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The first use of these disk drives was in specific applications such as laptop portable computers in which space was at a premium and time to market with the latest machine was an important factor. System integrators worked individually with vendors to develop the packaging. The result was wide diversity, and with space being such a major consideration in packaging, it was not possible to replace one vendor's drive with a competitive product.

The desire to reduce disk drive sizes to even smaller dimensions such as 1.8" and 1.3" made it likely that devices would become even more constrained in dimensions because of a possibility that such small devices could be inserted into a socket, not unlike the method of retaining semiconductor devices.

The problems faced by integrators, device suppliers, and component suppliers led to the formation of an industry ad hoc group to address the marketing and engineering considerations of the emerging new technology in disk drives. After two informal gatherings on the subject in the summer of 1990, the SFF Committee held its first meeting in August.

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1.0 Introduction

The objective of this proposed draft standard is to provide the following enhancements to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) due to the additions of new device types, i.e. Non-CD Optical drives, 120 MB floppy drives and Magneto Optical Device. These devices add enhancements such as rewritability and concepts of multiple logical unit numbers within one device.

1.1 Abstract

This document defines a standard method for interfacing to a Rewritable Removable Media drive utilizing the existing ATA host computer hardware and cabling. This specification supplements the definitions of an ATA mass storage peripheral found in the ATA document. The Rewritable ATAPI interface described in this document is compatible with existing ATA hardware without any changes or additional pins.

1.2 Scope

This document is intended to be used with the ATA document. Its purpose is to highlight those areas of implementation in which the Rewritable ATAPI interface and the ATA document differ. In addition, it indicates areas within the ATA document that are modified for operation in the Rewritable ATAPI environment. Both mandatory and optional specifications are presented.

1.3 Audience

This document is intended for use by computer system, peripheral and chip set vendors.

1.4 Normative References

The following standards contain provisions which, when referenced in the text of this standard, constitute provisions of this Specification. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this Specification are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards indicated below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

American National Standard Institute X3T13/1153D **ATA/ATAPI-4**

American National Standard Institute X3T10/Project 1236-D Information technology – **SCSI Primary Commands – 2 (SPC-2)**

American National Standard Institute X3T10/Project 996-D Information technology – **SCSI-3 Block Commands (SBC)**

American National Standard Institute X3T10/1228D Information Technology - **SCSI-3 Multimedia Commands – 2**

Small Form Factor Committee Specification of **ATA Packet Interface for CD-ROMs SFF-8020i Revision 2.6**

ECMA - 240: **Data Interchange on 120mm Optical Disk Cartridges using Phase Change PD Format - Capacity: 650MBytes per cartridge**

Microsoft Corporation: **Media Status Notification Support Specification, Version 1.03**

1.5

Layout of the Document

Table 1 - Layout of the Document

Section 1. "Introduction"	Description of Abstract, Scope, etc.
Section 2. "General"	Description of Overview, Feature Summary
Section 3. "Conventions"	Description of Conventions. Refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAP-4) in chapter 3 - Definitions, abbreviation, and conventions.
Section 4. "ATAPI Overview"	Description of ATAPI Overview. Refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAP-4) in chapter 6 - General operational requirements.
Section 5. "ATAPI Protocol"	Description of ATAPI Protocol. Refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAP-4) in chapter 9 - Protocol.
Section 6. "ATAPI Transport Mechanism"	Description of ATAPI Transport Mechanism. Refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAP-4) in chapter 7 - Interface register definitions and descriptions.
Section 7. "Removable Media Status Notification and Removable Media feature set"	Description of Removable Media Status Notification and Removable Media feature set. Refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAP-4) in chapter 6, clause 6.14 - Removable Media Status Notification and Removable Media feature set.
Section 8. "ATA Commands"	Description of ATA Commands. Refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAP-4) in chapter 8 - Command Descriptions.
Section 9. "Packet Commands for Block Device"	Description of Block Packet commands for Generic Rewritable Removable Media device.
Section 10. "Non-CD Optical Device Model"	Description of Non-CD Optical Device Model, e.g. PD drives.
Section 11. "Removable Direct Access Model"	Description of Removable Direct Access Device Model, e.g. 120 MB Floppy drives.
Section 12. "Magneto Optical Device Model"	Description of Magneto Optical Device Model.

1.6 Patents

The developers of this specification have requested that holders of patents that may be required for the implementation of the specification disclose such patents to the publisher. However, neither the developers nor the publisher have under-taken a patent search in order to identify which, if any, patents apply to this specification.

No position is taken with respect to the validity of any claim or any patent rights that may have been disclosed. Details of submitted statements may be obtained from the publisher concerning any statement of patents and willingness to grant a license under these rights on reasonable and nondiscriminatory terms and conditions to applicants desiring to obtain such a license.

1.7 Unresolved Issues

This section identifies issues that are still unresolved.
Note at this time, there are no unresolved issues.

1.8 Change History

Revision 1.0 was published in May 23, 1996.

1.0 to 1.1 October 1996

- Layout of document was adjusted to SFF-8020i Revision 2.6.
- All fonts of text were changed to Arial from Times Roman.
- Many small editorial and clarification changes.
- The description of "Packet LUN field to be obsoleted in this standard. Only ATA LUN field is to be used" was deleted.
- Last LUN Identifier (Word 126) and Media Status Notification, Device Write Protect (Word 127) in Identify Device Information were clarified.
- FOV bit was added to FORMAT UNIT command.
- SRFP bit in Removable Block Access Capabilities Page was clarified.
- 00b of Descriptor Code in READ FORMAT CAPACITIES command was deleted.
- ASC/ASCQ (04/04, 25/00, 30/00, 30/02, 4E/00, 53/02) were added.
- Table of "Action for Eject/Load Disc" was added to START/STOP UNIT command.
- Sense Key Specific field was added to Request Sense Standard Data.

1.1 to 1.2 November 1998

- Reference to SFF-8020i R2.6 was deleted. Instead of SFF-8020i R2.6, refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4).
- READ (12) and WRITE (12) have been changed to option.
- TB bit in Read-Write Error Recovery Page was added.
- Caching Page was added.
- SFLP bit in Removable Block Access Capabilities Page was deleted.
- Timer & Protect Page has been changed to option.
- Added "Magneto Optical Device Model".

2.0

General

2.1 Overview

The primary objective of this standard is to add the rewritable feature for the Removable Rewritable Media Device (i.e. PD, SuperDisk (LS-120), MO) and support for multiple Logical Units numbers to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4).

2.2 Feature Summary

This clause provides an abbreviated list of the perceived requirements upon which the development of this specification was based.

- Provide Generic Rewritable command set
- Support for Multiple LUN
- Support for Generic capacity format
- Support for Multiple Floppy Formats
- Support for Media Status Notification
- Support for multiple block size (i.e. 512,1024,2048 bytes)

3.0 Conventions

Please refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) for further details in chapter 3 - Definitions, abbreviations, and conventions.

4.0 ATAPI Overview

Please refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) for further details in chapter 6 - General operation requirements.

5.0 ATAPI Protocol

Please refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) for further details in chapter 9 - Protocol.

6.0

ATAPI Transport Mechanism

Please refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) for further details in chapter 7 - Interface register definitions and descriptions.

ATAPI Block Device Select Register (ATA Drive/Head Select Register) has the following deviations.

6.1 ATAPI Block Device Select Register (ATA Drive/Head Select Register)

Table 2 - ATAPI Block Device Select Register

D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
1	Reserved	1	DRV	Reserved	LUN		

LUN (Logical Unit Number) **shall** be used when communicating with the ATAPI Block Device capable of supporting multiple LUN. For those devices capable of supporting LUN, they **shall** report the Total LUN field as a Non-zero value in Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (See "Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh) Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh)" on page 43).

Bit 7 and Bit 5 have been obsoleted by X3T13/1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) at the time of publication.

The LUN value is sent to/from the ATAPI Block Device. When the LUN is sent from the host to the ATAPI Block Device there are two fields that can be used. The LUN in ATAPI Block Device Select Register and the LUN in Command Packet. When the LUN in Command Packet is used for a non-zero, then the LUN in ATAPI Block Device Select Register **shall** contain either zero or the same value. When the LUN in Command Packet is not used, then the value **shall** be zero.

Table 3 - Definitions for LUN

LUN in ATAPI Block Device Select Register	LUN in Command Packet	Action
0	0	Select LUN 0
0	1-7	Select LUN 1-7
1-7	0	Select LUN 1-7
1-7	1-7	if different then action is vendor-specific

7.0 Removable Media Status Notification and Removable Media feature sets

Please refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) for further details in Chapter 6, clause 6.14 – Removable Media Status Notification and Removable Media feature sets.

8.0

ATA Commands

8.1 ATA Command Implementation Requirements

Please refer to X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4) for further details in chapter 8 - Command Descriptions.

The ATAPI Block Device **shall** support the mandatory commands listed below for the PACKET command feature set.

In addition, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** support GET MEDIA STATUS.

Table 4 - ATA command for the ATAPI Block Device

Command	Command Code	Reference
CHECK POWER MODE	E5h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
DEVICE RESET	08h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
EXECUTE DEVICE DIAGNOSTICS	90h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
GET MEDIA STATUS	DAh	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
IDENTIFY PACKET DEVICE	A1h	Section 8.1.1 Identify Device Packet (A1h) on page 20
IDLE IMMEDIATE	E1h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
NOP	00h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
PACKET	A0h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
SET FEATURE	EFh	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
SLEEP	E6h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)
STANDBY IMMEDIATE	E0h	X3T13 1153D (ATA/ATAPI-4)

8.1.1 Identify Device Packet (A1h)

Table 5 - Identify Device Information for ATAPI Block Device

Word	Bits	Description	Used	Fixed/Variable
0		General Configuration	Mandatory	Fixed
1		Cylinders	No	
2		Reserved	No	
3		Heads	No	
4		Number of unformatted bytes per track - vendor specific	No	
5		Number of unformatted bytes per sector - vendor specific	No	
6		Number of sectors per track	No	
7-9		Reserved	No	
10-19		Serial Number	Optional	Fixed
20		Vendor specific	No	
21		Vendor specific	No	
22		ECC bytes available	No	
23-26		Firmware revision (18 ASCII characters)	Mandatory	Fixed
27-46		Model Number (40 ASCII characters)	Mandatory	
47		Multiple Sector Command, Sector Count	No	
48		Reserved	No	
49		Capabilities: LBA bit shall be supported; DMA, IORDY, Overlap and Standby bits are optional.	Mandatory	

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50		Reserved	No	
51		PIO Cycle Timing	Mandatory	Fixed
52		DMA Cycle Timing	Mandatory	Fixed
53	15 - 2 1 0	Reserved Fields in words 64-70 valid Fields in words 54-58 valid	Mandatory	Fixed Fixed Variable
54 - 56		Current Cylinder/Heads/Sectors	No	
57-58		Current Capacity	No	
59		Reserved	No	
60-61		User Addressable Sectors	No	
62	15 - 8 7 - 0	Single word DMA transfer mode active Single word DMA transfer modes supported	Mandatory	Variable Fixed
63	15 - 8 7 - 0	Multiword DMA Transfer Mode Active Multiword DMA Transfer Modes Supported	Mandatory	Variable Fixed
64	15 - 8 7 - 0	Reserved Advanced PIO Transfer Mode Supported	Mandatory	Fixed
65		Minimum Multiword DMA Transfer Cycle Time Per Word (ns)	Mandatory	Fixed
66		Manufacturer's Recommended Multiword DMA Transfer Cycle Time (ns)	Optional	Fixed
67		Minimum PIO Transfer Cycle Time without Flow Control	Optional	Fixed
68		Minimum PIO Transfer Cycle Time with IORDY Flow Control	Optional	Fixed
69 - 70		Reserved (for advanced PIO support)	No	
71		Typical time (μ s) for release when processing an overlapped command	Optional	Fixed
72		Typical time (μ s) for release after receiving the service command	Optional	Fixed
73		Major Revision Number (0000h or FFFFh Device does not report version.	Optional	Fixed
74		Minor Version Number (0000h or FFFFh Device does not report version.	Optional	Fixed
75-125		Reserved		
126	15-3 2-0	Reserved Last LUN Identifier	Mandatory	Variable
127	15-9 8 7-2 1-0	Reserved Device Write Protect Reserved Media Status Notification	Mandatory Mandatory	Fixed Fixed
128 - 159		Vendor Unique	No	
160 - 255		Reserved	No	

“Optional” Identify Device words, which are not supported, **shall** be set to zero.

