

# **3D NAND Flash**

(KIOXIA BiCS5 3D NAND) / (3D aSLC Mode)

# 2.5" SATA-III SSD

**PHANES-W Series** 

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## **Product Features**

#### **■** Flash IC

- Kioxia **BiCS-5** 3D-TLC, Toggle 3.0
- Kioxia BiCS FLASH™ \*3
- KIOXIA BiCS5 3D-NAND Flash w/aSLC Technology.

### ■ Compatibility

- Compliant with SATA Revision 3.2
- SATA 1.5Gb/s; SATA 3Gb/s & SATA 6Gb/s
- Interface compatible.
- ATA-8 ACS4 command set

#### Additional Capabilities

- S.M.A.R.T.\*1 (Self-Monitoring, Analysis and Reporting Technology) feature set support.
- Native Command Queuing (NCQ) support.
- TRIM maintenance command support.
- Both Static & Dynamic wear-leveling algorithm
- Hardware Low Density Parity Check Code, LDPC support.
- Support bad Block Management
- Support DIPM/HIPM Mode for power saving
- Support UART / GPIO function
- Support of AES 256 & TCG OPAL(Optional)\*4

#### ■ Mechanical

- Standard 2.5" SATA Flash Disk form-factor (7mm)
- SATA 7-pin (data) + 15-pin (power connector) SATA
  Interface
- Dimension: 100.0 mm x 69.9 mm x 7.0 mm.
- Weight: 50.0 g / 1.76 oz.

#### ■ Power Operating Voltage 3.3V(+/-) 5%

- Read Mode: 1,450.0 mW (max.)

- Write Mode: 1,750.0 mW (max.)

- Idle Mode: 210.0 mW (max.)

#### ■ Performance (Maximum value) \*2

Seguential Read: 550.0 MB/sec. (max.) \*2

- Sequential Write: 510.0 MB/sec. (max.) \*2

- 4KB Random Read: 97,000 IOPS. (max.)

- 4KB Random Write: 86,500 IOPS. (max.)

#### Capacity

**3D NAND :** 128GB, 256GB, 512GB, 1TB, 2TB

**3D aSLC:** 64GB, 128GB, 256GB, 512GB

#### ■ Reliability

- **TBW:** (Client workload by JESD-219A)

- **3D NAND :** Up to 3,000 TBW at 2TB Capacity.

- **3D aSLC :** Up to 25,800 TBW at 512GB Capacity.

 ECC: Designed with hardware LDPC ECC engine with hard-decision and soft-decision decoding.

- MTBF: > 3.0 million hours

- **Temperature:** (Operating)

Standard Grade: 0°C ~ +70°C

Wide Temp. Grade: -40°C ~ +85°C

Vibration: 80 Hz to 2000 Hz, 20G, 3 axes.

- **Shock:** 0.5ms, 1500 G, 3 axes.

#### Certifications and Declarations

- Certifications: CE & FCC

- **Declarations**: RoHS & REACH

#### Remarks:

**1.** Support official S.M.A.R.T. Utility.

Sequential performance is based on CrystalDiskMark
 1.1.2 with file size 1000MB

**3. BiCS** means Bit Cost Scalable Technology.

**BiCS FLASH** is a trademark of KIOXIA Corporation.

4. TCG OPAL: Optional (Different F/W); Requires

third-party software management from customer's

system. **AES:** Supported if system BIOS support to Set

AES HDD Password.



## **Order Information**

#### I. Part Number List

♦ APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND & 3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series

Duaduat Diatuus	Grade	Standard grade (0°C ~ 70°C)	Wide Temp. Grade ( -40°C ~ +85°C )
Product Picture	Kioxia BiCS-	S-5 3D-TLC	
	128GB	SR7SF128G-PWCT5(TG)	WR7SF128G-PWIT5(TG)C
	256GB	SR7SF256G-PWCT5(TG)	WR7SF256G-PWIT5(TG)C
<b>0000</b>	512GB	SR7SF512G-PWCT5(TG)	WR7SF512G-PWIT5(TG)C
APRO Co., Ltd. FLASH SSD	1TB	SR7SF001T-PWCT5(TG)	WR7SF001T-PWIT5(TG)C
	2ТВ	SR7SF002T-PWCT5(TG)	WR7SF002T-PWIT5(TG)C
		Kioxia BiCS-5 3L	O-TLC aSLC mode
	64GB	SR7SF064G-PWCT5AS(TG)	WR7SF064G-PWIT5AS(TG)C
128GB		SR7SF128G-PWCT5AS(TG)	WR7SF128G-PWIT5AS(TG)C
	256GB	SR7SF256G-PWCT5AS(TG)	WR7SF256G-PWIT5AS(TG)C
	512GB	SR7SF512G-PWCT5AS(TG)	WR7SF512G-PWIT5AS(TG)C

