

Building SSDs for Data Recovery

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- Customer Expectations
 - HDD industry set the standard
 - Customers expectations with SSDs are still the same. No matter how low the AFR is.....
- Building in the ability to extract the data
 - It starts with design
 - Enabling Drive Recovery
 - Substitute FW
 - Using existing infrastructure (Controller)
 - Flash Reader
 - Keeping Recovery services reasonable



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Architectural Hurdles

- Data Formats
 - Meta Data and ECC data structures
 - FTL
- Data Manipulation
 - Encryption
 - Compression
- Erase
 - Secure Erase
 - Trim

Challenges on the Horizon

- More and more security features...Opal
- Different form factors (drive and platform)
- NVM