The Identify Device command **shall not** delay the transfer of the Identify Drive Information by more than 200 ms after receipt of the command.

1.1.1.1 Last LUN Identifier (Word 126)

Bit 15-3 Reserved This is reserved for future enhancement.

Bit 2-0 Last LUN Identifier This field indicates the last LUN that is supported by the Device.

This field of zero indicates that the Device does not support Multiple LUN. Then the LUN in the ATAPI Block Device Select Register is reserved.

This field of one to seven indicates that the Device supports multiple LUN.

1.1.1.2 Media Status Notification, Device Write Protect (Word 127)

Bit 15-9	Reserved	This is reserved for future enhancement.
Bit 8	Device Write Protection	Indicates that the Device supports the Software Write Protect until Power-down. (See "0 Timer & Protect Page (1Ch)" on page 44)
Bit 7-2	Reserved	This is reserved for future enhancement.
Bit 1-0	Media Status Notification	Indicates that the Device supports Media Status Notification. This field of 01b indicates that the Device supports Media Status Notification. This field of 00b indicates that the Device does not support Media Status Notification. Because some older ATA hard disk drives and some caching controllers fail when they receive nonstandard commands, ATA and ATAPI devices must return a "1" in bit zero and a "0" in bit one of word 127 of the data returned from the IDENTIFY DEVICE or DEVICE IDENTIFY PACKET commands. The operating system uses this bit in this word to determine whether media status commands are supported. Note that it is necessary to return the "0" in bit one of the data (as well as the "1" in bit zero) as some controllers return 0FFFFh in the unused words of the ID drive data, which would be falsely detected as support for Media Status Notification without the "0".

9.0

Packet Commands for Block Device

9.1 Packet Command Implementation Requirements

The first byte of all ATAPI Block Devices command packets **shall** contain an operation code as defined in this Specification. ATAPI Block Device **shall** implement all commands with mandatory operation codes.

9.1.1 Reserved

Reserved bits, fields, bytes, and code values are set aside for future standardization. Their use and interpretation may be specified by future extensions to this or other standards. A reserved bit, field or byte **shall** be set to zero, or in accordance with a future extension to this standard. The recipient **shall not** check reserved fields.

9.2 ATAPI Command Packet Description

An ATAPI command is communicated by sending a Command Packet to the ATAPI Block Device. For several commands, the Command Packet is accompanied by a list of parameters sent upon receiving an interrupt following the Command Packet being sent. See the specific commands for detailed information.

The Command Packet always has an operation code as its first byte.

For all commands, if there is an invalid parameter in the Command Packet, then ATAPI Block Device **shall** abort the command without altering the medium.

Table 6 - Typical Command Packet for Most Commands

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	(MSB) Logical Block Address (if required) (LSB)							
3								
4								
5								
6								
7	(MSB) Transfer or Parameter List or Allocation Length (if required) (LSB)							
8								
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

Table 7 - Typical Command Packet for Some Extended Commands

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	(MSB) Logical Block Address (if required) (LSB)							
3								
4								
5								
6	(MSB) Transfer or Parameter List or Allocation Length (if required) (LSB)							
7								
8								
9								
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

9.2.1 Operation Code

The Operation Code of the Command Packet has a group code field and a command code field. The three-bit group code field provides for eight groups of command codes. The five-bit command code field provides for thirty-two command codes in each group. Thus, a total of 256 possible operation codes exist. Operation codes are defined in the subsequent sections.

Table 8 - Operation Code

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	Group Code				Command Code			

NOTE: The Group/Command code fields have been kept for backward compatibility and are not used by ATAPI.

9.2.2 Logical Unit Number

The Logical Unit Number field specifies the Logical Unit that performs the command.

This field is mandatory when the LUN in ATAPI Block Device Select Register is zero. This field **shall** be zero when the LUN in ATAPI Block Device Select Register is used.

9.2.3 Logical Block Address

The Logical Block Address must begin with block zero and be contiguous up the last logical block.

9.2.4 Transfer Length

The Transfer Length Field specifies the amount of data to be transferred, usually the number of blocks. For several commands the Transfer Length indicates the requested number of bytes to be sent as defined in the command description. For these commands the Transfer Length Field may be identified by a different name. See the following descriptions and the individual command descriptions for further information.

In commands that use multiple bytes for the Transfer Length, a Transfer Length of zero indicates that no data transfer will take place. A value of one or greater indicates the number of blocks that will be transferred.

9.2.5 Parameter List Length

The Parameter List Length is used to specify the number of bytes to be sent to ATAPI Block Device. This field is typically used in Command Packets for parameters that are sent to a Drive (e.g. mode parameters, diagnostic parameters, etc.). A Parameter List Length of zero indicates that no data will be transferred. This condition will not be considered as an error.

9.2.6 Allocation Length

The Allocation Length Field specifies the maximum number of bytes that the host has allocated for returned data. An Allocation Length of zero indicates that no data will be transferred. This condition will not be considered as an error. ATAPI Block Device will terminate the data transfer when allocation length bytes have been transferred or when all available data have been transferred to the host, whichever is less. The Allocation Length is used to limit the maximum amount of data (e.g. sense data, mode data, etc.) returned to the host.

9.3 Status

A status byte *shall* be sent from ATAPI Block Device to the host computer at the completion of each command unless the command is terminated by one of the following events:

1. A hard reset condition.
2. An unexpected event.

Status is normally presented at the end of a command, but in some cases may occur prior to transferring the Command Packet.

9.4 Immediate Command Processing Considerations

Immediate commands are a class of commands that return completion status to the host system before they are finished executing the command. The purpose of immediate commands is to allow the host to execute more than one command at a time on the same ATA cable. ATAPI Block Device accepts the command, and interrupts the host to return status. The host system is now free to issue additional commands to any other Device at the same ATA port address, including ATAPI Block Device executing the immediate command.

ATAPI Block Device uses the DSC bit to indicate the completion status of immediate commands. No INTRQ is issued by the Drive when the DSC bit is set, so it is the responsibility of the ATAPI driver to poll this bit to determine the completion status of the immediate command.

9.5 Command Processing Considerations and Exception Conditions

9.5.1 Parameter Rounding

Certain parameters sent to an ATAPI Block Device with various commands contain a range of values. ATAPI Block Device may choose to implement only selected values from this range. When the ATAPI Block Device receives a value that it does not support it either rejects the command (CHECK CONDITION status with ILLEGAL REQUEST sense key) or it rounds the value received to a supported value. The ATAPI Block Device *shall* reject unsupported values unless rounding is permitted in the description of the parameter.

Rounding of parameter values, when permitted *shall* be performed as follows - An ATAPI Block Device that receives a parameter value that is not an exact supported value *shall* adjust the value to one that it supports and *shall* return CHECK CONDITION status with a sense key of RECOVERED ERROR. The additional sense code *shall* be set to ROUNDED PARAMETER. The host computer is responsible for issuing an appropriate command to learn what value the ATAPI Block Device has selected.

9.6 Unit Attention Condition

The Drive will generate an unit attention condition on each valid Logical Unit whenever the Drive has been reset by a hard reset condition, or by a power-on reset. The Drive also will generate a unit attention condition on the affected Logical Unit whenever a removable medium may have been changed.

The unit attention condition will persist, until the host clears the condition as described in the following paragraphs.

If a INQUIRY command is received from the host with a pending unit attention condition, the Drive will perform a INQUIRY command and will not clear the unit attention condition. If a INQUIRY command is received after the Drive has generated the contingent allegiance condition for a pending unit attention condition, then the unit attention condition on the Logical Unit is cleared, and the Drive will perform a INQUIRY command.

If a REQUEST SENSE command is received from the host with a pending unit attention condition, then ATAPI Block Device will report the unit attention condition, may discard any pending sense data, and clear the unit attention condition. Command Descriptions

The command descriptions are in alphabetical order by command name.

9.7

Packet Command for Generic ATAPI Block Device

The following table lists all commands supported a generic ATAPI Block Device.

Table 9 - Packet Commands Supported by ATAPI Block Devices

Command Description	Code	Type	Reference
FORMAT UNIT	04h	M	Section 0 on page 28
INQUIRY	12h	M	Section 0 on page 30
MODE SELECT	55h	M	Section 0 on page 33
MODE SENSE	5Ah	M	Section 0 on page 35
PREVENT/ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL	1Eh	M	Section 0 on page 44
READ (10)	28h	M	Section 0 on page 47
READ (12)	A8h	O	Section 0 on page 47
READ CAPACITY	25h	M	Section 0 on page 48
READ FORMAT CAPACITIES	23h	M	Section 0 on page 49
REQUEST SENSE	03h	M	Section 0 on page 52
SEEK	2Bh	M	Section 0 on page 57
START STOP UNIT	1Bh	M	Section 0 on page 58
TEST UNIT READY	00h	M	Section 0 on page 60
VERIFY	2Fh	M	Section 0 on page 61
WRITE (10)	2Ah	M	Section 0 on page 63
WRITE (12)	AAh	O	Section 0 on page 63
WRITE AND VEIRIFY	2Eh	M	Section 0 on page 64

9.7.1

FORMAT UNIT Command

The FORMAT UNIT Command formats the medium per the host computer defined options.

Table 10 - FORMAT UNIT Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (04h)							
1	Logical Unit Number			FmtData (1)	CmpList (0)	Defect List Format (7)		
2	Vendor Specific							
3	(MSB) Interleave							
4	(LSB)							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The FmtData bit **shall** be set to 1, the CmpList bit **shall** be set to 0, and the Defect List Format **shall** be set to 7. All other values in these fields **shall** return a Check Condition with the Sense Key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the Sense Code set to INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET.

The Interleave field specifies the interleave that is used when performing the format operation. An Interleave of zero specifies that the ATAPI Block Device use its default interleave. An Interleave of one specifies that consecutive logical blocks be placed in contiguous ascending order. All other value is vender-specific.

After sending the command packet, the host then transfers the 12 bytes of the Format Descriptor.

Table 11 - FORMAT UNIT Parameter List

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0-3	Format List Header							
	Format Descriptor							

Table 12 - Format List Header

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved							
1	FOV	Reserved	DCRT	Reserved			Immed	Reserved
2	(MSB) Defect List Length (8)							
3	(LSB)							

A format options valid (FOV) bit of zero indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** use its default setting for the DCRT and Immed bits. The host **shall** set these bits to zero. If any of these bits are not zero, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** terminate the command with CHECK CONDITION status. The sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code **shall** be set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

A FOV bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** examine the setting of the DCRT and Immed bits. When the FOV bit is one, the DCRT and Immed bits are defined as follows.

A disable certification (DCRT) bit of zero indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** perform a vendor-specific medium certification. A DCRT bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall not** any vendor-specific medium certification process or format verification operation while executing the FORMAT UNIT command.

A Immediate (Immed) bit of zero indicates that status **shall** be returned after the format operation has completed. An Immed bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return status as soon as the command descriptor block has been validated. The command will then proceed, and set ATAPI Block Device Ready bit when the command has actually finished.

If A Supports Reporting progress of Format (SRFP) bit (See “Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh) Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh)” on page 43) is one, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** accept a FORMAT UNIT with the Immediate bit set in the format header. If this bit is zero, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** reject a FORMAT UNIT command with the Immediate bit set and return INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETERS error.

The Defect List Length **shall** be set to 8. Any other value in this field **shall** return CHECK CONDITION with the Sense Key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the Sense Code set to ILLEGAL FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The Format Descriptor must exactly match one of the Formattable Descriptors from the Read Format Capacities command.

Table 13 - Formattable Capacity Descriptor

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Number of Blocks							
1								
2								
3								
4	Reserved							
5	Block Length							
6								
7								

The Number of Blocks and Block Length fields specify a unique format for the installed media. These numbers **shall** match a returned block from the READ FORMAT CAPACITIES command. If these numbers do not match a returned block from the READ FORMAT CAPACITIES command, or they specify an invalid format for the installed media, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION with the Sense Key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the Sense Code set to ILLEGAL FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

Table 14 - Recommended Sense key, ASC and ASCQ for FORMAT UNIT Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
05	26	00	ILLEGAL FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST
07	27	00	WRITE PROTECTED MEDIA
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	03	00	WRITE FAULT
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
03	31	01	FORMAT COMMAND FAILED
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.2

INQUIRY Command

The INQUIRY command requests that information regarding parameters of the ATAPI Block Device be sent to the host computer. An option allows the host computer to request additional information about the ATAPI Block Device.

