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GD9805A SlimSAS 8i to U.3 Dual port Adapter

Performance & Burn In Test Rev 1.0

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1. Overview

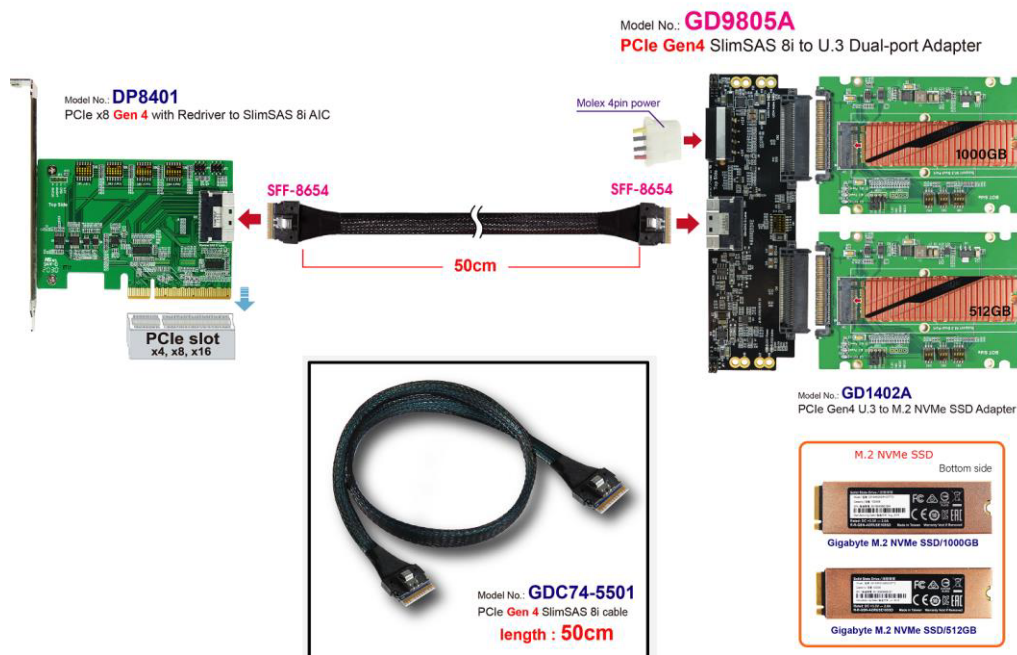
This adapter has built-in SlimSAS(SFF-8654) 8i connector and U.3 connector dual ports which can be inserted into two U.3 NVMe SSDs. It is designed for use by supporting PCIe Gen 4 x8, x16 bifurcation AIC and SFF-9402 pinout PCIe Switch RAID Card.

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
Add in Card: DP8401 PCIe x8 to SlimSAS(SFF-8654) 8i AIC
Cable: PCIe Gen 4 SlimSAS(SFF-8654) 8i Maleto Male, 50cm Cable
Adapter: GD9805A SlimSAS(SFF-8654) 8i to U.3 dual ports adapter
Adapter: GD1402A U.3 to M.2 adapter
OS : Microsoft **Windows 10 64bit OS**

2.2 Test target: GD9805A, GD1402A and GIGABYTE M.2 **1TB** & M.2 **500GB** NVMe SSD



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2.3 Install Hardware

First inserts the M.2 SSD into the GD1402A M.2 connector, then with copper nuts, and screws to fix SSDs. (Please refer to the Installation Notes). To inserts GD1402A into GD9805A adapter and connect to the DP8401 AIC card (PCIe x8 Gen 4 to SFF-8654 8i) using the **GDC74-5501 Cable**, and Plugs DP8401 AIC into GIGABYTE **X570 AORUS MASTER**.

