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**PU424F U.3/Gen-Z PCIe Gen 3 for M.2 SSD adapter with
2.5" Housing**

Performance & Burn In Test Rev. 1.0

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1. Overview

PU424F 2.5" Enclosure, providing M.2 M-key connector can be M.2 NVMe SSD converted into U.3 or Gen-Z , PCI-e Gen 3 / 4 Lanes interface.

2. Tools and Results of Performance Measurement

2.1 Test Platform

M/B : GIGABYTE **X570 AORUS MASTER**
CPU : AMD **Ryzen 7, 3700X 8-Core**
Memory : Kingston **KVR26N19D8/16, DDR4-2666MHz, 32GB**(16GB DIMM*2)
ATX Power : COOLER MASTER G750M, **750W ATX**, 12V V2.2 Power Supply
AIC: PE0404 PCIe x4 to Mini SAS HD ADD-in Card
Adapter: PU424F U.3/Gen-Z(SFF-8639) to M.2 NVMe SSD 2.5" Enclosure
Cable: SFF-8643 to U.3(SFF-8639) Cable
OS : Microsoft **Windows 10 64bit OS**

2.2 Test target: PU424F 2.5" Enclosure & [Samsung SM961 512GB NVMe SSD](#)



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2.3 Install Hardware

Inserts M.2 NVMe SSD into PU424F adapter converter's M.2 M-key connector, and then with coppers, and screws to fix SSDs. (Please refer to the Installation Notes). Connects PU424F converter to PE0404 adapter(PCI-e 4-lane to Mini SAS HD SFF-8643) using SFF-8643 to U.3(SFF-8639) cable and Plugs PE0404 into GIGABYTE **X570 AORUS MASTER**

2.4 BIOS & Windows 10 OS environment setup

- 2.4.1 Primary SATA SSD installed Windows 10 OS.
- 2.4.2 M.2 NVMe SSD, formatted to NTFS Mode. Don't install any program.

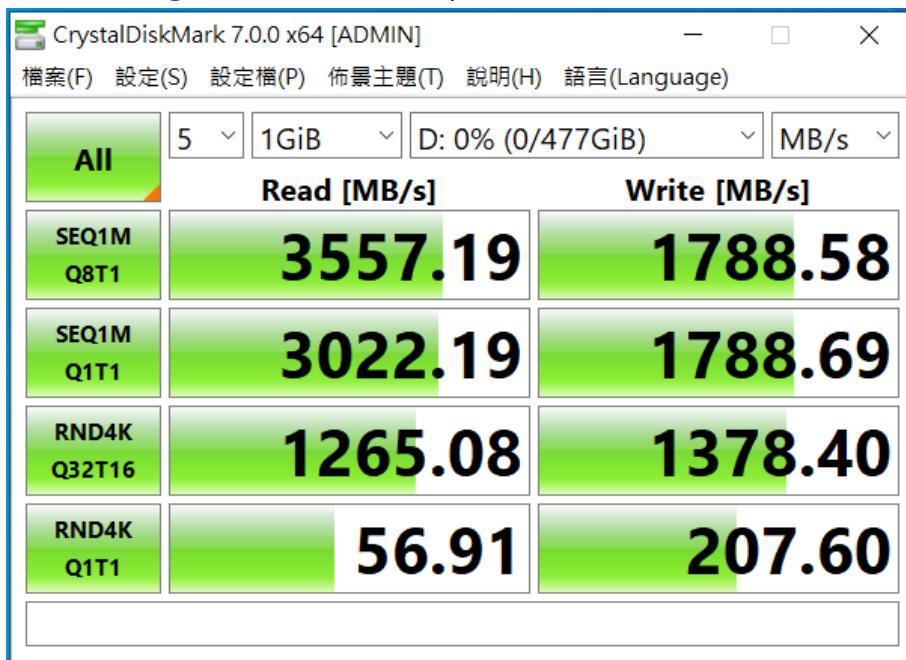


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2.5 CrystalDiskMark 7.0 x64 performance test

