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Product Specification

- Capacities:
 - 960GB, 1.92TB, 3.84TB
- Performance^{1,2}
 - Seq. R/W 128K QD256: Up to 6500/3500 MB/s³
 - 4K QD1 Random Latency (typ.) R/W: 65/16 μ s
 - 4K QD1 Sequential Latency (typ.) R/W: 10/13 μ s
 - Random 4KB⁴ (QD32 x 8 workers) R/W: Up to 875K/100K IOPS
- Media
 - 128-Layer TLC⁵
- Supported Operating Systems
 - Windows Server 2022, Windows Server 2019, Windows Server 2016
 - RHEL 7.8, 7.9 & 8.3
 - SLES 15
- Driver Certifications
 - Intel Developed Windows NVMe SSD Driver
 - Intel Developed ESXi VMD Driver
 - VMware IOVP - ESXi 7.0
 - VMware vSAN - ESXi 7.0
 - Windows Hardware Compatibility Program (Inbox Driver) - Server 2022, Server 2019, Server 2016
 - UEFI 2.7
- Hardware-based AES-256 XTS Mode Encryption
- Compliance
 - NVMe Express 1.3c
 - NVMe Express Management Interface 1.0a
 - PCI Express Base Specification Rev 4.0
 - SFF-8639 Module Specification Rev 3.0, Ver 1.05⁶
 - PCI Express Card Electro-Mechanical Spec. Rev 3.0
- Certifications and Declarations
 - UL, CE, C-Tick, BSMI, KCC, Microsoft WHCP, VCCI
- Power
 - 12V Supply Rail & Optional 3.3V_{aux} Supply Rail for SMBus access over I2C
 - Consumption: Up to 15W
 - Enhanced power-loss data protection
- Endurance Rating⁷
 - Up to 6.5PBW
- Reliability
 - Uncorrectable Bit Error Rate (UBER): 1 sector per 10¹⁷ bits read
 - Mean Time Between Failure (MTBF): 2 million hours
 - Host Sector Size: 512, 4096 Bytes
- Temperature Specification
 - Operating Temperature: 0° C to 70° C (SMART) with specified airflow
 - Non-Operating Temperature⁸: -55° C to 95° C
 - Temperature monitoring (In-band and out of band)
 - SSD Enclosure Touch Temperature can be extended up to 80°C
 - Thermal Throttling at 70° C (SMART)
 - Thermal Shutdown at 80°C (SMART)
- Form Factor
 - U.2 15mm
- Approximate Drive Weight:
 - 960GB, 1.92TB: 148g +/- 10g
 - 3.84TB: 157g +/- 10g
- Shock
 - Operating: 1000G (0.5ms)
 - Non-operating: 1000G (0.5ms)
- Vibration
 - Operating: 2.17 G_{RMS} (5-700 Hz)
 - Non-Operating: 3.13 G_{RMS} (5-800 Hz)
- Altitude
 - Operating: -1,000 to 10,000ft.
 - Non-Operating: -1,000 to 40,000ft.
- Product Ecological Compliance
 - RoHS, REACH, EPEAT

Notes:

1. Performance values vary by capacity and form factor.
2. Performance specifications apply to both compressible and incompressible data.
3. MB/s = 1,000,000 bytes/second, Transfer size 128K QD1
4. 4 KB = 4,096 bytes; 8 KB = 8,192 bytes
5. SK hynix V6 NAND
6. Complete SFF-8639 compliance with latch slot and L-shaped key
7. 1PB = 10¹⁵Bytes
8. Please contact your Intel representative for details on the non-operating temperature range.



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Revision History

Revision	Description	Date
001	Initial Release	December 2021
002	Updated Section 5.4 NVMe and Vendor Unique Log Page Support	January 2022

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1 Overview

This document describes the specifications and capabilities of the Intel® SSD D5-P5530.

Intel® SSD D5-P5530 is a PCIe Gen4 SSD architected with 128-Layer TLC¹ technology and high performance controller interface – NVMe (Non-Volatile Memory Express) delivering leading performance, low latency and QoS (Quality of Service).

Matching the performance with world-class reliability and endurance,

- Intel® SSD D5-P5530 is available in 960GB, 1.92TB, and 3.84TB capacities in the U.2 15mm form factor.

With PCIe Gen4 support and NVMe queuing interface, the D5-P5530 delivers excellent sequential read performance of up to 6.5GB/s and sequential write speeds of up to 3.5GB/s. The D5-P5530 delivers very high random read performance up to 875K IOPS and random write IOPS of 100K for 4KB operations. Taking advantage of the direct path from the storage to the CPU by means of NVMe, the D5-P5530 exhibits low latency as low as 10µs for sequential access to the SSD.

The Intel® SSD D5-P5530 include these key features:

- Consistently High IOPS and throughput over PCIe 4.0 Interface
- Sustained low latency
- NVMe Sanitize
- Device Self-test
- Out of band management
- Host and Controller Initiated Telemetry
- Extended host sector sizes
- Persistent Event Logs

Note: 1. SK hynix V6 NAND

1.1 References

Table 1: Standard Information Referenced in this Document

Date	Title	Location
May 2018	NVMe Revision 1.4	http://www.nvmexpress.org
May 2018	NVMe Revision 1.3c	http://www.nvmexpress.org
Jan 2013	Enterprise SSD Form Factor Version 1.0a	http://www.ssdformfactor.org
Nov 2010	PCIe Base Specification Revision 3.0	http://pcisig.com
July 2012	Solid State Drive (SSD) Endurance Workloads (JESD219)	http://www.jedec.org/standards-documents/results/jesd219
Sept 2010	Solid State Drive (SSD) Requirements and Endurance Test Method (JESD218)	http://www.jedec.org/standards-documents/docs/jesd218/
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Date	Title	Location
Dec 2008	VCCI	http://www.vcci.jp/vcci_e/
June 2009	RoHS	http://qdms.intel.com/ Click Search MDDS Database and search for material description datasheet
1995 1996 1995 1995 1997 1994	International Electrotechnical Commission EN 61000 4-2 (Electrostatic discharge immunity test) 4-3 (Radiated, radio-frequency, electromagnetic field immunity test) 4-4 (Electrical fast transient/burst immunity test) 4-5 (Surge immunity test) 4-6 (Immunity to conducted disturbances, induced by radio-frequency fields) 4-11 (Voltage Variations, voltage dips, short interruptions and voltage variations immunity tests)	http://www.iec.ch/
1995	ENV 50204 (Radiated electromagnetic field from digital radio telephones)	http://www.dbicorporation.com/radimmun.htm/

1.2 Terms and Acronyms

Table 2: Glossary of Terms and Acronyms

Term	Definition
ATA	Advanced Technology Attachment
CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check
DAS	Device Activity Signal
DMA	Direct Memory Access
ECC	Error Correction Code
EEPROM	Electrically Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory
GB	Gigabyte Note: The total usable capacity of the SSD may be less than the total physical capacity because a small portion of the capacity is used for NAND flash media management and maintenance purposes.
Gb	Gigabit
I/O	Input/ Output
IOPS	Input/ Output Operations Per Second
KB	Kilobyte
LBA	Logical Block Address
MB	Megabyte (1,000,000 bytes)
MI	Management Interface
MTBF	Mean Time Between Failures
NOP	No Operation
NVMe	Non-Volatile Memory Express
PB	Petabyte
PCB	Printed Circuit Board
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Term	Definition
RDT	Reliability Demonstration Test
RMS	Root Mean Square
SMART	Self-Monitoring, Analysis and Reporting Technology. This is an open standard for developing hard drives and software systems that automatically monitors the health of a drive and reports potential problems.
SRIS	Separate Refclk Independent Spread
SSD	Solid State Drive
TB	Terabyte
TBD	To Be Determined
TLC	Triple Layer Cell
TYP	Typical
UBER	Uncorrectable Bit Error Rate
VPD	Vital Product Data
Vt	Threshold Voltage

2 Product Specifications

2.1 Capacity

Total user addressable sectors (LBAs) per drive capacity information is provided in Appendix A: Performance and Endurance Metrics.

2.2 Performance

Performance specifications are highly dependent on the product operating within the operating requirements as listed in the Environmental Conditions section. Additional information is provided in Appendix A: Performance and Endurance Metrics.

2.3 Electrical Characteristics

Table 3: D5-P5530 Input Supply Rails - U.2 15mm

Electrical Characteristics	12V Host	3.3Vaux ⁷
Voltage Tolerance	+/-10%	+/-15%
Inrush Current (Typical Peak) ¹	2.0A	-
Maximum Sustained Device Power ³	25W	-
Maximum Device Power ⁴	37.5W	-
Min Off-Time ²	500ms	500ms
Rising Time ⁷	1ms - 100ms (off to nominal)	1ms - 100ms (off to nominal)
Falling Time ⁷	1ms - 100ms (nominal to off)	1ms - 100ms (nominal to off)
Maximum Continuous Current	See Note 5	5mA active
Absolute Maximum	14.4V	4.0V
Absolute Minimum	-0.3V	-0.3V
Noise Immunity ⁸	(10Hz - 100kHz) 800 mV	(10Hz - 100kHz) 50 mV
	(100kHz - 30 MHz) 150 mV	(100kHz - 30 MHz) 50 mV
Maximum Cap Load ⁶	5uF	5uF

- Notes:**
1. Measured during initial power supply application. Typically this will be seen within 2 seconds of initial power up. Inrush specified for 12V, not the 3.3Vaux
 2. Off is considered to be time below 10% of target voltage. If this requirement is not met, drive may not be detected (non-enumeration at both PCIe & host level) by host system. To recover from this scenario, drive might be powered off for indicated time.
 3. Measured over any 1s window. Provides guidance for system thermal/cooling design. See Appendix B for per SKU / per workload power consumption.
 4. Measured over any 100µs window per SFF spec. Provides guidance for system thermal/cooling design. See Appendix B for per SKU / per workload power consumption.
 5. 12V - see maximum sustained device power
 6. Maximum capacitance presented by the module on the power rail at the receptacle.
 7. Maximum slew rate not exceeding 12kV/s or Hot Plug / Open Circuit.
 8. Within voltage tolerance
 9. 3.3Vaux is optional, not needed for power up or functionality. 3.3Vaux is needed for accessing VPD page by means of SMBus when 12V host power is off.

2.4 Product Features and Availability

Table 4: Product Features - D5-P5530

Features	Availability
Common Clock (RefClk)	Production Release
Sanitize	Production Release
SMART	Production Release
Firmware commit with NVMe Controller Reset (Commit Action 1)	Production Release
Firmware activate without reset (Commit Action 3)	Production Release
U.2 Hot Plug	Production Release
Thermal shutdown	Production Release
Composite Temperature	Production Release
Dataset Management (Deallocate)	Production Release
NVMe-1.3c	Production Release
NVMe-MI 1.0a (SMBus)	Production Release
Multiple Power Modes	Production Release
Multiple Namespace Support Namespace Attachment Namespace Management Namespace Locking	Production Release
Multiple Firmware Slots	Production Release
Host / Controller Initiated Telemetry (NVMe 1.3 Compliant)	Production Release
Persistent Event Logs	Production Release

2.5 Endurance

Additional information is provided in Appendix A: Performance and Endurance Metrics.

2.6 Environmental Conditions

Power information is provided in Appendix B: Power Metrics.

Table 5: Temperature, Shock, Vibration

Specification	U.2 15mm form factor	
Temperature	Temperature - Operating ¹ / Non-operating ²	0° C to 70° C / -55° C to 95° C (U.2 15mm)
	Temperature Gradient ³ Operating Non-operating	20° C/hr (Typical) 30° C/hr (Typical)
Humidity	Operating / Non-operating	5 – 90% / 5 – 95%
Shock ⁴	Operating Non-operating	1,000 G (Max) at 0.5 msec 1,000 G (Max) at 0.5 msec
Vibration ⁵	Operating Non-operating	2.17 G _{RMS} (5 - 700 Hz) Max 3.13 G _{RMS} (5 - 800 Hz) Max
Altitude ⁶	Operating Non-operating	-1,000 to 10,000 ft -1,000 to 40,000 ft

Notes:

1. Operating temperature (SMART) implies SSD temperature under defined airflow.
2. Non-operating temperature refers to the ambient air temperature.
3. Temperature gradient measured without condensation.
4. Shock specifications assume the SSD is mounted securely with the input vibration applied to the drive-mounting screws. Stimulus may be applied in the X, Y or Z axis.
5. Vibration specifications assume the SSD is mounted securely with the input vibration applied to the drive-mounting screws. Stimulus may be applied in the X, Y or Z axis. Vibration specification is measured using RMS value.
6. Atmospheric pressure only, not radiation.

2.7 Product Regulatory Compliance

Intel® SSD D5-P5530 aims to meet or exceeds the regulatory or certification requirements in the following table. The following table applies to the production unit only.

Table 6: Product Regulatory Compliance Specifications

Certification	Description
CE Compliant 	European Economic Area (EEA): Compliance with the essential requirements of EC Council Directives Low Voltage Directive (LVD) 2014/35/EU and EMC Directive 2014/30/EU. Compliance with Directive 2011/65/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2011 on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment
EU WEEE 	Compliance with Directive 2012/19/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 on waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE)

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Certification	Description
UL Recognized 	Certified Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Bi-National Component Recognition; UL 60950-1, 2nd Edition, 2014-10-14 [Information Technology Equipment - Safety - Part 1: General Requirements]. CSA C22.2 No. 60950-1-07, 2nd Edition, 2014-010 (Information Technology Equipment - Safety - Part 1: General Requirements) These products have been Complimentary Recognized to UL/CSA 62368-1, 2nd Edition [Audio/video, information and communication technology equipment - Part 1: Safety requirements] "CAUTION: Hot Surface, Do not touch the SSD surface" "Attention: Surface Chaude. Ne touchez pas la surface"
UKCA 	Great Britain (England, Wales and Scotland): compliance with UK S.I. No.1101, Electrical Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016, UK S.I. No. 1091, Electromagnetic Compatibility Regulations 2016, and UK S.I. No. 3032, The Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulations 2012.
Australia / New Zealand: RCM 	Compliance with the Australia/New Zealand Standard(s) AS/NZ CISPR 32:2015 and AS/NZ CISPR 22:2009 +A1:2010, In compliance with the Radiocommunications Act 1992 as part of the ACMA's Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) Regulatory Arrangement and RSM Radiocommunications (EMC Standards) Notice 2015.
Taiwan BSMI D33025	Compliance to the Taiwan EMC standard CNS 13438: Information technology equipment - Radio disturbance Characteristics - limits and methods of measurement, as amended on June 1, 2006, is harmonized with CISPR 22: 2005.04. Compliance to the Taiwan CNS 15663 [Guidance to reduction of the restricted chemical substances in electrical and electronic equipment (EEE)].
Korea KCC 	Compliance with paragraph 1 of Article 11 of the Electromagnetic Compatibility Control Regulation and meets the Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) Framework requirements of the Radio Research Laboratory (RRL) Ministry of Information and Communication Republic of Korea.
Morocco Maghreb 	Compliant with Decree # 2574-14 (EMC) on electromagnetic compatibility
Canada ICES CAN ICES-3 (A)/ NMB-3(A)	Compliance with Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada standard ICES-003.
Japan VCCI 	Voluntary Control Council for Interface to cope with disturbance problems caused by personal computers or facsimile.
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Certification	Description
China EFUP 	China Environmentally Friendly Use Period (EFUP) symbol. Compliance with GB/T 26572: Requirements on concentration limits for certain restricted substances in electrical and electronic products.
Ukraine RoHS 	Compliant with TECHNICAL REGULATION on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment APPROVED by Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of 10 March 2017 No. 139.
Low Halogen	Applies only to brominated and chlorinated flame retardants (BFRs/CFRs) and PVC in the final product. Intel components as well as purchased components on the finished assembly meet JS-709 requirements, and the PCB/substrate meet IEC 61249-2-21 requirements. The replacement of halogenated flame retardants and/or PVC may not be better for the environment.
Microsoft WHCP 	The windows Hardware Compatibility Program is designed to help Microsoft partners to deliver compatible and reliable systems, software, and hardware products. End users trust the logo as an assurance of compatibility and reliability. This program is intended to help partners develop systems and devices that have been tested to ensure that they meet Microsoft standards for Windows as well as the quality level that ensures a great Windows experience for end users.

2.8 Reliability Specifications

Intel® SSD D5-P5530 meets or exceeds SSD endurance and data retention requirements as specified in the JESD218-B standard. Reliability specifications are listed in the table below.

Table 7: Reliability Specifications

Parameter	Value
Uncorrectable Bit Error Rate (UBER) Uncorrectable bit error will not exceed one sector in the specified number of bits read. In the unlikely event of a non-recoverable read error, the SSD will report it as a read failure to the host; the sector in error is considered corrupt and is not returned to the host.	< 1 sector per 10 ¹⁷ bits read
Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF) Mean Time Between Failures is estimated based on Telcordia methodology and demonstrated through Reliability Demonstration Test (RDT).	2 million hours
Data Retention The time period for retaining data in the NAND at maximum rated endurance	3 months power-off retention once SSD reaches rated write endurance at 40° C

Note: Refer to JESD218-B standard table 1 for UBER, FFR, and other Enterprise SSD requirements.

2.9 Thermal Specifications

2.9.1 Composite Temperature

The Intel® SSD D5-P5530 follows the composite temperature scheme as part of NVMe Health log (SMART attribute log page identifier 02h, bytes 1 & 2).

The composite temperature calculation incorporates temperature sensors from the ASIC, Board and Media to provide an aggregate value. This value represents all components with temperature monitoring capability, resolving all components to a single critical temperature upon which throttling is based. Thermal throttle engages when the composite temperature reaches 70° C (as reported by SMART). For more information on sensor reading see SMART attributes section.

This thermal management system utilizes temperature sensors on the drive PCB as a robust method of monitoring of key component temperatures in the varied environment.

In addition, drive will provide out-of-band access to temperature via SMBUS. The SMBus slave address to read SMART data structure is the same address we use for MCTP, and defaults to 0x6Ah.

The NVMe 1.3c spec recommends a Warning Composite Temperature Threshold (WCTEMP) of 70° C.

The SSD Enclosure Temperature Limit on the Intel® SSD D5-P5530 can be extended from 70° C to up to 80° C using the Vendor Unique Extend Temp Setting Set Features commands (see Section 5.8.1).

2.9.2 Thermal Throttling

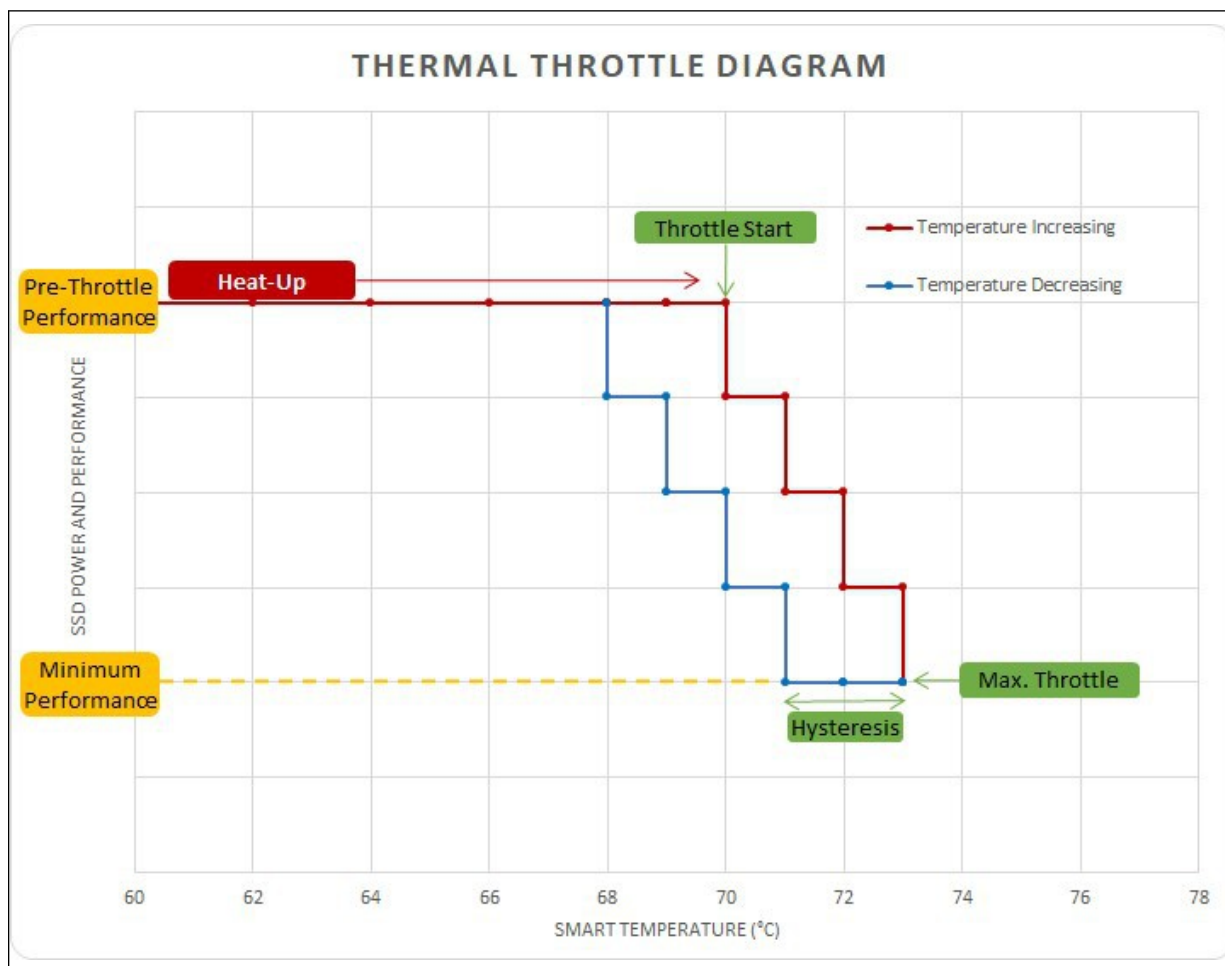
D5-P5530 provides performance throttling during high temperature scenarios to mitigate thermal challenges. Thermal throttling works by moving the power ceiling in N number of linear steps, see Figure 1.

