CD-ROM Drive Test Report

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Abstract

CD-ROM drives were connected to an early 2000-era system. The initial test was simply BIOS POST and Linux detection. After boot into Linux, ATA information was extracted with "smartctl" and certain configuration information with "dmesg". Finally, an attempt was made to mount and read the root directory for a CD. Drives with DVD reading capability were in addition tested with a DVD. No tests were done regarding writing capability.

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1 Sony AD-5260S



ATA information:

Vendor: Optiarc

Product: DVD RW AD-5260S

Revision: 1.00

Linux configuration:

ata4.00: ATAPI: Optiarc DVD RW AD-5260S, 1.00, max UDMA/100

ata4.00: configured for UDMA/100

sr1: scsi3-mmc drive: 48x/48x writer cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 3:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr1

2 Plextor PX-716SA



ATA information:

Vendor: PLEXTOR

Product: DVDR PX-716A

Revision: 1.10

Linux configuration:

ata4.00: ATAPI: PLEXTOR DVDR PX-716A, 1.10, max UDMA/66

ata4.00: applying bridge limits
ata4.00: configured for UDMA/66

sr1: scsi3-mmc drive: 125x/94x writer cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 3:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr1

3 Samsung TS-H352



ATA information:

Vendor: TSSTcorp

Product: DVD-ROM TS-H352A

Revision: TS02

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: TSSTcorpDVD-ROM TS-H352A, TS02, max UDMA/33

ata1.00: configured for UDMA/33

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 6x/48x cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

4 HP XJ-HD166S



ATA information:

Vendor: JLMS

Product: XJ-HD166S

Revision: DQS7

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: JLMS XJ-HD166S, DQS7, max UDMA/44

ata1.00: configured for UDMA/44

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 40x/40x cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

5 Sony CRX320A



ATA information:

Vendor: SONY

Product: CD-RW CRX320E

Revision: NYK2

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: SONY CD-RW CRX320E, NYK2, max UDMA/33

ata1.00: configured for UDMA/33

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 62x/62x writer cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

6 Plextor PX-712A



ATA information:

Vendor: PLEXTOR

Product: DVDR PX-712A

Revision: 1.05

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: PLEXTOR DVDR PX-712A, 1.05, max UDMA/33

ata1.00: configured for UDMA/33

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 94x/94x writer cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

Status: Broken (Unable to read DVDs)

7 Toshiba XM-5302B



ATA information:

Vendor: TOSHIBA

Product: CD-ROM XM-5302TA

Revision: 1095

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: TOSHIBA CD-ROM XM-5302TA, 1095, max PIO0, CDB intr

ata1.00: configured for PIO0 (device error ignored)

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 4x/4x xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

8 Creative CR-587-B



ATA information:

Vendor: MATSHITA

Product: CD-ROM CR-587

Revision: 7S13

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: MATSHITA CR-587, 7S13, max MWDMA2

ata1.00: configured for MWDMA2

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 24x/24x cd/rw xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

9 Goldstar CRD-8160B



ATA information:

Vendor: GoldStar

Product: CD-ROM CRD-8160B

Revision: 3.14

Linux configuration:

ata1.00: ATAPI: CRD-8160B, 3.14, max MWDMA2

ata1.00: configured for MWDMA2

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 1x/16x xa/form2 tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

10 Aztech CDA 468-02I



ATA information:

Vendor: AZT
Product: 46802I
Revision: 1.15

Linux configuration:

ata1.00: ATAPI: CDA46802I, F1.15000, max PIO3

atal.00: configured for PIO3 (device error ignored)

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 4x/4x xa/form2 tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

Status: Working (But only reads pressed CDs)

11 Pioneer DR-A12X



ATA information:

Vendor: PIONEER

Product: CD-ROM DR-A12X

Revision: 2.05

Linux configuration:

atal.00: ATAPI: Pioneer CD-ROM ATAPI Model DR-A12X 0100, E1.00A, max

MWDMA2

ata1.00: configured for MWDMA2

sr0: scsi3-mmc drive: 12x/12x xa/form2 cdda tray

sr 0:0:0:0: Attached scsi CD-ROM sr0

Status: Working (When jumpered to "WIN95")

12 Aztech CDA 268-01A



Status: Untested (Has proprietary Aztech interface)

13 Matsushita CR-504-B



Status: Untested (Has 50-pin SCSI interface)

Philips CDD3600/51



Status: Untested (Has 50-pin SCSI interface)