

# Endurastar™ J4K100 and N4K100

2.5-INCH HARD DISK DRIVES

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High-capacity hard drives for extreme environments

## Highlights

- > Industry-leading 100GB capacity optimized for automotive applications
- > High operating altitude range of up to 5500 meters
- > Wide operating temperature range from -30°C to +85°C
- > 5th generation product, based on proven technology
- > PATA and SATA interfaces

## Applications

- > Automotive
- > GPS navigation systems
- > Surveillance applications
- > Industrial applications

## Features and Benefits

	Feature / Function	Benefits
<b>Capacity</b>	100GB maximum capacity	* 25,000 4-minute MP3 songs * 35 movies * 50 interactive games (2GB per game)
<b>Acoustics</b>	Fluid Dynamic Bearing (FDB) motors	Quiet operation
<b>Reliability</b>	-30° C to +85° C operating temperature	Performs well in extreme temperature environments
	High-endurance FDB motor	Supports 24x7 applications
	Shock sensor technology	Cushions the drive in poor shock or vibration conditions
	Perpendicular Magnetic Recording (PMR) technology with Thermal Fly-height Control (TFC)	Improved soft error rate and performance Wide operating range for temperature and altitude
<b>Interface</b>	PATA and SATA	Configuration flexibility

\*Actual storage may vary depending on the compression rate applied.



100, 80 and 40GB | 4200 RPM  
ATA-6 and SATA 1.5Gb/s

## Large capacity, robust features for extreme environments

Hitachi delivers an industry-leading 100GB capacity in its latest Endurastar line of 2.5-inch hard drives designed especially for extreme environments. The Endurastar J4K100 and N4K100 models provide twice the capacity of their predecessors and are built to operate at altitudes of up to 5500 meters. The Endurastar J4K100 is designed for the most severe conditions, with an operating temperature range of -30°C to +85°C. For milder conditions, the Endurastar N4K100 provides an operating temperature range of -20°C to +75°C. The drives are offered in SATA and PATA interface options for design configuration flexibility.

## Right choice for the road

Endurastar hard drives are built to meet the rigors of the automotive environment, including navigation, telematics, in-car entertainment and vehicle relational management. The drives have been designed using a proven 5th generation platform.

## Rugged, durable design

These new Endurastar drives leverage time-proven technologies pioneered on Hitachi hard drives for notebook PCs to deliver quiet acoustics and robust performance. FDB motors provide quiet operation, and Thermal Fly-height Control (TFC) enhances reliability by maintaining more consistent spacing between the read/write head and the disk. Already in use across its other product lines, perpendicular magnetic recording (PMR) technology has been implemented on Endurastar J4K100 and N4K100 to deliver excellent soft error rates for improved reliability and performance under even the harshest environmental conditions. All models come standard with proven shock sensor technology and enhanced humidity absorption for superior reliability.

## Specifications

### Endurastar J4K100

### Endurastar N4K100

Model(s)	HEJ421010G9SA00 HEJ421080G9SA00	HEJ421010G9AT00 HEJ421080G9AT00 HEJ421040G9AT00	HEN421010G9AT00 HEN421080G9AT00 HEN421040G9AT00
Interface	SATA 1.5Gb/s	ATA-6	←
Capacity (GB) <sup>1</sup>	100 / 80	100 / 80 / 40	←
Sector size (variable, Bytes/sector)	512	←	←
Recording zones	24	←	←
Data heads (physical)	2	←	←
Data disks	1	←	←
Max. areal density (Gbits/sq. in.)	172	171	←
<b>Performance</b>			
Data buffer (MB) <sup>2</sup>	8	←	←
Rotational speed (RPM)	4260	←	←
Latency average (ms)	7.04	←	←
Media transfer rate (Mbits/sec, max)	559	554	←
Interface transfer rate (MB/sec, max)	150	100 Ultra DMA mode-5 16.6 PIO mode-4	←
Seek time (read, typical) (avg. ms)	13	←	←
<b>Reliability</b>			
Error rate (non-recoverable)	< 1 per 10 <sup>13</sup> bits transferred	←	←
Load/unload	600,000	←	←
Availability <sup>3</sup> (hrs/day x days/wk)	24x7	←	←
<b>Power</b>			
Requirement	+5 VDC (+/-5%)	←	←
Startup (W, peak, max.) <sup>4</sup>	6.5	←	←
Read/Write (W, avg.)	2.15	←	←
Low power idle (W, avg.)	0.40	←	←
Standby (W, avg.)	0.15	←	←
Sleep (W)	0.1	←	←
<b>Physical size</b>			
z-height (mm)	9.5	←	←
Dimensions (width x depth, mm)	70 x 100	←	←
Weight (g, max.)	97	←	←
<b>Environmental (operating)</b>			
Ambient temperature	-30° to 85° C	←	-20° to 75° C
Altitude (m)	-300 to 5,500	←	-300 to 3,000
Shock (half-sine wave)	250 G (2ms)	←	←
Vibration (sine wave)	Up to 3 G (10-500Hz)	←	←
<b>Environmental (non-operating)</b>			
Ambient temperature	-40° to 95° C	←	←
Altitude (m)	-300 to 15,000	←	←
Shock (half-sine wave)	800 G (1ms)	←	←
Vibration (sine wave)	Up to 5 G (10-500Hz)	←	←
<b>Acoustics (A-weighted sound power)</b>			
Idle (Bels, typ.)	2.4	←	←
Op (Bels, typ.)	3.0	←	←

## Hitachi quality and service

Hitachi Endurastar hard disk drives are designed to the highest quality standards and contain field-proven components. Hitachi provides worldwide technical support and integration services to enable global customers to bring their products to market quickly.

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### How to read the Endurastar model number

HEJ421010G9SA00 = 100GB

H = Hitachi

E = Endurastar

J = J4K100 model (N = N4K100)

42 = 4200 RPM

10 = Full capacity — 100GB

10 = Capacity this model, 10 = 100GB  
(80 = 80GB, 40 = 40GB)

G = Generation code

9 = 9.5mm z-height

SA = Serial interface (AT = ATA interface)

0 = Feature code

0 = Reserved

### Information and Technical Support

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<sup>1</sup> One GB is equal to one billion bytes when referring to hard drive capacity. Accessible capacity may be less.

<sup>2</sup> Portion of buffer capacity used for drive firmware

<sup>3</sup> Intended for less than 20% duty cycle industrial applications and other non-mission critical applications at operational temperature 5°C to 55°C.

<sup>4</sup> Power requirements shown apply to average operating temperatures. For power requirements at low temperatures, see OEM specification at [www.hitachigst.com/support](http://www.hitachigst.com/support).

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