

# PCIe 5.0 SSD Storage Platform

for Datacenter Servers and Storage Arrays

## Turnkey Storage Solution with FLASH Controller, Customizable Firmware, and OCP Datacenter NVMe SSD 2.0

FADU's PCIe 5.0 NVMe SSDs are designed to meet the increasing demands placed on next generation Hyperscaler, Hyper-converged, Enterprise, and Edge data centers.

At the heart of FADU's SSDs is an innovative SSD controller architecture that enables ultra-low and consistent latency and virtually eliminates thermal throttling issues. As a result, FADU SSDs deliver industry leading KIOPS/Watt performance while supporting superior QoS.

The FC5161 Controller makes FADU's PCIe 5.0 SSD Platform the first OCP SSD to support FDP, offers 64 Physical functions, reducing the WAF, and improving QoS. FDP allows full random access and the FC5161 is backward compatible with the strong block interface. Its specification leads the industry in lower power and performance with availability ready for data center deployments in 2023.

The SSDs support a variety of features for modern data centers, including hardware-based security, advanced telemetry, visualization functions, data path, and power loss protection. FADU's PCIe 5.0 SSD Platform is based on industry standard specifications including PCIe 5.0 x 4, NVMe 2.0, and OCP Datacenter NVMe SSD 2.0.

Storage Platform  
ECHO

Interface  
PCIe 5.0 x 4

Specifications  
NVMe 2.0 | OCP Datacenter NVMe SSD 2.0

FLASH Controller  
FADU FC5161

SSD Designs  
E1.S | E3.S | U.2 Form Factors  
2TB | 4TB | 8TB | 16TB Capacities

SSD Performance Up To

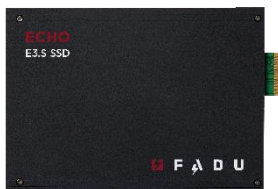
|                  |       |             |
|------------------|-------|-------------|
| Sequential Read  |       | 14,000 MB/s |
| Sequential Write |       | 10,000 MB/s |
| Random Read      |       | 3,200 KIOPS |
| Random Write     | OP 7  | 450 KIOPS   |
|                  | OP 28 | 800 KIOPS   |

SSD Power Consumption  
Active: <20W Idle: <5W

- Benefits
- FADU's PCIe 5.0 SSDs are designed for industry-leading KIOPS/Watt
  - Consistent, low latency for superior Quality of Service (QoS)
  - Leading edge, trusted industry security standards



E1.S



E3.S



U.2



FC5161 Controller

## PCIe 5.0 SSD Specifications

FADU PCIe 5.0 SSDs deliver industry-leading performance at low power for higher sustained QoS at low latency.

| Specifications               | PCIe 5.0 SSDs   |        |         |        | Notes           |
|------------------------------|---|--------|---------|--------|-----------------|
| Interface                    | PCIe 5.0 x 4  |        |         |        |                 |
| NVMe                         | NVMe 2.0  |        |         |        |                 |
| OCP Compliance               | OCP Datacenter NVMe SSD 2.0   |        |         |        |                 |
| Controller                   | FADU FC5161   |        |         |        |                 |
| NAND                         | 3D TLC NAND   |        |         |        |                 |
| Supported Capacity           | 2/4/8/16TB  |        |         |        |                 |
| Form Factor                  | U.2<br>- Enterprise SSD Form Factor   |        |         |        |                 |
|                              | E1.S (5.9mm/9.5mm/15mm/25mm)<br>- Enterprise Datacenter SSD Form Factor (EDSFF) optimized for 1U platforms  |        |         |        |                 |
|                              | E3.S<br>- EDSFF E3 is a family of form factors designed to update and replace the traditional U.2 2.5-inch form factor in servers and storage systems |        |         |        |                 |
| Performance <sup>1)</sup>    |   |        |         |        |                 |
| Capacity (GB) <sup>2)</sup>  | 1,920   | 3,840  | 7,680   | 15,360 |                 |
| Sequential Read (MB/s)       | 14,000  | 14,000 | 14,000  | 14,000 | IO Size = 128KB |
| Sequential Write (MB/s)      | 4,200   | 8,600  | 10,000  | 10,000 |                 |
| Random Read (KIOPS)          | 2,300   | 3,200  | 3,200   | 3,200  | IO Size = 4KB   |
| Random Write (KIOPS) @ OP 7  | 200   | 380    | 450     | 450    |                 |
| Random Write (KIOPS) @ OP 28 | 400   | 700    | 800     | 800    |                 |
| Random Read Latency (μs)     | 55  | 55     | 55      | 55     |                 |
| Random Write Latency (μs)    | 10  | 10     | 10      | 10     |                 |
| Power Consumption            |   |        |         |        |                 |
| Active (W)                   | < 20  |        |         |        |                 |
| Idle (W)                     | < 5   |        |         |        |                 |
| Reliability                  |   |        |         |        |                 |
| MTBF (Hour)                  | 2.5 M   |        |         |        |                 |
| UBER                         | 1 Sector per 10 <sup>17</sup> Read  |        |         |        |                 |
| Retention                    | 3 Months @ 40°C (EOL)   |        |         |        |                 |
| Warranty                     | OP 7  |        | OP 28   |        |                 |
| DWPD                         | 1.0   |        | 3.0     |        |                 |
| Period                       | 5 Years   |        | 5 Years |        |                 |
| Operating Temperature (°C)   | 0 ~ 70  |        |         |        |                 |

<sup>1)</sup> The performance numbers shown in the table depends on the target NAND media and it also includes optimization target numbers and thus subject to change in the actual product due to variable parameters on product configuration.

<sup>2)</sup> Capacity with OP 7

## PCIe 5.0 SSD Security Features

PCIe 5.0 SSDs offer state-of-the-art security features to ensure data integrity in Hyperscaler, Hyper-Converged, Enterprise, and Edge data center storage.

| Security Features                 | Benefit  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Data-path E2E Protection (SECDED) | End-to-end data protection ensures the integrity of data transmission along the entire pathway from the host to the SSD storage medium |
| Internal RAID                     | Supports internal redundant array of independent disks to protect data   |
| Self Encrypting Drive (AES-XTS)   | Self-encrypting drives (SEDs) provide strong data encryption on the fly without performance degradation                                |
| Secure Boot                       | Supports secure boot to prevent malicious software from loading at start up  |
| TCG/TCG OPAL 2.01                 | Supports Trusted Computing Group OPAL standards  |

## PCIe 5.0 SSD Data Center Features

PCIe 5.0 SSDs are designed for streamlined and standardized monitoring and management in scalable data center environments with a high degree of configurability, reducing the total cost of ownership.

| Data Center Features  | Benefit   |
|---|---|
| Multiple Namespaces (NS)                                      | Data center level requirement support (Max 512NS)   |
| SMART / Health Log / Telemetry Log                            | Fully supports all OCP log requirements, providing data center-level monitoring and debugging capabilities    |
| Latency Monitoring Feature                                    | Addresses bottlenecks and performance issues quickly and efficiently  |
| NVMe-MI 1.2/ Vital Product Data (VPD) over SMBus and PCIe VDM | Standardized SSD monitoring system support for enhanced and streamlined maintenance                           |
| Power Loss Protection (PLP)                                   | Ensures data is not lost while the SSD is writing data during a power failure                                 |
| Multiple Sector Size Support                                  | Support for 512 and 4096-byte sectors to satisfy multiple platforms, various workloads, and operating systems |
| Flexible Direct Placement (FDP) Supported                     | FDP can significantly reduce write amplification, which can improve performance and reliability               |