Table 15 - INQUIRY Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (12h)							
1	Logical Unit Number				Reserved			
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Allocation Length							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The INQUIRY command **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status only when the ATAPI Block Device cannot return the requested INQUIRY data. The INQUIRY data should be returned even though the ATAPI Block Device may not be ready for other commands.

If an INQUIRY command is received with a pending unit attention condition (i.e. before the ATAPI Block Device reports CHECK CONDITION status), the ATAPI Block Device **shall** perform the INQUIRY command and **shall not** clear the unit attention condition.

9.7.2.1 Standard INQUIRY Data

The standard INQUIRY data contains 36 required bytes, followed by a variable number of vendor-specific parameters. Bytes 56 through 95, if returned, are reserved for future standardization.

Table 16 - INQUIRY Data Format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved			Peripheral Device Type				
1	RMB	Reserved						
2	ISO Version		ECMA Version			ANSI Version (00h)		
3	Reserved				Response Data Format			
4	Additional Length (Number of bytes following this one)							
5	Reserved							
7								
8	Vendor Information							
15								
16	Product Identification							
31								
32	Product Revision Level							
35								
36	Vendor Specific							
55								
56	Reserved							
95								
Vendor Specific Parameters								
96								
n								

The Device Type field identifies the device. It is defined in "Table 17 - Peripheral Device Types" on page 32.

9.7.2.2 Using the INQUIRY Command

The INQUIRY command may be used by a host computer to determine the configuration of the ATAPI Block Device. ATAPI Block Devices respond with information that includes their type and specification level and may include the vendor's identification, model number and other useful information.

Table 17 - Peripheral Device Types

Code	Description
00h	Direct-access device (e.g., UHD Floppy disk)
01h	Sequential-access device (e.g., magnetic tape)
02-03h	Reserved
04h	Write-once device (e.g., WORM optical disk)
05h	CD-ROM device
06h	Reserved
07h	Optical memory device (e.g., Non-CD optical disks)
08h-1Eh	Reserved
1Fh	Unknown or no device type

A Removable Medium Bit (RMB) of zero indicates that the medium is not removable. A RMB bit of one indicates that the medium is removable. ATAPI Block Devices should always report "Removable".

The usage of non-zero code values in the ISO version and ECMA version fields is defined by the International Organization for Standardization and the European Computer Manufacturers Association, respectively.

The ANSI-approved version field must contain a zero to comply with this version of the Specification.

A Response Data Format value of 01h indicates that the data **shall** be in the format specified in this Specification. Response data format values greater than one are reserved.

The Additional Length field **shall** specify the length in bytes of the parameters. If the Allocation Length of the Command Packet is too small to transfer all of the parameters, the Additional Length **shall not** be adjusted to reflect the truncation.

ASCII data fields **shall** contain only graphic codes (i.e. code values 20h through 7Eh). Left-aligned fields **shall** place any unused bytes at the end of the field (highest offset) and the unused bytes **shall** be filled with space characters (20h). Right-aligned fields **shall** place any unused bytes at the start of the field (lowest offset) and the unused bytes **shall** be filled with space characters (20h).

The Vendor Identification field contains 8 bytes of ASCII data identifying the vendor of the product. The data **shall** be left aligned within this field.

The Product identification field contains 16 bytes of ASCII data as defined by the vendor. The data **shall** be left aligned within this field.

The Product Revision Level field contains 4 bytes of ASCII data as defined by the vendor. The data **shall** be left aligned within this field.

Table 18 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for INQUIRY Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPED

9.7.3

MODE SELECT Command

The MODE SELECT command provides a means for the host computer to specify medium or ATAPI Block Device parameters to the ATAPI Block Device. Host computers **shall** issue MODE SENSE prior to each MODE SELECT to determine supported pages, page lengths, and other parameters.

Table 19 - MODE SELECT Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (55h)							
1	Logical Unit Number			1	Reserved			SP
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Parameter List Length (MSB)							
8	Parameter List Length (LSB)							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

A Save Pages (SP) bit of zero specifies that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** perform the specified MODE SELECT operation, and **shall not** save any pages. An SP bit of one specifies that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** perform the specified MODE SELECT operation, and **shall** save to a non-volatile vendor-specific location all the savable pages. If an ATAPI Block Device supports saved pages, it **shall** save only one copy of the page. The SP bit is optional, even when mode pages are supported by the ATAPI Block Device. Pages that are saved are identified by the Parameter Savable (PS) bit that is returned in the page header by the MODE SENSE command. If the PS bit is set in the MODE SENSE data then the page **shall** be savable by issuing a MODE SELECT command with the SP bit set. If the ATAPI Block Device does not implement saved pages and the SP bit is set to one, the command **shall** be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status; the sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code **shall** be set to INVALID FIELD IN PACKET.

The Parameter List Length field specifies the length in bytes of the mode parameter list that **shall** be transferred from the host computer to the ATAPI Block Device after the Command Packet is transferred. A Parameter List Length of zero indicates that no data **shall** be transferred, and this condition **shall not** be considered an error.

The ATAPI Block Device **shall** terminate the command with CHECK CONDITION status if the Parameter List Length results in the truncation of any mode parameter header, or mode page. The sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code **shall** be set to PARAMETER LIST LENGTH ERROR.

The mode parameter list for the MODE SELECT and MODE SENSE commands is defined "0 Mode Select / Sense Parameters" on page 30.

The ATAPI Block Device **shall** terminate the MODE SELECT command with CHECK CONDITION status, set the sense key to ILLEGAL REQUEST, set the additional sense code to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST, and **shall not** change any mode parameters for the following conditions:

1. If the host computer sets any field (except for reserved fields) that is reported as not changeable by the ATAPI Block Device to a value other than its current value.

2. If the host computer sets any field in the mode parameter header to an unsupported value.
3. If the host computer sends a mode page with a page length not equal to the page length returned by the MODE SENSE command for that page.

If the host computer sends an unsupported value for a mode parameter and rounding is not implemented for that mode parameter.

If the host computer sends a value for a mode parameter that is outside the range supported by the ATAPI Block Device and rounding is implemented for that mode parameter, the ATAPI Block Device may either:

1. round the parameter to an acceptable value and terminate the command;
2. terminate the command with CHECK CONDITION status, the sense key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST, and the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

An ATAPI Block Device may alter any mode parameter in any mode page (even those not reported as changeable) as a result of changes to other mode parameters.

The ATAPI Block Device validates the non-changeable mode parameters against the current values that existed for those mode parameters prior to the MODE SELECT command.

Mode pages are maintained per Logical Unit. The pages are thus used for multiple media insertions / removals.

Table 20 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for MODE SELECT Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
05	26	00	INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.4

MODE SENSE Command

The MODE SENSE command provides a means for an ATAPI Block Device to report parameters to the host computer. It is a complementary command to the MODE SELECT command.

Table 21 - MODE SENSE Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (5Ah)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	PC		Page Code					
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Parameter List Length (MSB)							
8	Parameter List Length (LSB)							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The Page Control (PC) field defines the type of mode parameter values to be returned in the mode pages. See sections "0 Current Values" to "0 9.7.4.4 Saved Values" below.

Table 22 - Page Control Field

Code	Type of Parameter	Reference
00b	Current values	0 on page 36
01b	Changeable values	0 on page 37
10b	Default values	0 on page 37
11b	Saved values	0 on page 37

The Page Code specifies which mode page(s) to return. Mode pages **shall** be returned in ascending Page Code order except for mode page 00h. See the appropriate section for a description of the mode pages.

A host computer may request any one or all of the supported mode pages from an ATAPI Block Device. If a host computer issues a MODE SENSE command with a Page Code value not implemented by the ATAPI Block Device, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status; the sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code **shall** be set to INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET.

A Page Code of 3Fh indicates that all mode pages implemented by the ATAPI Block Device **shall** be returned to the host computer. If the mode parameter list exceeds 65536 bytes for a MODE SENSE command, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status; the sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code **shall** be set to INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET.

Mode page 00h, if implemented, **shall** be returned after all other mode pages.

9.7.4.1

Current Values

A PC field value of 00b requests that the ATAPI Block Device return the current values of the mode parameters. The current values returned are:

1. the current values of the mode parameters established by last successful MODE SELECT command.
2. the saved value of the mode parameters if a MODE SELECT command has not successfully completed since the last power-on, hard RESET condition.
3. the default values of the mode parameters, if saved values, are not available or not supported.

9.7.4.2 Changeable Values

A PC field value of 01b requests that the ATAPI Block Device return a mask denoting those mode parameters that are changeable. In the mask, the fields of the mode parameters that are changeable **shall** be set to all one bits and the fields of the mode parameters that are non-changeable (i.e. defined by the ATAPI Block Device) **shall** be set to all zero bits.

An attempt to change a non-changeable mode parameter (via MODE SELECT) **shall** result in an error condition.

The host computer **shall** issue a MODE SENSE command with the PC field set to 1h and the Page Code field set to 3Fh to determine which mode pages are supported, which mode parameters within the mode pages are changeable, and the supported length of each mode page prior to issuing any MODE SELECT commands.

9.7.4.3 Default Values

A PC field of 10b requests that the ATAPI Block Device return the default values of the mode parameters. Parameters not supported by the ATAPI Block Device **shall** be set to zero. Default values are accessible even if the ATAPI Block Device is not ready.

9.7.4.4 Saved Values

A PC field of 11b requests that the ATAPI Block Device return the saved values of the mode parameters. Implementation of saved page parameters is optional. Mode parameters not supported by the ATAPI Block Device **shall** be set to zero. If saved values are not implemented, the command **shall** be terminated with CHECK CONDITION status; the sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the additional sense code **shall** be set to SAVING PARAMETERS NOT SUPPORTED.

The method of saving parameters is vendor-specific. The parameters are preserved in such a manner that they are retained when the ATAPI Block Device is powered down. All savable pages can be considered saved when a MODE SELECT command issued with the SP bit set to one has returned a "good" status.

9.7.4.5 Initial Responses

After a power-up condition or hard reset condition, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** respond in the following manner:

1. If default values are requested, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return the default values.
2. If saved values are requested, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return the valid restored mode parameters, or restore the mode parameters and report them. If the saved values of the mode parameters are not able to be accessed from the non-volatile vendor-specific location, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** terminate the command with CHECK CONDITION status and set the sense key to NOT READY. If

saved parameters are not implemented, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** respond as defined in “0 9.7.4.4 Saved Values” on page 37.

If current values are requested and the current values of the mode parameters have not been sent by the host computer (via a MODE SELECT command), the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return the default values. If current values have been sent, the current values **shall** be reported.

Table 23 - Recommended Sense key, ASC and ASCQ for MODE SENSE Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPED

9.7.5

Mode Select / Sense Parameters

This section describes the pages used with MODE SELECT and MODE SENSE commands.

The Mode Parameter List contains a header, followed by zero or more variable-length Pages.

Table 24 - Mode Parameter List

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0-7	Mode Parameter Header							
0-n	Page(s)							

Each mode page contains a page code, a page length and a set of mode parameters.

Table 25 - Mode Page Codes for ATAPI Block Device

Page Code	Definition	Type	Reference
01h	Read-Write Error Recovery Page	M	0 on page 40
08h	Caching Page	M	Caching Page on page 42
1Bh	Removable Block Access Capacities Page	M	Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh) on page 43
1Ch	Timer & Protect Page	O	0 on page 44
3Fh	Return all pages (valid only for MODE SENSE command)	M	

Table 26 - Mode Page Format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Reserved	Page Code					
1	Page Length (n-1)							
2-n	Mode Parameters							

When using the MODE SENSE command, a Parameter Savable (PS) bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device can save the mode page in a non-volatile, vendor-specific location. A PS bit of zero indicates that the supported parameters cannot be saved. When using the MODE SELECT command, the PS bit is reserved.

The Page Code field identifies the format and parameters defined for that mode page.

When using the MODE SENSE command, if Page Code 00h (vendor-specific) is implemented, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return that page last in response to a request to return all pages (page code 3Fh). When using MODE SELECT command, this page **shall** be sent last.

The Page Length field specifies the length in bytes of the mode parameters that follow. If the host does not set this value to the value that is returned for the page by the MODE SENSE command, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** terminate this command with CHECK CONDITION status. The sense key **shall** be set to ILLEGAL REQUEST with the additional sense code set to INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST. The ATAPI Block Device is permitted to implement a mode page that is less than the full page length defined in this Specification, provided no field in truncated and the Page Length field correctly specifies the actual length implementation.