2.4 BIOS & Windows 10 OS environment setup

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

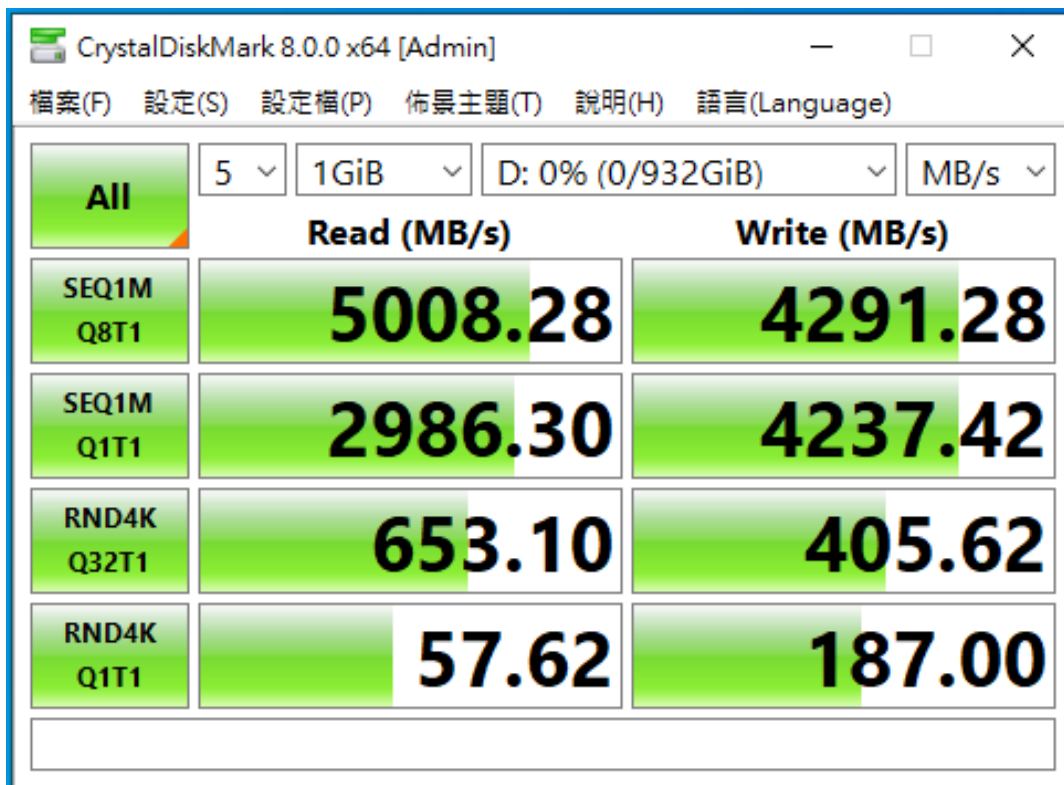


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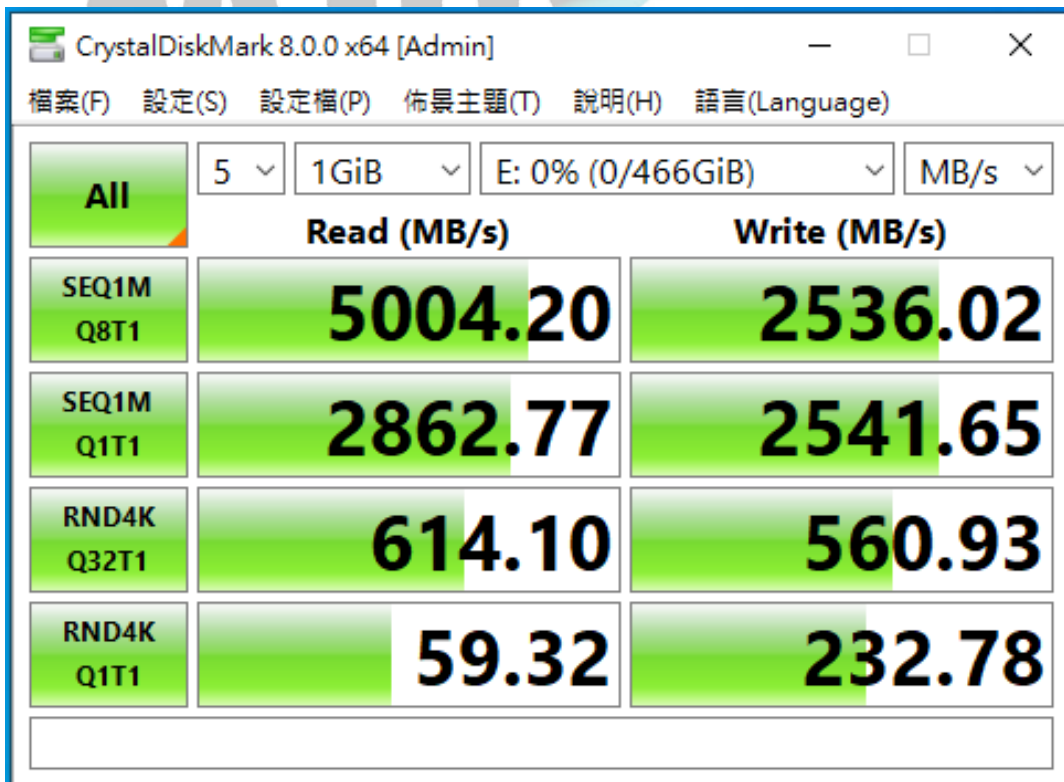
CrystalDiskMark 8.0.0 x64 performance test