#### Notes:

C: Special conformal coating treated on whole PCBA which may support industrial grade operating temperature -40°C ~ +85°C

### II. Part Number Decoder:

## X1 X2 X3 X4 X5 X6 X7 X8 X9 - X11 X12 X13 X14 X15 X16 X17 - C

X1 : Grade

**S:** Standard Grade – operating temp.  $0^{\circ}$  C  $\sim$  70  $^{\circ}$  C

**W:** Wide Temp. Grade- operating temp. -40° C  $\sim$  +85 ° C

X2: The material of case

R: Rugged Metal

X3 X4 X5 : Product category

7SF: 2.5" SATA-III SSD w/7mm thickness

X6 X7 X8 X9 : Capacity

 064G:
 64GB
 512G:
 512GB

 128G:
 128GB
 001T:
 1TB

 256G:
 256GB
 002T:
 2TB

X11 : Controller

P: PHANES Solution

X12 : Controller version

A, B, C.....

X13 : Controller Grade

**C**: Commercial grade **I**: Wide Temp. grade

X14 : Flash IC

T: Kioxia NAND Flash IC

X15 X16 X17 : Flash IC grade / Type

5: BiCS-5 3D-NAND Flash IC.

AS: KIOXIA 3D NAND Flash IC w/aSLC Technology.

X18 X19 X20: Reserved for specific requirement

TG: TCG Opal 2.0 & AES 256-bits (Optional)

C: Conformal coating



## **Revision History**

Revision	Description	Date
1.0	Initial release.	2023/11/23
1.1	I: Wide Temp. grade	2024/10/11



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#### 1. Introduction

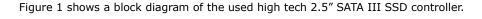
APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series provides high-capacity flash memory Solid State Drive (SSD) that electrically complies with SATA Revision 3.2 standard; APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series support SATA 1.5Gb/s; SATA 3Gb/s & SATA 6Gb/s data transfer rate with high performance.

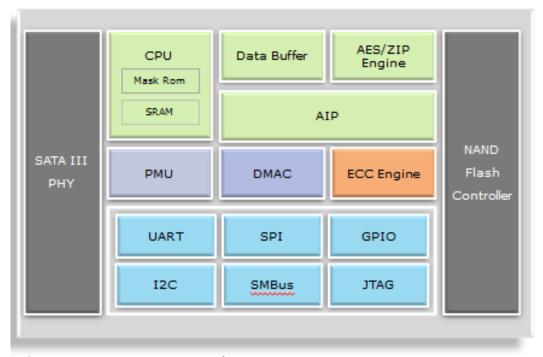
The available disk capacities are from 128GB up to 2TB for **Kioxia BiCS5 3D NAND** solution, the capacities from 64GB to 512GB are the **Kioxia BiCS5 aSLC mode solution**. The operating temperature grade is optional for Standard grade  $0^{\circ}$ C  $\sim 70^{\circ}$ C and Wide Temp. Grade with conformal coating supports -40°C  $\sim +85^{\circ}$ C.

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series is suitable to handheld device embedded system, inventory recorder and particularly for serious environment monitor recorder system. The sequential read speed is 550 MB/sec and sequential write speed is 510 MB/sec which were testing based on **Kioxia BiCS5 3D NAND** solution and the sequential read speed is 545 MB/sec and sequential write speed is 510 MB/se **3D aSLC mode** solution.

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series provides a high-level interface to the host computer. This interface allows a host computer to issue commands to the APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series to read or write blocks of memory. A powerful hardware design is architecture multiplied LDPC (Low Density Parity Check) for Error Correcting Coding (ECC).

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series intelligent controller manages interface protocols, data storage and retrieval as well as ECC, bad block management and diagnostics, power management and clock control.





<sup>\*</sup>PMU: Power Management Unit

<sup>\*</sup>AIP(Analog IP): Voltage Detector/ Regulator/Thermal Sensor/OSC



## 1.1. *Scope*

This document describes features, specifications and installation guide of APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD PHANES-W Series. In the appendix, there provides order information, warranty policy, RMA/DOA procedure for the most convenient reference.