The mode parameters for each page are defined here. Mode parameters not implemented by the ATAPI Block Device *shall* be set to zero.

Table 27 - Mode Parameter Header

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	(MSB) Mode Data Length							
1	(LSB)							
2	Medium Type Code							
3	WP	Reserved						
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							

When using the MODE SENSE command, the mode data length field specifies the length in bytes of the following data that is available to be transferred. The mode data length is the total byte count of all data following the mode data length field. When using the MODE SELECT command, this field is reserved.

When using the MODE SENSE command, the Medium Type Code field specifies the inserted medium type. The values in this field are vendor specific. When using the MODE SELECT command, this field is ignored.

Table 28 - Medium Type Codes

Code	Medium Type Definition
00h-FFh	Vendor Specific

When using the MODE SENSE command, the Write Protect (WP) bit of zero indicates that the medium is write enable. The WP bit of one indicates that the medium is write protected. When using the MODE SELECT command, the WP bit is ignored.

9.7.5.1

Read-Write Error Recovery Page (01h)

The Read-Write Error Recovery Page specifies the error recovery parameters the ATAPI Block Device **shall** use during any command that performs a data read/write operation from the media.

Table 29 - Read-Write Error Recovery Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Reserved	Page Code (01h)					
1	Page Length (0Ah)							
2	Error Recovery Parameters							
	AWRE	Reserved	TB	RC	Reserved	PER	Reserved	DCR
3	Read Retry Count							
4-7	Reserved							
8	Write Retry Count							
9-11	Reserved							

The Parameters Savable (PS) bit is only used with the MODE SENSE command. This bit is reserved with the MODE SELECT command. A PS bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device is capable of saving the page in a non-volatile vendor-specific location. The PS bit is optional.

An Automatic Write Reallocation Enable (AWRE) bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** enable automatic reallocation to be performed during write operation. An AWRE bit of zero indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall not** perform automatic reallocation of defective data blocks during write operations.

A Transfer Block (TB) bit of one indicates that a data block that is not recovered within the recovery limits specified **shall** be transferred to the Host Computer before CHECK CONDITION status is returned. A TB bit of zero indicates that such a data block **shall** not be transferred to the Host Computer. The TB bit does not affect the action taken for recovered data.

A Read Continuous (RC) bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** transfer the entire requested length of data without adding delays to perform error recovery procedures. This implies that the ATAPI Block Device may send data that is erroneous or fabricated in order to maintain a continuous flow of data. A RC bit of zero indicates that error recovery operations that cause delays are acceptable during the data transfer.

A Post Error (PER) bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status at completion of this command when an error that has a RECOVERED ERROR sense key has occurred. A PER bit of zero indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return a GOOD status at completion of this command in spite of recoverable error occurred.

A Disable Correction (DCR) bit of one indicates that error correction codes (ECC) **shall not** be used for data error recovery. A DCR bit of zero allows the use of error correction codes for data error recovery.

The Read Retry Count field specifies the number of times that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** attempt its recovery during read operation.

The Write Retry Count field specifies the number of times that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** attempt its retry during write and verify operation.

9.7.5.2

Caching Page

The Caching Page specifies parameters relating to the use of the cache on the ATAPI Block Device.

Table 30 - Caching Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Reserved	Page Code (08h)					
1	Page Length (0Ah)							
2	Reserved					WCE	Reserved	RCD
3-11	Reserved							

A Write Cache Enable (WCE) bit of zero specifies that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return GOOD status for WRITE (10), (12) and WRITE AND VERIFY commands after successfully writing all of the data to the medium (Write Trough). A WCE bit of one specifies that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return GOOD status for WRITE (10), (12) and WRITE AND VERIFY commands after successfully receiving the data and prior to having successfully written it to the medium (Write Back).

A Read Cache Disable (RCD) bit of zero specifies that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return data requested by a READ command by accessing either the cache or medium. A RCD bit of one specifies that the ATAPI Block Device **shall** transfer all of data requested by a READ command from the medium.

9.7.5.3

Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh)

The Removable Block Access Capabilities page defines the capabilities of ATAPI Block Device covered in this specification.

Table 31 - Removable Block Access Capabilities Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS (0)	Reserved	Page Code (1Bh)					
1	Page Length (0Ah)							
2	Reserved	SRFP	Reserved					
3	NCD	SML	Reserved			TLUN		
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

A Supports Reporting progress of Format (SRFP) bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device **shall be** capable of receiving a FORMAT UNIT command with the Immediate bit set. When this bit is one, during the format operation, the REQUEST SENSE command **shall** report NOT READY, LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - FORMAT IN PROGRESS with the sense key specific set to the percentage of the operation that has completed. The Sense Key Specific field contains a value from 0 to FFFFh, where FFFFh is complete.

If this bit is one, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** accept a FORMAT UNIT with the Immediate bit set in the format header. If this bit is zero, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** reject a FORMAT UNIT command with the Immediate bit set and return INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETERS error.

A Non-CD Optical Device (NCD) bit of one indicates that this device is a Non-CD Optical Device as defined in “10.0 Non-CD Optical Device Model 10.0 Non-CD Optical Device Model” on page 67.

A Single/Multiple LUN supported (SML) bit of one indicates that this device is a phase change dual device and supports a CD device and a Non-CD Optical Device using the same LUN. Devices reporting a one in this bit will change the device type and commands supported based on the type of media installed.

The Total LUN (TLUN) field specifies the total number of LUN supported by this Device. This is different from the Last LUN Identifier in Word 127 of Identify Device Information.

Note: The Removable Block Access Capabilities Page is provided as a means for future implementations to identify the devices covered in this specification. Current compatibility allows for the use of the flexible diskette mode page to identify system floppy devices, and the ATA identify data, “Floppy” medium.

9.7.5.4

Timer & Protect Page (1Ch)

The Timer & Protect Page specifies parameters that affect all ATAPI Block Device operation.

Table 32 - Timer & Protect Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Reserved	Page Code (1Ch)					
1	Page Length (06h)							
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved				Inactivity Time Multiplier			
4	Reserved						DISP	SWPP
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							

The Parameters Savable (PS) bit is only used with the MODE SENSE command. This bit is reserved with the MODE SELECT command. A PS bit of one indicates that the ATAPI Block Device is capable of saving the page in a non-volatile vendor-specific location. The PS bit is optional.

The Inactivity Time Multiplier field specifies the length of time that ATAPI Block Device **shall** remain in the current state after the completion of a seek or read or write operation.

Table 33 - Inactivity Time Multiplier Values

Inactivity Timer Multiplier	Minimum Time in Current State	Inactivity Timer Multiplier	Minimum Time in Current State
0h	Infinite	8h	16 s
1h	125 ms	9h	32 s
2h	250 ms	Ah	1 min
3h	500 ms	Bh	2 min
4h	1 s	Ch	4 min
5h	2 s	Dh	8 min
6h	4 s	Eh	16 min
7h	8 s	Fh	32 min

The Disable until Power cycle (DISP) bit will make ATAPI Block Device unavailable to the host until power has been removed and then reapplied. The ATAPI Block Device **shall** report NOT READY for all media access after this bit has been changed with MODE SELECT. Set Feature, Enable and Disable ATA commands **shall not** affect the status of this DISP bit.

The Software Write Protect until Power-down (SWPP) bit **shall** allow host-controlled drives write protection. Once set through the MODE SELECT command, this bit remains set until the next drive power down.

9.7.6

PREVENT/ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL Command

The PREVENT/ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL command instructs the ATAPI Block Device to enable or disable the removal of the medium in the logical unit. This command *shall* be ignored if MSN is enabled.

Table 34 - PREVENT/ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (1Eh)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved							Prevent
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The prevention of medium removal *shall* begin when the host computer issues a PREVENT-ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL command with a Prevent bit of one. The prevention of medium removal *shall* terminate when:

1. after the host computer has issued a PREVENT-ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL command with a Prevent bit of zero and the ATAPI Block Device has successfully performed a synchronize cache operation (if the cache is implemented); or
2. upon a hard RESET condition.

While a prevention of medium removal condition is in effect the ATAPI Block Device *shall* inhibit mechanisms that normally allow removal of the medium by an operator.

The default state of the ATAPI Block Device at power on is unlocked, unless ATAPI Block Device supports a prevent-allow jumper and the jumper is in the prevent state.

This command will affect the actions of the START-STOP UNIT command (See “0 START/STOP UNIT Command” on page 58) and other mechanisms external to this specification (e.g., manual ejection).

Table 35 - Actions for Lock / Unlock / Eject

Operation	Locked / Unlocked	If Drive Not Ready (No Media)	If Drive Ready (Media Present)
Unlock (Prevent = 0)	Unlocked	No Error	No Error
	Locked	No Error, Now media may be inserted	No Error, Now media may be removed
Lock (Prevent = 1)	Unlocked	No Error, Drive door locked and will not allow media to be inserted	No Error, Drive door locked and will not allow media to be removed
	Locked	No Error	No Error
Lock when ATAPI Block Device does not support a Locking Mechanism	Would always be Unlocked	Error: 05 ILLEGAL REQUEST, 24 INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET	Error: 05 ILLEGAL REQUEST, 24 INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
Eject (START/STOP UNIT command with LoEj set)	Unlocked	No Error and Tray is opened	No Error: Media Ejects
	Locked	Error: 02 Not ready, 53 Media Removal Prevented	Error: 02 Not ready, 53 Media Removal Prevented
Manual Eject	Unlocked	Tray opens (If tray exists)	Media is Ejected
	Locked	No operation occurs	No operation, Media stays locked in drive

Table 36 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for PREVENT/ALLOW Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.7

READ (10) Command

The READ (10) command requests that the ATAPI Block Device transfer data to the host computer. The most recent data value written in the addressed logical block **shall** be returned.

This command is considered obsolete and is only supported by legacy drives.

Table 37 - READ (10) Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0	Operation Code (28h)								
1	Logical Unit Number				Reserved				
2	Logical Block Address								
3									(MSB)
4									
5									
6									(LSB)
6	Reserved								
7	Transfer Length (MSB)								
8	Transfer Length (LSB)								
9	Reserved								
10	Reserved								
11	Reserved								

The Logical Block Address field specifies the logical block at which the read operation **shall** begin.

The Transfer Length field specifies the number of contiguous logical blocks of data that **shall** be transferred. A Transfer Length of zero indicates that no logical blocks **shall** be transferred. This condition **shall not** be considered an error. Any other value indicates the number of logical blocks that **shall** be transferred.

9.7.8

READ (12) Command

The READ (12) command requests that the ATAPI Block Device transfer data to the host computer. The most recent data value written in the addressed logical block *shall* be returned.

Table 38 - READ (12) Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (A8h)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	(MSB) Logical Block Address							
3								
4								
5								
6	(MSB) Transfer Length							
7								
8								
9								
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

See "0 READ (10) Command" on page 47 for a definition of the operation of this command.

Table 39 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for READ (10) (12) Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
02	04	01	LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - BECOMING READY
02	06	00	NO REFERENCE POSITION FOUND
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	02	00	NO SEEK COMPLETE
05	21	00	LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS OUT OF RANGE
03	11	00	UNRECOVERED READ ERROR
01	17	01	RECOVERED DATA WITH RETRIES
01	18	00	RECOVERED DATA WITH ECC
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
03	14	00	RECORDED ENTITY NOT FOUND
03	10	00	ID CRC ERROR
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.9

READ CAPACITY Command

The READ CAPACITY command provides a means for the host computer to request information regarding the capacity of the installed medium of the ATAPI Block Device. This command is considered obsolete and is only supported by legacy drives.

Table 40 - READ CAPACITY Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (25h)							
1	Logical Unit Number				Reserved			
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

Eight bytes of READ CAPACITY data *shall* be returned to the host computer.

Table 41 - READ CAPACITY Data

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	(MSB) Last Logical Block Address (LSB)							
1								
2								
3								
4	(MSB) Block Length in Bytes (LSB)							
5								
6								
7								

The Last Logical Block Address field holds the last valid LBA for use with media access commands.

Table 42 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for READ CAPACITY command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	30	01	CANNOT READ MEDIUM
0b	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.10

READ FORMAT CAPACITIES Command

The READ FORMAT CAPACITIES command allows the host to request a list of the possible capacities that can be formatted on the currently installed medium. If no medium is currently installed, it **shall** return the maximum capacity that can be formatted by the ATAPI Block Device.