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

2.5.1 **M.2 NVMe GIGABYTE / 1TB** in Drive D: performance as below:



2.5.2 **M.2 NVMe GIGABYTE / 500B** in Drive E: performance as below:

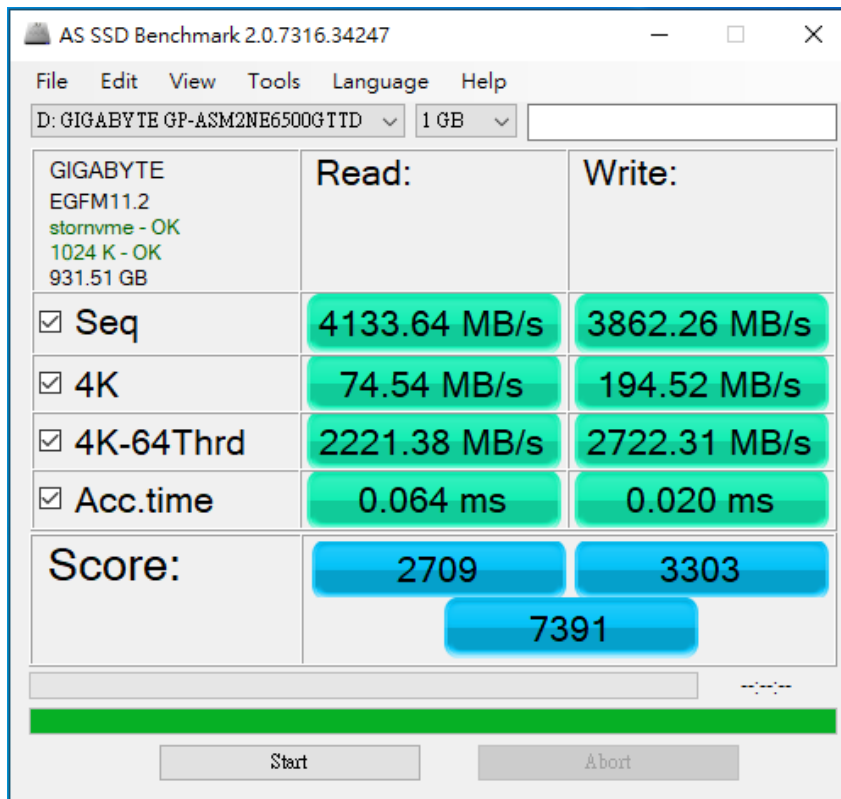


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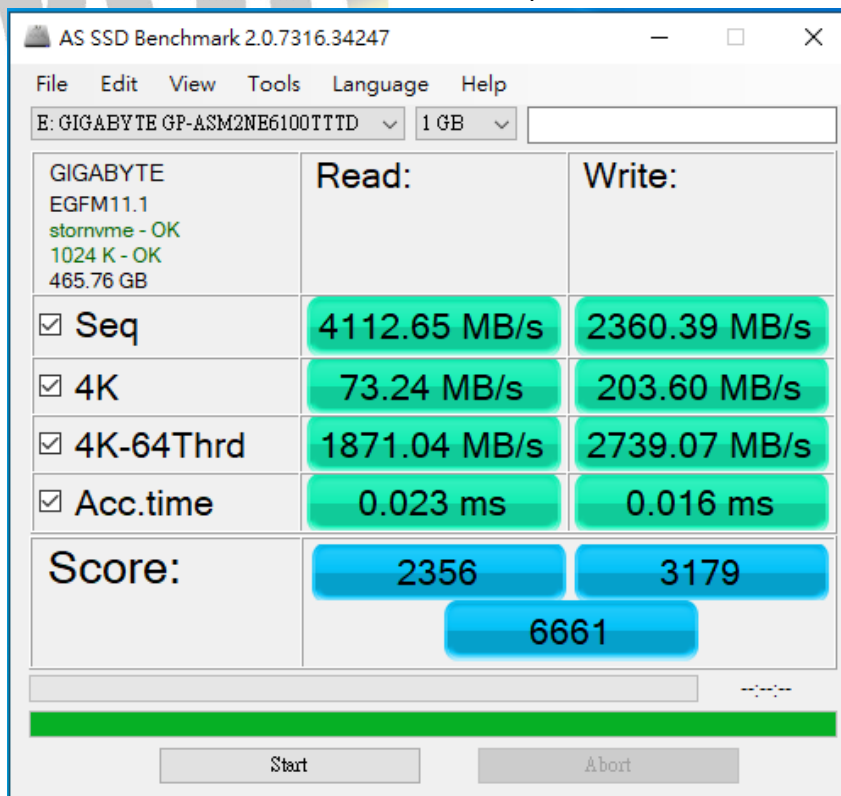
2.6 AS SSD Benchmark 2.0 performance test

