

## The High Capacity Toshiba 3.5-inch HDD

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Toshiba launches a 3.5-inch HDD family with multi-terabyte capacities for the consumer market-- with 4 series (12 variant drives in total) offering up to 3TB of storage.



Manufactured using equipment from Western Digital, the drives come in 1.5, 2 and 3TB sizes with 6Gb/s SATA/IF and should be ideal for desktop PCs, external HDDs, digital video drives and TVs with integrated recording functions.

A "silent seek mode" promises more quiet drives, reducing noise by 1-2dB compared to other products.

The line-up should meet diverse needs-- the DT01ACA300, DT01ACA200 and DT01ACA150 offer speeds of up to 7200rpm, while the DT01ACA300V, DT01ACA200V and DT01ACA150V have a streaming function.

Energy-conscious customers are also catered for with models reducing power consumption by 19-25% through lower drive speeds (5700 and 5940rpm).

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