## 1.2. Flash Management Technology - Static & Dynamic Wear Leveling

NAND flash devices can only undergo a limited number of program/erase cycles, and in most cases, the flash media are not used evenly. If some areas get updated more frequently than others, the lifetime of the device would be reduced significantly. Thus, Wear Leveling is applied to extend the lifespan of NAND Flash by evenly distributing write and erase cycles across the media.

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series provides advanced Wear Leveling algorithm, which can efficiently spread out the flash usage through the whole flash media area. Moreover, by implementing both dynamic and static Wear Leveling algorithms, the life expectancy of the NAND flash is greatly improved.

## 1.3. Bad Block Management

#### Early Bad Block

The fault block generated during the manufacturing process of NAND Flash is called Early Bad Block.

#### Later Bad Block

In the process of use, as the number of operations of writing and erasing increases, a fault block is gradually generated, which is called a Latter Bad Block.

**Bad block management** is a management mechanism for a bad block to be detected by the control IC and mark bad blocks in the NAND Flash and improve the reliability of data access. The bad block management mechanism of the control IC will establish a **Bad Block Table** when the NAND Flash is started for the first time, and will also record the errors found in the process of use in the bad block table, and data is ported to new valid blocks to avoid data loss.

In order to detect the initial bad blocks to handle run time bad blocks, APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series provides the **Bad Block Management** scheme. It remaps a bad block to one of the reserved blocks so that the data contained in one bad block is not lost and new data writes on a bad block is avoided.

## 1.4. Error Correcting Coding (ECC)

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series provides a high level interface to the host computer. This interface allows a host computer to issue commands to the APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series to read or write blocks of memory. A powerful hardware design is architecture multiplied LDPC (Low Density Parity Check) for Error Correcting Coding (ECC). APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series intelligent controller manages interface protocols, data storage and retrieval as well as ECC, bad block management and diagnostics, power management and clock control.

#### 1.5. Over-Provision

Over Provisioning refers to the preserving additional area beyond user capacity in a SSD, which is not visible to users and cannot be used by them. However, it allows a SSD controller to utilize additional space for better performance and WAF. With Over Provisioning, the performance and IOPS (Input/Output Operations per Second) are improved by providing the controller additional space to manage P/E cycles, which enhances the reliability and endurance as well. Moreover, the write amplification of the SSD becomes lower when the controller writes data to the flash.



## 1.6. DIPM/HIPM Mode

SATA interfaces contain two low power management states for power saving: Partial and Slumber modes. For Partial mode, the device has to resume to full operation within 10 microseconds, whereas the device will spend 10 milliseconds to become fully operational in the Slumber mode. SATA interfaces allow low power modes to be initiated by Host (HIPM, Host Initiated Power Management) or Device (DIPM, Device Initiated Power Management). As for HIPM, Partial or Slumber mode can be invoked directly by the software. For DIPM, the device will send requests to enter Partial or Slumber mode.

## 1.7. Thermal Throttling

The purpose of thermal throttling is to prevent any components in a SSD from over-heating during read and write operations.

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series is designed with an on-die thermal sensor and with its accuracy; firmware can apply different levels of throttling to achieve the purpose of protection efficiently and proactively via SMART reading.

### 1.8. 3D-NAND Flash

3D NAND is a vertical implementation of the NAND flash cell memory array. The memory cell transistors forming the NAND string are connected in a series vertically and the memory transistors are changed from the floating-gate type to a trapped charge type. In floating-gate technology, die density is increased by shrinking peripheral circuits and active circuits.

With 3D, holding the X/Y dimension of the die constant, die density is increased through multiple layers of the active circuits on the Z axis. Higher-density 3D NAND die enables applications needing high-density NAND chip solutions.

## 1.9. *TCG Opal 2.0*

The Opal specification is a set of specifications for self-encrypting drives published by the Trusted Computing Group (TCG), a non-profit organization that develops, defines, and promotes standards and specifications for secure computing. The Opal Security Subsystem Class(SSC) 2.0 defines the details of data management in storage devices and the classes authority for data access, and secures data from theft and tampering by unauthorized persons who are able to gain access to the storage device or host system.