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

2.6.1 **M.2 NVMe GIGABYTE / 1TB** in **Drive D:** performance as below:



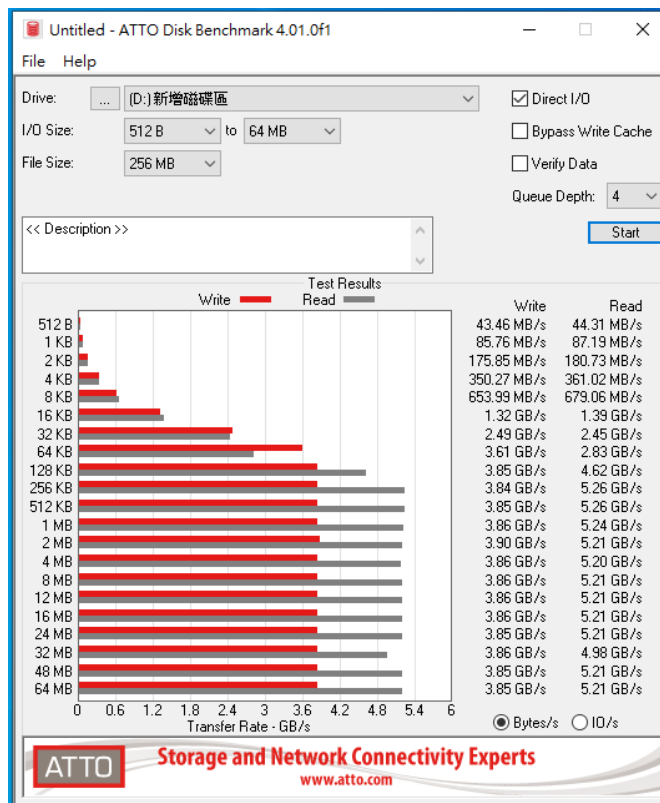
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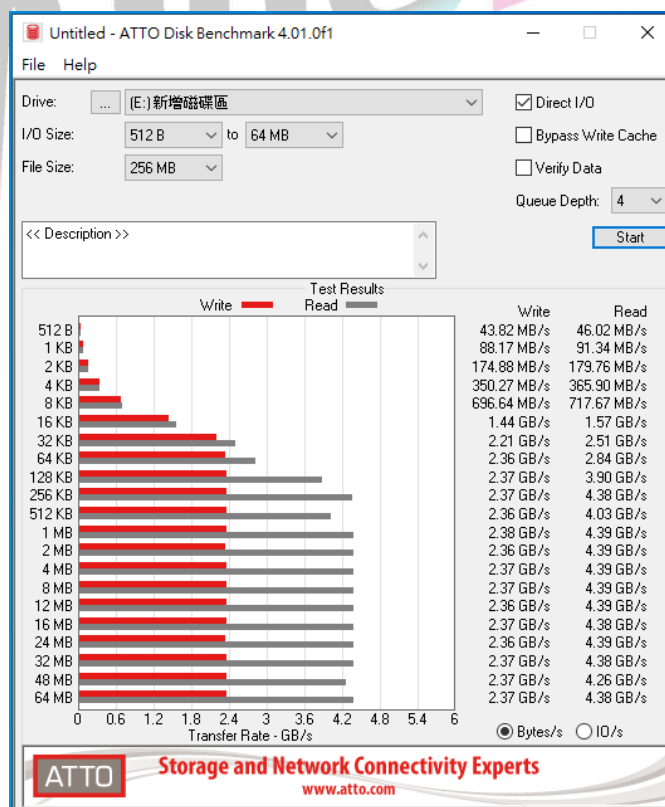
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2.7 ATTO Disk Benchmark 4.01 performance test