- Thermal shutdown of the drive is set to 80° C (as reported by SMART, Composite Temperature)
- Drive will throttle performance when Composite temperature reaches 70° C.

Key definitions for important parameters are:

- T_{start} – throttling starts
- T_{max} – max throttling is applied
- $P_{maxdrop}$ – maximum drop allowed determined by the internal setting
- Hysteresis – 2° C comes into play during the cooling phase to prevent rapid oscillations between the throttle states. The temperature must hit the hysteresis level to return the power ceiling back to previous levels.

Figure 1: Thermal Throttling Behavior D5-P5530



Shown above is the thermal throttling behavior for the D5-P5530, T_{start} set to 70° C, $T_{max_throttle}$ is set to 73° C and N is set to 4.

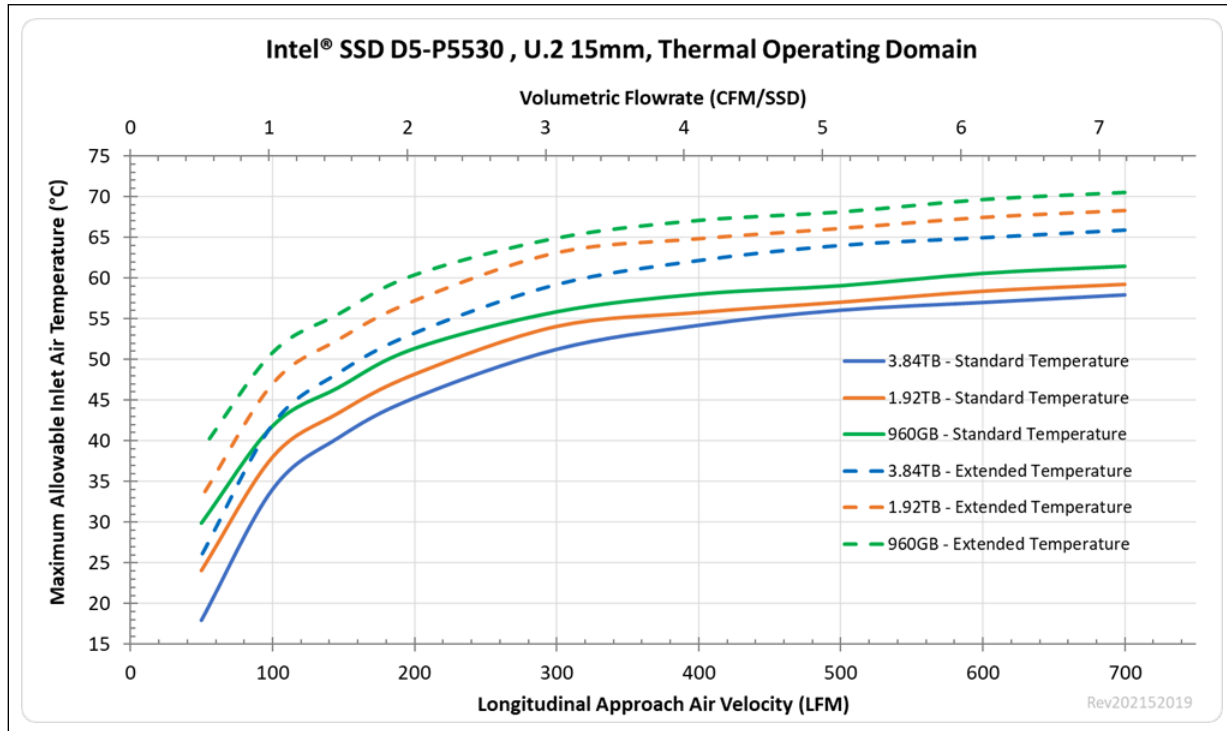
The table below shows the thermal throttling settings for D5-P5530 across all SKUs.

Table 8: Thermal Throttling Settings -- Intel® SSD D5-P5530

Form Factor	Capacity (TB)	Throttle Start - T_{start}	Throttle Max - $T_{max_throttle}$	Throttle Steps
D5-P5530 - U.2 - 15mm	960GB	70	73	4
	1.92TB	70	73	4
	3.84TB	70	73	4

2.9.3 Airflow Requirements

Figure 2: Airflow Approach Curve - Intel® SSD D5-P5530 Series



The figure above shows the Approach LFM vs. Ambient Air Temperature for the D5-P5530 U.2 960GB, 1.92TB, and 3.84TB capacities at the Standard (70°C) and the Extended (80°C) case temperature, where the drives will begin to throttle based on the SMART temperature.

- Notes:**
1. The displayed airflow curves are based on empirical data collected in our Thermal Validation Lab.
 2. The above plot has dual-axes. The data can be interpreted in either CFM per SSD or LFM.
 3. Curves are based on a longitudinal flow condition with the trailing edge at the connector.
 4. These curves were measured at Sea Level with a drive pitch of 18mm center-to-center.

2.10 Power Loss Capacitor Test

The Intel® SSD D5-P5530 supports testing of the power loss capacitor, which can be monitored using SMART attribute critical warning in log page identifier 02h, byte 0, and bit 4.

2.11 Hot Plug Support

The U.2 form factor SSDs support orderly hot insertion and removal and surprise hot insertion by means of presence detect and link-up detect in capable platforms and OSs. On surprise hot removal during IOs, the drive will ensure the integrity of already committed data on the media and commit acknowledged writes to the media.

2.12 Out-of-Band Management (SMBus)

The D5-P5530 provides out-of-band management by means of an SMBus interface on two addresses; 0x53/0xA6 (7bit/8bit) provides a Vital Product Data (VPD) page; and 0x6A/0xD4 (7bit/8bit) provides an NVMe-MI 1.0a interface.

For the U.2 form factor, data over SMBus (VPD or Drive Status) can only be read with 3.3V_{aux}. It does not require the drive to have 12V applied nor a properly configured PCIe link. Only a limited functionality is available when only 3.3V_{aux} is present. More details on the structure of the VPD page at address 0x53/0xA6 (7bit/8bit) can be found in the [Vital Data Structure](#) appendix.

Table 9: Out-of-Band Readout Address

Description	Address	
	7-bit Address	8-bit Address
VPD Page	0x53	0xA6
NVMe Basic Management Command	0x6A	0xD4
NVMe MI over MCTP	0x1D	0x3A

The D5-P5530 provides additional drive information via address 0x6A/0xD4 (7bit/8bit) as outlined in the NVMe Basic Management Command (see [here](#)). This interface requires the drive to have power supplied, a valid PCIe link, an initialized NVMe configuration space, and the controller must be enabled. Available commands on this interface are detailed in Appendices [Out-of-Band Command Response Using SMBus \(0x6A\)](#) and [Out-of-Band Command Response Using SMBus \(0x6A Intel Specific\)](#), which have details on the Out-of-Band Management data structure.

- Notes:**
- In certain tools the address for the VPD and temperature sensor will appear as 0xA6 and 0xD4 respectively, due to bit shift.
 - BMC should not access the SMBUS address within 100msec of device power up, it may experience some glitch on the bus. Some of the drive information (NVMe MI Appendix A per NVMe MI Specification) drive functional status, temperature read out, etc. might have stale value right after power ON and host should wait until drive TTR recommendation. To see the Time to Ready (TTR) refer to the Latency table in Appendix A.

2.12.1 VPD Page Readout over SMBus

D5-P5530 should support simple Reads to Vital Product Data (VPD). Please refer to [Table 54](#) on page 71 for details on VPD Data Structure. VPD contains:

- Basic inventory information such as type and size of Enterprise PCIe SSD, manufacturer, date, revision, and GUID
- Power management data such as power level and power modes
- Vendor specific data

VPD is stored in an SMBus device with a slave address of [0xA6](#) (i.e., slave address bits 7-1 correspond to 1010_011). The VPD page can be read via SMBus through address 0x 53 (7- bit address with bit 8 set to 1) or 0xA6 (8-bit address).

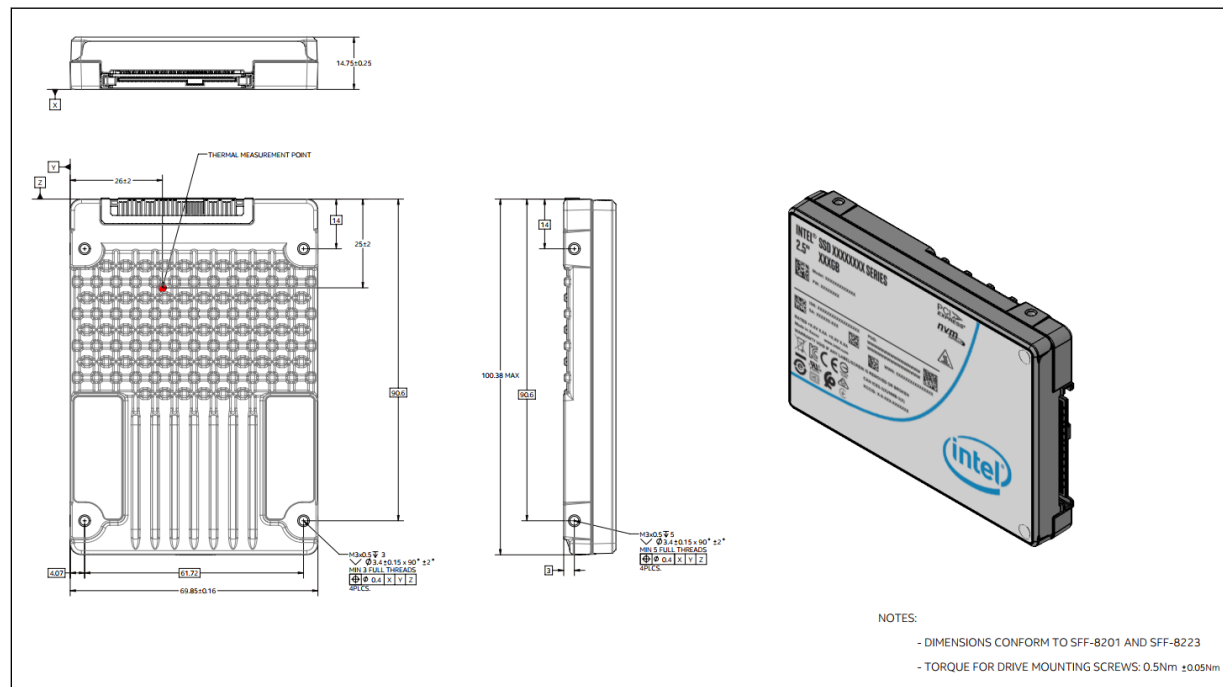
2.13 Variable Sector Size

D5-P5530 supports only 512, 4096 Bytes host sector sizes.

3 Mechanical Information

The following figures show the physical package information for the Intel® SSD D5-P5530 in the U.2 15mm form factor. All dimensions are in millimeters.

Figure 3: Intel® SSD D5-P5530 U.2 15mm Dimensions



X - Length	Y - Width	Z - Height
100.45 Max	69.85 +/- 0.25	15 +/- 0.5

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4 Pin and Signal Descriptions

4.1 Pin Signal Definitions

Table 10: Pin Definition (SFF-8639 PCIe Connector Pin-Out)

Pin	Name	Description	Pin	Name	Description
S1	GND	Ground	E7	REFCLK+	Reference clock port 0
S2	S0T+/PETp0	Not used (SATA/SAS)	E8	REFCLK-	Reference clock port 0
S3	S0T-/PETn0	Not used (SATA/SAS)	E9	GND	Ground
S4	GND	Ground	E10	PETp0 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 0
S5	S0R-/PERn0	Not used (SATA/SAS)	E11	PETn0 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 0
S6	S0R+/PERp0	Not used (SATA/SAS)	E12	GND	Ground
S7	GND	Ground	E13	PERn0	Receiver differential pair, Lane 0
E1	REFCLKB+	Reference clock port 1	E14	PERp0	Receiver differential pair, Lane 0
E2	REFCLKB-	Reference clock port 1	E15	GND	Ground
E3	3.3Vaux ⁷	3.3V auxiliary power	E16	RSVD	Reserved
E4	CLKREQ# / PERSTB#	Fundamental reset port 1	S8	GND	Ground
E5	PERST# ⁶	Fundamental reset port 0	S9	S1T+/PETp1	Not used (SATAe/SAS)
E6	RSVD	Reserved	S10	S1T-/PETn1	Not used (SATAe/SAS)
P1	Wake#	Not used (SATAe/SAS)	S11	GND	Ground
P2	Dev_Reset	Not used (SATAe/SAS)	S12	S1R-/PERn1	Not used (SATAe/SAS)
P3	PWRDIS	Power Disable	S13	S1R+/PERp1	Not used (SATAe/SAS)
P4	IfDet#	Interface detect (drive type)	S14	GND	Ground
P5	GND	Ground	S15	RSVD	Reserved
P6	GND	Ground	S16	GND	Ground
P7		Not used (SATA/SAS)	S17	PETp1 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 1
P8		Not used (SATA/SAS)	S18	PETn1 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 1
P9		Not used (SATA/SAS)	S19	GND	Ground
P10	PRSNT_N ³	Presence detect (also used for drive type)	S20	PERn1	Receiver differential pair, Lane 1
P11	Activity/Spinup ¹	Activity signal from the drive	S21	PERp1	Receiver differential pair, Lane 1
P12	GND	Ground	S22	GND	Ground
P13	+12V	12V power	S23	PETp2 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 2
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Pin	Name	Description	Pin	Name	Description
P14	+12V	12V power	S24	PETn2 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 2
P15	+12V	12V power	S25	GND	Ground
			S26	PERn2	Receiver differential pair, Lane 2
			S27	PERp2	Receiver differential pair, Lane 2
			S28	GND	Ground
			E17	PETp3 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 3
			E18	PETn3 ⁵	Transmitter differential pair, Lane 3
			E19	GND	Ground
			E20	PERn3	Receiver differential pair, Lane 3
			E21	PERp3	Receiver differential pair, Lane 3
			E22	GND	Ground
			E23	SMCLK ²	SMBUS clock
			E24	SMDAT ²	SMBUS data
			E25	DualPortEn_N ^{8,9}	Dual port enable

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5 Supported Command Sets

The Intel® SSD D5-P5530 supports all mandatory Admin and I/O commands defined in NVMe 1.3c specification.

5.1 NVMe Admin Command Set

The Intel® SSD D5-P5530 supports all mandatory NVMe commands, which are:

- Delete I/O Submission Queue
- Delete I/O Completion Queue
- Create I/O Submission Queue
- Create I/O Completion Queue
- Get Log Page
- Identify
- Abort
- SET Features
- GET Features
- Asynchronous Event Request

D5-P5530 also supports the following optional I/O commands defined in NVMe specification rev 1.3c

- Device Self-test
- Firmware Activate
- Firmware Image Download
- Format NVM¹
- Namespace Management
- Namespace Attachment
- Sanitize¹

Note: 1. See Appendix IDENTIFY Data Structure for details on commands and capabilities.

5.1.1 Device Self-Test Operations - D5-P5530

The D5-P5530 supports both the short and extended device self-test operations defined in the NVMe 1.3c Specification. The two test operations perform the same set of tests in the segments shown below in Table 11, with the short device-test operation having a completion time of two minutes or less. The extended device-self test will not be aborted by a Controller Level Reset, as noted in NVMe 1.3c, Section 8.11.2, while the short device self-test will be aborted by a Controller Level Reset. The table below lists the segments and failure criteria of the tests performed during the short and extended device self-test operations, based on the informative example outlined in NVMe 1.3c, Section 8.11.

Table 11: Drive Self-Test Operation

Intel® SSD D5-P5530		
Segment Number - Segment	Test Performed	Failure Criteria
1 - SMART Check	Check SMART or health status for Critical Warning bits set to '1' in SMART / Health Information Log.	Any Critical Warning bit set to '1' fails this segment
2 - Volatile Memory Backup	Validate volatile memory backup solution health (e.g., measure backup power source charge and/or discharge time).	Significant degradation in backup capability
4 - NVM Integrity	Write/read/compare to reserved areas of each NVM. Ensure also that every read/write channel of the controller is exercised.	Data mismatch
7 - Drive Life	End-of-life condition: Assess the drive's suitability for continuing write operations.	The Percentage Used is set to 255 in the SMART / Health Information Log or an analysis of internal key operating parameters indicates that data is at risk if writing continues.
8 - SMART Check	Same as 1 - SMART Check	

5.2 NVMe I/O Command Set

D5-P5530 supports all of the mandatory NVMe I/O command set defined in NVMe 1.3c specification, which includes:

- Flush
- Write
- Read

Additionally, the following optional commands are supported:

- Write Uncorrectable
- Write Zeros
- Dataset Management (Deallocate only)

Note: See Appendix [SCSI Command Translation](#) on page 85 for details on SCSI supported commands and capabilities.

5.3 NVMe Management Interface 1.0a (MI 1.0a) Command Set

D5-P5530 devices supports NVMe-MI 1.0a. Please refer to [Appendix D](#) for complete set of supported command sets.

Status Flags and Smart Warnings readout: Status flags and Smart Warnings like Temperature can be read out of band using the NVMe-MI basic from the PIC using the address 0x6A/0xD5 (7bit/8bit) as shown in Appendix [Out-of-Band Command Response Using SMBus \(0x6A\)](#) on page 77.

5.4 NVMe and Vendor Unique Log Page Support

D5-P5530 supports the following mandatory log pages defined in NVMe 1.3c specification:

- Error Information (Log Identifier 01h)
- SMART/ Health Information (Log Identifier 02h)
- Firmware Slot Information (Log Identifier 03h)

- Command Effects Log (Log Identifier 05h)
- Device Self-Test (Log Identifier 06h)
- Telemetry Host-Initiated (Log Identifier 07h)¹
- Telemetry Controller-Initiated (Log Identifier 08h)
- Persistent Event Log (Log Identifier 0Dh)
- Sanitize (Log Identifier 81h)

Additionally, D5-P5530 will support the following Vendor Unique (C0h-FFh) log pages:

- Log Page Directory (Log Identifier C0h)
- Read Command Latency Statistics Log Page (Log Identifier C1h)
- Write Command Latency Statistics Log Page (Log Identifier C2h)
- Temperature Statistics (Log Identifier C5h)
- Vendor Unique SMART Log (Log Identifier CAh)
- Vendor Unique NVMe IO Queue Metrics Log Page (Log Identifier CBh)
- Marketing Description Log (Log Identifier DDh)
- Garbage Control Collection Log (Log Identifier FDh)
- Latency Outlier Log (Log Identifier FEh)

- Notes:**
1. Please contact your Intel representative for the Telemetry Customer Observable Data Map
 2. Mandatory item of NVMe 1.3c specification.
 3. See version 1.3c of NVMe specification for log page content.

Table 12: Log Page Directory (Log Identifier C0h)

Intel® SSD D5-P5530		
Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
0-1	2	Log version
386	1	Number of 512B Log Pages at Log Address C1h
388	1	Number of 512B Log Pages at Log Address C2h
392	1	Number of 512B Log Pages at Log Address C4h
394	1	Number of 512B Log Pages at Log Address C5h
404	1	Number of 512B Log Pages at Log Address CAh
406	1	NVMe IO Queue Metrics Log Page at Log Address CBh
442	1	Number of 512B Log Pages at Log Address DDh
444	1	Unaligned Write Command Count Log

Log page C0h will hold the above mentioned entities, describing vendor unique Log pages that the device supports. The structure below follows ATA structure, to provide consistency. The directory shows 5 VU Log pages supported. Each Log page is 512B long. Details of individual Log pages can be found under their respective definitions in the tables below.

Table 13: Read/Write Command Latency Log (Log Identifier C1h/C2h)

Intel® SSD D5-P5530		
Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
0-1	2	Major Version
2-3	2	Minor Version
4-259	256	1st group of buckets: range 0-63μs, step 1μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
260-515	256	2nd group of buckets: range 63-127μs, step 1μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
516-771	256	3rd group of buckets: range 127-255μs, step 2μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
772-1027	256	4th group of buckets: range 255-510μs, step 4μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
1028-1283	256	5th group of buckets: range 510μs-1.02ms, step 8μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
1284-1539	256	6th group of buckets: range 1.02-2.04ms, step 16μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
1540-1795	256	7th group of buckets: range 2.04-4.08ms, step 32μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
1796-2051	256	8th group of buckets: range 4.08-8.16ms, step 64μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
2052-2307	256	9th group of buckets: range 8.16-16.32ms, step 128μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
2308-2563	256	10th group of buckets: range 16.32-32.64ms, step 256μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
2564-2819	256	11th group of buckets: range 32.64-65.28ms, step 512μs, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
2820-3075	256	12th group of buckets: range 65.28-130.56ms, step 1.024ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
3076-3331	256	13th group of buckets: range 130.56-261.12ms, step 2.048ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
3331-3587	256	14th group of buckets: range 261.12-522.24ms, step 4.096ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
3588-3843	256	15th group of buckets: range 522.24ms-1.04s, step 8.192ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
3844-4099	256	16th group of buckets: range 1.04-2.09s, step 16.384ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
4100-4355	256	17th group of buckets: range 2.09-4.18s, step 32.768ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
4356-4611	256	18th group of buckets: range 4.18-8.36s, step 65.536ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
4612-4867	256	19th group of buckets: range 8.36s-, step 131.072ms, each bucket size is 4 bytes, total 64 buckets
4868-4875	8	Average latency statistics

These log pages will show zero contents until latency tracker is enabled using the Set Features command E2h (Set/Get Enable Latency Tracking). Enabling latency tracker adds a performance penalty and must be disabled upon completing the debug.

