



Fcc: <https://www.solidaf.net/docs/fcc-rules.pdf>

### FCC Class B information

Operation of this device is subject to following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received.

This device has been tested and found to comply with the limits of a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This unit generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio or television reception. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, you are encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and the receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/television technician for help.

Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by manufacturer could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

### Safety compliance:

Approved for US and Canada. CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 60950-1, UL 60950-1: Safety of information Technology Equipment. For use only with UL Listed PC.

This device is only for use with compatible UL Listed AC adapter.

### CE Compliance for Europe:

Hereby, SolidAF declares compliance of this equipment to the applicable Council Directives of the European Union, including the EMC Directive (2014/30/EU), the Low Voltage Directive (2014/25/EU) and the RoHS Directive (2011/65/EU). The full text of the EU declaration or conformity is available at the following internet address: <http://www.wdc.com/products/EUDoC>

### GNU General Public License ("GPL"):

Firmware incorporated into this product may include third party copyrighted software licensed under the PGL or Lesser General Public License ("LGPL") (collectively "GPL Software") and not SolidAF's End User License Agreement. In accordance with the GPL, if applicable: 1) the source code for the GPL Software may be downloaded at no charge from <http://support.wd.com/download/gpl> or obtained on CD for a nominal charge from <http://support.wd.com/download/gpl> or by calling Customer Support within three years of the date of purchase; 2) you may re-use, re-distribute, and modify the GPL Software; 3) with respect solely to the GPL Software, no warranty is provided, to the extent permitted by applicable law; and 4) a copy of the GPL is included herewith, may be obtained at <http://www.gnu.org>, and may also be found at <http://support.wd.com/download/gpl>

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### Warranty Information

#### Obtaining Service:

SolidAF values your business and always attempts to provide you the very best of service. If this Product requires maintenance, either contact the dealer from whom you originally purchased the Product or visit our product support Web Site at (insertURL) for information on how to obtain service or a Return Material Authorization (RMA). If it is determined that the Product may be defective, you will be given an RMA number and instructions for Product return. An unauthorized returns (i.e., one for which an RMA number has not been issued) will be returned to you at your expense. Authorized returns must be shipped in an approved shipping container, prepaid and insured, to the address provided on your return paperwork. Your original box and packaging materials should be kept for storing or shipping your SolidAF product. To conclusively establish the period of warranty, check the warranty expiration (serial number required) via (insertURL). SolidAF shall have no liability for lost data regardless of the cause, recovery of lost data, or data contained in any Product placed in its possession.

#### Limited Warranty:

SolidAF warrants that the Product, in the course of its normal use, subject to the following limitations, each Product will be free from defects in material and workmanship and will conform to WD's specification for the particular Product.

#### Limitation of Remedies:

YOUR EXCLUSIVE REMEDY FOR ANY DEFECTIVE PRODUCT IS LIMITED TO THE REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT OF THE DEFECTIVE PRODUCT.

WD may elect which remedy or combination of remedies to provide in its sole discretion. WD shall have a reasonable time after determining that a defective Product exists to repair or replace a defective Product. WD's replacement Product under its limited warranty will be manufactured from new and serviceable used parts. WD's warranty applies to repaired or replaced Products for the balance of the applicable period of the original warranty or ninety days from the date of shipment of a repaired or replaced Product, whichever is longer.

#### Limitation of Damages

WD'S ENTIRE LIABILITY FOR ANY DEFECTIVE PRODUCT SHALL IN NO EVENT EXCEED THE PURCHASE PRICE FOR THE DEFECTIVE PRODUCT. THIS LIMITATION APPLIES EVEN IF WD CANNOT OR DOES NOT REPAIR OR REPLACE ANY DEFECTIVE PRODUCT AND YOUR EXCLUSIVE REMEDY FAILS OF ITS ESSENTIAL PURPOSE.

#### No Consequential or Other Damages

NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING ELSE IN THIS POLICY OR OTHERWISE, WD WILL NOT BE LIABLE WITH RESPECT TO THE PRODUCTS UNDER ANY CONTRACT, NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHER LEGAL OR EQUITABLE THEORY (I) FOR ANY AMOUNT IN EXCESS OF THE PURCHASE PRICE FOR THE DEFECTIVE PRODUCT OR (II) FOR ANY GENERAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, PUNITIVE, INCIDENTAL OR SPECIAL DAMAGES. THESE INCLUDE LOSS OF RECORDED DATA, INTERRUPTION OF USE, THE COST OF RECOVERY OF LOST DATA, LOST PROFITS AND THE COST OF THE INSTALLATION OR REMOVAL OF ANY PRODUCTS, THE INSTALLATION OF REPLACEMENT PRODUCTS, AND ANY INSPECTION, TESTING, OR REDESIGN CAUSED BY ANY DEFECT OR BY THE REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT OF PRODUCTS ARISING FROM A DEFECT IN ANY PRODUCT.