※Benchmark (Sequential Read & Write / default = 1MB)

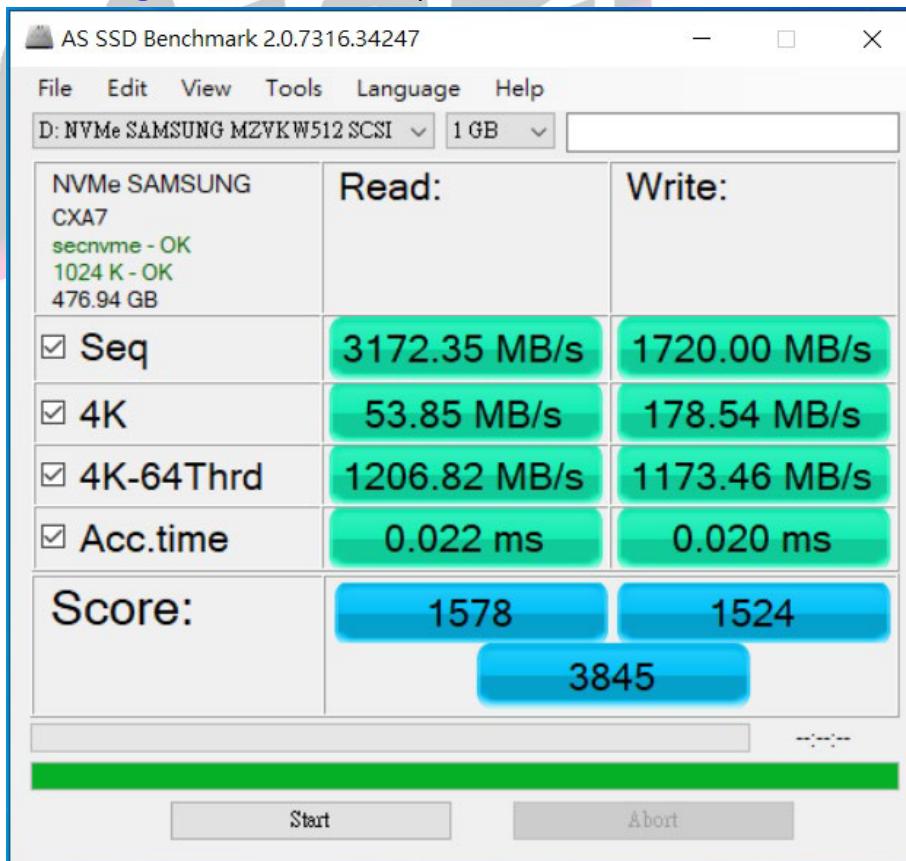
2.5.1 [Samsung SM961 M.2/512GB](#) performance as below:



2.6 AS SSD Benchmark 2.0.7 performance test

※Benchmark (Read & Write by MB/s, default block size = 16MB)