Table 14: Temperature¹ Statistics (Log Identifier C5h)

Intel® SSD D5-P5530		
Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
0-7	8	Current Internal Temperature in Celsius
8-15	8	SSD Overtemp Shutdown flag for last power on. Clears after subsequent reset.
16-23	8	SSD Overtemp Shutdown flag for lifetime. Sticky/persistent once set.
24-31	8	Highest (Lifetime) Composite Temperature in Celsius
32-39	8	Lowest (Lifetime) Composite Temperature in Celsius
40-79	40	Reserved
80-87	8	Max Warning Normalized Threshold in Celsius (TX)
88-95	8	Reserved
96-103	8	Specified Minimum Operating Temp in Celsius (TM)
104-111	8	Estimated Offset in Celsius (TC)
111-511	400	Reserved

Note: 1. All temperature values indicate internal composite temperature values. The log page will read 00h for reserved bytes.

Table 15: Vendor Unique SMART Log (Log Identifier CAh)

Byte Offset	Attribute	Description	Updated	Saved to NAND
00h	AB (Program Fail Count)	Raw value: shows total count of program fails. Normalized value: beginning at 100, shows the percent remaining of allowable program fails.	Upon Event	Upon Event
01h	Reserved			
03h	Normalized Value			
04h	Reserved			
05h	Current Raw Value			
0Ch	AC (Erase Fail Count)	Raw value: shows total count of erase fails. Normalized value: beginning at 100, shows the percent remaining of allowable erase fails.	Upon Event	Upon Event
0Dh	Reserved			
0Fh	Normalized Value			
10h	Reserved			
11h	Current Raw Value			
18h	AD (Wear Leveling Count)	Raw value: Min, max and average values of NAND erase cycles for all blocks. Bytes 1-0: Min. erase cycle Bytes 3-2: Max. erase cycle Bytes 5-4: Avg. erase cycles Normalized value: decrements from 100 to 0.	Upon Event	Upon Event
19h	Reserved			
1Bh	Normalized Value			
1Ch	Reserved			

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Byte Offset	Attribute	Description	Updated	Saved to NAND
1Dh	Current Raw Value			
24h	B8 (End to End Error Detection Count)	Raw value: reports number of End-to-End detected and corrected errors by hardware. Normalized value: always 100.	Upon Event	Upon Event
25h	Reserved			
27h	Normalized Value			
28h	Reserved			
29h	Current Raw Value			
30h	C7 (CRC Error Count)	Raw value: total number of PCIe Interface CRC errors encountered, as specified in PCIe Link Performance Counter Parameter for "Bad TLP". Count is preserved across power cycles. Normalized value: always 100.	Upon Event	Upon Event
31h	Reserved			
33h	Normalized Value			
34h	Reserved			
35h	Current Raw Value			
3Ch	E2 (Timed Workload, Media Wear)	Raw value: measures the wear seen by the SSD (since reset of the workload timer, attribute E4h), as a percentage of the maximum rated cycles. Divide the raw value by 1024 to derive the percentage with 3 decimal points. Example: if the raw value is 4450, the percentage is 4450/1024 = 4.345%. Normalized value: always 100.	After 60 Minutes operation	Every 60 seconds and upon shutdown notification
3Dh	Reserved			
3Fh	Normalized Value			
40h	Reserved			
41h	Current Raw Value			
48h	E3 (Timed Workload, Host Reads %)	Raw value: shows the percentage of I/O operations that are read operations (since reset of the workload timer, attribute E4h). Reported as integer percentage from 0 to 100. Normalized value: always 100.	After 60 Seconds operation	Every 60 seconds and upon shutdown notification
49h	Reserved			
4Bh	Normalized Value			
4Ch	Reserved			
4Dh	Current Raw Value			
54h	E4 (Timed Workload, Timer)	Raw value: measures the elapsed time (number of minutes since starting this workload timer). Example: if the raw value is 500, the timer has been running for 500 minutes. Normalized value: always 100.	After 60 Seconds operation	Every 60 seconds and upon shutdown notification
55h	Reserved			
57h	Normalized Value			
58h	Reserved			
59h	Current Raw Value			
12Ch	E5 (In-flight Read IO Commands)	Raw Value: Shows total in-flight host read IO commands counter when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
12Dh	Reserved			
12Fh	Normalized Value			
130h	Reserved			
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Byte Offset	Attribute	Description	Updated	Saved to NAND
131h	Current Raw Value			
138h	E6 (In-flight Write IO Commands)	Raw Value: Shows total in-flight host write IO commands counter when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
139h	Reserved			
13Bh	Normalized Value			
13Ch	Reserved			
13Dh	Current Raw Value			
60h	EA (Thermal Throttle Status)	Raw value: reports Percent Throttle Status and Count of events Byte 0: Throttle status reported as integer percentage. Bytes 1-4: Throttling event count. Number of times thermal throttle has activated. Preserved over power cycles. Byte 5: Reserved. Normalized value: always 100.	When Requested	Upon Event
61h	Reserved			
63h	Normalized Value			
64h	Reserved			
65h	Current Raw Value			
6Ch	F0 (Retry Buffer Overflow Counter)	Raw Value: Counter to indicate the number of times Retry Buffer has overflowed Normalized Value: is always 100	Upon Event	Upon Event
6Dh	Reserved			
6Fh	Normalized Value			
70h	Reserved			
71h	Current Raw Value			
78h	F3 (PLL Lock Loss Count)	Raw Value: Counter to indicate the number of times PCIe Refclock PLL has unlocked Normalized Value: is always 100	Upon Event	Upon Event
79h	Reserved			
7Bh	Normalized Value			
7Ch	Reserved			
7Dh	Current Raw Value			
84h	F4 (NAND Bytes Written)	Current Value: NAND sectors written divided by 65536 (1 count = 32 MiB) Normalized value: always 100	When Requested, but no more than 60s +/- 5s	When Requested, but no more than 60s +/- 5s
85h	Reserved			
87h	Normalized Value			
88h	Reserved			
89h	Current Value			
90h	F5 (Host Bytes Written)	Current Value: Host sectors written divided by 65536 (1 count = 32 MiB) Normalized value: always 100	When Requested, but no more than 60s +/- 5s	When Requested, but no more than 60s +/- 5s
91h	Reserved			
93h	Normalized Value			
94h	Reserved			
95h	Current Value			

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Byte Offset	Attribute	Description	Updated	Saved to NAND
9Ch	F6 (Host Context Wear Indicator)	Current value is normalized, representing the amount of system area writes that have been utilized. A value of 0x64 / 100d reflects that the user's allocation of system area writes has been exhausted. Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	When Requested
9Dh	Reserved			
9Fh	Normalized Value			
A0h	Reserved			
A1h	Current Raw Value			
A7h	Reserved			
E4h	F9 (Available Firmware Downgrades)	Raw Value: Number of FW downgrades available for the user via the standard/spec admin Normalized value: always 100	Upon Event	Upon Event
E5h	Reserved			
E7h	Normalized Value			
E8h	Reserved			
E9h	Current Raw Value			
EFh	Reserved			
F0h	FA (Read Host Collision Count)	Raw Value: Collision count of host read to trim Normalized value: always 100	Upon Event	Upon Event
F1h	Reserved			
F3h	Normalized Value			
F4h	Reserved			
F5h	Current Raw Value			
FBh	Reserved			
FCh	FB (Write Host Collision Count)	Raw Value: Collision count of host write to trim Normalized value: always 100	Upon Event	Upon Event
FDh	Reserved			
FFh	Normalized Value			
100h	Reserved			
101h	Current Raw Value			
107h	Reserved			
108h	FC (XOR Pass Count)	Raw Value: Shows total XOR Pass Count when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
109h	Reserved			
10Bh	Normalized Value			
10Ch	Reserved			
10Dh	Current Raw Value			
113h	Reserved			
114h	FD (XOR Fail Count)	Raw Value: Shows total XOR Fail Count when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
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Byte Offset	Attribute	Description	Updated	Saved to NAND
115h	Reserved			
117h	Normalized Value			
118h	Reserved			
119h	Current Raw Value			
11Fh	Reserved			
120h	FE (XOR Invoked Count)	Raw Value: Shows total XOR Invoked Count when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
121h	Reserved			
123h	Normalized Value			
124h	Reserved			
125h	Current Raw Value			
12Bh	Reserved			
12Ch	E5 (In-flight Read IO Commands)	Raw Value: Shows total in-flight host read IO commands counter when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
12Dh	Reserved			
12Fh	Normalized Value			
130h	Reserved			
131h	Current Raw Value			
138h	E6 (In-flight Write IO Commands)	Raw Value: Shows total in-flight host write IO commands counter when requested Normalized value: always 100	When Requested	Upon Event
139h	Reserved			
13Bh	Normalized Value			
13Ch	Reserved			
13Dh	Current Raw Value			

Note: It is recommended for the host to wait at least 90 seconds after power ON to retrieve the most current counter values from SMART Log Attributes (Log CAh)

Table 16: NVMe IO Queue Metrics Log Page (Log Identifier CBh)

Offset	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
0-1	2	Log Version (current is 1)
2-3	2	IOSQ Count
4-5	2	IOCQ Count
6-389	384	IOSQ Structs (12B each @ 32 queues)
390-709	320	IOCQ Structs (10B each @ 32 queues)
710-1023	314	Reserved padding to reach 1024B
IOSQ Structure Definition		
0-1	2	IOSQ ID

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Offset	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
2-3	2	Associated IOCQ ID
4-5	2	Head Pointer
6-7	2	Tail Pointer
8-9	2	Outstanding Commands
10-11	2	Queue Size (Max Depth)
IOCQ Structure Definition		
0-1	2	IOCQ ID
2-3	2	Head Pointer

Table 17: Drive Marketing Name Log (Log Identifier DDh)

Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
0	8	Intel®
8	1	Space
9	3	SSD
12	1	Space
13	2	D5
15	1	Space
16	5	Product Name
21	3	Space (three)
24	6	Series
30-511	482	Reserved (0x0)

Table 18: Garbage Control Collection Log (Log Identifier FDh)

Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content		
0-1	2	Log Page Major Version		
2-3	2	Log Page Minor Version		
4-1203	1200	GC Log Timer Type	0-3	This part contains all of the aggressive GC log entries. Every entry contains a 12-byte log entry information. The maximum log entry index is 100.
		GC Log Timestamp	4-11	
1204-4095	2892	Reserved		

Table 19: Latency Outlier Log Page (Log Identifier FEh)

Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content
1-0	2	majorVersion 1
3-2	2	minorVersion 0
continued...		

Byte	# of Bytes	Log Page Content	
4-7	4	Reserved	
15-8	8	logldx - total log numbers can be read	
23-16	8	Timestamp of ticks (logs generated to log dump)	This is the entire log entry that can be duplicated up to 50 entries.
27-24	4	Cmd type - 0 for read or 1 for write	
31-28	4	Latency in μ s	
39-32	8	LBA of the outlier location	

5.5 SMART Attributes

The following tables list the SMART attributes supported by the D5-P5530 in accordance with NVMe specification revision 1.3c.

Table 20: SMART Attributes (Log Identifier 02h)

Byte	# of Bytes	Attribute	Description
0	1	Critical Warning	These bits if set, flag various warning sources. Bit 0: Available Spare is below Threshold Bit 1: Temperature has exceeded Threshold Bit 2: Reliability is degraded due to excessive media or internal errors Bit 3: Media is placed in Read-Only Mode Bit 4: Volatile Memory Backup System has failed (e.g., enhanced power loss capacitor test failure) Bits 5-7: Reserved Any of the critical warning can be tied to asynchronous event notification.
1	2	Temperature	Device SMART temperature in Kelvin.
3	1	Available Spare	Starts from 100 and decrements.
4	1	Available Spare Threshold	Contains a normalized percentage (0 to 100%) of the remaining spare capacity available Threshold is set to 10%.
5	1	Percentage Used Estimate (Value allowed to exceed 100%)	A value of 100 indicates that the estimated endurance of the device has been consumed, but may not indicate a device failure. The value is allowed to exceed 100. Percentages greater than 254 shall be represented as 255. This value shall be updated once per power-on hour (when the controller is not in a sleep state). At drive life of 105%, write performance to the drive is throttled. Drive enters into read only mode.
32	16	Data Units Read (in LBAs)	Contains the number of 512 byte data units the host has read from the controller; this value does not include metadata. This value is reported in thousands (i.e., a value of 1 corresponds to 1000 units of 512 bytes read) and is rounded up. When the LBA size is a value other than 512 bytes, the controller shall convert the amount of data read to 512 byte units.
48	16	Data Units Write (in LBAs)	Contains the number of 512 byte data units the host has written to the controller; this value does not include metadata. This value is reported in thousands (i.e., a value of 1 corresponds to 1000 units of 512 bytes written) and is rounded up. When the LBA size is a value other than 512 bytes, the controller shall convert the amount of data written to 512 byte units. For the

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Byte	# of Bytes	Attribute	Description
			NVM command set, logical blocks written as part of Write operations shall be included in this value. Write Uncorrectable commands shall not impact this value.
64	16	Host Read Commands	Contains the number of read commands issued to the controller.
80	16	Host Write Commands	Contains the number of write commands issued to the controller.
96	16	Controller Busy Time (in minutes)	Contains the amount of time the controller is busy with I/O commands. The controller is busy when there is a command outstanding to an I/O Queue (specifically, a command was issued by way of an I/O Submission Queue Tail doorbell write and the corresponding completion queue entry has not been posted yet to the associated I/O Completion Queue). This value is reported in minutes. Note: Controller Busy Time may not be equal to I/O time, as controller may release the operation to SW routines.
112	16	Power Cycles	Contains the number of power cycles.
128	16	Power On Hours	Contains the number of power-on hours. This does not include time that the controller was powered and in a low power state condition.
144	16	Unsafe shutdowns	Contains the number of unsafe shutdowns. This count is incremented when a shutdown notification (CC.SHN) is not received prior to loss of power.
160	16	Media Errors	Contains the number of occurrences where the controller detected an unrecovered data integrity error. Errors such as uncorrectable ECC, CRC checksum failure, or LBA tag mismatch are included in this field.
176	16	Number of Error Information Log Entries	Contains the number of Error Information log entries over the life of the controller.
195:192	4	Warning Composite Temperature Time	Contains the amount of time in minutes that the controller is operational and the Composite Temperature is greater than or equal to the Warning Composite Temperature Threshold (WCTEMP) field and less than the Critical Composite Temperature Threshold (CCTEMP) field in the Identify Controller data structure in Appendix C. If the value of the WCTEMP or CCTEMP field is 0h, then this field is always cleared to 0h regardless of the Composite Temperature value.
199:196	4	Critical Composite Temperature Time	Contains the amount of time in minutes that the controller is operational and the Composite Temperature is greater the Critical Composite Temperature Threshold (CCTEMP) field in the Identify Controller data structure in Figure 111 of NVMe Spec 1.3c. If the value of the CCTEMP field is 0h, then this field is always cleared to 0h regardless of the Composite Temperature value
201:200	2	Temperature Sensor 1	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
203:202	2	Temperature Sensor 2	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
205:204	2	Temperature Sensor 3	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
207:206	2	Temperature Sensor 4	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
209:208	2	Temperature Sensor 5	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
211:210	2	Temperature Sensor 6	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
continued...			

Byte	# of Bytes	Attribute	Description
213:212	2	Temperature Sensor 7	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
215:214	2	Temperature Sensor 8	Currently not implemented on D5-P5530
219:216	4	Thermal Management Temperature 1 Transition Count	Contains the number of times the controller transitioned to lower power active power states or performed vendor specific thermal management actions while minimizing the impact on performance in order to attempt to reduce the Composite Temperature because of the host controlled thermal management feature. This counter shall not wrap once it reaches its maximum value. A value of zero indicates that this transition has never occurred. This is not supported on D5-P5530.
223:220	4	Thermal Management Temperature 2 Transition Count	Contains the number of times the controller transitioned to lower power active power states or performed vendor specific thermal management actions regardless of the impact on performance (e.g., heavy throttling) in order to attempt to reduce the Composite Temperature because of the host controlled thermal management feature. This is not supported on D5-P5530.
227:224	4	Total Time For Thermal Management Temperature 1	Contains the number of seconds that the controller had transitioned to lower power active power states or performed vendor specific thermal management actions while minimizing the impact on performance in order to attempt to reduce the Composite Temperature because of the host controlled thermal management feature. This is not supported on D5-P5530.
231:228	4	Total Time For Thermal Management Temperature 2	Contains the number of seconds that the controller had transitioned to lower power active power states or performed vendor specific thermal management actions regardless of the impact on performance (e.g., heavy throttling) in order to attempt to reduce the Composite Temperature because of the host controlled thermal management feature. This is not supported on D5-P5530.
511:232	N/A	Reserved	

Note: Intel recommends the host wait at least 90 seconds after power ON before retrieving the most current counter values. From SMART Log Attributes (Log 02h)

Table 21: Get Log Page - Temperature Sensor Data Structure

Bits	Description
15:00	Temperature Sensor Temperature (TST): Contains the current temperature in degrees Kelvin reported by the temperature sensor. The physical point in the NVM subsystem whose temperature is reported by the temperature sensor and the temperature accuracy is implementation specific. An implementation that does not implement the temperature sensor reports a temperature of zero degrees Kelvin. The temperature reported by a temperature sensor may be used to trigger an asynchronous event

5.6 SET Features Identifiers

In addition to the SMART attribute structure, features pertaining to the operation and health of the D5-P5530 can be reported to the host on request through the Get Features command. Get Features support is per device and not available for a per namespace basis. The user can change settings using SET Features on the following items as defined in NVMe 1.3c specification.

Please refer to NVMe 1.3c specification for details of the following SET features:

- Arbitration (Feature Identifier 01h)
- Power Management (Feature Identifier 02h)¹

- Temperature Threshold (Feature Identifier 04h)
- Error Recovery (Feature Identifier 05h)¹
- Number of Queues (Feature Identifier 07h)
- Interrupt Coalescing (Feature Identifier 08h)
- Interrupt Vector Configuration (Feature Identifier 09h)
- Write Atomicity (Feature Identifier 0Ah)¹
- Asynchronous Event Configuration (Feature Identifier 0Bh)

Note: 1. Commands to Get/Set features Power Management, Error Recovery, Write Atomicity not supported during Sanitize operations.

D5-P5530 also supports the following Vendor Unique Opcodes:

- Clear Assert (Opcode C8h)

5.7 Vendor Unique Opcodes

5.7.1 Inject Assert Error/Clear Assert (Opcode C8h)

This vendor-unique Opcode will:

- Inject assert error so that the drive enters into Disable Logical State for test purpose.
- Clear drive assert, but preserve SMART data, remove user data.

Note: These two features can be supported when NCAT feature is disabled.

Table 22: Inject Assert Error/Clear Assert - Command DWORD 10

Bit	Description
31:00	Write Usage: Bit [15:0] reserved for Assert Error Injection feature Bit [31:16] reserved for Assert Error Clear feature 0x10000 = Clear Assert, Preserve SMART data, Remove User Data Read Usage: None

5.8 Vendor Unique Feature Identifiers (Set/Get)

Intel® SSD D5-P5530 supports the following Vendor Unique FIDs (VU) SET Features:

- Endurance Management (C0h)
- Set/Get Max LBA (C1h)
- Set/Get Max Native LBA (C2h)
- Extend Temp Setting (C3h)
- Custom PCIe Phy (C4h)
- Set/Get Power Governor Setting (C6h)
- Set/Get SMB ASIC Address (C8h)
- Set/Get Blink activity for LED (C9h)

- Reset Timed Workload Timers (D5h)
- Set/Get Enable Latency Tracking (E2h)
- Clear PCIe Correctable (EAh)

5.8.1 Set/Get Endurance Management Disable Setting (C0h)

This Vendor Unique command returns the Endurance Management setting.

Table 23: C0h - Endurance Management Disable Setting - Command Dword 11

Bit	Description
31:01	Reserved
00	Read Usage: 0 = Enabled, 1 = Disabled

If a Get Features command is issued for this Feature, the attributes specified are returned in Dword 0 of the completion queue entry for that command.

5.8.2 Set/Get Max LBA (C1h)

This Vendor Unique command sets/ gets the maximum addressable Logical Block for the entire Drive. Command Dword 11 and Command Dword 12 are used to transfer up to 64 bits of LBA information. This is a global setting that applies to the entire drive that namespaces may be allocated from.