Table 43 - READ FORMAT CAPACITIES Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (23h)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Allocation Length (MSB)							
8	Allocation Length (LSB)							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

Table 44 - Read Format Capacities Data Format

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0 - 3	Capacity List Header							
0 - 7	Current/Maximum Capacity Header							
	Formattable Capacity Descriptor(s) (if any)							
0	Formattable Capacity Descriptor 0							
7								
	Formattable Capacity Descriptor x							
0								
7								

The Capacity List Header (See "Table 45 - Capacity List Header" on page 50) gives the length of the descriptor data to follow.

Table 45 - Capacity List Header

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved							
1	Reserved							
2	Reserved							
3	Capacity List Length							

The Capacity List Length field specifies the length in bytes of the Capacity Descriptors that follow. Each Capacity Descriptor is eight bytes in length, making the Capacity List Length equal to eight times the number of descriptors.

Table 46 - Current/Maximum Capacity Descriptor

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Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0	(MSB) Number of Blocks								
1									
2									
3									(LSB)
4	Reserved				Descriptor Code				
5	(MSB) Block Length								
6									
7									(LSB)

The Number of Blocks field indicates the number of addressable blocks for the descriptor's media type.

The Descriptor Code field specifies the type of descriptor returned to the host (See "Table 47 - Descriptor Code definition" on page 51).

Table 47 - Descriptor Code definition

Descriptor Code	Descriptor Type
01b	Unformatted Media - Maximum formattable capacity for this cartridge
10b	Formatted Media - Current media capacity
11b	No Cartridge in Drive - Maximum formattable capacity for any cartridge

Table 48 - Formattable Capacity Descriptor

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0	(MSB) Number of Blocks								
1									
2									
3									(LSB)
4	Reserved								
5	(MSB) Block Length								
6									
7									(LSB)

The Number of Blocks field indicates the maximum (or fixed) number of addressable blocks for the given capacity descriptor.

The Block Length specifies the length in bytes of each logical block for the given capacity descriptor. There is one format capacity descriptor for each physical format that the ATAPI Block Device can support.

The ATAPI Block Device **shall** only return Formattable Capacity Descriptors that apply to the installed media. If there is no media installed, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return a single Formattable Capacity Descriptor, with the maximum capacity that the ATAPI Block Device is capable of formatting.

The ATAPI Block Device **shall not** return Formattable Capacity Descriptors for formats that it is capable of reading, but not formatting.

If the ATAPI Block Device is capable of placing more than one physical format on the installed media, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return one Formattable Capacity Descriptor for each physical format the ATAPI Block Device can place on the installed media.

Table 49 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for READ FORMAT CAP Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.11

REQUEST SENSE Command

The REQUEST SENSE command instructs the ATAPI Block Device to transfer sense data to the host computer.

Table 50 - REQUEST SENSE Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (03h)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Allocation Length							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The sense data:

1. **shall** be available if an error condition (CHECK CONDITION) had previously been reported to the host computer;
2. **shall** be available if other information (e.g. medium position) is available in any field.

If the ATAPI Block Device has no other sense data available to return, it **shall** return a sense key of NO SENSE and an additional sense code of NO ADDITIONAL SENSE INFORMATION.

The sense data **shall** be preserved by the ATAPI Block Device until retrieved by a REQUEST SENSE command or until the receipt of any other I/O Command.

The ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status for a REQUEST SENSE command only to report exception conditions specific to the command itself. For example:

1. An ATAPI Block Device malfunction prevents return of the sense data.

If a recovered error occurs during the execution of the REQUEST SENSE command, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return the sense data with GOOD status. If an ATAPI Block Device returns CHECK CONDITION status for a REQUEST SENSE command, the sense data may be invalid.

ATAPI Block Devices **shall** be capable of returning at least 18 bytes of data in response to a REQUEST SENSE command. If the Allocation Length is 18 or greater, and an ATAPI Block Device returns less than 18 bytes of data, the host computer should assume that the bytes not transferred are zeros. Host computers can determine how much sense data has been returned by examining the Allocation Length parameter in the Command Packet and the Additional Sense Length in the sense data. ATAPI Block Devices **shall not** adjust the Additional Sense Length to reflect truncation if the Allocation Length is less than the sense data available.

Table 51 - Request Sense Standard Data

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Valid	Error Code (70h)						
1	Reserved							
2	Vendor Specific			Reserved	Sense Key			
3	Information (Vendor Specific)							
6								
7	Additional Sense Length (n-7)							
8	Vendor specific							
11								
12								
13	Additional Sense Code (Mandatory)							
14	Additional Sense Code Qualifier (Mandatory)							
15	Field Replaceable Unit Code (Optional)							
15	SKSV	Sense Key Specific						
17	Additional Sense Bytes							
18								
n								

The Error Code field **shall** contain a value of 70h to indicate current errors.

A Valid bit of zero indicates that the Information field is not valid. A Valid bit of one indicates that the Information field contains valid information.

The Sense Key, Additional Sense Code, and Additional Sense Code Qualifier provide a hierarchy of information. The intention of the hierarchy is to provide a top-down approach for a host computer to determine information relating to the error and exception conditions. The Sense Key provides generic categories in which error and exception conditions can be reported. Host computers would typically use sense keys for high-level error recovery procedures. Additional Sense Codes provide further detail describing the sense key. Additional Sense Code Qualifiers add further detail to the additional sense code. The Additional Sense Code and Additional Sense Code Qualifier can be used by host computers where sophisticated error recovery procedures require detailed information describing the error and exception conditions.

The Sense Key field is mandatory and indicates generic information describing an error or exception condition. The sense keys are defined in "Table 53 - Sense Key Descriptions" on page 56.

The contents of the Information field are vendor-specific.

The Additional Sense Length field indicates the number of additional sense bytes to follow. If the Allocation Length of the Command packet is too small to transfer all of the additional sense bytes, the Additional Sense Length is not adjusted to reflect the truncation.

The Additional Sense Code (ASC) field is mandatory and indicates further information related to the error or exception condition reported in the Sense Key field. Support of the Additional Sense Codes not explicitly required by this Specification is optional. See the appropriate section for a list of Additional Sense. If the ATAPI Block Device does not have further information related to the error or exception condition, the Additional Sense Code is set to NO ADDITIONAL SENSE INFORMATION.

The Additional Sense Code Qualifier (ASCQ) is mandatory and indicates detailed information related to the Additional Sense Code. If the error or exception condition is reportable by the ATAPI Block Device, the value returned **shall** be as specified in the appropriate section. If the ATAPI Block Device does not have detailed information related to the error or exception condition, the ASCQ **shall** be set to zero.

Non-zero values in the Field Replaceable Unit Code field are used to define a device-specific mechanism or until that has failed. A value of zero in this field **shall** indicate that no specific mechanism or unit has been identified to fail or that the data is not available. The Field Replaceable Unit Code field is optional. The format of this information is not specified by this Specification. Additional information about the field replaceable unit may be available in the ASCII information page, if supported by the ATAPI Block Device.

The Additional Sense Bytes field may contain command specific data, peripheral device specific data, or vendor specific data that further defines the nature of the CHECK CONDITION status.

9.7.11.1 Sense-key Specific

The Sense-Key Specific field is defined by this Specification when the value of the Sense-Key Specific Valid (SKSV) bit is one. The Sense-Key Specific Valid bit and Sense-Key Specific fields are optional. The definition of this field is determined by the value of the Sense Key field. This field is reserved for sense keys not described below. A SKSV value of zero indicates that this field is not as defined by this Specification.

If the sense key is NOT READY or NO SENSE and the SKSV bit is one, the Sense-Key Specific field **shall** be as follows.

Table 52 - Progress indication bytes

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
15	SKSV		Reserved					
16	(MSB)		Progress indication					
17							(LSB)	

The progress indication field is a percent complete indication in which the returned value is the numerator that has 65536 (10000h) as its denominator. The progress indication shall be based upon the total format operation including any certification or initialization operations.

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Sense-key and Sense Code Definitions

Table 53 - Sense Key Descriptions

Sense Key	Description
0h	NO SENSE. Indicates that there is no specific sense key information to be reported. This would be the case for a successful command.
1h	RECOVERED ERROR. Indicates that the last command completed successfully with some recovery action performed by the ATAPI Block Device. Details may be determinable by examining the additional sense bytes and the Information field. When multiple recovered errors occur during one command, the choice of which error to report is device specific.
2h	NOT READY. Indicates that the ATAPI Block Device cannot be accessed. Operator intervention may be required to correct this condition.
3h	MEDIUM ERROR. Indicates that the command terminated with a non-recovered error condition that was probably caused by a flaw in the medium or an error in the recorded data. This sense key may also be returned if the ATAPI Block Device is unable to distinguish between a flaw in the medium and a specific hardware failure (sense key 4h).
4h	HARDWARE ERROR. Indicates that the ATAPI Block Device detected a non-recoverable hardware failure while performing the command or during a self-test.
5h	ILLEGAL REQUEST. Indicates that there was an illegal parameter in the Command Packet or in the additional parameters supplied as data for some commands. If the ATAPI Block Device detects an invalid parameter in the Command Packet, then it shall terminate the command without altering the medium. If the ATAPI Block Device detects an invalid parameter in the additional parameters supplied as data, then the ATAPI Block Device may have already altered the medium.
6h	UNIT ATTENTION. Indicates that the removable medium may have been changed or the ATAPI Block Device has been reset.
7h	DATA PROTECT. Indicates that a command that writes the medium was attempted on a block that is protected from this operation. The write operation was not performed.
8h	BLANK CHECK. Indicates that a write-once device or a sequential-access device encountered blank medium or format-defined end-of-data indication while reading or a write-once device encountered a non-blank medium while writing.
9h	Vendor Specific. This sense key is available for reporting vendor specific conditions.
Ah	Reserved
Bh	ABORTED COMMAND. Indicates that the ATAPI Block Device has aborted the command. The host may be able to recover by trying the command again.
Ch	Reserved
Dh	VOLUME OVERFLOW. Indicates that a buffered peripheral device has reached the end-of-partition and data may remain in the buffer that has not been written to the medium.
Eh	MISCOMPARE. Indicates that the source data did not match the data read from the medium.
Fh	Reserved

9.7.11.3 Using the REQUEST SENSE Command

Whenever an Error is reported, the host computer should issue a REQUEST SENSE command to receive the sense data describing what caused the Error condition. If the host computer issues some other command, the sense data is lost.

The following table includes all suggested Sense Key, ASC, and ASCQ for all commands.

Table 54 - Recommended Sense Keys, ASC and ASCQ for All Commands Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
01	17	01	RECOVERED DATA WITH RETRIES
01	18	00	RECOVERED DATA WITH ECC
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
02	04	01	LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - BECOMING READY
02	04	04	LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - FORMAT IN PROGRESS
02	06	00	NO REFERENCE POSITION FOUND
03	02	00	NO SEEK COMPLETE
03	03	00	WRITE FAULT
03	10	00	ID CRC ERROR
03	11	00	UNRECOVERED READ ERROR
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
03	14	00	RECORDED ENTITY NOT FOUND
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
03	30	01	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - UNKNOWN FORMAT
03	31	01	FORMAT COMMAND FAILED
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	21	00	LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS OUT OF RANGE
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	26	00	INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST
05	53	02	MEDIUM REMOVAL PREVENTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
07	27	00	WRITE PROTECTED MEDIA
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

Table 55 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for REQUEST SENSE Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.12

SEEK Command

The SEEK command requests that the ATAPI Block Device seek to the specified Logical Block Address. The content of the sector at the specified LBA **shall not** affect the seek operation nor cause an error to be generated.

The SEEK Command will always be executed as an immediate command. The command will return completion status as soon as the seek operation has been started.

Table 56 - SEEK Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (2Bh)							
1	Logical Unit Number				Reserved			
2	Logical Block Address							
3								
4								
5								
6								
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

Table 57 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for SEEK Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
02	04	01	LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - BECOMING READY
02	06	00	NO REFERENCE POSITION FOUND
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	02	00	NO SEEK COMPLETE
05	21	00	LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS OUT OF RANGE
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
03	10	00	ID CRC ERROR
03	14	00	RECORDED ENTITY NOT FOUND
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.13

START/STOP UNIT Command

The START/STOP UNIT command instructs the ATAPI Block Device to enable or disable media access operations.

Table 58 - START/STOP UNIT Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (1Bh)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				Immed
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved						LoEj	Start
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

An Immediate (Immed) bit of one indicates that status **shall** be returned as soon as the Command Packet has been validated. An Immed bit of zero indicates that status **shall** be returned after the operation is completed.

