Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader

Introducing the Industry's First 2U DLT Autoloader



Hands-free Reliable Unattended Backup

The Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader is a significant advancement in automation innovation; a reassuring extension of the industrystandard DLT technology and a revolutionary development in tape automation.

Users small and large rely on automation because it reduces IT overhead, offers increases in capacity over standalone tape drives, provides random access to several cartridges, and eliminates human intervention, the number one cause of data loss. The Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader provides all of these benefits at a price that is comparable to some stand-alone tape drives! This is an unparalleled value for reliable industry-standard DLT automation.

Rack Optimized for Slim Spaces

Data center space in computer environments is at a premium and has been filling up at an unprecedented rate, resulting in the IT industry moving toward efficient footprints for servers and storage. The Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader is the next step toward greater density in computer environments. The combination of the high capacity provided by the industry's only halfheight DLT tape drive and the new 2U autoloader provides bestof-breed data density when implemented in rack-optimized installations.

Integration and Administration – Made Easy

The Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader uses a menu-driven, easy to operate LCD display to operate the loader. The Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader also features automated cartridge management for import and export of data cartridges. Users are presented with cartridges for export and prompted for import. In addition the optional barcode reader provides inventory of stored data and automated media tracking so that access to stored data is fast and simple.

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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS		
PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATI	ONS	
Drive Type:		Tandberg DLT VS80
Data Capacity Native:		320GB
Data Capacity Compressed (2:1):		640GB*
Sustained Transfer Rate Native:		3.0MB/s
Sustained Transfer Rate Compressed (2:1):		6.0MB/s*
Burst Transfer Rate:		20MB/s
SCSI Interface:		Wide Ultra SCSI-2, Low-Voltage Differential (LVD)
Cartridge Loading:		Single front loading slot (import slot)
Data Compression:		On-board DLZ with variable block size
Data Buffer:		2MB
Access Mode:		Sequential and random cartridge access
Worst Case Dismount Cartridge and Mount		< 25 seconds**
New Cartridge:		
Cartridge Inventory Time with Barcode:		< 25 seconds
Manual Entry of Cartridge to Carousel:		< 5 seconds
Format Specifications		
Recording Format:		168 tracks (84 logical track pairs)
Recording Density:		123Kbpi
Track Density:		336 tpi
Encoding Method:		RLL (1,7) code
Data Compression:		DLZ
Reliability Specifications		
MCBF:		> 250,000 cycles***
MTBF:		> 100,000 hours @ 100% duty cycle
Drive Head Life:		30,000 tape motion hours
Error Rate (Unrecoverable):		1 in 10 ¹⁷ bits
Physical Specifications		
Dimensions:		Width: 41.9 cm (16.5 in); Depth: 60.9 cm (24 in); Height: 8.4 cm (3.34 in)
Rack Height:		2u (8.5 cm / 3.5 in)
Weigth:		< 15 kg (33 lbs)
Configurations:		Tabletop and rackmount
Orientation:		Horizontal
Environmental Limits		
Operating	Temperature: Humidity:	10°C to 40°C (50°F to 104°F) 20 to 80% non-condensing
Non-operating	Temperature: Humidity:	-40°C to 60°C (-40°F to 140°F) 20 to 80%
Power Specifications		
Power Requirements:		96-264 VAC auto-ranging, 47-63Hz
Voltage (DC):		+5V, +12V
Power Consumption:		55W
Media / Format Compatibili	ity	
Tandberg DLTtape™IV:		40 GB native capacity
Tandberg DLT1 Cleaning Tape:		20 uses
Backward Read Compatibility:		DLT1 and DLT 4000 format
Archive Storage:		30 years with less than 5% loss in demagnetization (@ 20°C / 68°F and 40% non-condensing humidity)
Durability:		1,000,000 head passes
Software and Platforms		
See the most recent Tandberg	Data Software Comp	atibility Guide for a complete list of software and platforms compatible with the Tandberg DLT VS Autoloader at

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Actual capacity and transfer rate is highly dependent on data type. Worst case assumes dismount of cartridge into carrier at home position, movement of carrier in position 8 to home position, and mounting of the cartridge; excludes drive take-up of leader. **

*** A cycle is defined as dismount of cartridge from drive into carrier at current position, move 3 carrier positions, mount cartridge into drive.

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