## 1.9.1. TCG Opal 2.0 Main Features:

- > AES 256-bit Hardware Self Encryption
- > **Deploy Storage Device & Take Ownership:** The Storage Device is integrated into its target system and ownership transferred by setting or changing the Storage Device's owner credential.
- > Activate or Enroll Storage Device: LBA ranges are configured and data encryption and access control credentials (re)generated and/or set on the Storage Device. Access control is configured for LBA range unlocking.
- Lock & Unlock Storage Device: Unlocking of one or more LBA ranges by the host and locking of those ranges under host control via either an explicit lock or implicit lock triggered by a reset event. MBR shadowing provides a mechanism to boot into a secure pre-boot authentication environment to handle device unlocking.
- **Repurpose & End-of-Life:** Erasure of data within one or more.
- Physical Presence SID (PSID): PSID is defined by TCG OPAL as a 32-character string and the purpose is to revert SSD back to its manufacturing setting when the drive is still OPAL-activated. PSID code can be printed on a SSD label when an OPAL-activated SSD supports PSID revert feature.



### 1.10. UBER

Table 1: UBER Calculation.

Capacity	UBER
64GB	
128GB	
256GB	< 1 sector per 10 <sup>16</sup> bits read
512GB	
1TB	
2ТВ	

#### Notes:

- 1. UBER (Uncorrectable Bit Error Rates) means the uncorrectable error per bits read.
- 2. UBER = FER (fail rate)/ Data Size (user data bit)
- 3. FER = uncorrectable ECC frame number / total ECC frame number

### 1.11. MTBF

MTBF, Mean Time Between Failures, is a measure of reliability of a device. Its value represents the average time between a repair and the next failure. The unit of MTBF is in hours. The higher the MTBF value, the higher the reliability of the device.

Our MTBF result is based on simulation software (Relex7.3). Please note that a lower MTBF should be expected for higher capacity drives, and we apply the lowest MTBF for all capacities.

Table 2: MTBF Calculation.

Capacity	МТВБ
64GB	
128GB	
256GB	> 3.0 million hours
512GB	
1TB	
2ТВ	



## 2. Product Specifications

For all the following specifications, values are defined at ambient temperature and nominal supply voltage unless otherwise stated.

## 2.1. System Environmental Specifications

Table 3: Environmental Specification

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD PHANES-W Series		Standard Grade	Wide Temp. Grade	
		SR7SFxxxG-PWCT5(TG)	WR7SFxxxG-PWIT5(TG)C	
Tommovature	Operating:	0°C ~ +70°C	-40°C ~ +85°C	
Temperature	Non-operating:	-20°C ~ +80°C	-40°C ~ +85°C	
Humidity	Operating & Non-operating:	10% ~ 95% non-condensing		
Vibration	Frequency/Acceleration:	80 Hz to 2000 Hz, 20G, 3 axes		
Shock	Operating & Non-operating:	0.5ms, 1500 G, 3 axes		
	Temperature:	24ºC		
Electrostatic	Relative Humidity:	49% (RH)		
Discharge (ESD)	. / 4101	Device functions are affected, but EUT will be back to its normal or		
	+/-4KV:	operational state automatically.		

## 2.2. System Power Requirements

Table 4: Power Requirement

BiCS-5 3D NAND U					Unit: mW	
Capacity	Flash Structure	Read	Write	Partial	Slumber	Idle
64GB	64GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	970	900	65	25	210
128GB	128GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	1,150	1,250	65	25	210
256GB	256GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	1,150	1,350	65	25	210
512GB	256GB x 2, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	1,250	1,600	65	27	210
1TB	256GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	1,350	1,750	65	27	210
2TB	512GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	1,450	1,750	65	27	210
	BiCS-!	5 3D NAND aS	SLC mode			
32GB	64GB x 2, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	1,150	1,100	65	25	175
64GB	128GB x 2, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	1,150	1,150	65	25	175
128GB	256GB x 2, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	1,200	1,150	65	25	175
256GB	256GB x 4, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	1,250	1,150	65	25	175
512GB	512GB x 4, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	1,300	1,250	65	25	175

## Notes:

- > It's average value of power consumption is achieved based on 100% conversion efficiency.
- > Sequential R/W is measured while testing 4000MB sequential R/W 5 times by CrystalDiskMark.
- > Power Consumption may differ according to flash configuration and platform.
- ➤ Measurement environment: Room temperature: 20~25 °C, humidity: 40~60%RH, DC+3.3V condition.