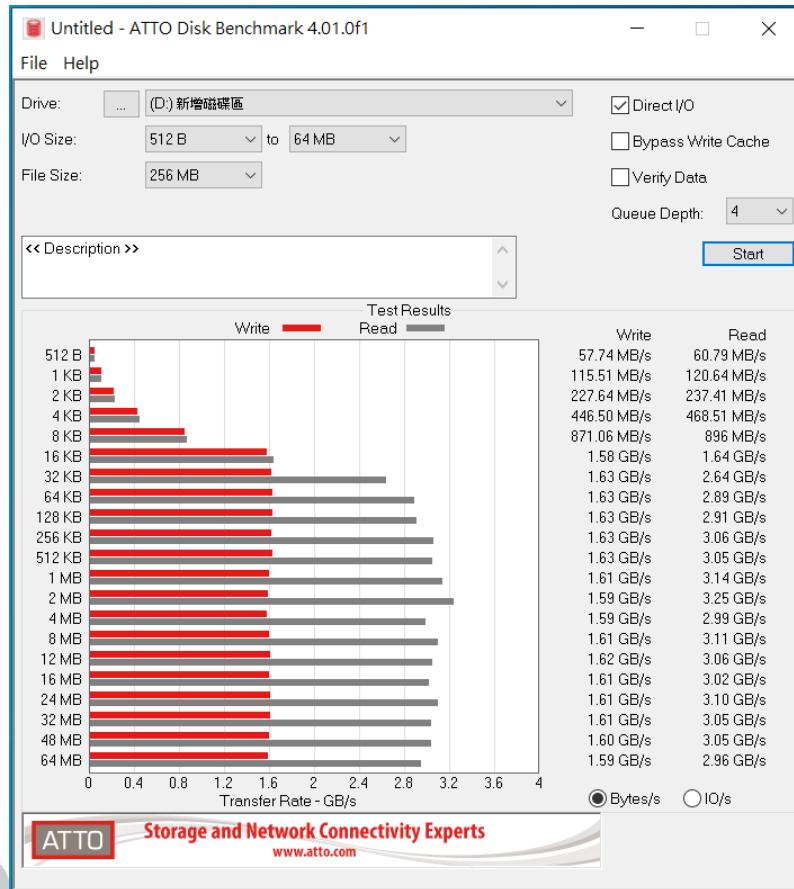
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2.7 ATTO Disk Benchamrk 4.01 performance test

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2.8 AnvilBenchmark_V110_B337

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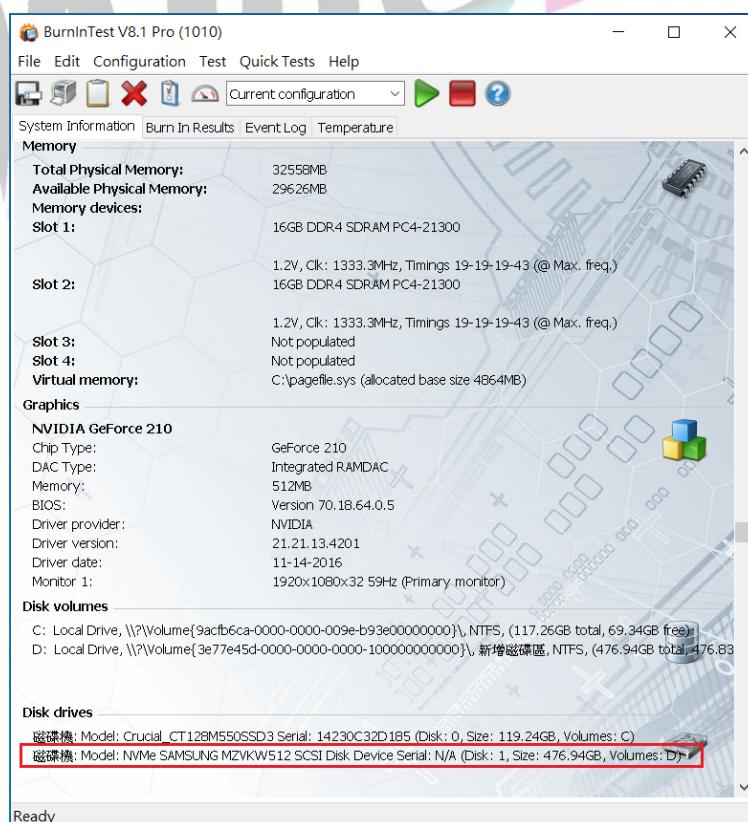


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3. Burn In Tests and Results