A Start bit of one request the ATAPI Block Device to be made ready for use. A Start bit of zero requests that the ATAPI Block Device be stopped (media cannot be accessed by the host computer).

Table 59 - Start/Stop and Eject Operations

LoEj	Start	Operation to be Performed
0	0	Stop the Disc
0	1	Start the Disc and acquire the format type
1	0	Eject the Disc if possible
1	1	Load the Disc (Close Tray)

Any attempt to Eject or Load a Disc when the ATAPI Block Device does not support that capability **shall** result in an error being reported to the host (Sense Key 05 ILLEGAL REQUEST, Sense Code 24 INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET).

A Load Eject (LoEj) bit of zero requests that no action be taken regarding loading or ejecting the medium. A LoEj bit of one requests that the medium be unloaded if the Start bit is zero. A LoEj bit of one requests that the medium be loaded if the start bit is one.

Table 60 - Action for Eject/Load Disc

Operation	Locked / Unlocked	If Drive Not Ready (No Media)	If Drive Ready (Media Present)
Eject	Unlocked	No Error and Tray is opened	No Error: Media Ejects
	Locked	Error: 02 NOT READY, 53 MEDIA REMOVAL PREVENTED	Error: 02 NOT READY, 53 MEDIA REMOVAL PREVENTED
Manual Eject	Unlocked	Tray opens (If Tray exists)	Media is Ejected
	Locked	No operation occurs	No operation, Media stays locked in drive

Table 61 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for START/STOP UNIT Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
05	53	02	MEDIUM REMOVAL PREVENTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.14

TEST UNIT READY Command

The TEST UNIT READY command provides a means to check if the ATAPI Block Device is ready. This is not a request for a self-test. If the ATAPI Block Device would accept an appropriate medium-access command without returning CHECK CONDITION status, this command *shall* return a GOOD status. If the ATAPI Block Device cannot become operational or is in a state such that a host computer action is required to make the ATAPI Block Device ready, the ATAPI Block Device *shall* return CHECK CONDITION status with a sense key of NOT READY.

Table 62 - TEST UNIT READY Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (00h)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved				
2	Reserved							
3	Reserved							
4	Reserved							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

9.7.14.1 Using the TEST UNIT READY Command

The TEST UNIT READY command is useful in that it allows a host computer to poll a ATAPI Block Device until it is ready without the need to allocate space for returned data. It is especially useful to check cartridge status. ATAPI Block Devices are expected to respond promptly to indicate the current status of the ATAPI Block Device.

Table 63 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for TEST UNIT READY Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
02	04	01	LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - BECOMING READY
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.15

VERIFY Command

The VERIFY command requests that the ATAPI Block Device verify the data written on the medium.

Table 64 - VERIFY Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (2Fh)							
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved			ByteChk	Reserve
2	(MSB) Logical Block Address (LSB)							
3								
4								
5								
6								
7	Verification Length (MSB)							
8	Verification Length (LSB)							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The Byte Check (ByteChk) bit is optional. A ByteChk bit of zero causes a medium verification to be performed with no data comparison. A ByteChk bit of one causes a byte-by-byte compare of data written on the medium and the data transferred from the host computer. If the comparison is unsuccessful for any reason, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status with the sense key set to MISCOMPARE.

The Verification Length field specifies the number of contiguous logical blocks of data to be verified. A Verification Length of zero indicates that no logical blocks are to be verified. This condition **shall** be considered an error-free null operation.

Table 65 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for VERIFY Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
02	04	01	LOGICAL DRIVE NOT READY - BECOMING READY
02	06	00	NO REFERENCE POSITION FOUND
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
03	02	00	NO SEEK COMPLETE
05	21	00	LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS OUT OF RANGE
03	11	00	UNRECOVERED READ ERROR
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
03	14	00	RECORDED ENTITY NOT FOUND
03	10	00	ID CRC ERROR
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

WRITE (10) Command

The WRITE (10) command requests that the ATAPI Block Device write the data transferred by the host computer to the medium.

Table 66 - WRITE (10) Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (2Ah)							
1	Logical Unit Number				Reserved			
2	(MSB) Logical Block Address (LSB)							
3								
4								
5								
6								
7	Transfer Length (MSB)							
8	Transfer Length (LSB)							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The Logical Block Address field specifies the logical block at which the write operation **shall** begin.

The Transfer Length field specifies the number of contiguous logical blocks of data that **shall** be transferred. A Transfer Length of zero indicates that no logical blocks **shall** be transferred. This condition **shall not** be considered an error and no data **shall** be written. Any other value indicates the number of logical blocks that **shall** be transferred.

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WRITE (12) Command

The WRITE (12) command requests that the ATAPI Block Device write the data transferred by the host computer to the medium.

Table 67 - WRITE (12) Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0	Operation Code (AAh)								
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved					
2	Logical Block Address								
3									(MSB)
4									
5									
6	Transfer Length								
7									(MSB)
8									
9									
10	Reserved								
11	Reserved								

See "0 WRITE (10) Command" on page 63 for a definition of the operation of this command.

Table 68 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for WRITE (10) (12) Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
07	27	00	WRITE PROTECTED MEDIA
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
02	06	00	NO REFERENCE POSITION FOUND
03	02	00	NO SEEK COMPLETE
03	30	01	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - UNKNOWN FORMAT
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
03	14	00	RECORDED ENTITY NOT FOUND
05	21	0	LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS OUT OF RANGE
03	10	00	ID CRC ERROR
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

9.7.18

WRITE AND VERIFY Command

The WRITE AND VERIFY command requests that the ATAPI Block Device write the data transferred from the host computer to the medium and then verify that the data is correctly written. The data is only transferred once from the host computer.

Table 69 - WRITE AND VERIFY Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0	Operation Code (2Eh)								
1	Logical Unit Number			Reserved			ByteChk	Reserve	
2	Logical Block Address								
3									(MSB)
4									
5									
6									(LSB)
6	Reserved								
7	Transfer Length (MSB)								
8	Transfer Length (LSB)								
9	Reserved								
10	Reserved								
11	Reserved								

The Byte Check (ByteChk) bit is optional. A ByteChk bit of zero causes a medium verification to be performed with no data comparison. A ByteChk bit of one causes a byte-by-byte compare of data written on the medium and the data transferred from the host computer. If the comparison is unsuccessful for any reason, the ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status with the sense key set to MISCOMPARE.

The Transfer Length field specifies the number of contiguous logical blocks of data that **shall** be transferred. A Transfer Length of zero indicates that no logical blocks **shall** be transferred. This condition **shall not** be considered an error and no data **shall** be written. Any other value indicates the number of logical blocks that **shall** be transferred.

Table 70 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for WRITE AND VERIFY Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
05	20	00	INVALID COMMAND OPERATION CODE
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION - MEDIA CHANGED
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET OR BUS DEVICE RESET OCCURRED
07	27	00	WRITE PROTECTED MEDIA
02	3A	00	MEDIUM NOT PRESENT
02	06	00	NO REFERENCE POSITION FOUND
03	02	00	NO SEEK COMPLETE
03	30	01	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - UNKNOWN FORMAT
03	12	00	ADDRESS MARK NOT FOUND FOR ID FIELD
03	14	00	RECORDED ENTITY NOT FOUND
05	21	00	LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS OUT OF RANGE
03	10	00	ID CRC ERROR
03	30	00	INCOMPATIBLE MEDIUM INSTALLED
03	30	02	CANNOT READ MEDIUM - INCOMPATIBLE FORMAT
0B	4E	00	OVERLAPPED COMMAND ATTEMPTED

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10.0 Non-CD Optical Device Model

10.1 Non-CD Optical Model Description

10.1.1 Background of Non-CD Optical Device Model

The connection rate of CD-ROM drive in computer systems has reached almost to 100%. However, due to the READ Only restriction of CD-ROM drive, the need for large rewritable capacity and lack of real estate in the computer systems, the multi-function drives are inevitably demanded by the computer users. Also, increasing user data capacity due to multimedia applications with digital audio and video information, and internet environment require high capacity removable data storage device with CD-ROM function as data input device.

10.1.2 Model Description

Non-CD Optical Model such as PD drive has two portions which are able to read CD/CD-ROM media and able to read and write sector formatted media. The former portion is the same as conventional CD-ROM model and latter portion is a removable and rewritable random data storage device. Rewritable sector formatted media used in this model has direct overwrite capability by phase change recording material and same data reproducing method as conventional CD-ROM media enable to handle both CD-ROM media and rewritable media in the same device.

These two portions of this model can be selected by Logical Unit Number (LUN) value defined in a register or in certain bit in packet command described in "0 10.1.3 Description for Logical Unit Concept" on page 67.

Rewritable portion of this model can read and write from/to sector formatted media which has 512bytes sector capacity and support defect management function in the device which can be enabled to allocate data from defective sector to replacement sector automatically.

Direct overwrite operation using rewritable media in this model is executed by making amorphous marks and crystallized (erased) area with a single laser beam. The read-out signal is obtained from the difference of their reflectivity between two phases, i.e. amorphous and crystalline phase. Data mark is stored by one-path overwrite process without erase operation before data writing.

Rewritable sector formatted media used in this model has its cartridge case to protect the user data on the rewritable media from un-intentional scratches, dusts and fingerprints.

The principal technologies developed for this type of model are listed as follows:

- (1) Optical head capable of conducting read/write operations for phase change rewritable optical disk and read operation for conventional CD-ROM media.
- (2) Phase change rewritable optical disk with high sensitivity and high reliability.
- (3) A single common tray loading mechanism capable of accommodating both cartridge media and bare disk like CD-ROM's.

10.1.3 Description for Logical Unit Concept

The implementation of dual functionality in this model is via a support for multiple Logical Unit concept.

The Logical Unit concept is similar to the one used in SCSI interface. This device model assigns a separate Logical Unit Number for each function such as rewritable function and CD-ROM function.

This device model can support both dual Logical Unit mode called TWO LUN mode and single Logical Unit mode called ONE LUN mode. This two types of LUN mode is defined in Drive Operation Mode Page described in "0 Drive Operation Mode Page" on page 73.

In the case of supporting Two-LUN mode, Rewritable Logical Unit (Device Type is 07h) and CD-ROM Logical Unit (Device Type is 05h) are supported. Rewritable Logical Unit behaves according to Block Device Model documented in this draft proposal. Rewritable Logical Unit permits reading and writing from/to rewritable optical media. CD-ROM Logical Unit behaves according to CD-ROM model documented in SFF-8020i Rev. 2.6. CD-ROM Logical Unit permits reading from CD media.

In the case of supporting Two-LUN mode, Rewritable and CD-ROM Logical Units are accessed by two different Logical Unit Numbers, i.e. 0 or 1.

In the case of One-LUN mode, both Rewritable and CD-ROM Logical Units are supported and accessed by the same Logical Unit Number 0. This Device Model will automatically switch to Rewritable Logical Unit or CD-ROM Logical Unit, when the appropriate cartridge or Disc is inserted.

When this Device Model is capable of supporting Two-LUN mode, the value of one is returned in Last LUN Identifier (Word 126, bit 2-0) of Identify Device Information.

When this Device Model is capable of supporting One-LUN mode, the value of zero is returned in Last LUN Identifier (Word 126, bit 2-0) of Identify Device Information.

The Value of 2 is returned in the TLUN field of Removable Block Access Capability Page.

10.1.4 Format of rewritable Optical Disk

The rewritable optical disk used in this Model is physically formatted prior to a MCAV format with 512 bytes sector.

In contrary to a 2048 Bytes sector size of CD/CD-ROM, 512 byte sector is chosen to conform with the current OS in rewritable optical disk format. MCAV format with ten zones is also adopted with logical address starting from outer diameter in order to have high data transfer rate. The MCAV format and 1.2 um track pitch realize a capacity of 650MB.

Sector structure is similar to ISO 10089 format and has ID information in each sector physically. Recording method is a pulse position modulation (PPM) and the modulation scheme is 2, 7 RLL code.

For details information on the physical format, please see ECMA - 240: Data Interchange on 120mm Optical Disk Cartridges using Phase Change PD Format - Capacity: 650MBytes per cartridge.

10.1.5 Defect Management

Defect management procedure for rewritable optical media **shall** be performed by Non-CD Optical Device Model.

The method of defect management is sector slipping and linear replacement. Sector slipping algorithm will be used for pre- certified disk and linear replacement method will be used in both certified and non-certified disk. The control information about defect management procedure is recorded in innermost area and outermost area of the disk.

