

SSD Protocol Decodes for PCI Express® 3.0

SSD Decodes Speed Protocol Testing and Product Development!

Key Features

- **See and understand the traffic**
 - Get useful information quickly
 - More choices of data views
 - More ways to analyze data
- **Find errors fast**
 - Displays show specific decodes of SSD protocol traffic
 - Easy-to-understand traffic displays at multiple layers of the protocol
 - Large trace memory
 - Powerful triggering/filtering
- **Accurate data capture**
 - 100% data capture of all PCI Express traffic
 - Supports all SSD data rates for PCI Express
- **The most extensive suite of SSD Protocol Decodes in the PCIe Protocol Test industry**
 - Provides engineers more information quickly to solve problems, reduce development expenses and bring products to market quickly

Teledyne LeCroy's PCIe Protocol Suite supports an extensive library of protocol decodes for virtually all PCIe® applications. These decodes enable Teledyne LeCroy analyzers to display data traffic with meaningful and easy-to-understand displays at multiple levels in the protocol stack, and all protocol decode libraries are included as standard features of every Teledyne LeCroy PCI Express protocol analyzer.



Key features for PCIe Solid-state Device (SSD) developers include libraries of decodes specifically designed for SSD protocols, such as NVM Express, SCSI Express and SATA Express. Teledyne LeCroy rapidly implements changes and improvements in specifications as they are approved. For details on current protocols supported, see the PCIe Protocol Suite Readme file in the Software Downloads section of Support on teledynelecroy.com.

NVM Express

NVM Express (NVMe) is sponsored by the NVM Express Work Group. The NVM Express specification defines an optimized register interface, command set and feature set for PCI Express Solid-State Drives (SSDs). The specification defines a native PCI Express interface that streamlines the interface between host controllers and SSD/drive devices, increasing efficiency and performance in NVM Express devices for Enterprise and Client systems.

SCSI Express

The SCSI Express protocol is sponsored by the INCITS T10's SOP-PQI Working group and the SCSI Trade Association. The protocol is based on the SCSI over PCIe (SOP) host interface specification which enables SCSI initiators communicating to SCSI targets over PCIe through the PQI transfer layer. This new protocol will enable SCSI devices to utilize the faster PCIe transport required to meet the demand in next generation enterprise designs.

SATA Express

The SATA Express protocol is sponsored by the Serial ATA International Organization (SATA-IO). This protocol combines the SATA AHCI software specification with the PCIe host interface. SATA Express enables new devices to be developed that utilize the faster PCIe interface and maintain compatibility with a broad base of existing SATA applications.

The storage industry is developing these technologies for several reasons, including faster data access, increased longevity and reliability, less noise, non-volatile storage, and less maintenance of failing hard drives.



SATA Express

ATA	D	Port	Slot	Protocol	Command	Input	Features	Count	LBA	LBA Ext	Device	7	6	5	4	0-3	
7		0	0	DM	READ DMA EXT		0x0001	0x0001	0x000000	0x000000		0	1	0	0	0x0	000
ATA	D	Port	Slot	Protocol	Command	Input	Features	Count	LBA	LBA Ext	Device	7	6	5	4	0-3	
8		0	0	DM	READ DMA EXT		0x0001	0x0001	0x000000	0x000000		0	1	0	0	0x0	000
AHCI	H	Port	Slot	PxCI	Command Issue	Metrics	# Link & Split Trans	Time Delta	Time Stamp								
539		0			0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0001		1	16.052 us	0023 . 787 089 682 s								
Link Tra	R→	5.0	TLP	Mem	MWr(32)	Length	RequesterID	Tag	Address	1st BE	Last BE	Data					
63188		x1	1881		010:00000	1	000:00:0	0	FA110138	1111	0000	1 dwo					
AHCI	H	Port	Slot	Address	Data Len	CFIS	FIS Type	PMP	C	Command	Features	LBA(7:0)	LBA(15:8)				
544		0	0	00000000:0009EA80	6		Register FIS – H2D	0x0	1	0x25	0x01	0x00	0x00				
AHCI	H	Port	Slot	Address	Data Len	PRDT	DBA	DBAU	Reserved	I	DBC	Metrics	# Link & Split				
545		0	0	00000000:0009EB00	4		0x00067000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0	511		1				
AHCI	D	Port	Slot	Address	Data Len	DATA	Data	Metrics	# Link & Split Trans	Time Delta	Time						
546		0	0	00000000:00067000	128		128 dwords		4	20.240 us	0023 . 787						