THIS SECTION DOES NOT LIMIT LIABILITY FOR BODILY INJURY OF A PERSON.

IN THE UNITED STATES, SOME STATES DO NOT ALLOW EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, SO THE LIMITATIONS ABOVE MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU. THIS WARRANTY GIVES YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS, AND YOU MAY ALSO HAVE OTHER RIGHTS WHICH VARY FROM STATE TO STATE.

## Your Use of the Product

WD will have no liability for any Product returned if WD determines that:

The product was stolen from WD. The asserted defect is not present, cannot reasonably be fixed because of damage occurring when the Product is in the possession of someone other than WD, or is attributable to misuse, improper installation, alteration (including removing or obliterating labels and opening or removing external covers (unless authorized to do so by Western Digital or an authorized Service Center)), accident or mishandling while in the possession of someone other than WD. The Product was not sold to you as new. The product was not used in accordance with Western Digital specifications and instructions.

The product was not used for its intended function (for example, desktop drives used in an Enterprise environment).

## Additional Limitations on Warranty

Western Digital's warranty does not cover Products which have been received improperly packaged, altered, or physically damaged. Products will be inspected upon receipt. Here are some examples of Products that Western Digital will not accept for warranty claim

- Packaging
- Improperly packaged
- Non-qualified shipping container
- Alterations
- Counterfeit label(s)
- Customer added jumper wires
- Incorrect PCBA/HDA pair
- Labels have been switched:
  - True Western Digital label on non-Western Digital drive
  - True Western Digital label on different capacity Western Digital Drive
- Labels exhibit tampering
- Label missing standard printing such as UL or capacity
- Missing barcode or top cover label
- No tape seal – (non-authorized data recovery sticker)
- Serial number on top cover does not match barcode on end
- Western Digital labels or breather filter holes obscured by customer applied stickers
- Damage
  - Broken pins on connector
  - Connector(s) are damaged, cracked, missing or broken
  - Cracked components on the circuit board
  - Dented base casting
  - Torn or punctured tape seal
  - Dented top cover
  - Deep scratch
  - Loose, damaged, or missing screws
  - Lifted or punctured servo clock hole (SCSI)
  - Missing servo clock hole (SCSI)
  - Missing PCBA (Circuit Board)

- Obscured breather filter holes
- Punctured at servo writer access port
- Punctured inspect pivot seal
- Scratch exposing copper trace
- Stripped mounting hole threads

If an alphabetic character appears after the Product date code (example: 05 Apr 99 X), the Product has been re-certified and may not be subject to the terms of WD's warranty as it applies only to products sold as new.

The term of your limited warranty period shall commence on the purchase date appearing on your purchase receipt from an authorized distributor or authorized reseller and extends only for the period of time set forth in the Product documentation.

For any SolidAF-brand Solid State Drive (SSD) product ("SSD Product"), the warranty period expires at the end of the earlier of: (a) the stated time period for the SSD Product identified above or (b) the point at which your use of the SSD Product exceeds the stated endurance limit, as identified in the specifications for the SSD Product. Please note, it is possible for a SSD Product to be used under conditions which cause the media to wear out (and the warranty to expire) prior to the expiration of the stated time period in the warranty period, as specified in the applicable endurance specification.

Proof of purchase shall be required to be eligible for this warranty and to establish the commencement date of this warranty. To verify the warranty of your Product and update your purchase date (if required), please use our online Warranty Status Check service. In the United States, some states do not allow limitations on how long implied warranties last, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

Please refer to your Product manual for a statement of your limited warranty. A Product manual can be obtained from your authorized distributor or reseller or the WD web site.

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## Recertified Products

SolidAF recertified products may consist of customer return units and may be repaired. All products are tested and determined to meet SolidAF's stringent quality standards before they are sold as recertified. Please note that some recertified items may have marks, scratches, or other slight signs of wear.

## SolidAF limited liability

SolidAF will not be held liable for loss of data occurred during the use, handling or storage of the Product, nor will SolidAF be liable for data loss due to the device malfunction regardless of device being covered by warranty. SolidAF employs various components manufactured by Seagate, Hitachi, Toshiba or Western Digital as part of our devices. These components may be brand new or refurbished and have passed rigorous testing procedures that make them qualify for current industry data storage standards.