The spare areas used in both sector slipping and linear replacement algorithm are located in each of ten MCAV zones.

These informations about defect management procedure are also described in ECMA - 240 in details.

10.1.6

Optical Disk and Cartridge

Phase change rewritable optical disk used in the Non-CD optical device model has its cartridge to protect it from any unintentional scratches, dusts and fingerprints. The disk is 120mm diameter and 1.2mm thickness single-sided disk that is the same as CD/CD-ROM disc. Disk has physically formatted spiral groove for producing tracking and accessing signal. The spiral track made by the groove is starting from outer diameter of the disk.

The phase change recording material is used in the rewritable optical disk. This material generates reflectivity difference depending on recorded mark and unrecorded area after heating the recorded layer by modulated and focused laser beam. The recorded mark becomes amorphous state and unrecorded area becomes crystalline state. Amorphous state has lower reflectivity than crystalline state. These reflectivity differences can be detected by focused laser beam of a weak power. This reading mechanism generates read out signal from the phase change rewritable disk.

10.2 Non-CD Block Model Ready Condition / Not Ready Condition

The ready condition occurs after a cartridge is inserted and the Non-CD Optical Device has performed its initialization task. This “Ready” is different from and **shall not** be confused with the ATA Ready status. A check condition status will be returned for the Not Ready condition only for commands that require or imply a disk access.

A Not Ready condition may occur for the following reasons:

1. There is no cartridge inserted.
2. The drive is spinning up.
3. There is a disc for CD inserted.

10.2.1 Packet Command Not Ready Status Utilization

Table 71 - Not Ready Error Reporting (by Command)

Command Description	Code	May Return Not Ready Error
FORMAT UNIT	04h	Yes
INQUIRY	12h	No
MODE SELECT	55h	No
MODE SENSE	5Ah	No
PREVENT ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL	1Eh	No
READ(10)	28h	Yes
READ(12)	A8h	Yes
READ CAPACITY	25h	Yes
READ FORMAT CAPACITY	23h	No
REQUEST SENSE	03h	No
SEEK	2Bh	Yes
START STOP UNIT	1Bh	*1
TEST UNIT READY	00h	Yes
VERIFY	2Fh	Yes
WRITE(10)	2Ah	Yes
WRITE(12)	AAh	Yes
WRITE AND VERIFY	2Eh	Yes

*1: Not ready error for START STOP UNIT command is defined in “Table 72 - Not Ready Error Reporting for START STOP COMMAND” on page 70.

Table 72 - Not Ready Error Reporting for START STOP COMMAND

	No Disk	Spinning	Other Disk (CD)
START	Yes	No	Yes
STOP	Yes	No	Yes
LOAD	No	No	No
EJECT	No	No	No

10.3 Error Reporting

If any of the following conditions occur during the execution of a command for Rewritable Logical Unit, Non-CD Optical Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status. The appropriate sense key and additional sense code **shall** be set. The following list illustrates some error conditions and the applicable sense keys. The list does not provide an exhaustive enumeration of all conditions that may cause the CHECK CONDITION status.

Table 73 - Error Conditions and Sense Keys for Non-CD Optical Device

Condition	Sense Key
INVALID LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS	ILLEGAL REQUEST
UNSUPPORTED OPTION REQUESTED	ILLEGAL REQUEST
NON-CD OPTICAL DEVICE RESET OR MEDIUM CHANGE SINCE LAST COMMAND FROM THE HOST	UNIT ATTENTION
UNRECOVERED READ / WRITE ERROR	MEDIUM ERROR or HARDWARE ERROR
RECOVERED ERROR	RECOVERED ERROR
OVERRUN OR OTHER ERROR THAT MIGHT BE RESOLVED BE REPEATING THE COMMAND	ABORTED COMMAND
ATTEMPT TO WRITE ON WRITE PROTECTED MEDIUM	DATA PROTECT

10.3.1 READ (10) (12) Command

Table 74 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for READ (10) (12) Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
03	16	00	DATA SYNCHRONIZATION MARK ERRORS
01	17	05	RECOVERED DATA USING PREVIOUS SECTOR ID
01	18	01	RECOVERED DATA WITH ERROR CORRECTION & RETRIES APPLIED
03	31	00	MEDIUM FORMAT CORRUPTED

10.3.2

READ CAPACITY Command

Table 75 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for READ CAPACITY Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
03	31	00	MEDIUM FORMAT CORRUPTED

10.3.3 SEEK Command

Table 76 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for SEEK Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
03	31	00	MEDIUM FORMAT CORRUPTED

10.3.4 VERIFY Command

Table 77 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for VERIFY Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
03	16	00	DATA SYNCHRONIZATION MARK ERRORS
03	31	00	MEDIUM FORMAT CORRUPTED

10.3.5 WRITE (10) (12), WRITE AND VERIFY Command

Table 78 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ for WRITE (10) (12) Command Errors

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
03	0C	02	WRITE ERROR – AUTO REALLOCATION FAILED
03	16	00	DATA SYNCHRONIZATION MARK ERRORS
03	31	00	MEDIUM FORMAT CORRUPTED
03	32	00	NO DEFECT SPACE LOCATION AVAILABLE
03	32	01	DEFECT LIST UPDATE FAILURE

10.4

Mode Select / Sense Parameters for Non-CD Optical Device

Non-CD Optical Device **shall** support the following Mode Page Codes for Rewritable Logical Unit.

Table 79 - Mode Page Codes for Non-CD Optical Device

Page Code	Definition	Reference	Type
00h	Drive Operation Mode Page	0 on page 73	O
01h	Read-Write Error Recovery Page	0 on page 40	M
08h	Caching Page	Caching Page on page 42	M
1Bh	Removable Block Access Capacities Page	Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh) on page 43	M
1Ch	Timer & Protect Page	0 on page 44	O
20h	Format Parameters Page	0 on page 74	O
3Fh	Return all pages (valid only for MODE SENSE command)		M

When Non-CD Optical Device has TWO Logical Units, Mode Page of 00h **shall** be common for both Logical Units. Non-CD Optical Device **shall** hold only one copy of this Mode Page and have it apply to both Logical Units. Mode Pages of 01h and 08h **shall** be separated for each Logical Unit. Mode Pages of 1Bh, 1Ch and 20h **shall** be applied for Rewritable Logical Unit. Non-CD Optical Device **shall** hold only one copy of these Mode Pages. When Non-CD Optical Device has ONE Logical Unit, all Mode Pages **shall** be common. Non-CD Optical Device **shall** hold only one copy of these Mode Pages.

Table 80 - Medium Type Codes for Non-CD Optical Device

Code	Medium Type Definition
00h	Door closed, medium type unknown
01h	120mm CD-ROM data only
02h	120mm CD-DA audio only
03h	120mm CD-ROM data and audio combined
04h	120mm CD-ROM Hybrid disc (Photo CD)
05h	80mm CD-ROM data only
06h	80mm CD-DA audio only
07h	80mm CD-ROM data and audio combined
08h	80mm CD-ROM Hybrid disc (Photo CD)
09h-3Fh	Reserved
40h	Block Device unknown type
41h	Block Device Read only
42h	Block Device Read / Write
43h-69h	Reserved
70h	Door closed, no disc present
71h	Door open
72h	Door closed, medium format error
73h-8Fh	Reserved
90h-FFh	Vendor Specific

10.4.1

Drive Operation Mode Page

ATAPI Block Device Operation Mode Page specifies parameters for Non-CD Optical Device operation mode.

Table 81 - Drive Operation Mode Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Reserved	Page Code (00h)					
1	Page Length (02h)							
2	SLM	SLR	DVW	Vendor Specific				
3	Vendor Specific			DDE	Vendor Specific			

Disable Verify for WRITE (DVW) bit specifies the operation of WRITE (10), (12) and WRITE AND VERIFY commands. This bit of zero indicates that the Non-CD Optical Device **shall** perform the verify operation for WRITE (10), (12) commands and the write cache operation for WRITE AND VERIFY command is enabled. This bit of one indicates that the Non-CD Optical Device **shall not** perform verify operation for WRITE (10), (12) commands and the write cache operation for WRITE AND VERIFY command is disabled.

A Select LUN Mode (SLM) bit of one indicates that Non-CD Optical Device **shall** have TWO Logical Unit. When TWO LUN Mode is selected, Rewritable Logical Unit Number depends on the Select LUN for Rewritable bit (**SLR**) described below. A SLM bit of zero indicates that Non-CD Optical Device **shall** have only ONE Logical Unit.

A Select LUN for Rewritable (SLR) bit is valid when the SLM bit is set to one (TWO LUN Mode). This bit of zero indicates that Rewritable Logical Unit can be used as LUN 0. This bit of one indicates that Rewritable Logical Unit can be used as LUN 1.

A disable deferred error (DDE) bit of one indicates that the Non-CD Optical Device **shall** be disabled to report any error as an deferred error even if the error has been detected during the write back operation. The error detected during the write back operation is reported as a current error. A DDE bit of zero is ignored. Although this bit is set to zero by a MODE SELECT command, the Non-CD Optical Device **shall** report the error detected during the write back operation as a current error.

10.4.2

Format Parameters Page

The Format Parameters Page defines the information and the parameters of the defect management.

Table 82 - Format Parameters Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Reserved	Page Code (20h)					
1	Page Length (12h)							
2-19	Vendor Specific							

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11.0 Removable Direct Access Model

Removable Direct Access devices permit reading and writing from a removable media that is directly addressable by logical block. Data transfer can begin with any of the consecutively numbered logical blocks. The actual data may be stored in different physical formats, but all devices **shall** be addressable by logical blocks.

Some Removable Direct Access devices may be physically and logically compatible with existing HD and DD floppy disks. This chapter specifies several features these devices **shall** implement.

11.1 Removable Direct Access Media Organization

The physical format of the data is not specified in this document. Please refer to the appropriate OEM manual for the actual storage method and data layout. All devices must present a uniform and contiguous logical block layout to the host.

11.2 Commands

Removable Direct Access Devices **shall** support the following packet commands.

Table 83 - Packet Commands for Removable Direct Access Devices

Command Description	Code	Reference
FORMAT UNIT	04h	Section 0 on page 28
INQUIRY	12h	Section 0 on page 30
MODE SELECT	55h	Section 0 on page 33
MODE SENSE	5Ah	Section 0 on page 36
PREVENT/ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL	1Eh	Section 0 on page 44
READ (10)	28h	Section READ (10) Command on page 47
READ (12)	A8h	Section 0 on page 47
READ CAPACITY	25h	Section READ CAPACITY Command on page 49
READ FORMAT CAPACITIES	23h	Section 0 on page 48
REQUEST SENSE	03h	Section 0 on page 52
SEEK	2Bh	Section 0 on page 57
START STOP UNIT	1Bh	Section 0 on page 58
TEST UNIT READY	00h	Section 0 on page 60
VERIFY	2Fh	Section 0 on page 61
WRITE (10)	2Ah	Section WRITE (10) Command on page 63
WRITE (12)	AAh	Section 0 on page 63
WRITE AND VEIRIFY	2Eh	Section 0 on page 64

11.2.1 Identify Device Packet Command

Removable Direct Access devices **shall** report the ASCII string "Floppy" in Words 44-46 of the Packet Identify Drive ('A1h') command, regardless whether the device is actually a floppy or not. This allows device drivers to recognize the device class, without needing a list of the strings from every device. The purpose of this is to allow device drivers to identify Removable Direct Access Devices, when ATAPI CD-ROMs and other ATAPI devices are installed in the same host computer.

11.2.2

FORMAT UNIT Command

If the device is not physically compatible with a 3.5 inch HD floppy, then the device **shall** implement the Format Unit command as described in "FORMAT UNIT Command FORMAT UNIT Command" on page 28. The device only needs to implement the Format Unit command described here if it is intended to be, or replace, a system floppy.

The differences between the Format Unit command as described in "FORMAT UNIT Command FORMAT UNIT Command" on page 28 and as described here are to enable compatibility with existing host computer format utilities. This description adds a Track Number in Byte 2 of the Command Packet, and Single Track and Side bits to Byte 1 of the Defect List Header.

Table 84 - FORMAT UNIT (04h) Command

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Operation Code (04h)							
1	Reserved			FmtData (1)	CmpList (0)	Defect List Format (7)		
2	Track Number							
3	Interleave (MSB)							
4	Interleave (LSB)							
5	Reserved							
6	Reserved							
7	Reserved							
8	Reserved							
9	Reserved							
10	Reserved							
11	Reserved							

The FmtData bit **shall** be set to 1, the CmpList bit **shall** be set to 0, and the Defect List Format **shall** be set to 7. All other values in these fields **shall** return a Check Condition with the Sense Key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the Sense Code set to INVALID FIELD IN COMMAND PACKET.