- LBA size that this command sets and reports is in 512B units regardless of the logical LBA size
- Setting a value higher than device specified IDEMA capacity will result in a returned NVMe error status, see [Table 25](#) on page 38
- Setting a value that is lower than 8 GB will result in a returned NVMe error status
- Drive firmware rounds up Set Max LBA to the nearest 8 GB boundary

Device will be shipped as default single namespace with IDEMA mode out of factory. Once this default namespace is deleted, it will remain in namespace mode throughout the life of the device even though 1 namespace is created with maximum capacity. Single namespace can be created with native factory capacity.

With multiple namespaces, each new namespace created is aligned to 8GiB granularity rounding up by the firmware. This is controller limitation, Intel don't expect this to go away in next generation product. It is recommended for customers not to utilize SetMaxLBA command in combination with Multiple Namespace. If drive is over-provisioned with SetMaxLBA, drive will disable support for multiple namespaces (MNS). To re-enable support for MNS drive should be reverted back to native capacity using SetMaxLBA command. With multiple namespace, each namespace can have single locking range spanning the allocated LBA capacity. On a single namespace range, multiple locking range can be initiated, but the namespace should be configured to native LBA capacity.

Table 24: Set Max LBA Setting - Command Dword 11 and Command Dword 12

Bit	Description
63:00	Maximum User LBA: Write Usage: This field sets the 64-bit maximum LBA addressable by the Drive. Read Usage: This field contains the 64-bit maximum LBA addressable by the Drive. Command Dword 11 contains bits 31:00; Command Dword 12 contains bits 63: 32.

The return status code type (SCT) 0x1 (Command Specific Status), status codes (SC) for Set Max LBA command are listed in the table below.

Table 25: Status Code - Set Max LBA Command Specific Status Values

Value	Description
C0h	Requested MAX LBA exceeds Available capacity
C1h	Requested MAX LBA smaller than minimum allowable limit.
C2h	Requested MAX LBA is smaller than allocated Namespace requirements

5.8.3 Set/Get Native Max LBA (C2h)

This vendor unique command enables the user to read Native max LBA value, which is the highest LBA that the device accepts. This command would be of value to an end user attempting to restore the full capacity of the drive, without having first recorded the max value, or using trial/error to determine the effective max LBA size.

Set Features of the Native Max LBA FID shall always return error "Invalid Command 01h"

LBA size that this command reports is in 512B units no matter what the current logical format.

5.8.4 Extend Temp Setting (C3h)

Table 26: C3h - Extend Temp Setting - Command Dword 11

Bit	Description
31:08	Reserved
07:00	Extend Temp setting: Write Usage - Turns on/off extended case temperature settings Read Usage: Reads the current setting whether it is turned on/off

If a Get Features command is issued for this Feature, the attributes specified are returned in Dword 0 of the completion queue entry for that command.

The return status code type (SCT) 0x1 (Command Specific Status), status codes (SC) for Extend thermal setting command are:

Table 27: Status Codes - Extend Temp Setting Command Specific Status Values

Value	Description
C0h	Invalid Setting

5.8.5 Set/Get Power Governor Setting (C6h)

Table 28: Set/Get Power (Typical) Governor Setting (C6h)

Bit	Description				
31:08	Reserved				
07:00	Value	Power Mode	960GB	1.92TB	3.84TB
	00h	PM0	12W	13W	15W
	01h	PM1	11W	12W	12W
	02h	PM2	10W	11W	11W

The return status code type (SCT) 0x1 (Command Specific Status), status codes (SC) for Power Governor setting command are:

Table 29: Status Codes - Power Governor Setting Command Specific Status Value

Value	Description
C0h	Invalid Setting

5.8.6 Set/Get SMB ASIC Address (C8h)

This FID enables customers to disable or change SMB Address, in the field, if address conflict arises.

Setting an SMB address greater than 7Fh (7bit slave address corresponding to 1111 111) will disable SMB ASIC access and set the address to 0x80. If Bits[9:1] is set to 0xFF, FW disabled SMB ASIC access

If a Get Features command is issued for this Feature, the attributes specified are returned in Dword 0 of the completion queue entry for that command. Refer to Section 2.12 for details on SMBus address.

Table 30: C8h - Get/Set SMB ASIC Address

Bit	Description
0	Reserved
09:01	SMB Controller Address
31:10	Reserved

5.8.7 Set/Get Blink activity for LED (C9h)

Table 31: C9h - Set/Get Blink activity for LED

Feature Option	Feature Value Range	Description	Default
0	0-1	LED state while host is inactive. (0 = OFF, 1 = ON)	1 (ON)
1	0-1	LED duration increment size. (0 = 50ms, 1 = 25ms)	0 (50ms)
2	0-15	Off duration during IO activity in 25ms/50ms increments. 0 = solid ON	5 (ON)
3	0-15	On duration during IO activity in 25ms/50ms increments. 0 = match OFF duration	0
4	0-15	Off duration during format activity in 25/50ms increments. 0 = solid ON	5 (250ms)
5	0-15	On duration during format activity in 25/50ms increments. 0 = match OFF duration	0 (250ms)

- Notes:**
- C9- Set Features Command Dword 11 will be divided into following sections
 - Bits[31:24] - Feature options and Bits[23:0] - Feature Value
 - Feature options and value ranges are defined above
 - C9- Get Features Command Dword 11 will be divided into following sections
 - Bits[31:24] - Feature options and Bits[23:0] - Reserved. Must be 0.
 - Current value for the requested LED feature option will be returned in DW0[31:0]

The return status code type (SCT) 0x1 (Command Specific Status), status codes (SC) for "Get/Set Blink Activity for LED" interval setting are:

Table 32: Status Code - Set/ Get P11 Blink Activity for LED Specific Status Values

Value	Description
C0h	Invalid Setting

5.8.8 Get Reset Timed Workload Counters (D5h)

Table 33: D5h - Reset Timed Workload Counters - Command Dword 11

Bit	Description
31:01	Reserved
00	Timed Workload Reset Settings: Write Usage: 00 = NOP, 1 = Reset E2, E3,E4 counters; Read Usage: Not Supported

Note: Get Features will not work for "Reset Timed Workload Counters," and status code is same as in the table above.

5.8.9 Set/Get Enable Latency Tracking (E2h)

Table 34: E2h - Set/Get Enable Latency Tracking

Bit	Description
31:01	Write Usage: 00h = Disable Latency Tracking (Default) 01h = Enable Latency Tracking

6 NVMe Driver Support

The following table describes the NVMe Driver Support for D5-P5530. The support includes releasing and validating NVMe drivers for certain operating systems and validating functionality for open source drive, inbox, or native drivers for select operating systems.

It is recommended to use an NVMe Driver that supports Namespace Optimal IO Boundary (NOIOB) with this product. If an NVMe Driver is used that does not support NOIOB issuing IO commands that do not align to 128KB boundaries may result in a significant drop in performance and Quality of Service (QoS). If the driver being used does not support NOIOB, it is recommended that the host maintains splitting of 128KB IO boundaries in order to avoid a performance impact.

Table 35: Intel® SSD D5-P5530 NVMe Driver Support

Support Level	Operating System Description
Intel Provided ¹	Windows Server 2019 Windows Server 2016 VMware ESXi 6.5 VMware ESXi 6.7 VMware ESXi 7.0
In-box Driver or external package ²	Windows Server 2016 Windows Server 2019 Windows Server 2022 VMware ESXi 7.0 RHEL 7.5 RHEL 8.0 Ubuntu 16.04.4 HWE LTS Ubuntu 18.04 Namespace Optimal IO Boundary (NOIOB) on D5-P5530 support - kernel.org Linux Kernel v4.13

- Notes:**
1. With Intel provided driver, full product specification is guaranteed, booting is only supported for 64bit OS
 2. With open source non-Intel driver, compatibility and functionality is validated

7 Other Compliance and Certifications

Table 36: Other Compliance and Certifications

NVMe 	Indicates compliance with UNH-IOL testing for NVMe compliance
PCIe 	Indicates compliance with PCI-SIG Organization testing requirements

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Table 37: Intel® SSD D5-P5530 User Addressable Sectors

Capacity	Unformatted Capacity ¹ (Total User Addressable Sectors in LBA Mode)
960GB	1,875,385,008
1.92TB	3,750,748,848
3.84TB	7,501,476,528

- Notes:**
1. The total usable capacity of the SSD may be less than the total physical capacity because a small portion of the capacity is used for NAND media management and maintenance. IDEMA standard is used. 1 sector = 512 bytes LBA count shown represents total user storage capacity and will remain the same throughout the life of the drive.
 2. 1TB = 10¹² bytes.

Table 38: Random Read/Write (IOPS) - D5-P5530

Capacity	PCIe Gen	Queue Depth	Workers	Intel® SSD D5-P5530					
				Specification ^{1,2,3}					
				4KB Random Write	8KB Random Write	4KB Random Read	8KB Random Read	4KB Random 70/30 Read/Write	8KB Random 70/30 Read/Write
960GB	4.0	32	8	75,000	37,000	300,000	200,000	140,000	87,000
1.92TB	4.0	32	8	100,000	54,000	550,000	380,000	200,000	150,000
3.84TB	4.0	32	8	100,000	60,000	875,000	570,000	240,000	178,000

- Notes:**
1. 4KB = 4,096 bytes; 8KB = 8,192 bytes
 2. Performance measured with Queue Depth 32 x 8 workers (Universal QD=256). Measurements are performed on a full Logical Block Address (LBA) span of the drive. Power mode set at PM0.
 3. For 100% read workloads, drive should be pre-conditioned with the equivalent 100% write workload transfer size before measurement.
 4. Intel expects up to 5% variation in performance between drive to drive runs. Any change in the system or drive configuration may impact drive performance.

Table 39: Random Read/Write IOPS Consistency (%) - D5-P5530

Capacity	Intel® SSD D5-P5530	
	Specification ^{1,2,3}	
	4KB Random Read	4KB Random Write
960GB	90%	85%
1.92TB	90%	85%
3.84TB	90%	85%

- Notes:**
1. 4KB = 4,096 bytes; 8KB = 8,192 bytes
 2. Performance measured with Queue Depth 32 x 8 workers (Universal QD=256).
 3. Intel expects up to 10% variation in consistency between drive to drive runs. Any change in the system or drive configuration may impact drive performance.

Table 40: Sequential Read and Write Bandwidth (MB/s) - D5-P5530

Capacity	PCIe Gen	Queue Depth	Workers	Intel® SSD D5-P5530	
				Specification ¹	
				Sequential Read	Sequential Write
960GB	4.0	256	1	5,500	1,600
1.92TB	4.0	256	1	6,500	3,000
3.84TB	4.0	256	1	6,500	3,500

- Notes:**
1. Performance measured using FIO Linux Centos 7.5.1804 kernel 4.14.74 with 128KB (131,072 bytes) of transfer size with Queue Depth 256 (1 worker). Measurements are performed on a full Logical Block Address (LBA) span of the drive once the workload has reached steady state but including all background activities required for normal operation and data reliability. Power mode set at PM0
 2. Intel expects up to 5% variation in performance between drive to drive runs. Any change in the system or drive configuration may impact drive performance.

Table 41: Typical Latency – D5-P5530- U.2 15mm

Capacity	Unit	Intel® SSD D5-P5530			
		Specification			
		4K Sequential ¹ Read QD1	4K Sequential ¹ Write QD1	4K Random ¹ Read QD1	4K Random ¹ Write QD1
960GB	µs	10	13	65	16
1.92TB	µs	10	13	65	16
3.84TB	µs	10	13	65	16

- Notes:**
1. Latency measured using 4 KB (4,096 bytes) transfer size with Queue Depth equal to 1.
 2. For 100% read workloads, drive should be pre-conditioned with the equivalent 100% write workload transfer size before measurement.

Table 42: Quality of Service - D5-P5530

Capacity	Queue Depth	Unit	Intel® SSD D5-P5530		
			Specification ^{1,2,3}		
			4K Random Read	4K Random 95/5	4K Random 75/25
Quality of Service ¹ (99%)					
960GB	QD1	µs	110	110	260
1.92TB	QD1	µs	110	110	248
3.84TB	QD1	µs	110	110	205
Quality of Service ¹ (99.99%)					
960GB	QD1	µs	380	700	700
1.92TB	QD1	µs	330	700	700
3.84TB	QD1	µs	275	728	942

- Notes:**
1. Measured as the time taken for 99.0 or 99.99 percentile of commands to finish the round-trip from host to drive and back to host.
 2. Data measured using FIO Linux Centos 7.5.1804 kernel 4.14.74 Quality of Service measured using 4KB (4,096 bytes) transfer size on a random workload on a full Logical Block Address (LBA) span of the drive once the workload has reached steady state but including all background activities required for normal operation and data reliability.
 3. For 100% read workloads, drive should be pre-conditioned with the equivalent 100% write workload transfer size before measurement.

Table 43: Endurance - Drive Writes Per Day (DWPD)

Form Factor	Capacity	JEDEC Workload			64K Sequential Workload		
		DWPD ^{1,2} (3 years)	DWPD ^{1,2} (5 years)	PBW ^{3,4}	DWPD ¹ (3 years)	DWPD ¹ (5 years)	PBW ^{3,4}
P5530 - U.2 15mm	960GB	1.6	1.0	1.7	6.6	6.7	6.7
	1.92TB	1.6	1.0	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.0
	3.84TB	1.6	1.0	6.5	7.0	14.2	28.4

- Notes:**
1. Refer to JESD219 standard table 1 for UBER, FFR and other Enterprise SSD endurance verification requirements. Endurance verification acceptance criterion based on establishing <1E-17.
 2. DWPD is within +/-5% variance.
 3. 1PB = 10¹⁵ bytes
 4. Petabytes Written (PBW). Refer to JESD219 standard table 1 for UBER, FFR and other Enterprise SSD requirements. The number of drive writes such that the SSD meets the requirements according to the JESD218 standard. Endurance rating verification is defined to establish UBER <1E-16 at 60% upper confidence limit.

Table 44: Drive Shutdown (RTD3 Entry) and Time To Ready (TTR)

Form Factor	Capacity	Safe Shutdown Time or RDT3 Entry (seconds)	Time to Ready (TTR ¹) after Surprise Shutdown (seconds)	Time to Ready (TTR) after Planned Shutdown or RTD3 Resume (seconds)
P5530 - U.2 15mm	960GB	6s	18s	6s
	1.92TB	6s	18s	6s
	3.84TB	6s	18s	6s

Note: 1. Time to Ready (TTR) is based on time from power on to when the drive can begin receiving PCIe commands from host after a single #PERST, when CSTS.RDY bit toggles from '0' to '1'.

Table 45: Format NVM Secure Erase and Sanitize Completion Times

Form Factor	Capacity	Format NVM, No Secure Erase (SES=0) (seconds)	Format NVM, User Data Erase ¹ (SES=1) (seconds)	Format NVM, Cryptographic Erase (SES=2) (seconds)	Sanitize, Block Erase (Command DWord10 - Bits [02:00] = 010b) (minutes)	Sanitize, Cryptographic Erase (Command DWord10 - Bits [00:02] = 100b) (seconds)
P5530 - U.2 15mm	960GB	<=10s	<=60s	<=10s	<=5min	<=30s
	1.92TB	<=10s	<=60s	<=10s	<=5min	<=30s
	3.84TB	<=10s	<=60s	<=10s	<=5min	<=30s

Note: 1. These User Data Erase completion times assume the command is issued across all namespaces on the drive, or that the drive is configured with a single namespace. On a drive configured with multiple namespaces, the User Data Erase may take significantly longer if only some of the namespaces are targeted by the command instead of the full drive. It is recommended that Cryptographic Erase (SES=2) is used instead when issuing a Secure Erase to a single namespace in a multiple namespace environment.

Table 46: Dataset Management Deallocate (TRIM) Command Completion Time

Form Factor	Capacity	Dataset Management Deallocate completion (milliseconds)
P5530 - U.2 15mm	960GB	100ms
	1.92TB	100ms
	3.84TB	100ms

B Power Metrics

Table 47: Power Consumption – U.2 15mm

Specification	P5530 - U.2 15mm		
	960GB	1.92TB	3.84TB
Max Average Active Write Power ¹	<12W	<13W	<15W
Max Average Active Read Power ²	<12W	<13W	<15W
Max Burst Power ³	<15W	<16W	<18W
Idle	<5W	<5W	<5W

- Notes:**
1. The workload equates QD256/128KB Sequential Writes. Average power is measured over a 100ms sample period
 2. The workload equates QD256/128KB Sequential Read. Average power is measured over a 100ms sample period
 3. The workload equates QD256/128KB Sequential Writes. Burst power is measured over a 500µs sample period.

