

Standard ECMA-197

Data Interchange on 12,7 mm 112-Track Magnetic Tape Cartridges - DLT2 Format

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This ECMA Standard specifies the physical and magnetic characteristics of a 12,7 mm wide, 112-track magnetic tape cartridge, to enable interchangeability of such cartridges. It also specifies the quality of the recorded signals, a format - called Digital Linear Tape 2 (DLT 2) - and a recording method.

Together with a labelling standard, e.g. Standard [ECMA-13](#) for Magnetic Tape Labelling, it allows full data interchange by means of such magnetic tape cartridges.

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