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# HPE 960GB SAS 12G READ INTENSIVE SFF BC PM1643A SSD (P40556- B21)

## Server Solid State Drives



### WHAT'S NEW

- HPE 960 GB, 2 TB, 3.84 TB, 7.68 TB, 15.3 TB SAS 24G Read Intensive SFF, BC, PM6, SSDs
- HPE 960 GB, 1.92 TB, 3.84 TB, 7.68 TB SAS 12G Read Intensive SFF, BC, PM1643, SSDs
- Next Generation of 24Gb SAS-4 SSD interface

### OVERVIEW

Do you need to accelerate the performance of your read intensive applications?

HPE SAS Read Intensive (RI) Solid State Drives (SSDs) deliver enterprise features at an affordable price for applications requiring high read IOPS performance. HPE 12Gb Enterprise SAS RI SSDs transfer data at full duplex (bidirectional) allowing greater I/O bandwidth to alleviate bottlenecks at twice the 6Gb

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- Capable of doubling 12Gb Enterprise SAS SSD performance with future 24Gb SAS controller and server technology enhancements

interface of SATA drives.

HPE 12Gb SAS RI SSDs are best suited for mission-critical enterprise applications requiring a strong blend of high read IOPS and low latency. HPE 12Gb Enterprise SAS RI SSDs are ideal for read caching, social media, web servers and boot/swap workloads.

SAS technology continues to be the interface of choice for many workloads for its reliability and 24x7 operation in the enterprise data center.

HPE SSDs are backed by over 3 million hours of testing and qualification [1] ensuring reliable, high performing drives.

## FEATURES

### **High Performance, Exceptional Reliability, and Efficiency for Faster Business Results**

HPE 12Gb SAS Read Intensive (RI) SSDs are ideal for read caching, social media, web servers and boot/swap.

Achieve high IOPS and lower latency to enhance the performance of your data center.

Maintain data accuracy with full data-path error detection and surprise power loss protection.

Choose from a broad portfolio of enhanced solutions in a wide variety of capacities.

### **HPE 24Gb Enabled SAS SSDs are Capable of 2x the Performance of 12Gb SAS SSDs.**

Next Generation of SAS interface, based on the SAS-4 specification.

HPE 24Gb Enterprise SAS capability relies on a complete ecosystem enablement requiring a 24G SAS controller and updated server infrastructure which is set to launch in 2021.

HPE 24Gb Enterprise SAS SSDs are compatible with 12Gb Enterprise SAS ecosystem



**Technical specifications****HPE 960GB SAS 12G Read Intensive SFF BC  
PM1643a SSD**

<b>Product Number (SKU)</b>	P40556-B21
<b>Lifetime Writes</b>	1,712
<b>Endurance DWPD (Drive Writes Per Day)</b>	1
<b>Read IOPS</b>	Random Read IOPS (4KiB, Q=16)=115,000 Max Random Read IOPS (4KiB)=175,000@Q128
<b>Write IOPS</b>	Random Write IOPS (4KiB, Q=16)=46,000 Max Random Write IOPS (4KiB)=46,000@Q4
<b>Power (Watts)</b>	6.66
<b>Plug Type</b>	Hot Pluggable
<b>Height</b>	15mm
<b>Product Dimensions (metric)</b>	21.92 x 22.86 x 14.61 cm
<b>Weight</b>	0.68 kg
<b>Warranty</b>	HPE Solid State Drives and Add-In Cards have a standard 3/0/0 warranty Customer Self Repair (CSR) subject to maximum usage limitations. Maximum usage limit is the maximum amount of data that can be written to the drive. Drives that have reached this limit will not be eligible for warranty coverage.



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For additional technical information, available models and options, please reference the [QuickSpecs](#)

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[1] HPE Specified Testing: Over 3M hour test quant, derived from a combination of drive qualification test plans, specifically HDDQ spec-supplier responsibility to perform, HDDQ spec-HPE responsibility to perform, Reliability Demonstration Test (RDT) spec, CSI integration test spec, and Pilot test requirements. Tests were conducted in June 2020.

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