

## **Product Change Notification**

#### **Update Firmware Version for PV210-M280 BiCS3 Products**

Release date: December 31, 2024

#### Dear Valued Customers.

Thank you for your business and continued support for Apacer products. This PCN is being issued to inform you of a firmware version change for PV210-M280 BiCS3 products. Details of the change are provided in the table below. Apacer will provide all necessary support to ensure a seamless transition. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the content of this notification, please contact Apacer sales representatives.

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Action Levels	■ Critical: Immediate change required			
	☐ Warning: Change as soon as possible			
	☐ Recommended: Optional, but suggested			
	☐ Informational: No immediate action required			
Affected Product Model	PV210-M280 BiCS3 products			

#### **Subject of Change**

Update the firmware version for PV210-M280 BiCS3 products

#### **Description of Change**

Apacer has updated the firmware version to PNMB005A/PNMB005B with the following changes:

- 1. Resolved the LAA overflow issue.
- 2. Corrected the head page search behavior after SPOR to address the read UNC issue.
- 3. Fine-tuned the SMART Read Refresh settings.
- 4. Optimized the mapping table building process during SPOR.
- 5. Adjusted the lane flip function to enhance compatibility.

#### **Recommended Action**

Apacer will continue supplying PV210-M280 BiCS3 products with the existing firmware. However, we recommend qualifying these products with the latest version for improved compatibility and support.

#### **Affected Part Numbers**

#### Without TCG Opal

	Existing		New	
	Standard Temperature	Wide Temperature	Standard Temperature	Wide Temperature
240GB	B92.935JGU.00317	B92.935JHU.00317	B92.935JGU.00323	B92.935JHU.00323
480GB	B92.935KGU.00417	B92.935KHU.00417	B92.935KGU.00423	B92.935KHU.00423
960GB	B92.935LGU.00417	B92.935LHU.00417	B92.935LGU.00423	B92.935LHU.00423

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With TCG Opal

	Existing		New	
	Standard Temperature	Wide Temperature	Standard Temperature	Wide Temperature
240GB	B92.A35JGU.00218	B92.A35JHU.00218	B92.A35JGU.00224	B92.A35JHU.00224
480GB	B92.A35KGU.00418	B92.A35KHU.00418	B92.A35KGU.00424	B92.A35KHU.00424
960GB	B92.A35LGU.00418	B92.A35LHU.00418	B92.A35LGU.00424	B92.A35LHU.00424

### Schedule

Sample available date: Ready

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