## 2.3. System Performance

Table 5: System Performances

Data Transfer Mode supporting		Serial ATA Gen-III (6.0Gb/s = 768MB/s)			
Conneitue	Flack Churchina	Sequential (MB/s)		4K Random (IOPS)	
Capacity	Flash Structure	Read	Write	Read	Write
		BiCS-5 3D NANI			
128GB	128GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	520	450	42,000	75,000
256GB	256GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	540	485	70,000	80,000
512GB	256GB x 2, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	545	500	85,000	80,000
1TB	256GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	545	510	90,000	80,000
2TB	512GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	545	510	90,000	80,000
	BiCS-5 3D NAND aSLC mode				
64GB	128GB x 2, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	550	485	85,500	84,500
128GB	256GB x 2, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	550	500	96,000	86,000
256GB	256GB x 4, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	550	510	97,500	87,500
512GB	512GB x 4, BiCS5 aSLC, BGA	550	510	97,000	86,500

#### Notes:

- > Performance may differ according to flash configuration and platform.
- > The table above is for reference only.
- > Performance is measured with the follow conditions
- (a) CrystalDiskMark 6.0, 1GB range, QD32T1 for sequential
- (b) IOmeter, QD32T8, 1GB range for 4K Random
- (c) Windows 10 professional (x64), Version 1809
- $\blacktriangleright$  Measurement environment: Room temperature: 20~25  ${\mathcal C}$ , humidity: 40~60%RH, DC+3.3V condition.



## 2.4. System Reliability

Table 6: System Reliability

Wear-leveling Algorithms		Static & Dynamic Wear-leveling		
ECC Technology		Hardware design LDPC (Low Density Parity Check)		
Erase counts		KIOXIA BiCS-5 NAND TLC Flash Cell Level: 3K P/E Cycles		
Capacity	Flash Structure	твw	DWPD	
128GB	128GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	90	0.64	
256GB	256GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	220	0.78	
512GB	256GB x 2, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	540	0.96	
1TB	256GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	1,200	1.07	
2TB	512GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	3,000	1.29	
Erase counts		KIOXIA BiCS-5 aSLC r	node : 30K P/E Cycles	
64GB	128GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	3,000	42.81	
128GB	256GB x 1, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	6,400	45.66	
256GB	256GB x 2, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	13,000	46.37	
512GB	256GB x 4, BiCS5 TLC, BGA	25,800	46.01	

#### Notes:

- > TBW is measured by JEDEC 219A Client workload.
- > TBW may differ according to flash configuration, platform and data written.
- > DWPD (Drive Write Per Day) = TBW / [365 x years x User Capacity(TB)]
- > The endurance of SSD could be estimated based on user behavior, NAND endurance cycles, and write amplification factor.

  It is not guaranteed by flash vendor.

## 2.5. Device Capacity

Table 7: User Capacity and Addressable Sectors

Capacity	512Bytes/Sector Total Sectors (LBA)	4KBytes/Sector Total Sectors (LBA)	User Available Bytes
64GB	125,045,424	15,630,678	64,023,257,088
128GB	250,069,680	31,258,710	128,035,676,160
256GB	500,118,192	62,514,774	256,060,514,304
<b>512GB</b> 1,000,215,216		125,026,902	512,110,190,592
1TB 2,000,409,264		250,051,158	1,024,209,543,168
2TB	4,000,797,360	500,099,670	2,048,408,248,320

### Note:

- User Data Size depended on file management
- > 1 Gigabyte (GB) is equal to 1,000,000,000 Bytes; 1 sector is equal to 512 Bytes or 4K Bytes.
- > The calculation is following IDEMA Standard.
- > The total actual user usable capacity of the SSD may be less than device capacity due to SSD format, SSD partition, operating system.



## 2.6. Physical Specifications

Refer to Table 5 and see Figure 2 for APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series physical specifications and dimensions.

Table 8: Physical Specifications of APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series

Length:	100.0 mm
Width:	69.90 mm
Thickness:	7.0 mm
Weight:	50.0 g / 1.76 oz.