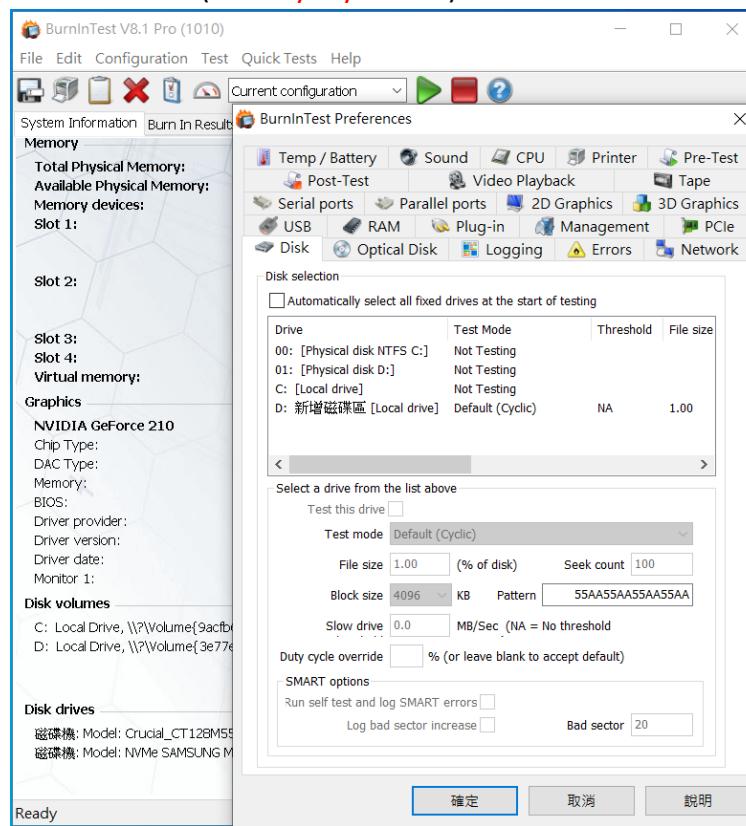
3.1 BurnInTest v8.1 Pro for Samsung SM961 M.2/512GB SSD

3.1.1 System Information as below:

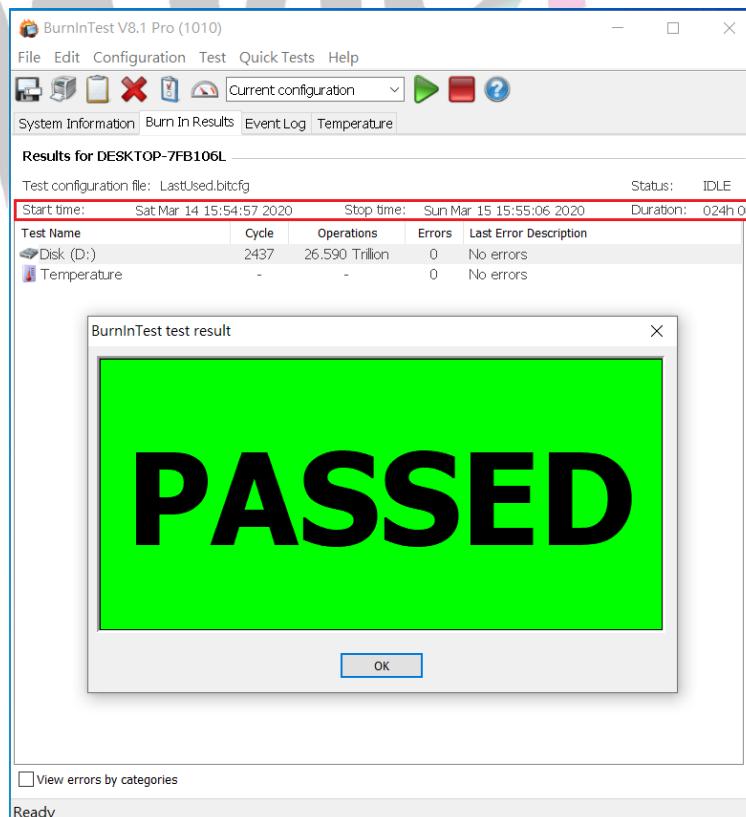


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3.1.2 Disk test mode(10 ways cycle test)



3.1.3 24-hour Burn-in test PASSED



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4. Summary

- 4.1 M.2 NVMe SSD is PCI-e Gen 3 / 4 Lanes Interface, I/O speed, max. to 32Gbps.
- 4.2 PU424F adapter I/O performance is based on M.2 NVMe PCI-e Gen 3 / 4 Lanes SSD.