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C IDENTIFY Data Structure

Table 48: Identify Controller

Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
Controller Capabilities and Features				
1:00	M	PCI Vendor ID (VID)	Contains the company vendor identifier that is assigned by the PCI SIG. This is the same value as reported in the ID register in section 2.1.1.	0x8086
3:02	M	PCI Subsystem Vendor ID (SSVID)	Contains the company vendor identifier that is assigned by the PCI SIG for the subsystem.	0x8086
23:04	M	Serial Number (SN)	Contains the serial number for the NVM subsystem that is assigned by the vendor as an ASCII string.	<variable>
63:24	M	Model Number (MN)	Contains the model number for the NVM subsystem that is assigned by the vendor as an ASCII string.	<variable>
71:64	M	Firmware Revision (FR)	Contains the currently active firmware revision for the NVM subsystem. This is the same revision information that may be retrieved with the Get Log Page command.	<variable>
72	M	Recommended Arbitration Burst (RAB)	This is the recommended Arbitration Burst size. The value is in commands and is reported as a power of two (2^n). This is the same units as the Arbitration Burst size.	0x00
75:73	M	IEEE OUI Identifier (IEEE)	Contains the Organization Unique Identifier (OUI) for the controller vendor. The OUI shall be a valid IEEE/RAC assigned identifier that may be registered at http://standards.ieee.org/develop/regauth/oui/public.html .	<extracted from WWN>
76	O	Controller Multi-Path I/O and Namespace Sharing Capabilities (CMIC)	This field specifies multi-path I/O and namespace sharing capabilities of the controller and NVM subsystem.	0x00
			Bits 7:3 are reserved	
			Bit 2: If set to '1' then the controller is associated with an SR-IOV Virtual Function. If cleared to '0' then the controller is associated with a PCI Function.	0
			Bit 1: If set to '1' then the NVM subsystem may contain two or more controllers. If cleared to '0' then the NVM subsystem contains only a single controller.	0
			Bit 0: If set to '1' then the NVM subsystem may contain two or more physical PCI Express ports. If cleared to '0' then the NVM subsystem contains only a single PCI Express port.	0
77	M	Maximum Data Transfer Size (MDTS)	This field indicates the maximum data transfer size between the host and the controller. The host should not issue a command that exceeds this transfer size. If a command is processed that exceeds the transfer size, then the command is aborted with a status of Invalid Field in Command. The value is in units of the minimum memory page size (CAP.MPSMIN) and is reported as a power of two (2^n). A value of 0h indicates no restrictions on transfer size. The restriction includes metadata if it is interleaved with the logical block data.	0x05
				(128KB)
79:78	M	Controller ID (CNTLID)	Contains the NVM subsystem unique controller identifier associated with the controller.	0x00
83:80	M	Version (VER)	This field contains the value reported in the Version register defined in section 3.1.2. Implementations compliant to revision 1.2 or later of this specification shall report a non-zero value in this field.	0x00 01 03 00
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
87:84	M	RTD3 Resume Latency (RTD3R)	This field indicates the typical latency in microseconds resuming from Runtime D3 (RTD3). A value of 0h indicates RTD3 Resume Latency is not reported.	0x00989680
91:88	M	RTD3 Entry Latency (RTD3E)	This field indicates the typical latency in microseconds to enter Runtime D3 (RTD3). A value of 0h indicates RTD3 Entry Latency is not reported.	0x004C4B40
95:92	M	Optional Asynchronous Events Supported (OAES)	This field indicates the optional asynchronous events supported by the controller. A controller shall not send optional asynchronous events before they are enabled by host software.	0x200
			Bits 31:10 are reserved.	0
			Bit 9 is set to '1' if the controller supports sending Firmware Activation Notices. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Firmware Activation Notices event.	1
			Bit 8 is set to '1' if the controller supports sending the Namespace Attribute Changed Notices. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Namespace Attribute Notices event.	0
			Bits 7:0 are reserved.	0
99:96	M	Controller Attributes (CTRATT)	This field indicates attributes of the controller.	0x0
			Bits 31:2 are reserved.	0
			Bit 1 (Non-Operational Power State Permissive Mode): If set to '1' then the controller supports host control of whether the controller may temporarily exceed the power of a non-operational power state for the purpose of executing controller initiated background operations in a non-operational power state (i.e., Non-Operational Power State Permissive Mode supported). If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support host control of whether the controller may exceed the power of a non-operational state for the purpose of executing controller initiated background operations in a non-operational state (i.e., Non-Operational Power State Permissive Mode not supported). Refer to section 5.22.1.17.	0
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports a 128-bit Host Identifier. Bit 0 if cleared to '0' then the controller does not support a 128-bit Host Identifier.	0
111:100			Reserved	
127:112	O	FRU Globally Unique Identifier (FGUID)	This field contains a 128-bit value that is globally unique for a given Field Replaceable Unit (FRU). Refer to the NVM Express™ Management Interface (NVMe-MI™) specification for the definition of a FRU. This field remains fixed throughout the life of the FRU. This field shall contain the same value for each controller associated with a given FRU. This field uses the EUI-64 based 16-byte designator format. Bytes 122:120 contain the 24-bit Organizationally Unique Identifier (OUI) value assigned by the IEEE Registration Authority. Bytes 127:123 contain an extension identifier assigned by the corresponding organization. Bytes 119:112 contain the vendor specific extension identifier assigned by the corresponding organization. See the IEEE EUI-64 guidelines for more information. This field is big endian (refer to section 7.10). When not implemented, this field contains a value of 0h.	Varies
239:128			Reserved	
255:240	M	Management Endpoint Capabilities (MEC)	This field indicates the capabilities of the Management Endpoint in the Controller Bits 7:2 are reserved	0x1
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
			Bit 1: If set to '1' then the NVM Subsystem contains a Management Endpoint on a PCIe port Bit 0: If set to '1' then the NVM Subsystem contains a Management Endpoint on an SMBus/I2C port.	
Admin Command Set Attributes				
257:256	M	Optional Admin Command Support (OACS):	This field indicates the optional Admin commands supported by the controller.	0x003F
			Bits 15:9 are reserved.	
			Bit 8 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Doorbell Buffer Config command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Doorbell Buffer Config command.	0
			Bit 7 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Virtualization Management command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Virtualization Management command.	0
			Bit 6 if set to '1' then the controller supports the NVMe-MI Send and NVMe-MI Receive commands. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the NVMe-MI Send and NVMe-MI Receive commands.	0
			Bit 5 if set to '1' then the controller supports Directives. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support Directives. A controller that supports Directives shall support the Directive Send and Directive Receive commands.	0
			Bit 4 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Device Self-test command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Device Self-test command.	1
			Bit 3 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Namespace Management and Namespace Attachment commands. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Namespace Management and Namespace Attachment commands.	1
			Bit 2 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Firmware Activate and Firmware Download commands. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Firmware Activate and Firmware Download commands.	1
			Bit 1 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Format NVM command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Format NVM command.	1
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Security Send and Security Receive commands. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Security Send and Security Receive commands.	0 - Opal/Ruby Enabled SKU 0 - Opal/Ruby Disabled SKU
258	M	Abort Command Limit (ACL)	This field is used to convey the maximum number of concurrently outstanding Abort commands supported by the controller. This is a 0's based value. It is recommended that implementations support a minimum of four Abort commands outstanding simultaneously.	0x3
				4
259	M	Asynchronous Event Request Limit (AERL)	This field is used to convey the maximum number of concurrently outstanding Asynchronous Event Request commands supported by the controller. This is a 0's based value. It is recommended that implementations support a minimum of four Asynchronous Event Request Limit commands outstanding simultaneously.	0x03
				4
260	M	Firmware Updates (FRMW)	This field indicates capabilities regarding firmware updates.	0x18
			Bits 7:5 are reserved.	
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
			Bit 4 if set to '1' indicates that the controller supports firmware activation without a reset. If cleared to '0' then the controller requires a reset for firmware to be activated.	1
			Bits 3:1 indicate the number of firmware slots that the device supports. This field shall specify a value between one and seven, indicating that at least one firmware slot is supported and up to seven maximum. This corresponds to firmware slots 1 through 7.	4
			Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that the first firmware slot (slot 1) is read only. If cleared to '0' then the first firmware slot (slot 1) is read/write. Implementations may choose to have a baseline read only firmware image.	0
261	M	Log Page Attributes (LPA)	This field indicates optional attributes for log pages that are accessed via the Get Log Page command.	0x1E
			Bits 7:4 are reserved.	
			Bit 3 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Telemetry Host-Initiated and Telemetry Controller-Initiated log pages and sending Telemetry Log Notices. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Telemetry Host-Initiated and Telemetry Controller-Initiated log pages and Telemetry Log Notice events.	1
			Bit 2 if set to '1' then the controller supports extended data for Get Log Page (including extended Number of Dwords and Log Page Offset fields). Bit 2 if cleared to '0' then the controller does not support extended data for Get Log Page.	1
			Bit 1 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Commands Supported and Effects log page. Bit 1 if cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Commands Supported and Effects log page.	1
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports the SMART / Health information log page on a per namespace basis. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the SMART / Health information log page on a per namespace basis.	0
262	M	Error Log Page Entries (ELPE)	This field indicates the maximum number of Error Information log entries that are stored by the controller. This field is a 0's based value.	0x3F
				63
263	M	Number of Power States Support (NPSS)	This field indicates the number of NVM Express power states supported by the controller. This is a 0's based value.	0x02
			Power states are numbered sequentially starting at power state 0. A controller shall support at least one power state (i.e., power state 0) and may support up to 31 additional power states (i.e., up to 32 total).	
264	M	Admin Vendor Specific Command Configuration (AVSCC)	This field indicates the configuration settings for Admin Vendor Specific command handling.	0x00
			Bits 7:1 are reserved.	
			Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that all Admin Vendor Specific Commands use the format defined in Figure 12 of NVMe Spec 1.3c. If cleared to '0' indicates that the format of all Admin Vendor Specific Commands are vendor specific.	
265	O	Autonomous Power State Transition Attributes (APSTA)	This field indicates the attributes of the autonomous power state transition feature.	0x00
			Bits 7:1 are reserved.	
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value	
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports autonomous power state transitions. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support autonomous power state transitions.		
267:266	M	Warning Composite Temperature Threshold (WCTEMP)	This field indicates the minimum Composite Temperature field value (reported in the SMART / Health Information log that indicates an overheating condition during which controller operation continues. Immediate remediation is recommended (e.g., additional cooling or workload reduction). The platform should strive to maintain a composite temperature below this value.	0x0157	
			A value of 0h in this field indicates that no warning temperature threshold value is reported by the controller. Implementations compliant to revision 1.2 or later of this specification shall report a non-zero value in this field.		
			It is recommended that implementations report a value of 0157h in this field.		
269:268	M	Critical Composite Temperature Threshold (CCTEMP)	This field indicates the minimum Composite Temperature field value (reported in the SMART / Health Information log) that indicates a critical overheating condition (e.g., may prevent continued normal operation, possibility of data loss, automatic device shutdown, extreme performance throttling, or permanent damage).	0x0161	
			A value of 0h in this field indicates that no critical temperature threshold value is reported by the controller. Implementations compliant to revision 1.2 or later of this specification shall report a non-zero value in this field.		
271:270	O	Maximum Time for Firmware Activation (MTFA)	Indicates the maximum time the controller temporarily stops processing commands to activate the firmware image. This field shall be valid if the controller supports firmware activation without a reset. This field is specified in 100 millisecond units. A value of 0h indicates that the maximum time is undefined.	0x1E	
275:272	O	Host Memory Buffer Preferred Size (HMPRE)	This field indicates the preferred size that the host is requested to allocate for the Host Memory Buffer feature in 4KB units. This value shall be larger than or equal to the Host Memory Buffer Minimum Size. If this field is non-zero, then the Host Memory Buffer feature is supported. If this field is cleared to 0h, then the Host Memory Buffer feature is not supported.	0x00	
279:276	O	Host Memory Buffer Minimum Size (HMMIN)	This field indicates the minimum size that the host is requested to allocate for the Host Memory Buffer feature in 4KB units. If this field is cleared to 0h, then the host is requested to allocate any amount of host memory possible up to the HMPRE value.	0x00	
295:280	O	Total NVM Capacity (TNVMCAP)	This field indicates the total NVM capacity in the NVM subsystem. The value is in bytes. This field shall be supported if Namespace Management and Namespace Attachment commands are supported.	varies	
311:296	O	Unallocated NVM Capacity (UNVMCAP)	This field indicates the unallocated NVM capacity in the NVM subsystem. The value is in bytes. This field shall be supported if Namespace Management and Namespace Attachment commands are supported.	varies	
315:312	O	Replay Protected Memory Block Support (RPMBS)	This field indicates if the controller supports one or more Replay Protected Memory Blocks (RPMBS) and the capabilities.	0x00	
			Bits		Description
			31:24		Access Size: If the Number of RPMB Units field is non-zero, then this field indicates the number of 512B units of data

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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description		Expected Value	
			Bits	Description		
				that may be read or written per RPMB access by Security Send or Security Receive commands for this controller. This is a 0's based value. A value of 0h indicates support for one unit of 512B of data. If the Number of RPMB Units field is 0h, then this field shall be ignored.		
			23:16	Total Size: If the Number of RPMB Units field is non-zero, then this field indicates the number of 128KB units of data in each RPMB supported in the controller. This is a 0's based value. A value of 0h indicates support for one unit of 128KB of data. If the Number of RPMB Units field is 0h, then this field shall be ignored.		
			15:06	Reserved		
			05:03	Authentication Method: This field indicates the authentication method used to access all RPMBs in the controller. The values for this field are:		
				Value		Definition
				000b		HMAC SHA-256 (refer to RFC 6234)
				001b to 111b		Reserved
			02:00	Number of RPMB Units: This field indicates the number of RPMB targets the controller supports. All RPMB targets supported shall have the same capabilities as defined in the RPMBs field. A value of 0h indicates the controller does not support Replay Protected Memory Blocks. If this value is non-zero, then the controller shall support the Security Send and Security Receive commands.		
317:316	O	Extended Device Self-test Time (EDSTT)	If the Device Self-test command is supported, then this field indicates the nominal amount of time in one minute units that the controller takes to complete an extended device self-test operation when in power state 0. If the Device Self-test command is not supported, then this field is reserved.		0x78	
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
318	O	Device Self-test Options (DSTO)	This field indicates the optional Device Self-test command or operation behaviors supported by the controller or NVM subsystem. Bit 0 if set to '1' then the NVM subsystem supports only one device self-test operation in progress at a time. If cleared to '0' then the NVM subsystem supports one device self-test operation per controller at a time.	0x1
319	M	Firmware Update Granularity (FWUG)	This field indicates the granularity and alignment requirement of the firmware image being updated by the Firmware Image Download command (refer to section 5.12). If the values specified in the NUMD field or the OFST field in the Firmware Image Download command do not conform to this granularity and alignment requirement, then the firmware update may fail with status of Invalid Field in Command. For the broadest interoperability with host software, it is recommended that the controller set this value to the lowest value possible. The value is reported in 4KB units (e.g., 1h corresponds to 4KB, 2h corresponds to 8KB). A value of 0h indicates that no information on granularity is provided. A value of FFh indicates there is no restriction (i.e., any granularity and alignment in Dwords is allowed).	0x1
321:320	O	Keep Alive Support (KAS)	This field indicates the granularity of the Keep Alive Timer in 100 ms units (refer to section 7.12). If this field is cleared to 0h then Keep Alive is not supported. Keep Alive shall be supported for NVMe over Fabrics implementations.	0x0
323:322	M	Host Controlled Thermal Management Attributes (HCTMA)	This field indicates the attributes of the host controlled thermal management feature. Refer to section 8.4.5. Bits 15:1 are reserved. Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports host controlled thermal management. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support host controlled thermal management. If this bit is set to '1' then, the controller shall support the Set Features command and Get Features command with the Feature Identifier field set to 10h.	0x0
325:324	O	Minimum Thermal Management Temperature (MNTMT)	This field indicates the minimum temperature, in degrees Kelvin, that the host may request in the Thermal Management Temperature 1 field and Thermal Management Temperature 2 field of a Set Features command with the Feature Identifier field set to 10h. A value of 0000h indicates that the controller does not report this field or the host controlled thermal management feature (refer to section 8.4.5) is not supported.	0x0
327:326	O	Maximum Thermal Management Temperature (MXTMT)	This field indicates the maximum temperature, in degrees Kelvin, that the host may request in the Thermal Management Temperature 1 field and Thermal Management Temperature 2 field of the Set Features command with the Feature Identifier set to 10h. A value of 0000h indicates that the controller does not report this field or the host controlled thermal management feature is not supported.	0x0
331:328	O	Sanitize Capabilities (SANICAP)	This field indicates attributes for sanitize operations. If the Sanitize command is supported then this field shall be non-zero. If the Sanitize command is not supported, then this field shall be cleared to 0h. Bits 31:3 are reserved. Bit 2 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Overwrite sanitize operation. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Overwrite sanitize operation. Bit 1 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Block Erase sanitize operation. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Block Erase sanitize operation.	0x3
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Crypto Erase sanitize operation. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Crypto Erase sanitize operation.	
511:332			Reserved	
NVM Command Set Attributes				
512	M	Submission Queue Entry Size (SQES)	This field defines the required and maximum Submission Queue entry size when using the NVM Command Set.	0x66
			Bits 7:4 define the maximum Submission Queue entry size when using the NVM Command Set. This value is larger than or equal to the required SQ entry size. The value is in bytes and is reported as a power of two (2^n). The recommended value is 6, corresponding to a standard NVM Command Set SQ entry size of 64 bytes. Controllers that implement proprietary extensions may support a larger value.	
			Bits 3:0 define the required Submission Queue Entry size when using the NVM Command Set. This is the minimum entry size that may be used. The value is in bytes and is reported as a power of two (2^n). The required value shall be 6, corresponding to 64.	
513	M	Completion Queue Entry Size (CQES)	This field defines the required and maximum Completion Queue entry size when using the NVM Command Set.	0x44
			Bits 7:4 define the maximum Completion Queue entry size when using the NVM Command Set. This value is larger than or equal to the required CQ entry size. The value is in bytes and is reported as a power of two (2^n). The recommended value is 4, corresponding to a standard NVM Command Set CQ entry size of 16 bytes. Controllers that implement proprietary extensions may support a larger value.	
			Bits 3:0 define the required Completion Queue entry size when using the NVM Command Set. This is the minimum entry size that may be used. The value is in bytes and is reported as a power of two (2^n). The required value shall be 4, corresponding to 16.	
515:514	M	Maximum Outstanding Commands (MAXCMD)	Indicates the maximum number of commands that the controller processes at one time for a particular queue (which may be larger than the size of the corresponding Submission Queue). The host may use this value to size Completion Queues and optimize the number of commands submitted at one time to a particular I/O Queue. This field is mandatory for NVMe over Fabrics and optional for NVMe over PCIe implementations. If the field is not used, it shall be cleared to 0x0.	0x0
519:516	M	Number of Namespaces (NN)	This field defines the number of valid namespaces present for the controller. Namespaces shall be allocated in order (starting with 1) and packed sequentially.	0x6F (960GB: 111d) 0x80 (1.92TB, 3.84TB: 128d)
521:520	M	Optional NVM Command Support (ONCS)	This field indicates the optional NVM commands supported by the controller.	0x4E
			Bits 15:7 are reserved.	
			Bit 6 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Timestamp feature. If cleared to '0', then the controller does not support the Timestamp feature.	0
			Bit 5 if set to '1' then the controller supports reservations. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support reservations. If the controller supports reservations, then it shall support the following commands associated with reservations: Reservation Report, Reservation Register, Reservation Acquire, and Reservation Release.	0
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
			Bit 4 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Save field in the Set Features command and the Select field in the Get Features command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Save field in the Set Features command and the Select field in the Get Features command.	0
			Bit 3 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Write Zeroes command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Write Zeroes command.	1
			Bit 2 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Dataset Management command.	1
			If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Dataset Management command.	
			Bit 1 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Write Uncorrectable command.	1
			If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Write Uncorrectable command.	
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Compare command. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Compare command.	0
523:522	M	Fused Operation Support (FUSES)	This field indicates the fused operations that the controller supports.	0x00
			Bits 15:1 are reserved.	
			Bit 0 if set to '1' then the controller supports the Compare and Write fused operation. If cleared to '0' then the controller does not support the Compare and Write fused operation. Compare shall be the first command in the sequence.	
524	M	Format NVM Attributes (FNA)	This field indicates attributes for the Format NVM command.	0x04
			Bits 7:3 are reserved.	
			Bit 2 indicates whether cryptographic erase is supported as part of the secure erase functionality. If set to '1', then cryptographic erase is supported. If cleared to '0', then cryptographic erase is not supported.	1
			Bit 1 indicates whether secure erase functionality applies to all namespaces or is specific to a particular namespace. If set to '1', then a secure erase of a particular namespace as part of a format results in a secure erase of all namespaces. If cleared to '0', then a secure erase as part of a format is performed on a per namespace basis.	0
			Bit 0 indicates whether the format operation applies to all namespaces or is specific to a particular namespace. If set to '1', then all namespaces shall be configured with the same attributes and a format of any namespace results in a format of all namespaces. If cleared to '0', then the controller supports format on a per namespace basis.	0
525	M	Volatile Write Cache (VWC)	This field indicates attributes related to the presence of a volatile write cache in the implementation.	0x00
			Bits 7:1 are reserved.	
			Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that a volatile write cache is present. If cleared to '0', a volatile write cache is not present. If a volatile write cache is present, then the host may issue Flush commands and control whether it is enabled with Set Features specifying the	
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
			Volatile Write Cache feature identifier. If a volatile write cache is not present, the host shall not issue Flush commands nor Set Features or Get Features with the Volatile Write Cache identifier.	
527:526	M	Atomic Write Unit Normal (AWUN)	This field indicates the atomic write size for the controller during normal operation. This field is specified in logical blocks and is a 0's based value. If a write is issued of this size or less, the host is guaranteed that the write is atomic to the NVM with respect to other read or write operations. A value of FFFFh indicates all commands are atomic as this is the largest command size. It is recommended that implementations support a minimum of 128KB (appropriately scaled based on LBA size).	0x00
529:528	M	Atomic Write Unit Power Fail (AWUPF)	This field indicates the atomic write size for the controller during a power fail condition. This field is specified in logical blocks and is a 0's based value. If a write is issued of this size or less, the host is guaranteed that the write is atomic to the NVM with respect to other read or write operations.	0x00
530	M	NVM Vendor Specific Command Configuration (NVSCC)	This field indicates the configuration settings for NVM Vendor Specific command handling.	0x00
			Bits 7:1 are reserved.	
			Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that all NVM Vendor Specific Commands use the format defined in Figure 12 of NVMe Spec 1.3c. If cleared to '0' indicates that the format of all NVM Vendor Specific Commands are vendor specific.	0
531	M		Reserved	
533:532	O	Atomic Compare & Write Unit (ACWU)	This field indicates the size of the write operation guaranteed to be written atomically to the NVM across all namespaces with any supported namespace format for a Compare and Write fused operation. If a specific namespace guarantees a larger size than is reported in this field, then this namespace specific size is reported in the NACWU field in the Identify Namespace data structure.	0x00
			This field shall be supported if the Compare and Write fused command is supported.	
			This field is specified in logical blocks and is a 0's based value. If a Compare and Write is submitted that requests a transfer size larger than this value, then the controller may fail the command with a status code of Invalid Field in Command. If Compare and Write is not a supported fused command, then this field shall be 0h.	
535:534	M		Reserved	
539:536	O	SGL Support (SGLS)	This field indicates if SGLs are supported for the NVM Command Set and the particular SGL types supported.	0xD0002
			Bits[31:21] Reserved	
			Bit 20: If set to '1', then the controller supports the Address field in SGL Data Block, SGL Segment, and SGL Last Segment descriptor types specifying an offset. If cleared to '0' then the Address field specifying an offset is not supported.	0
			Bit 19: If set to '1', then use of a Metadata Pointer (MPTR) that contains an address of an SGL segment containing exactly one SGL Descriptor that is Qword aligned is supported. If cleared to '0', then use of a MPTR containing an SGL Descriptor is not supported.	0
			Bit 18 If set to '1', then the controller supports commands that contain a data or metadata SGL of a length larger than the amount of data to be transferred. If cleared to '0', then the SGL length shall be equal to the amount of data to be transferred.	0
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
			Bit 17 If set to '1', then use of a byte aligned contiguous physical buffer of metadata (the Metadata Pointer field in Figure 11 of NVMe Spec 1.3c) is supported. If cleared to '0', then use of a byte aligned contiguous physical buffer of metadata is not supported.	0
			Bit 16 If set to '1', then the SGL Bit Bucket descriptor is supported. If cleared to '0', then the SGL Bit Bucket descriptor is not supported.	0
			Bit[15:3] Reserved	
			Bit 2: If set to '1', then the controller supports the Keyed SGL Data Blockdescriptor. If cleared to '0', then the controller does not support the Keyed SGL Data Block descriptor.	0
			This field is used to determine the SGL support for the NVM Command Set. Valid values are shown below. Bit [1:0] 00b: SGLs not supported 01b: SGLs are supported. There is no alignment nor granularity requirement for Data Blocks 10b: SGLs are supported. There is a Dword alignment and granularity requirement for Data Blocks (refer to section 4.4). 11b: Reserved	00
767:540	M		Reserved	
1023:768	M	NVM Subsystem NVMe Qualified Name (SUBNQN)	This field specifies the NVM Subsystem NVMe Qualified Name as a UTF-8 null-terminated string.	Varies
1791:1024			Reserved	
2047:1792			Refer to the NVMe over Fabric specification.	
Power State Descriptors				
2079:2048	M	Power State 0 Descriptor (PSD0)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 0.	Data Structure in Table 50 on page 60
2111:2080	O	Power State 1 Descriptor (PSD1)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 1.	
2143:2112	O	Power State 2 Descriptor (PSD2)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 2.	
2175:2144	O	Power State 3 Descriptor (PSD3)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 3.	
2207:2176	O	Power State 4 Descriptor (PSD4)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 4.	
2239:2208	O	Power State 5 Descriptor (PSD5)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 5.	
2271:2240	O	Power State 6 Descriptor (PSD6)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 6.	
2303:2272	O	Power State 7 Descriptor (PSD7)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 7.	
2335:2304	O	Power State 8 Descriptor (PSD8)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 8.	
2367:2336	O	Power State 9 Descriptor (PSD9)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 9.	
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Bytes	O/M	Title	Description	Expected Value
2399:2368	O	Power State 10 Descriptor (PSD10)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 10.	
2431:2400	O	Power State 11 Descriptor (PSD11)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 11.	
2463:2432	O	Power State 12 Descriptor (PSD12)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 12.	
2495:2464	O	Power State 13 Descriptor (PSD13)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 13.	
2527:2496	O	Power State 14 Descriptor (PSD14)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 14.	
2559:2528	O	Power State 15 Descriptor (PSD15)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 15.	
2591:2560	O	Power State 16 Descriptor (PSD16)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 16.	
2623:2592	O	Power State 17 Descriptor (PSD17)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 17.	
2655:2624	O	Power State 18 Descriptor (PSD18)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 18.	
2687:2656	O	Power State 19 Descriptor (PSD19)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 19.	
2719:2688	O	Power State 20 Descriptor (PSD20)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 20.	
2751:2720	O	Power State 21 Descriptor (PSD21)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 21.	
2783:2752	O	Power State 22 Descriptor (PSD22)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 22.	
2815:2784	O	Power State 23 Descriptor (PSD23)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 23.	
2847:2816	O	Power State 24 Descriptor (PSD24)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 24.	
2879:2848	O	Power State 25 Descriptor (PSD25)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 25.	
2911:2880	O	Power State 26 Descriptor (PSD26)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 26.	
2943:2912	O	Power State 27 Descriptor (PSD27)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 27.	
2975:2944	O	Power State 28 Descriptor (PSD28)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 28.	
3007:2976	O	Power State 29 Descriptor (PSD29)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 29.	
3039:3008	O	Power State 30 Descriptor (PSD30)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 30.	
3071:3040	O	Power State 31 Descriptor (PSD31)	This field indicates the characteristics of power state 31.	

