# Report for Wood's paper: The Feasibility of Magnetic Recording at 10 Terabits Per Square Inch on Conventional Media

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Abstract—This report is purely based on my own comprehension of this paper.

### I. Introduction

In 2000, Wood publishes a paper: The Feasibility of Magnetic Recording at 1 Terabits Per Square Inch [1]. It says, that conventional recording would reach a limit at around 1 Terabit/in<sup>2</sup>.

However, in 2009, he admits [4] the current hard disk drive (HDD) technology is already reaching this limit. Wood is right that to assure continued capacity growth in HDD need alternative technologies: heat-assisted magnetic recording (HAMR) [2] and bit patterned media (BPM) [3].

Toward proof of the concept, the Advanced Storage Technology Consortium (ASTC) [5] released the 2014 roadmap for HDD area density as shown in Fig. 1.

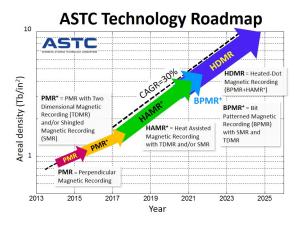


Fig. 1. Data synchronization between two devices

As you can see from Fig. 1, current HDD technology is Perpendicular recording [6].

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## III. CONCLUSION

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