NVM Express

NVM Cmd	H	OPC	SQID	CQID	CID	PRP1	PRP2	FID	SEL	WC							
20		Get Features	0x0000	0x0000	0x0011	00000000:00000000	00000000:00000000	Volatile Write Cache	Current	0							
NVM Cmd	D	OPC	SQID	CQID	CID	Data	MPTR	PRP1	PRP2								
21		Read	0x0001	0x0001	0x0003	128 dwords	00000000:00000000	00000002:2DD9B000	00000000:00000000								
NVM	H	Device ID	QID	SQyTDBL	IO SQT QID = 1	MN	Metrics	# Link & Split Trans	Time Delta								
120		006:00:0	0x0001		0x0004	NVMeLeCroy000000		1	165.284 us	0039							
Link Tra	R→	2.5	TLP	Mem	MWr(32)	Length	RequesterID	Tag	Address	1st BE	Last BE	Data					
1927		x1	929		010:00000	1	000:00:0	0	FE201008	1111	0000	1 dwo					
NVM	H	Device ID	QID	CID	Address	IOSQ	OPC	PSDT	FUSE	CID	NSID	MPTR					
121		006:00:0	0x0001	0x0003	00000002:2E0830C0		Read	PRP	Normal operation	0x0003	0x00000001						
NVM	D	Device ID	QID	CID	Address	CMD PRP	Data Len	Data	MN								
122		006:00:0	0x0001	0x0003	00000002:2DD9B000		0x00000080	128 dwords	NVMeLeCroy000000								
NVM	D	Device ID	QID	CID	Address	IOCC	Command Specific	SQHD	SQID	CID	P	ST	Success				
123		006:00:0	0x0001	0x0003	00000002:2E093030		0x00000000	0x0004	0x0001	0x0003	1		Success				

SCSI Express

SCSI	SCSI CDB	OperCode	RDPROTECT	DPO	FUA	FUA_NV	Obsolete	Logical Block Addr	GROUP NUMBER	Transfer Len	CONTR						
7	READ(10)	0x28	0x0	Not set	Not set	Not set	Not set	0x00001234	0x01	1	0x00						
SCSI	SCSI CDB	OperCode	RDPROTECT	DPO	FUA	FUA_NV	Obsolete	Logical Block Addr	GROUP NUMBER	Transfer Len	CONTR						
8	READ(10)	0x28	0x0	Not set	Not set	Not set	Not set	0x00001234	0x01	1	0x00						
SOP	H	Type	Cmp	Rstr	Len	Rsp QID	WA	RQ ID	Data Dir	Partial	Fence	Size	CDB				
16		Lim Cmd	0x0	0x0	0x002C	0x0001	0x0000	0x0003	Data-In	0	0	0x00000010	16 bytes				
PQI	H	IQ ID	Elem	Op IQ IU	Rstr	Rstr	Cmp	Len	Data	Time Delta	Time Stamp						
73		0x0001	0x0008		0x10	0x0	0x0	0x002C	44 bytes	301.520 us	0028 . 365 446 034						
Split Tra	R→	2.5	Mem	MRd(64)	RequesterID	CompleterID	Tag	TC	VC ID	Address							
22		x1		001:00000	000:00:0	000:00:0	10	0	0	00000004:A0010200							
SOP	D	Type	Cmp	Rstr	Len	WA	RQ ID	Nexus ID	Time Delta	Time							
17		Success	0x0	0x0	0x000C	0x0000	0x0003	0x0000	98.828 ms	0028 .							
SCSI	SCSI CDB	OperCode	RDPROTECT	DPO	FUA	FUA_NV	Obsolete	Logical Block Addr	GROUP NUMBER	Transfer Len	CONTR						
9	READ(10)	0x28	0x0	Not set	Not set	Not set	Not set	0x00001234	0x01	1	0x00						

System Compatibility

Summit T3-16	✓
Summit T3-8	✓
Summit T34	✓
Summit T28	✓
Summit T24	✓