Note: O = Optional. The content of the word is optional

M = Mandatory. The content of the word is mandatory

Table 49: Vendor Specific Data Structure

Vendor Specific			Expected Value
3072	Intel Vendor Specific	Vendor Specific (VS): This range of bytes is allocated for vendor specific usage.	
3073		Auto Detected PCIe Refclk source	varies
3074		Namespace Grow and Shrink support Bits 7:2 are reserved. Bit 1 if set to '1' indicates the controller supports Namespace Shrink operation. If cleared to '0', there is no support for Namespace Shrink operation. Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates the controller supports Namespace Grow operation. If cleared to '0', there is no support for Namespace Grow operation	0x0
3075		Stripe size: Specifies the size of the stripe, value is read only and cannot be changed by SW. The value is in units of the minimum memory page size (CAP.MPSMIN) and is reported as a power of two (2^n) 0: Driver assisted striping not supported by FW 1: 8 KiB of user data (i.e. 16 512 byte or 2 4096 byte and extended sectors) 2 16 KiB of user data (i.e. 32 512 byte or 4 4096 byte and extended sectors) 3: 32 KiB of user data (i.e. 64 512 byte or 8 4096 byte and extended sectors) 4: 64 KiB of user data (i.e. 128 512 byte or 16 4096 byte and extended sectors) 5: 128 KiB of user data (i.e. 256 512 byte or 32 4096 byte and extended sectors)	0x05
3095:3076		Standardized Failure mode String	<variable>
3096		Current PCIe Link Speed field (CLS)	Healthy link would report Gen4 0x04
3097		Negotiated Link Width (NLW)	Healthy link would report 4 lanes 0x04
3098		Bit[31:0] Reserved	N/A
3099		Bit[31:0] Reserved	N/A
3107:3100		VS_BootloaderVersion	0x00
4095:3108		Vendor Specific: This range of bytes is allocated for vendor specific usage	Reserved

Table 50: Power State Descriptors Data Structure

Bytes	Description		Expected Value
255:184	Reserved		
183:182	Active Power Scale (APS): This field indicates the scale for the Active Power field. If an Active Power Workload is reported for a power state, then the Active Power Scale shall also be reported for that power state.		0x00
	Value	Definition	
	00b	Not reported for this power state	

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Bytes	Description		Expected Value
	Value	Definition	
	01b	0.0001 W	
	10b	0.01 W	
	11b	Reserved	
181:179	Reserved		
178:176	Active Power Workload (APW): This field indicates the workload used to calculate maximum power for this power state. This field shall not be "No Workload" unless ACTP is 0000h.		0x00
175:160	Active Power (ACTP): This field indicates the largest average power consumed by the NVM subsystem over a 10 second period in this power state with the workload indicated in the Active Power Workload field. The power in Watts is equal to the value in this field multiplied by the scale indicated in the Active Power Scale field. A value of 0000h indicates Active Power is not reported.		0x00
159:152	Reserved		
151:150	Idle Power Scale (IPS): This field indicates the scale for the Idle Power field.		0x00
	Value	Definition	
	00b	Not reported for this power state	
	01b	0.0001 W	
	10b	0.01 W	
	11b	Reserved	
149:144	Reserved		
143:128	Idle Power (IDL): This field indicates the typical power consumed by the NVM subsystem over 30 seconds in this power state when idle (i.e., there are no pending commands, register accesses, nor background processes). The measurement starts after the NVM subsystem has been idle for 10 seconds. The power in Watts is equal to the value in this field multiplied by the scale indicated in the Idle Power Scale field. A value of 0000h indicates Idle Power is not reported.		0x00
127:125	Reserved		
124:120	Relative Write Latency (RWL): This field indicates the relative write latency associated with this power state. The value in this field shall be less than the number of supported power states (e.g., if the controller supports 16 power states, then valid values are 0 through 15). A lower value means lower write latency.		0x00
119:117	Reserved		
116:112	Relative Write Throughput (RWT): This field indicates the relative write throughput associated with this power state. The value in this field shall be less than the number of supported power states (e.g., if the controller supports 16 power states, then valid values are 0 through 15). A lower value means higher write throughput.		0x00
111:109	Reserved		
108:104	Relative Read Latency (RRL): This field indicates the relative read latency associated with this power state. The value in this field shall be less than the number of supported power states (e.g., if the controller supports 16 power states, then valid values are 0 through 15). A lower value means lower read latency.		0x00
103:101	Reserved		
100:96	Relative Read Throughput (RRT): This field indicates the relative read throughput associated with this power state. The value in this field shall be less than the number of supported power states (e.g., if the controller supports 16 power states, then valid values are 0 through 15). A lower value means higher read throughput.		0x00
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Bytes	Description	Expected Value
95:64	Exit Latency (EXLAT): This field indicates the maximum exit latency in microseconds associated with entering this power state.	0x00
63:32	Entry Latency (ENLAT): This field indicates the maximum entry latency in microseconds associated with entering this power state.	0x00
31:26	Reserved	
25	Non-Operational State (NOPS): This field indicates whether the controller processes I/O commands in this power state. If this field is cleared to '0', then the controller processes I/O commands in this power state. If this field is set to '1', then the controller does not process I/O commands in this power state.	0x00
24	Max Power Scale (MXPS): This field indicates the scale for the Maximum Power field. If this field is cleared to '0', then the scale of the Maximum Power field is in 0.01 Watts. If this field is set to '1', then the scale of the Maximum Power field is in 0.0001 Watts.	0x00
23:16	Reserved	
15:00	Maximum Power (MP): This field indicates the maximum power consumed by the NVM subsystem in this power state. The power in Watts is equal to the value in this field multiplied by the scale specified in the Max Power Scale field.	<variable>

Table 51: Identify Namespace Data Structure

Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific			
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value
7:00	M	Namespace Size (NSZE): This field indicates the total size of the namespace in logical blocks. A namespace of size n consists of LBA 0 through $(n - 1)$. The number of logical blocks is based on the formatted LBA size. This field is undefined prior to the namespace being formatted.	Varies
15:08	M	Namespace Capacity (NCAP): This field indicates the maximum number of logical blocks that may be allocated in the namespace at any point in time. The number of logical blocks is based on the formatted LBA size. This field is undefined prior to the namespace being formatted. This field is used in the case of thin provisioning and reports a value that is smaller than or equal to the Namespace Size. Spare LBAs are not reported as part of this field.	Equal to NSZE if NS is formatted and attached to the controller; Else undefined. Equal to 0 if NS is valid but deleted or detached from controller
		A value of 0h for the Namespace Capacity indicates that the namespace ID is an inactive namespace ID	
		A logical block is allocated when it is written with a Write or Write Uncorrectable command. A logical block may be deallocated using the Dataset Management command, Sanitize, or Write Zeros command.	
23:16	M	Namespace Utilization (NUSE): This field indicates the current number of logical blocks allocated in the namespace. This field is smaller than or equal to the Namespace Capacity. The number of logical blocks is based on the formatted LBA size.	Equal to NSZE
		When using the NVM command set: A logical block is allocated when it is written with a Write or Write Uncorrectable command. A logical block may be deallocated using the Dataset Management command.	
24	M	Namespace Features (NSFEAT): This field defines features of the namespace.	0x0
		Bits 7:4 are reserved.	
		Bit 3 if set to '1' indicates that the non-zero NGUID and non-zero EUI64 fields for this namespace are never reused by the controller. If cleared to '0', then the NGUID and EUI64 values may be reused by the controller for a new namespace created after this namespace is deleted. This bit shall be cleared to '0' if both NGUID and EUI64 fields are cleared to 0h.	0

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Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific			
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value
		Bit 2 if set to '1' indicates that the controller supports the Deallocated or Unwritten Logical Block error for this namespace. If cleared to '0', then the controller does not support the Deallocated or Unwritten Logical Block error for this namespace.	0
		Bit 1 if set to '1' indicates that the fields NAWUN, NAWUPF, and NACWU are defined for this namespace and should be used by the host for this namespace instead of the AWUN, AWUPF, and ACWU fields in the Identify Controller data structure. If cleared to '0', then the controller does not support the fields NAWUN, NAWUPF, and NACWU for this namespace. In this case, the host should use the AWUN, AWUPF, and ACWU fields defined in the Identify Controller data structure in Figure 111 of NVMe Spec 1.3c.	0
		Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports thin provisioning. Specifically, the Namespace Capacity reported may be less than the Namespace Size. When this feature is supported and the Dataset Management command is supported then deallocating LBAs shall be reflected in the Namespace Utilization field. Bit 0 if cleared to '0' indicates that thin provisioning is not supported and the Namespace Size and Namespace Capacity fields report the same value.	0
25	M	Number of LBA Formats (NLBAF): This field defines the number of supported LBA size and metadata size combinations supported by the namespace. LBA formats shall be allocated in order (starting with 0) and packed sequentially. This is a 0's based value. The maximum number of LBA formats that may be indicated as supported is 16. The supported LBA formats are indicated in bytes 128 – 191 in this data structure. The LBA Format fields with an index beyond the value set in this field are invalid and not supported. LBA Formats that are valid, but not currently available may be indicated by setting the LBA Data Size for that LBA Format to 0h.	0x4
		The metadata may be either transferred as part of the LBA (creating an extended LBA which is a larger LBA size that is exposed to the application) or it may be transferred as a separate contiguous buffer of data. The metadata shall not be split between the LBA and a separate metadata buffer.	
		It is recommended that software and controllers transition to an LBA size that is 4KB or larger for ECC efficiency at the controller. If providing metadata, it is recommended that at least 8 bytes are provided per logical block to enable use with end-to-end data protection.	
26	M	Formatted LBA Size (FLBAS): This field indicates the LBA size & metadata size combination that the namespace has been formatted with.	Varies
		Bits 7:5 are reserved.	0
		Bit 4 if set to '1' indicates that the metadata is transferred at the end of the data LBA, creating an extended data LBA. Bit 4 if cleared to '0' indicates that all of the metadata for a command is transferred as a separate contiguous buffer of data.	1 for DIF and 0 for DIX based on Format NS
		Bits 3:0 indicates one of the 16 supported combinations indicated in this data structure. This is a 0's based value.	0, 1, 2, 3, or 4 based on Format
27	M	Metadata Capabilities (MC): This field indicates the capabilities for metadata.	0x3
		Bits 7:2 are reserved.	
		Bit 1 if set to '1' indicates the namespace supports the metadata being transferred as part of a separate buffer that is specified in the Metadata Pointer. Bit 1 if cleared to '0' indicates that the controller does not support the metadata being transferred as part of a separate buffer.	1
		Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the metadata being transferred as part of an extended data LBA. Specifically, the metadata is transferred as part of the data PRP Lists. Bit 0 if cleared to '0' indicates that the namespace does not support the metadata being transferred as part of an extended data LBA.	1
28	M	End-to-end Data Protection Capabilities (DPC): This field indicates the capabilities for the end-to-end data protection feature. Multiple bits may be set in this field. Protection Information is not supported for format with Metadata size > 8 Bytes. Attempt to Format	Varies

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Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific			
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value
		(or create Namespace) to LBA Format 4 (LBA Data Size = 4096 bytes, Metadata Size = 64 bytes) with Protection Information set to non-zero value will fail with command completion status value Ah - Invalid Format.	
		Bits 7:5 are reserved.	
		Bit 4 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports protection information transferred as the last eight bytes of metadata. Bit 4 if cleared to '0' indicates that the namespace does not support protection information transferred as the last eight bytes of metadata.	1
		Bit 3 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports protection information transferred as the first eight bytes of metadata. Bit 3 if cleared to '0' indicates that the namespace does not support protection information transferred as the first eight bytes of metadata.	0
		Bit 2 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports Protection Information Type 3. Bit 2 if cleared to '0' indicates that the namespace does not support Protection Information Type 3.	0
		Bit 1 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports Protection Information Type 2. Bit 1 if cleared to '0' indicates that the namespace does not support Protection Information Type 2.	1
		Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports Protection Information Type 1. Bit 0 if cleared to '0' indicates that the namespace does not support Protection Information Type 1.	0
29	M	End-to-end Data Protection Type Settings (DPS): This field indicates the Type settings for the end-to-end data protection feature.	Varies
		Bits 7:4 are reserved.	
		Bit 3 if set to '1' indicates that the protection information, if enabled, is transferred as the first eight bytes of metadata. Bit 3 if cleared to '0' indicates that the protection information, if enabled, is transferred as the last eight bytes of metadata.	
		Bits 2:0 indicate whether Protection Information is enabled and the type of Protection Information enabled. The values for this field have the following meanings:	
		Value	
		000b (Protection Information is not enabled)	
		001b (Protection Information is enabled, Type 1)	
		010b (Protection Information is enabled, Type 2)	
		011b (Protection Information is enabled, Type 3)	
		100b – 111b (Reserved)	
30	O	Namespace Multi-path I/O and Namespace Sharing Capabilities (NMIC): This field specifies multi-path I/O and namespace sharing capabilities of the namespace. Bits 7:1 are reserved Bit 0: If set to '1' then the namespace may be accessible by two or more controllers in the NVM subsystem (i.e., may be a shared namespace). If cleared to '0' then the namespace is a private namespace and may only be accessed by the controller that returned this namespace data structure.	0x00
31	O	Reservation Capabilities (RESCAP): This field indicates the reservation capabilities of the namespace. A value of 00h in this field indicates that reservations are not supported by this namespace. Bit 7 is reserved	0x00

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Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific				
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value	
		Bit 6 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Exclusive Access – All Registrants reservation type. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Exclusive Access – All Registrants reservation type. Bit 5 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Write Exclusive – All Registrants reservation type. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Write Exclusive – All Registrants reservation type. Bit 4 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Exclusive Access – Registrants Only reservation type. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Exclusive Access – Registrants Only reservation type. Bit 3 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Write Exclusive – Registrants Only reservation type. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Write Exclusive – Registrants Only reservation type. Bit 2 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Exclusive Access reservation type. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Exclusive Access reservation type. Bit 1 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Write Exclusive reservation type. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Write Exclusive reservation type. Bit 0 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Persist Through Power Loss capability. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Persist Through Power Loss Capability.		
32	O	Format Progress Indicator (FPI): If a format operation is in progress, this field indicates the percentage of the namespace that remains to be formatted. Bit 7 if set to '1' indicates that the namespace supports the Format Progress Indicator defined by bits 6:0 in this field. If this bit is cleared to '0', then the namespace does not support the Format Progress Indicator and bits 6:0 in this field shall be cleared to 0h. Bits 6:0 indicate the percentage of the namespace that remains to be formatted (e.g., a value of 25 indicates that 75% of the namespace has been formatted and 25% remains to be formatted). A value of 0 indicates that the namespace is formatted with the format specified by the FLBAS and DPS fields in this data structure.	0x00	
33	O	Deallocate Logical Block Features (DLFEAT): This field indicates information about features that affect deallocating logical blocks for this namespace.	0x19	
		Bits 7:5 are reserved	0	
		Bit 4 if set to '1' indicates that the Guard field for deallocated logical blocks that contain protection information is set to the CRC for the value read from the deallocated logical block and its metadata (excluding protection information). If cleared to '0' indicates that the Guard field for the deallocated logical blocks that contain protection information is set to FFFFh	1	
		Bit 3 if set to '1' indicates that the controller supports the Deallocate bit in the Write Zeros command for this namespace. If set to '0' indicates that the controller does not support the Deallocate bit in the Write Zeros command for this namespace. This bit shall be set to the same value for all namespaces in the NVM subsystem.	1	
		Bits 2:0 indicate the values read from a deallocated logical block and its metadata (excluding protection information). The values for this field have the following meanings:	001b	
		Value		Definition
		000b		Not reported
		001b		All bytes set to 00h
010b	All bytes set to FFh			
010b - 111b	Reserved			

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Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific			
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value
35:34	O	Namespace Atomic Write Unit Normal (NAWUN): This field indicates the namespace specific size of the write operation guaranteed to be written atomically to the NVM during normal operation. A value of 0h indicates that the size for this namespace is the same size as that reported in the AWUN field of the Identify Controller data structure. All other values specify a size in terms of logical blocks using the same encoding as the AWUN field.	0x00
37:36	O	Namespace Atomic Write Unit Power Fail (NAWUPF): This field indicates the namespace specific size of the write operation guaranteed to be written atomically to the NVM during a power fail or error condition. A value of 0h indicates that the size for this namespace is the same size as that reported in the AWUPF field of the Identify Controller data structure. All other values specify a size in terms of logical blocks using the same encoding as the AWUPF field.	0x00
39:38	O	Namespace Atomic Compare & Write Unit (NACWU): This field indicates the namespace specific size of the write operation guaranteed to be written atomically to the NVM for a Compare and Write fused command. A value of 0h indicates that the size for this namespace is the same size as that reported in the ACWU field of the Identify Controller data structure. All other values specify a size in terms of logical blocks using the same encoding as the ACWU field.	0x00
41:40	O	Namespace Atomic Boundary Size Normal (NABSN): This field indicates the atomic boundary size for this namespace for the NAWUN value. This field is specified in logical blocks. Writes to this namespace that cross atomic boundaries are not guaranteed to be atomic to the NVM with respect to other read or write commands. A value of 0h indicates that there are no atomic boundaries for normal write operations. All other values specify a size in terms of logical blocks using the same encoding as the AWUN field.	0x00
43:42	O	Namespace Atomic Boundary Offset (NABO): This field indicates the LBA on this namespace where the first atomic boundary starts. If the NABSN and NABSPF fields are cleared to 0h, then the NABO field shall be cleared to 0h. NABO shall be less than or equal to NABSN and NABSPF.	0x00
45:44	O	Namespace Atomic Boundary Size Power Fail (NABSPF): This field indicates the atomic boundary size for this namespace specific to the Namespace Atomic Write Unit Power Fail value. This field is specified in logical blocks. Writes to this namespace that cross atomic boundaries are not guaranteed to be atomic with respect to other read or write commands and there is no guarantee of data returned on subsequent reads of the associated logical blocks. A value of 0h indicates that there are no atomic boundaries for power fail or error conditions. All other values specify a size in terms of logical blocks using the same encoding as the AWUPF field.	0x00
47:46	O	Namespace Optimal IO Boundary (NOIOB): This field indicates the optimal IO boundary for this namespace. This field is specified in logical blocks. The host should construct read and write commands that do not cross the IO boundary to achieve optimal performance. A value of 0h indicates that no optimal IO boundary is reported.	0x100 (512B) or 0x20 (4096B)
63:48	O	NVM Capacity (NVMCAP): This field indicates the total size of the NVM allocated to this namespace. The value is in bytes. This field shall be supported if Namespace Management and Namespace Attachment commands are supported. Note: This field may not correspond to the logical block size multiplied by the Namespace Size field. Due to thin provisioning or other settings (e.g., endurance), this field may be larger or smaller than the Namespace Size reported.	Varies
103:64		Reserved	
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Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific			
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value
119:104	O	Namespace Globally Unique Identifier (NGUID): This field contains a 128-bit value that is globally unique and assigned to the namespace when the namespace is created. This field remains fixed throughout the life of the namespace and is preserved across namespace and controller operations (e.g., controller reset, namespace format, etc.). This field uses the EUI-64 based 16-byte designator format. Bytes 114:112 contain the 24-bit Organizationally Unique Identifier (OUI) value assigned by the IEEE Registration Authority. Bytes 119:115 contain an extension identifier assigned by the corresponding organization. Bytes 111:104 contain the vendor specific extension identifier assigned by the corresponding organization. See the IEEE EUI-64 guidelines for more information. The controller shall specify a globally unique namespace identifier in this field or the EUI64 field when the namespace is created.	Varies based on WWN & NSID
127:120		IEEE Extended Unique Identifier (EUI64): This field contains a 64-bit IEEE Extended Unique Identifier (EUI-64) that is globally unique and assigned to the namespace when the namespace is created. This field remains fixed throughout the life of the namespace and is preserved across namespace and controller operations (e.g., controller reset, namespace format, etc.). The EUI-64 is a concatenation of a 24-bit or 36-bit Organizationally Unique Identifier (OUI or OUI-36) value assigned by the IEEE Registration Authority and an extension identifier assigned by the corresponding organization. See the IEEE EUI-64 guidelines for more information. The controller shall specify a globally unique namespace identifier in this field or the NGUID field when the namespace is created. If the controller is not able to allocate a globally unique 64-bit identifier then this field shall be cleared to 0h.	Varies based on OUI +WWN+ #times NS is created
131:128	M	LBA Format 0 Support (LBAF0): This field indicates the LBA format 0 that is supported by the controller.	LBA Format Data Structure in Table 52 on page 68
135:132	O	LBA Format 1 Support (LBAF1): This field indicates the LBA format 1 that is supported by the controller.	
139:136	O	LBA Format 2 Support (LBAF2): This field indicates the LBA format 2 that is supported by the controller.	
143:140	O	LBA Format 3 Support (LBAF3): This field indicates the LBA format 3 that is supported by the controller.	
147:144	O	LBA Format 4 Support (LBAF4): This field indicates the LBA format 4 that is supported by the controller.	
151:148	O	LBA Format 5 Support (LBAF5): This field indicates the LBA format 5 that is supported by the controller.	
155:152	O	LBA Format 6 Support (LBAF6): This field indicates the LBA format 6 that is supported by the controller.	
159:156	O	LBA Format 7 Support (LBAF7): This field indicates the LBA format 7 that is supported by the controller.	
163:160	O	LBA Format 8 Support (LBAF8): This field indicates the LBA format 8 that is supported by the controller.	
167:164	O	LBA Format 9 Support (LBAF9): This field indicates the LBA format 9 that is supported by the controller.	
171:168	O	LBA Format 10 Support (LBAF10): This field indicates the LBA format 10 that is supported by the controller.	
175:172	O	LBA Format 11 Support (LBAF11): This field indicates the LBA format 11 that is supported by the controller.	
179:176	O	LBA Format 12 Support (LBAF12): This field indicates the LBA format 12 that is supported by the controller.	
183:180	O	LBA Format 13 Support (LBAF13): This field indicates the LBA format 13 that is supported by the controller.	
continued.			