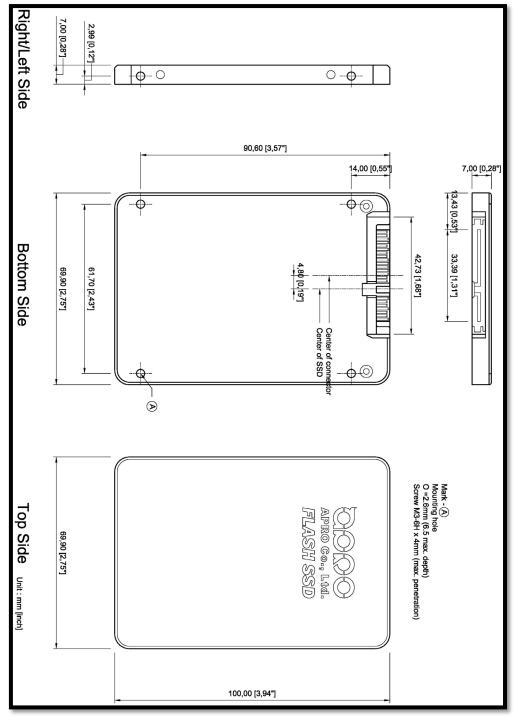


Figure 2: APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD PHANES-W Series Dimension



## 2.7. Conformal coating

Conformal coating is a protective, dielectric coating designed to conform to the surface of an assembled printed circuit board. Commonly used conformal coatings include silicone, acrylic, urethane and epoxy. APRO applies only silicone on APRO storages products upon requested especially by customers. The type of silicone coating features good thermal shock resistance due to flexibility. It is also easy to apply and repair.

Conformal coating offers protection of circuitry from moisture, fungus, dust and corrosion caused by extreme environments. It also prevents damage from those Flash storages handling during construction, installation and use, and reduces mechanical stress on components and protects from thermal shock. The greatest advantage of conformal coating is to allow greater component density due to increased dielectric strength between conductors.

APRO use MIL-I-46058C silicon conformal coating

## 3. Interface Description

#### 3.1. APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD interface

APRO 2.5" SATA III SSD (3D NAND FLASH) PHANES-W Series is equipped with 7 pins in the signal segment and 15 pins in the power segment.

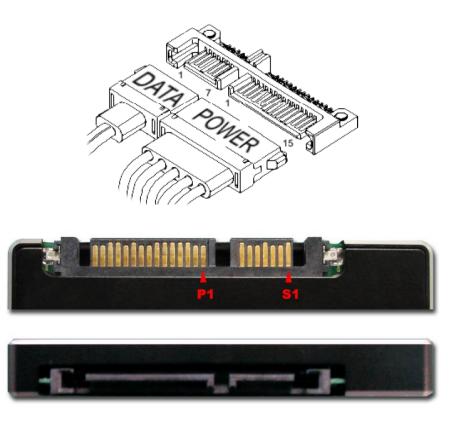


Figure 3: The connectors of Signal Segment and Power Segment



## 3.2. Pin Assignments

There are total of 7 pins in the signal segment and 15 pins in the power segment.

The pin assignments are listed in below table 6.

Name	Туре	Description
S1	GND	NA
S2	A+	Differential Circul Pair A
S3	A-	Differential Signal Pair A
S4	GND	NA
S5	B-	Differential Circul Dair D
S6	B+	Differential Signal Pair B
S7	GND	NA

Key and Spacing separate signal and power segments		
P1	NC	NA
P2	NC	NA
Р3	DEVSLP (Optional)	NA
P4	GND	NA
P5	GND	NA
P6	GND	NA
P7	V5	5V Power, Pre-Charge
P8	V5	5V Power
Р9	V5	5V Power
P10	GND	NA
P11	Reserved	
P12	GND	NA
P13	NC	NA
P14	NC	NA
P15	NC	NA

Table 9 - Pin Assignments



## Appendix A: Limited Warranty

APRO warrants your 2.5" SATA III SSD (BiCS-5 3D NAND/3D aSLC) PHANES-W Series against defects in material and workmanship for the life of the drive. The warranty is void in the case of misuse, accident, alteration, improper installation, misapplication or the result of unauthorized service or repair. The implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose, and all other warranties, expressed or implied, except as set forth in this warranty, shall not apply to the products delivered. In no event shall APRO be liable for any lost profits, lost savings or other incidental or consequential damages arising out of the use of, or inability to use, this product.

#### BEFORE RETURNING PRODUCT, A RETURN MATERIAL AUTHORIZATION (RMA) MUST BE OBTAINED FROM APRO.

Product shall be returned to APRO with shipping prepaid. If the product fails to conform based on customers' purchasing orders, APRO will reimburse customers for the transportation charges incurred.

#### **WARRANTY PERIOD:**

- 3D NAND FLASH (Wide Temp. Grade )
   2 years / Within 3K Erasing Counts
- 3D aSLC (Wide Temp. Grade ) 2 years / Within 30K Erasing Counts

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