Track Number: This field **shall** be valid for existing HD and DD single-track formats. It specifies which track is to be formatted. It may be ignored for other media types.

Interleave: This specifies the interleave that **shall** be used when formatting. A value of 0 specifies that ATAPI Block Device uses the default value. A 1:1 interleave specifies that consecutive logical blocks be placed in contiguous ascending order.

After sending the command packet, the host **shall** then transfer the 12 bytes of the Format Descriptor.

Table 85 - FORMAT UNIT (04h) Parameter List

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	Defect List Header							
	Format Descriptor							

Table 86 - Defect List Header

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	Reserved							
1	FOV	Reserved	Disable Cert	Single Track	Reserved		Immediate	Side
2	Defect List Length (MSB) [0]							
3	Defect List Length (LSB) [8]							

If the Disable Cert bit is set, ATAPI Block Device **shall not** certify this disk (or track, if the Single Track bit is set).

The Single Track bit, when set, specifies that only the track specified in the Track Number field (See “Table 84 - FORMAT UNIT (04h) Command” on page 76) **shall** be formatted. This bit is only required when formatting a compatible HD or DD floppy disk.

The Immediate bit specifies that this command **shall** return status immediately. The command will then proceed, and set ATAPI Block Device Ready bit when the Format Unit command has actually finished.

The Side bit specifies which side is to be formatted on a Single-Track format. If the Side bit is set, the topside will be formatted. If the side bit is reset, the bottom side will be formatted. This bit is only required when formatting a compatible HD or DD floppy disk.

The Defect List Length **shall** be set to 8. Any other value in this field **shall** return a Check Condition with the Sense Key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the Sense Code set to ILLEGAL FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

The Format Descriptor **shall** exactly match one of the Formattable Descriptors (See “Table 13 - Formattable Capacity Descriptor” on page 29) from the READ FORMAT CAPACITIES command. If these numbers do not match a returned block from the Read Format Capacities command, or they specify an invalid format for the installed media, ATAPI Block Device **shall** return a Check Condition with the Sense Key set to ILLEGAL REQUEST and the Sense Code set to ILLEGAL FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST.

11.2.3

MODE SENSE / MODE SELECT Command

Removable Direct Access devices **shall** support the following mode page, the Flexible Disk Page, in addition to all pages defined at Table 25 on page 39. The Flexible Disk Page specifies parameters relating to the currently installed medium type.

Table 87 - Flexible Disk Page

Bit Byte	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PS	Rsvd	Page Code (05h)					
1	Page Length (1Eh)							
2	Transfer Rate (MSB)							
3	Transfer Rate (LSB)							
4	Number of Heads							
5	Sectors per Track							
6	Data Bytes per Sector (MSB)							
7	Data Bytes per Sector (LSB)							
8	Number of Cylinders (MSB)							
9	Number of Cylinders (LSB)							
10	Reserved							
19	Reserved							
20	Motor off Delay							
21	Reserved							
27	Reserved							
28	Medium Rotation Rate (MSB)							
29	Medium Rotation Rate (LSB)							
30	Reserved							
31	Reserved							

The parameters savable (PS) bit is only used with the MODE SENSE command. This bit is reserved with the MODE SELECT command. A PS bit of one indicates that the Removable Direct Access Device is capable of saving the page in a non-volatile vendor-specific location. If the PS is set to one in MODE SENSE data the page is savable by issuing a MODE SELECT command with SP set to one.

The Transfer Rate field **shall** indicate, in kilobits per second, the data rate between the Removable Direct Access Device and the installed medium type. For zoned media, this number may be an average.

The Sectors per Track field specifies the number of sectors per revolution per head. For zoned media, this number may be an average.

The Number of Cylinders field specifies the number of cylinders used for data storage.

The Motor Off Delay field specifies, in tenths of a second, the time that the Removable Direct Access device **shall** wait after going idle before turning off the spindle motor. A value of FFh indicates that the motor **shall not** turn off.

The Medium Rotation Rate field indicates the speed at which the medium rotates. The unit of measure is rotations per minute (rpm).

Implementers note: The number of Heads, Cylinders, and Sectors per Track do not have to match the physical values of the installed media. They may have values that, when multiplied together, give the total capacity for the device. Some host systems will use these numbers to obtain total capacity, rather than obtaining the capacity from Read Format Capacities.

11.3 Removable Direct Access Ready Condition / Not Ready Condition

The ready condition occurs after a cartridge is inserted and ATAPI Block Device has performed its initialization tasks. This "ready" is different from and **shall not** be confused with the ATA Ready Status. A check condition status will be returned for the not ready condition only for commands that require or imply a disk access.

A not ready condition may occur for the following reasons:

1. There is no cartridge inserted.
2. A cartridge was just inserted.

ATAPI Block Device **shall** spin up and make the disk ready for media access when a new disk is detected.

11.3.1 Packet Command Not Ready Status Utilization

Table 88 - Not Ready Error Reporting (by Command)

Command	Opcode	May Return Not Ready Error
FORMAT UNIT	04h	Yes
INQUIRY	12h	No
MODE SELECT	55h	No
MODE SENSE	5Ah	No
READ (10)	28h	Yes
READ (12)	A8h	Yes
READ CAPACITY	25h	Yes
READ FORMAT CAPACITIES	23h	No
REQUEST SENSE	03h	No
PREVENT ALLOW MEDIUM REMOVAL	1Eh	See 0 on page 44
SEEK	2Bh	Yes
START STOP UNIT	1Bh	Yes
TEST UNIT READY	00h	Yes
VERIFY	2Fh	Yes
WRITE (10)	2Ah	Yes
WRITE (12)	Aah	Yes
WRITE AND VERIFY	2Eh	Yes

11.4 Removable Media Issues

Because many operating systems need to control when the media may be removed, this document defines several methods. One method is the PREVENT/ALLOW MEDIA REMOVAL command. Another method is Media Status Notification along with the START/STOP UNIT command.

11.5 Error Reporting

If any of the following conditions occur during the execution of a command, ATAPI Block Device **shall** return CHECK CONDITION status. The appropriate sense key and additional sense code **shall** be set. The following list illustrates some error conditions and the applicable sense keys. The list does not provide an exhaustive enumeration of all conditions that may cause the CHECK CONDITION status.

Table 89 - Error Conditions and Sense Keys

CONDITION	SENSE KEY
INVALID LOGICAL BLOCK ADDRESS	ILLEGAL REQUEST
UNSUPPORTED OPTION REQUESTED	ILLEGAL REQUEST
DRIVE RESET OR MEDIUM CHANGE SINCE LAST COMMAND	UNIT ATTENTION
SELF DIAGNOSTIC FAILED	HARDWARE ERROR
UNRECOVERED READ OR WRITE ERROR	MEDIUM ERROR
RECOVERED READ OR WRITE ERROR	RECOVERED ERROR
OVERRUN OR ERROR THAT MIGHT BE RESOLVED BY REPEATING THE COMMAND	ABORTED COMMAND

In the case of an invalid logical block address, the sense data information field **shall** be set to the logical block address of the first invalid address.

In the case of a read or write error, the sense data information field **shall** be set to the logical block address of the block that caused the error.

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Magneto Optical Device Model

12.1 Magneto Optical Model Description

12.1.1 Background of Magneto Optical Device Model

The 3.5 inches Magneto Optical drive offers the removable rewritable function of high speed and high reliability with 3.5 inches small size optical disk cartridge corresponding to the demand by the computer users in removable rewriteable devices platform.

There are ISO specification for 90mm Magneto Optical disk, which has 512B, and 2KB sector size. And there are huge amounts of disks in the marketplace.

The kind of disk includes four kinds up to 640MB capacity now. There are two kinds of kinds of the disk and direct over write disk, which does not operate erase, is offered. It might be a thing that large capacity disk is offered to the uses when the future.

Basically as for Magneto Optical disk achieves though erase, write and verify operation. But Direct Over Write disk achieves speed-up though write and verify operates.

12.1.2 Model Description

Magneto Optical Device Model is removable random readable and rewritable data storage device. The rewritable sector formatted disk used in this model has Magneto Optical or Direct Over Write capability material.

The rewritable portion of this model can read and write from/to sector formatted disk which has 512bytes or 2048bytes sector capacity and support defect management function in the device which can be enabled to allocate data from defective sector to replacement sector automatically.

The rewritable sector formatted disk used in this model has its cartridge case to protect the user data on the rewritable disk from un-intentional scratches, dusts and fingerprints.

The principal technologies developed for this type of model are listed as follows:

- (1) Optical head capable of conducting erase/read/write operations for rewritable magneto optical disk.
- (2) Magneto Optical disk with high reliability.
- (3) Magneto Optical disk has two type of disk;

Sector Length of 512bytes diskette: 128MB/230MB/540MB

Sector Length of 2048bytes diskette: 640MB

Even if 512B and 2KB medium is alternately inserted, the OS should be able to be read and written unquestionable. It's removability, it is important that ATAPI spec has large-sector-size-disk capability same as SCSI environment.

12.1.3 Description for Logical Unit Concept

The implementation of functionality in this model is single Logical Unit concept.

12.1.4 Format of rewritable Magneto Optical Disk

The rewritable optical disk used in this Model is physically formatted 512 bytes or 2048 bytes sector. In contrary to a 2048 Bytes sector size of 640MB, 512 byte sector of 128MB/230MB/540MB is chosen to conform with the legacy OS like DOS or Windows3.1 in rewritable magneto optical disk format.

ISO/IEC 10090: 128 Mbytes 512bytes

ISO/IEC 13963: 230 Mbytes 512bytes

ISO/IEC 15041: 540 Mbytes 512bytes, 640 Mbytes 2048bytes

12.1.5 Defect Management

Defect management procedure for rewritable magneto optical disk **shall** be performed by Magneto Optical Device Model.

The method of defect management is sector slipping and linear replacement. Sector slipping algorithm will be used for pre-certified disk and linear replacement method will be used in both certified and non-certified disk.

The control information about defect management procedure is recorded in the specific area of the disk.

The spare areas used in both sector slipping and linear replacement algorithm are located in each zone.

12.1.6 Magneto Optical Disk and Cartridge

Magneto Optical disk used in the Magneto Optical Device Model has its cartridge to protect it from any unintentional scratches, dusts and fingerprints.

The disk is 3.5inches single-sided disk.

Disk has physically formatted spiral groove for producing tracking and accessing signal.

12.2

Mode Page codes for Magneto Optical Device

Magneto Optical Device *shall* support the following Mode Page Codes.

Table 90 - Mode Page Codes for Magneto Optical Device

Page Code	Definition	Reference	Type
00h	Drive Operation Mode Page	0 on page 73	O
01h	Read-Write Error Recovery Page	0 on page 40	M
08h	Caching Page	Caching Page on page 42	M
1Bh	Removable Block Access Capacities Page	Removable Block Access Capabilities Page (1Bh) on page 43	M
1Ch	Timer & Protect Page	0 on page 44	O
20h	Format Parameters Page	0 on page 74	O
3Fh	Return all pages (valid only for MODE SENSE command)		M

12.3 Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ

3.5 inches Magneto Optical drive supports as following information. It's containing same as SCSI environment.

Table 91 - Recommended Sense Key, ASC and ASCQ

Sense Key	ASC	ASCQ	Description of Error
00	00	00	NO SENSE
02	04	00	NOT READY
02	3A	00	NOT READY(OPTICAL DISK CARTRIDGE NOT INSERTED)
03	10	00	ID READ ERROR
03	11	00	UNCORRECTABLE
03	0C	00	WRITE ERROR
03	0C	02	WRITE ERROR(SPARE BLOCK)
03	30	00	UN-SUPPORTED DISK
03	31	00	FORMAT ERROR
03	32	00	DEFECT OVER
04	09	01	TRACKING SERVO FAILURE
04	15	02	POSITIONING ERROR DETECTED BY READ OF MEDIUM
04	44	00	INTERNAL TARGET FAILURE
05	24	00	INVALID FIELD IN CDB
05	25	00	LOGICAL UNIT NOT SUPPORTED
05	26	00	INVALID FIELD IN PARAMETER LIST
06	28	00	NOT READY TO READY TRANSITION
06	29	00	POWER ON RESET
07	27	00	WRITE PROTECT