Identify Namespace Data Structure, NVM Command Set Specific			
Bytes	O/M	Description	Expected Value
187:184	O	LBA Format 14 Support (LBAF14): This field indicates the LBA format 14 that is supported by the controller.	
191:188	O	LBA Format 15 Support (LBAF15): This field indicates the LBA format 15 that is supported by the controller.	
383:192		Reserved	
4095:384	O	Vendor Specific (VS): This range of bytes is allocated for vendor specific usage.	

Note: O = Optional. The content of the word is optional

M = Mandatory. The content of the word is mandatory

Table 52: LBA Format Data Structure

Bits	Description	512B	4096B
31:26	Reserved		
25:24	Relative Performance (RP): This field indicates the relative performance of the LBA format indicated relative to other LBA formats supported by the controller. Depending on the size of the LBA and associated metadata, there may be performance implications. The performance analysis is based on better performance on a queue depth 32 with 4KB read workload. The meanings of the values indicated are included in the following table.		0x02
	Value	Definition	
	00b	Best performance	
	01b	Better performance	
	10b	Good performance	
	11b	Degraded performance	
23:16	LBA Data Size (LBADS): This field indicates the LBA data size supported. The value is reported in terms of a power of two (2^n). A value smaller than 9 (i.e. 512 bytes) is not supported. Note: If the value reported is 0h then the LBA format is not supported / used.		0x0C
15:00	Metadata Size (MS): This field indicates the number of metadata bytes provided per LBA based on the LBA Size indicated. The namespace may support the metadata being transferred as part of an extended data LBA or as part of a separate contiguous buffer. If end-to-end data protection is enabled, then the first eight bytes or last eight bytes of the metadata is the protection information.		0x00

D NVMe Management Interface 1.0a (NVMe MI 1.0a) Supported Command Set

Table 53: NVMe MI 1.0a Supported Command Set

	Features	O/M	Supported
I2C Access	Refer to NVMe MI Basic Specification Appendix A	M	Yes
	VPD Read	M	Yes
MCTP over SMBus	MCTP Command Set Endpoint ID	M	Yes
	MCTP Command Get Endpoint ID	M	Yes
	MCTP Command Get Endpoint UUID	M	No
	MCTP Command Get MCTP Version	M	Yes
	MCTP Command Get Message Type	M	Yes
	MCTP Command Prepare for Endpoint Discovery	O	No
	MCTP Command Endpoint Discovery	O	No
	Fairness arbitration	M	No
	MCTP packet timing requirements (DSP0237 Page 32)	O	Yes
MI Commands MCTP over SMBus (from NVMe MI 1.0a specification)	Get Configuration	M	Yes
	Set Configuration	M	Yes
	Controller Health Status Poll	M	Yes
	NVMe Subsystem Health Status Poll	M	Yes
	Read NVMe-MI Data Structure	M	Yes
	VPD Read	M	Yes
	VPD Write	M	Yes
	Reset	O	No
MI Primitives MCTP over SMBus (from NVMe MI 1.0a specification)	Resume	M	Yes
	Abort	M	Yes
	Get State	M	Yes
	Replay	M	Yes
	Pause	M	Yes
Admin Over NVMe-MI MCTP over SMBus (from NVMe MI 1.0a specification)	Set/Get Features	M	Yes
	Get Log Page	M	Yes
	Identify	M	Yes
	Device Self-test	O	Yes
	Firmware Commit	O	Yes
	Firmware Image Download	O	Yes
	Format NVM	O	Yes
	Namespace attach/detach	O	Yes
continued...			

	Features	O/M	Supported
	Namespace management (Create/Delete)	O	Yes
	Sanitize	O	Yes
	Security Receive	O	No
	Security Send	O	No
MetaData MCTP over SMBus (from NVMe MI 1.0a specification)	NVMe Management Enhancement: Identify Controller	M	Yes
	NVMe Management Enhancement: Controller Metadata	M	No
	NVMe Management Enhancement: Namespace Metadata	M	No
PCIe MCTP over SMBus (from NVMe MI 1.0a specification)	PCIe Configuration Write	O	No
	PCIe Configuration Read	O	Yes
	PCIe I/O Read	O	No
	PCIe I/O Write	O	No
	PCIe Memory Write	O	No
	PCIe Memory Read	O	No
Spec 1.0a	NVMe-MI over SMBus	O	Yes
	NVMe-MI over MCTP/VDM/PCIe	O	No
Spec NVMe 1.3c MI 1.1	NVMe Admin Commands over NVMe-MI	O	No

- Notes:**
- O is optional per NVMe MI 1.0a specification
 - M is mandatory per NVMe MI 1.0a specification

E Vital Product Data Structure (0x53)

Each NVM Subsystem with one or more Management Endpoints shall have a FRU Information Device which is compliant with the IPMI Platform Management FRU Information Storage Definition. The VPD shall contain the required elements defined in table below. The size of the VPD is 256 bytes as defined by the IPMI Platform Management FRU Information Storage Definition.

Refer to Appendix A of the NVMe-MI 1.0a Specification on www.nvme.org for Basic Command Management description.

Table 54: Vital Product Data Structure (VPD Elements)

Byte	Name
07:00	Common Header
119:08	Product Info Area
Vendor Specific:120	MultiRecord Info Area
Vendor Specific	Internal Use Area (optional)
Vendor Specific	Chassis Info Area (optional)
Vendor Specific	Board Info Area (optional)

The VPD shall be accessible using the VPD Read command. The entire contents of the VPD may be updated using the VPD Write command.

If the NVM Subsystem has a SMBus/I2C interface, the VPD shall be accessible at the SMBus/I2C address of the FRU Information Device using the access mechanism over I2C as defined in the IPMI Platform Management FRU Information Storage Definition. Updating the VPD by writing to the FRU Information Device directly on SMBus/I2C shall not be supported.

VPD records utilize the Type/Length byte format defined in the IPMI Platform Management FRU Information Storage Definition. Type/Length byte encodings utilized in this specification are summarized in the following table

Table 55: Type/Length Byte Format

Bits	Field Name	Description
7:6	Type Code	Specifies field encoding 11b – Always corresponds to ASCII in this specification
5:0	Number of Data Bytes	Specifies field length 000000b indicates that th field is empty

Table 56: Common Header

Byte	Factory Default	Description
0	01h	IPMI Format Version Number (IPMIVER): This field indicates the IPMI Format Version.
1	00h	Internal Use Area Starting Offset (IUAOFF): This field indicates the starting offset in multiples of 8 bytes for the Internal Use Area. A value of 00h may be used to indicate the Internal Use Area is not present.
2	00h	Chassis Info Area Starting Offset (CIAOFF): This field indicates the starting offset in multiples of 8 bytes for the Chassis Info Area. A value of 00h may be used to indicate the Chassis Info Area is not present.
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Byte	Factory Default	Description
3	00h	Board Info Area Starting Offset (BIAOFF): This field indicates the starting offset in multiples of 8 bytes for the Board Info Area. A value of 00h may be used to indicate the Board Info Area is not present.
4	01h	Product Info Area Starting Offset (PIAOFF): This field indicates the starting offset in multiples of 8 bytes for the Product Info Area.
5	0Fh	MultiRecord Info Area Starting Offset (MRIOFF): This field indicates the starting offset in multiples of 8 bytes for the MultiRecord Info Area.
6	00h	Reserved
7	Impl Spec	Common Header Checksum (CHCHK): Checksum computed over bytes 0 through 6. The checksum is computed by adding the 8-bit value of the bytes modulo 256 and then taking the 2's complement of this sum. When the checksum and the sum of the bytes module 256 are added, the result should be 0h.

Table 57: Product Info Area (Offset 8 Bytes)

Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description
0	01h	IPMI Format Version Number (IPMIVER): This field indicates the IPMI Format Version.
1	0Eh	Product Info Area Length (PALEN): This field indicates the length of the product info area in multiples of 8 bytes. 112 bytes/8 = 14 = 0x0Eh
2	19h	Language Code (LCODE): This field indicates the language used. A value of 19h is used to indicate English.
3	C8h	Manufacturer Name Type/Length (MNTL): This byte indicates the type and length of the Manufacturer Name field.
11:04	Byte[1:0]=SV ID=49h 4Eh Byte[7:2]=O UI_ID=54h 45h 4Ch 00h 00h 00h	Manufacturer Name (MNAME): This field indicates the Manufacturer name in 8-bit ASCII. Unused bytes should be NULL characters. The MNAME value shall correspond to "INTEL" in ASCII padded with 0x00.
12	D8h	Product Name Type/Length (PNTL): This byte indicates the type and length of the Product Name field.
36:13	Impl Spec	Product Name (PNAME): This field indicates the Product name in 8-bit ASCII. Unused bytes should be NULL characters.
37	E8h	Product Part/Model Number Type/Length (PPMNTL): This byte indicates the type and length of the Product Part/Model Number field.
77:38	Varies depending on SKU	Product Part/Model Number (PPMN): This field indicates the Product Part/Model Number in 8-bit ASCII. Unused bytes should be NULL characters.
78	C2h	Product Version Type/Length (PVTL): This byte indicates the type and length of the Product Part/Model Number field.
80:79	31h 00h	Product Version (PVER): This field indicates the Product Version in 8-bit ASCII. Unused bytes should be NULL characters.
81	D4h	Product Serial Number Type/Length (PSNTL): This byte indicates the type and length of the Product Serial Number field.
101:82	Impl Spec	This field should contain the same value as the Model Number (NM) field in the NVMe Identify Controller Data Structure
102	0h	Asset Tag Type/Length (ATTL): This byte indicates the type and length of the Asset Tag field. A value of 00h may be used to indicate an Asset Tag is not present.
103	0h	FRU File ID Type/Length (ATFL): This byte indicates the type and length of the FRU File ID field. A value of 00h may be used to indicate a FRU File ID is not present.
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Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description
104	C1h	End of Record (EOR): A value of C1h in this byte indicates the end of record
110:105		Reserved
111	Impl Spec	Product Info Area (PICHK): Checksum computed over bytes 0 through 110. The checksum is computed by adding the 8-bit value of the bytes modulo 256 and then taking the 2's complement of this sum. When the checksum and the sum of the bytes module 256 are added, the result should be 0h.

Table 58: NVMe MultiRecord Area

Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description																																					
0	0Bh	NVMe Record Type																																					
1	02h	Bit 7 – end of list; record format version = 2h																																					
2	3Bh	Record Length (RLEN): This field indicates the length of the MultiRecord Area in bytes.																																					
3	Impl Spec	Record Checksum: This field is used to give the record data a zero checksum (i.e., the modulo 256 sum of the record data bytes from byte offset 05 through the end of this record plus this checksum byte equals zero)																																					
4	Impl Spec	Header Checksum: This field is used to give the record header a zero checksum (i.e., the modulo 256 sum of the preceding record bytes starting with the first byte of the header plus this checksum byte equals zero.																																					
5	0h	NVMe MultiRecord Area Version Number: This field indicates the version number of this multirecord. This field shall be set to 0h in this version of the specification.																																					
06	11h	Management Endpoint Form Factor (MEFF): This field indicates the form factor of the Management Endpoint.																																					
		Value	Definition	0	Other – unknown	1 – 15	Reserved	16	2.5" Form Factor – unknown	17	2.5" Form Factor – U.2 (SFF-8639) 15mm	18	2.5" Form Factor – U.2 (SFF-8639) 7mm	19 – 31	Reserved	32	CEM add in card – unknown	33	CEM add in card – Low Profile (HHHL)	34	CEM add in card – Standard Height Half Length (FHHL)	35	CEM add in card – Standard Height Full Length (FHFL)	36-47	Reserved	48	M.2 module – unknown	49	M.2 module – 2230	50	M.2 module – 2242	51	M.2 module – 2260	52	M.2 module – 2280	53	M.2 module – 22110	54-63	Reserved
		Value	Definition																																				
		0	Other – unknown																																				
		1 – 15	Reserved																																				
		16	2.5" Form Factor – unknown																																				
		17	2.5" Form Factor – U.2 (SFF-8639) 15mm																																				
		18	2.5" Form Factor – U.2 (SFF-8639) 7mm																																				
		19 – 31	Reserved																																				
		32	CEM add in card – unknown																																				
		33	CEM add in card – Low Profile (HHHL)																																				
		34	CEM add in card – Standard Height Half Length (FHHL)																																				
		35	CEM add in card – Standard Height Full Length (FHFL)																																				
		36-47	Reserved																																				
		48	M.2 module – unknown																																				
		49	M.2 module – 2230																																				
		50	M.2 module – 2242																																				
		51	M.2 module – 2260																																				
		52	M.2 module – 2280																																				
		53	M.2 module – 22110																																				
		54-63	Reserved																																				
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Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description	
		Value	Definition
		64	BGA SSD – unknown
		65	BGA SSD – 16 x 20mm (M.2 Type 1620)
		66	BGA SSD – 16 x 20mm (M.2 Type 1113)
		67-79	Reserved
		80	Enterprise and Datacenter SSD Form Factor – unknown
		81	E1.S Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1006) 5.9mm
		82	E1.S Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1006) 8mm
		83	E1.L Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1007) 9.5mm
		84	E1.L Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1007) 18mm
		85	3" Short Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1008) 7.5mm
		86	3" Short Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1008) 16.8mm
		87	3" Long Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1008) 7.5mm
		88	3" Long Form Factor – (SFF-TA-1008) 16.8mm
		89-239	Reserved
		240-255	Vendor Specific
12:07		Reserved	
13	00h	Initial 1.8V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the initial 1.8V power supply requirements in Watts prior to receiving a Set Slot Power message.	
14	00h	Maximum 1.8V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the maximum 1.8V power supply requirements in Watts. A value of zero indicates that the power supply voltage is not used.	
15	00h	Initial 3.3V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the initial 3.3V power supply requirements in Watts prior to receiving a Set Slot Power message. 00h – U.2, Add-in card 08h – M.2	
16	00h	Maximum 3.3V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the maximum 3.3V power supply requirements in Watts. A value of zero indicates that the power supply voltage is not used.	
17	0h	Reserved	
18	02h	Maximum 3.3Vaux Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the maximum 3.3V power supply requirements in 10 mW units. A value of zero indicates that the power supply voltage is not used.	
19	00h	Initial 5V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the initial 5V power supply requirements in Watts prior to receiving a Set Slot Power message.	
20	00h	Maximum 5V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the maximum 5V power supply requirements in Watts. A value of zero indicates that the power supply voltage is not used.	
21	12h	Initial 12V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the initial 12V power supply requirements in Watts prior to receiving a Set Slot Power message.	
22	19h	Maximum 12V Power Supply Requirements: This field specifies the maximum 12V power supply requirements in Watts. A value of zero indicates that the power supply voltage is not used.	
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Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description
23	19h	Maximum Thermal Load: This field specifies the maximum thermal load from the NVM Subsystem in Watts.
36:24	Same as TNVMCAP	Total NVM Capacity: This field indicates the total NVM capacity of the Management Endpoint in bytes. If the NVM Subsystem supports Namespace Management, then this field should correspond to the value reported in the TNVMCAP field in the NVMe Identify Controller Data structure. A value of 0h may be used to indicate this feature is not supported.
63:37	0h	Reserved

Table 59: NVMe PCIe Port MultiRecord Area

Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description												
0	0Ch	NVMe PCIe Port Record Type ID												
1	82h	Bit 7 – end of list; record format version = 2h												
2	0Bh	Record Length (RLEN): This field indicates the length of the MultiRecord Area in bytes.												
3	Impl Spec	Record Checksum: This field is used to give the record data a zero checksum (i.e., the modulo 256 sum of the record data bytes from byte offset 05 through the end of this record plus this checksum byte equals zero)												
04	Impl Spec	Header Checksum: This field is used to give the record header a zero checksum (i.e., the modulo 256 sum of the preceding record bytes starting with the first byte of the header plus this checksum byte equals zero.												
5	0h	NVMe PCIe Port MultiRecord Area Version Number: This field indicates the version number of this multirecord. This field shall be set to zero in this version of the specification.												
6	(PN) field of PXLCAP	PCIe Port Number: This field contains the PCIe port number. This is the same value as that reported in the Port Number field in the PCIe Link Capabilities Register.												
7	01h	Port Information: This field indicates information about the PCIe Ports in the device. Bits 7 to 1 are reserved. Bit 0, if set to '1' indicates that all PCIe ports within the device have the same capabilities (i.e., the capabilities listed in this structure are consistent across each PCIe port). Single port.												
08	0Fh	PCIe Link Speed: This field indicates a bit vector of link speeds supported by the PCIe port.												
		<table><tr><th>Bit</th><th>Definition</th></tr><tr><td>7:4</td><td>Reserved</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 16.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 8.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.</td></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 5.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.</td></tr><tr><td>0</td><td>Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 2.5 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.</td></tr></table>	Bit	Definition	7:4	Reserved	3	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 16.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.	2	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 8.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.	1	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 5.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.	0	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 2.5 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.
		Bit	Definition											
		7:4	Reserved											
		3	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 16.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.											
		2	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 8.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.											
		1	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 5.0 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.											
0	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports 2.5 GT/s. Otherwise cleared to '0'.													
09	04h	PCIe Maximum Link Width: The maximum PCIe link width for this NVM Subsystem port. This is the expected negotiated link width that the port link trains to if the platform supports it. A Management Controller may compare this value with the PCIe Negotiated Link Width to determine if there has been a PCIe link training issue.												
		<table><tr><th>Value</th><th>Definition</th></tr><tr><td>0</td><td>Reserved</td></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>PCIe x1</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>PCIe x2</td></tr></table>	Value	Definition	0	Reserved	1	PCIe x1	2	PCIe x2				
		Value	Definition											
		0	Reserved											
		1	PCIe x1											
2	PCIe x2													

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Byte Offset	Factory Default	Description	
		Value	Definition
		3	Reserved
		4	PCIe x4
		5-7	Reserved
		8	PCIe x8
		9-11	Reserved
		12	PCIe x12
		13-15	Reserved
		16	PCIe x16
		17-31	Reserved
		32	PCIe x32
		33-255	Reserved
10	0h	MCTP Support: This field contains a bit vector that specifies the level of support for the NVMe Management Interface. Bits 7 to 1 are reserved. Bit 0, if set to '1' indicates that MCTP based management commands are supported on the PCIe port.	
11	Impl Spec	Ref Clk Capability: This field contains a bit vector that specifies the PCIe clocking modes supported by the port.	
		Bit	Definition
		7:4	Reserved
		3	Set to '1' if the device automatically uses RefClk if provided and otherwise uses SRIS. Otherwise cleared to '0'.
		2	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports Separate ReClk with SSC (SRIS). Otherwise cleared to '0'.
		1	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports Separate ReClk with no SSC (SRNS). Otherwise cleared to '0'.
		0	Set to '1' if the PCIe link supports common ReClk. Otherwise cleared to '0'.
15:12	00h	Reserved	

F Out-of-Band Command Response Using SMBus (0x6A)

The SMBus slave address to read Subsystem Management Data is 0x6Ah

Refer to Appendix A of the NVMe-MI 1.0a Specification on www.nvme.org for Basic Command Management description.

