUG6T40: SDFUY53GyBzz
KPM7VVUG12T8: SDFUY51GyBzz

For Generic, FIPS, KPM7 series

KPM7WRUGxxxx Series: 1 DWPD
KPM7WRUG1T92: SDFU075GyBzz
KPM7WRUG3T84: SDFU074GyBzz
KPM7WRUG7T68: SDFU073GyBzz
KPM7WRUG15T3: SDFU071GyBzz
KPM7WRUG30T7: SDFU070GyBzz

KPM7WVUGxxxx Series: 3 DWPD
KPM7WVUG1T60: SDFUY75GyBzz
KPM7WVUG3T20: SDFUY74GyBzz
KPM7WVUG6T40: SDFUY73GyBzz
KPM7WVUG12T8: SDFUY71GyBzz

(Note: y: E/F. zz: 01/02/04/05)

CLASSIFICATION

- Electrical
- Mechanical
- Others

LEVEL

- Hardware
- Software (firmware)
- Document
- Manufacturing
- Others

IMPLEMENTATION

- Factory
- Customer side
- As required
- Repaired
- Retrofit kit required

PRIORITY

- Urgent
- Immediate
- Routine

REVISION LEVEL

For Generic, Standard/SIE/SED/FIPS, KPM7 series

Item	Content	New
EC Rev.	A2	A3
FW Rev.	0104	0105

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE

1. Fixed issues

(1): ChipKill

Problem: The host IO CMD may get timed out and shows SNS=04/40/C2 (Diagnostic failure) at the next drive power-cycle. This issue cannot be resolved by power-cycling the drive.

Cause: When the drive's internal processes detect significant errors in a specific flash memory die, the drive has a feature called die retirement, which allows it to continue functioning normally while preserving user data. However, if the die retirement occurs during a prioritized compaction operation, the drive's firmware mistakenly falls in an endless loop. When the drive is powered off in this state, the power-loss-protection (PLP) function does not operate correctly, resulting in the SNS=04/40/C2 error upon the next drive power-on.

Fix: The drive's firmware has been updated to prevent entering an endless loop in the above-mentioned situation.

Severity: High

Likelihood: Low

(2): Incorrect Data

Problem: When the host system issues multiple Log Sense CMDs or multiple Read Defect Data CMDs in a short time of period, the drive may report incorrect data to host.

Cause: The drive was deigned to execute one Log Sense (or Read Defect Data) CMD at a time, but when the drive was in the low power idle mode, there is a small time window to execute multiple Log Sense CMD (or Read Defect Data CMD) at the same time. The 2nd command process will refer the memory space where the 1st command process was used and cleared, resulting incorrect data to be send back to the host.

Fix: Modify the drive FW to take care of the host command dispatcher not to execute multiple maintenance commands (such as Log Sense and Read Defect Data) at a time.

Severity: Low

Likelihood: Middle

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(3): FW Assert

Problem: PM7 RI 15.36TB, MU 12.8TB and RI 30.72TB models may report SNS=04/44/E0 (FW Assert) when the drive was in the IDLE_A power save mode.

Cause: When the drive gets into the power save mode, the FE (Frontend) CPU will go into the sleep mode with a certain time period of the timer to wake up by itself. However, when the drive internal process during FE Sleep mode takes a longer time (about 2sec), the calculated value of the timer may be unexpectedly zero, resulting the timer never expired. So that the FE CPU also never wake up, and assert condition happens.

Fix: Set the minimum value (5ms) if the calculated timer value is less than 5msec.

Severity: High

Likelihood: Low

DATE OF APPLICATION

This change is applied to the factory line from July 2025

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