Table 60: System Management Data Structure (NVMe-MI Commands)

Command Code	Offset (byte)	Description							
0	00	Length of Status: Indicates number of additional bytes to read before encountering PEC. This value should always be 6 (06h) in implementations of this version of the spec.							
	01	Status Flags (SFLGS): This field indicates the status of Controller 1 in the NVM subsystem. SMBus Arbitration – Bit 7 is set '1' after a SMBus block read is completed all the way to the stop bit without bus contention and cleared to '0' if a SMBus Send Byte FFh is received on this SMBus slave address. Drive Not Ready – Bit 6 is set to '1' when the subsystem cannot process NVMe management commands, and the rest of the transmission may be invalid. If cleared to '0', then the NVM subsystem is fully powered and ready to respond to management commands. This logic level intentionally identifies and prioritizes powered up and ready drives over their powered off neighbors on the same SMBus segment. Drive Functional – Bit 5 is set to '1' to indicate an NVM subsystem is functional. If cleared to '0', then there is an unrecoverable failure in the NVM subsystem and the rest of the transmission may be invalid. Note that this bit may default to '0' after reset and transition to '1' after the NVM Subsystem has completed initialization and this case should not be considered an error. Reset Not Required – Bit 4 is set to '1' to indicate the NVM subsystem does not need a reset to resume normal operation. If cleared to '0' then the NVM subsystem has experienced an error that prevents continued normal operation. A controller reset is required to resume normal operation. Port 0 PCIe Link Active – Bit 3 is set to '1' to indicate the first port's PCIe link is up (i.e., the Data Link Control and Management State Machine is in the DL_Active state). If cleared to '0', then the PCIe link is down. Port 1 PCIe Link Active – Bit 2 is set to '1' to indicate the second port's PCIe link is up. If cleared to '0', then the second port's PCIe link is down or not present. Bits 1-0 shall be set to '1'.							
	02	SMART Warnings: This field shall contain the Critical Warning field (byte 0) of the NVMe SMART / Health Information log. Each bit in this field shall be inverted from the NVMe definition (i.e., the management interface shall indicate a '0' value while the corresponding bit is '1' in the log page). Refer to the NVMe specification for bit definitions. If there are multiple controllers in the NVM subsystem, the management endpoint shall combine the Critical Warning field from every controller such that a bit in this field is: Cleared to '0' if any controller in the subsystem indicates a critical warning for that corresponding bit. Set to '1' if all controllers in the NVM subsystem do not indicate a critical warning for the corresponding bit.							
	03	Composite Temperature (CTemp): This field indicates the current temperature in degrees Celsius. If a temperature value is reported, it should be the same temperature as the Composite Temperature from the SMART log of hottest controller in the NVM subsystem. The reported temperature range is vendor specific, and shall not exceed the range -60 to +127° C. The 8 bit format of the data is shown below. This field should not report a temperature when that is older than 5 seconds. If recent data is not available, the NVMe management endpoint should indicate a value of 80h for this field. <table><tr><th>Value</th><th>Description</th></tr><tr><td>00h-7Eh</td><td>Temperature is measured in degrees Celsius (0° to 126° C)</td></tr><tr><td>7Fh</td><td>127° C or higher</td></tr><tr><td>80h</td><td>No temperature data or temperature data is more than 5 seconds old.</td></tr></table>	Value	Description	00h-7Eh	Temperature is measured in degrees Celsius (0° to 126° C)	7Fh	127° C or higher	80h
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00h-7Eh	Temperature is measured in degrees Celsius (0° to 126° C)								
7Fh	127° C or higher								
80h	No temperature data or temperature data is more than 5 seconds old.								
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Command Code	Offset (byte)	Description	
		Value	Description
		81h	Temperature sensor failure
		82h-C3h	Reserved
		C4	Temperature is -60° C or lower
		C5-FFh	Temperature measured in degrees Celsius is represented in twos complement (-1° to -59° C)
	04	Percentage Drive Life Used (PDLU): Contains a vendor specific estimate of the percentage of NVM subsystem NVM life used based on the actual usage and the manufacturer's prediction of NVM life. If an NVM subsystem has multiple controllers the highest value is returned. A value of 100 indicates that the estimated endurance of the NVM in the NVM subsystem has been consumed, but may not indicate an NVM subsystem failure. The value is allowed to exceed 100. Percentages greater than 254 shall be represented as 255. This value should be updated once per power-on hour and equal the Percentage Used value in the NVMe SMART Health Log Page.	
8	06:05	Reserved: Shall be set to 0000h	
	07	PEC: An 8 bit CRC calculated over the slave address, command code, second slave address and returned data. Algorithm is in SMBus Specifications.	
	08	Length of identification: Indicates number of additional bytes to read before encountering PEC. This value should always be 22 (16h) in implementations of this version of the spec.	
	10:09	Vendor ID: The 2 byte vendor ID, assigned by the PCI SIG. Should match VID in the Identify Controller command response. MSB is transmitted first.	
32+	30:11	Serial Number: 20 characters that match the serial number in the NVMe Identify Controller command response. First character is transmitted first	
	31	PEC: An 8 bit CRC calculated over the slave address, command code, second slave address and returned data. Algorithm is in SMBus Specifications.	
32+	255:32	Vendor Specific – This data structure shall not exceed the maximum read length of 255 specified in the SMBus version 3 specification. Preferably length is not greater than 32 for compatibility with SMBus 2.0, additional blocks shall be on 8 byte boundaries.	

G Out-of-Band Command Response Using SMBus (0x6A Intel Specific)

Table 61: Command Response 0x6A (Intel Specific Vendor Unique Commands)

Command Code	Offset (byte)	Description	Expected Value
32	32	Length of Intel Corporation's Block: shall be E1h until this spec is updated	1Eh
	33	Reserved	00h
	34	Power Measurement: Value = 0xff if not implemented or not functional	
	35	WCTEMP: Minimum Composite Temperature field value in Celsius that indicates an overheating condition during which controller operation continues	70
	36	CCTEMP: This field indicates the minimum Composite Temperature field value that indicates a critical overheating condition.	73
	38:37	Reserved	00h
	46:39	Firmware Version: 8 characters, ASCII representation	Varies per firmware release version. FW Revision (FR) from Identify Controller.
	54:47	Bootloader Version: 8 characters, ASCII representation	Varies per firmware release version
	62:55	Worldwide Number: Unique 8 Byte of WWN; factory programmed. This field matches Upper and Lower bytes of DSN register in PCIe space	Varies
	63	PEC: An 8 bit CRC calculated over the slave address, command code, second slave address and returned data. Algorithm is in SMBus Specifications.	Varies
64	64	Length of Status: Indicates number of additional bytes to read before encountering PEC. This value should always be 6 (06h) in implementations of this version of the spec.	
	65	Status Flags (SFLGS): This field indicates the status of Controller 2 in the NVM subsystem. SMBus Arbitration – Bit 7 is set to '1' after a SMBus block read is completed all the way to the stop bit without bus contention and cleared to '0' if a SMBus Send Byte FFh is received on this SMBus slave address. Drive Not Ready – Bit 6 is set to '1' when the subsystem cannot process NVMe management commands, and the rest of the transmission may be invalid. If cleared to '0', then the NVM subsystem is fully powered and ready to respond to management commands. This logic level intentionally identifies and prioritizes powered up and ready drives over their powered off neighbors on the same SMBus segment. Drive Functional – Bit 5 is set to '1' to indicate an NVM subsystem is functional. If cleared to '0', then there is an unrecoverable failure in the NVM subsystem and the rest of the transmission may be invalid. Reset Not Required – Bit 4 is set to '1' to indicate the NVM subsystem does not need a reset to resume normal operation. If cleared to '0' then the NVM subsystem has experienced an error that prevents continued normal operation. A controller reset is required to resume normal operation. Port 0 PCIe Link Active – Bit 3 is set to '1' to indicate the first port's PCIe link is up (i.e., the Data Link Control and Management State Machine is in the DL_Active state). If cleared to '0', then the PCIe link is down. Port 1 PCIe Link Active – Bit 2 is set to '1' to indicate the second port's PCIe link is up. If cleared to '0', then the second port's PCIe link is down or not present. Bits 1-0 shall be set to '1'.	Varies

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Command Code	Offset (byte)	Description	Expected Value	
	66	SMART Warnings: This field shall contain the Critical Warning field (byte 0) of the NVMe SMART / Health Information log. Each bit in this field shall be inverted from the NVMe definition (i.e., the management interface shall indicate a '0' value while the corresponding bit is '1' in the log page). Refer to the NVMe specification for bit definitions. If there are multiple controllers in the NVM subsystem, the management endpoint shall combine the Critical Warning field from every controller such that a bit in this field is: Cleared to '0' if any controller in the subsystem indicates a critical warning for that corresponding bit. Set to '1' if all controllers in the NVM subsystem do not indicate a critical warning for the corresponding bit.	Varies	
	67	Composite Temperature (CTemp): This field indicates the current temperature in degrees Celsius. If a temperature value is reported, it should be the same temperature as the Composite Temperature from the SMART log of hottest controller in the NVM subsystem. The reported temperature range is vendor specific, and shall not exceed the range -60 to +127° C. The 8 bit format of the data is shown below. This field should not report a temperature when that is older than 5 seconds. If recent data is not available, the NVMe management endpoint should indicate a value of 80h for this field.	Varies	
		Value		Description
		00h-7Eh		Temperature is measured in degrees Celsius (0° to 126° C)
		7Fh		127° C or higher
		80h		No temperature data or temperature data is more than 5 seconds old.
		81h		Temperature sensor failure
		82h-C3h		Reserved
		C4		Temperature is -60° C or lower
		C5-FFh		Temperature measured in degrees Celsius is represented in twos complement (-1° to -59° C)
	68	Percentage Drive Life Used (PDLU): Contains a vendor specific estimate of the percentage of NVM subsystem NVM life used based on the actual usage and the manufacturer's prediction of NVM life. If an NVM subsystem has multiple controllers the highest value is returned. A value of 100 indicates that the estimated endurance of the NVM in the NVM subsystem has been consumed, but may not indicate an NVM subsystem failure. The value is allowed to exceed 100. Percentages greater than 254 shall be represented as 255. This value should be updated once per power-on hour and equal the Percentage Used value in the NVMe SMART Health Log Page.	Varies	
	70:69	Reserved: Shall be set to 0000h	Varies	
71	PEC: An 8 bit CRC calculated over the slave address, command code, second slave address and returned data. Algorithm is in SMBus Specifications.	Varies		
72+	255:72	Reserved: all bytes cleared to zero, no PEC	Varies	

H Persistent Event Log Events

The values that may be reported in the Event Type field (refer to section 5.14.1.13 of the NVMe 1.4 Specification) of the event header for events in the Persistent Event log are defined in the following table.

Table 62: Persistent Events

Type	Event	NVMe 1.4 Specification Reference Section
00h	Reserved	
01h	SMART / Health Log Snapshot	5.14.1.13.1.1
02h	Firmware Commit	5.14.1.13.1.2
03h	Timestamp Change	5.14.1.13.1.3
04h	Power-on or Reset	5.14.1.13.1.4
05h	NVM Subsystem Hardware Error	5.14.1.13.1.5
06h	Change Namespace	5.14.1.13.1.6
07h	Format NVM Start	5.14.1.13.1.7
08h	Format NVM Completion	5.14.1.13.1.8
09h	Sanitize Start	5.14.1.13.1.9
0Ah	Sanitize Completion	5.14.1.13.1.10

Table 63: SMART / Health Log Snapshot Event Data Format (Event Type 01h)

Bytes	Description
511:0	Event Data: Contains a snapshot of the SMART/Health Information Log data.

Table 64: Firmware Commit Event Data Format (Event Type 02h)

Bytes	Description
07:00	Old Firmware Revision: Contains the firmware revision of the active firmware before this firmware commit event.
15:08	New Firmware Revision: Contains the firmware revision for the firmware that was requested to become active.
16	Firmware Commit Action: Contains the value from the Commit Action field in the Firmware Commit command.
17	Firmware Slot: Contains the value from the Firmware Slot field in the Firmware Commit command.
18	Status Code Type for Firmware Commit Command: Contains the status code type from the completion queue entry for the Firmware Commit command.
19	Status Returned for Firmware Commit Command: Contains the status code from the completion queue entry for the Firmware Commit command.
21:20	Vendor Assigned Firmware Commit Result Code: Contains a vendor specific value that provides more information about the result of the firmware commit. A value of 0h indicates that no vendor assigned firmware commit result code is provided.

Table 65: Timestamp Change Event (Event Type 03h)

Bytes	Description
07:00	Previous Timestamp: Contains a timestamp using the format Timestamp – Data Structure for Get Features as defined in Figure 300 of NVMe Spec 1.4 containing the timestamp for the time immediately before the timestamp was changed (i.e., the old timestamp).
15:08	Milliseconds Since Reset: Contains the time since the last Controller Level Reset reported in milliseconds.

Table 66: Power-on or Reset Event (Event Type 04h)

Bytes	Description
7:0	Firmware Revision: Contains the firmware revision that becomes effective when CC.EN transitions from '0' to '1'.
EL-VSIL-1:8	Reset Information List: Contains a list of one or more Controller Reset Information descriptors (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 218). If virtualization management is not implemented, then the list shall contain a Controller Reset Information descriptor for every controller in the NVM subsystem. If virtualization management is implemented, then the list shall contain a Controller Reset Information descriptor for every primary controller. The Controller Reset Information descriptor is shown in NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 218.

Table 67: NVM Subsystem Hardware Error Event Format (Event Type 05h)

Bytes	Description
1:00	NVM Subsystem Hardware Error Event Code: This field contains a code (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 220) indicating the type of NVM subsystem hardware error that is being reported.
3:02	Reserved
3	Additional Hardware Information: This field contains additional information about the hardware error event indicated in the NVM Subsystem Hardware Error Event Code field (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 220). Where M is the number of bytes of additional hardware error information. This field is omitted if the subsystem hardware error being reported does not contain additional hardware error information.

Table 68: Change Namespace Event Data Format (Event Type 06h)

Bytes	Value
3:00	Namespace Management CDW10: Contains the value from command Dword 10 of the Namespace Management command that initiated the namespace change event (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 264).
7:04	Reserved
15:08	Namespace Size (NSZE): For a create operation, contains the NSZE value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265). For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the NSZE field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved.
31:16:00	Namespace Capacity (NCAP): For a creation operation, contains the NCAP value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265). For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the NCAP field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved.
32	Formatted LBA Size (FLBAS): For a create operation, contains the FLBAS value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265). For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the FLBAS field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved.
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Bytes	Value
33	End-to-end Data Protection Type Settings (DPS): For a create operation, contains the DPS value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265). For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the DPS field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved.
34	Namespace Multi-path I/O and Namespace Sharing Capabilities (NMIC): For a create operation, contains the NMIC value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265). For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the NMIC field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved.
35	Reserved
39:36:00	ANA Group Identifier (ANAGRPID): For a create operation, contains the ANAGRPID value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265), if specified, or contains the ANAGRPID value from the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) after the namespace was created if an ANA Group Identifier was not specified in the command. For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the ANAGRPID field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved. If ANA Groups are not supported, then the ANAGRPID field shall be cleared to 0h.
41:40:00	NVM Set Identifier (NVMSETID): For a create operation, contains the NVMSETID value from the Identify Namespace data structure in the Namespace Management command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 265). For a delete operation that specifies a single namespace this field contains the value from the NVMSETID field of the Identify Namespace data (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) for the namespace being deleted. For a delete operation that specifies all namespaces this field is reserved.
43:42:00	Reserved
47:44:00	Namespace ID (NSID): For a create operation, contains the NSID for the namespace that was created. For a delete operation, contains the NSID from CDW1.NSID (i.e., the NSID for the namespace being deleted or FFFFFFFFh for a delete operation specifying all namespaces)

Table 69: Format NVM Start Event Data Format (Event Type 07h)

Bytes	Description
03:00	Namespace Identifier: Contains the namespace identifier specified in the Format NVM command.
04	Format NVM Attributes (FNA): Contains the value from the identify controller FNA field.
07:05	Reserved
11:08	Format NVM Attributes (FNA): Contains the value from command Dword 10 of the Format NVM command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification figure 328).

Table 70: Format NVM Completion Event Data Format (Event Type 08h)

Bytes	Description
03:00	Namespace Identifier: Contains the namespace identifier specified in the Format NVM command.
04	Smallest Format Progress Indicator: For a Format NVM command that formats a single namespace this field contains the lowest numerical value that was available for reporting in the FPI field of the Identify Namespace data structure (i.e., if the format did not complete successfully and the FPI field is supported then this field contains the percentage of the namespace that remained to be formatted at the time the format NVM command completed, refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 245) during the format operation. For a Format NVM command that formats all namespaces this field shall be cleared to 0h.
05	Format NVM Status: Contains the status of the format operation.

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Bytes	Description	
	Bits	Definition
	7:2	Reserved
	1	Incomplete Format: If set to '1', then the format operation modified one or more LBAs but did not complete successfully. If set to '1', then the Format NVM Error bit shall be set to '1'. If cleared to '0' then the format operation either did not modify any LBAs or the format operation completed successfully.
	0	Format NVM Error: If set to '1', then the format operation did not complete successfully. If cleared to '0', then the format operation completed successfully.
07:06	Completion Information: Contains a vendor specific value that may provide more information about the completion of the format operation (e.g., if the format operation did not complete successfully, then this field may contain a vendor specific code that indicates a vendor specific reason).	
11:08	Status Field: Contains the value that was reported in the status code field for the completion queue entry, if any, for the Format NVM command associated with this event. If no completion queue entry was reported, then this field shall be cleared to 0h.	

Table 71: Sanitize Start Event Data Format (Event Type 09h)

Bytes	Description
03:00	SANICAP: Contains the contents of the SANICAP field from the Identify Controller data structure.
07:04	Sanitize CDW10: Contains the value from command Dword 10 of the Sanitize command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 330).
11:08	Sanitize CDW11: Contains the value from command Dword 11 of the Sanitize command (refer to NVMe 1.4 Specification Figure 331).

Table 72: Sanitize Completion Event Data Format (Event Type 0Ah)

Bytes	Description
1:0	Sanitize Progress: Contains the sanitize progress at the time of this event using the format specified for the SPROG field in the Sanitize Status log page (refer to section NVMe 1.4 Specification 5.14.1.16.2).
3:2	Sanitize Status: Contains the sanitize status for the time of this event using the format specified for the SSTAT field in the Sanitize Status log page. (e.g., the Global Data Erase bit indicates the status at the time of this event).
5:4	Completion Information: Contains a vendor specific value that may provide more information about the completion of the sanitize operation (e.g., if the sanitize operation did not complete successfully, then this field may contain a vendor specific code that indicates a vendor specific reason).
7:6	Reserved

I SCSI Command Translation

Following SCSI commands are supported:

- Inquiry
- Request Sense
- Mode Sense 6,10
- Mode Select 6,10
- Read Capacity 10,16
- Read 6,10,16
- Write 6,10,16
- Report Luns
- Unmap
- Format Unit
- Log Sense
- Security Protocol In/out
- Synchronize Cache 10,16
- Test Unit Ready
- Write Buffer

Note: Refer to NVM Express: SCSI translation reference doc under nvmexpress.org

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J PCIe ID

Table 73: PCIe ID

ID Name	Description	D5-P5530 U.2 15mm	PCIe Register Location	Identify Controller Location	Vital Product Data Location
Vendor ID (VID)	Vendor ID assigned by PCI-SIG	0x8086	PCI Header Offset 00h (bits 15:00)	Bytes 01:00h	Address 3, (size 2B)
Device ID (DID)	Device ID assigned by vendor	0x0B60	PCI Header Offset 00h (bits 31:16)	NA	NA
Subsystem Vendor ID (SVID)	Indicates Sub-system vendor ID	0x8086	PCI Header Offset 2Ch (bits 15:00)	Bytes 03:02h	NA
Subsystem ID (SSID)	Sub-system identifier	0xC008	PCI Header Offset 2Ch (bits 31:16)	NA	NA

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K LED Behavior

There are no LEDs on the drives for the U.2 form factor. The activity GPIO output is routed to Pin11 on the connector for driving an LED on the host system. Activity blink rate is Set Features C9h as described in Section 5.8.3

Activity LED shall be OFF upon drive Shutdown or Not-Ready/Disabled.

Commands over SMBus will not drive any LED activity.

Table 74: LED Behavior

Drive State	Condition	LED Status (Pin 11 status)
Not-Ready (Drive Status)	CSTS.RDY is 0	OFF
Idle	CSTS.RDY is 1	Solid Green (ON) (LED color is defined by the host platform)
IO	Host Outstanding IO count > 0	Blink with blink rate set as 250ms
Admin Command	NVMe Admin Commands	OFF
Format	NVMe Format Command	Blink w/ blink rate set as 250ms
Shutdown	CC.SHN, both Normal and Abrupt Shutdown, or D3 Power State	OFF
Asserted/Fault State	N/A	OFF
Commands over SMBus	CSTS.RDY is 1 (Drive is ready)	Solid Green (ON)
Commands over SMBus	CSTS.RDY is 0 (Drive not ready)	OFF

- Notes:**
1. Blink rate is Set Features C9h as described in Section 5.8.3
 2. When idle, logic level is low (LED Solid On).
 3. During IO activity, pin toggles 250msec high, 250msec low signal