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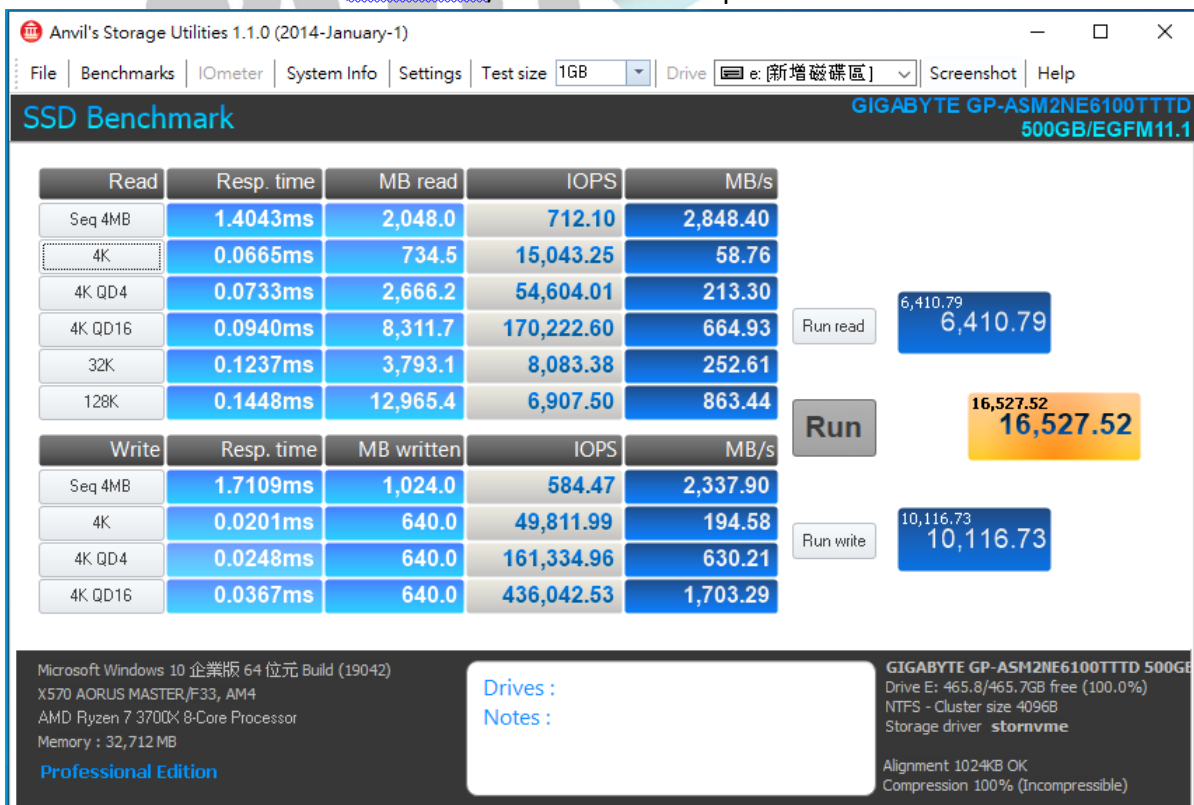
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2.8 AnvilBenchmark_V110_B337

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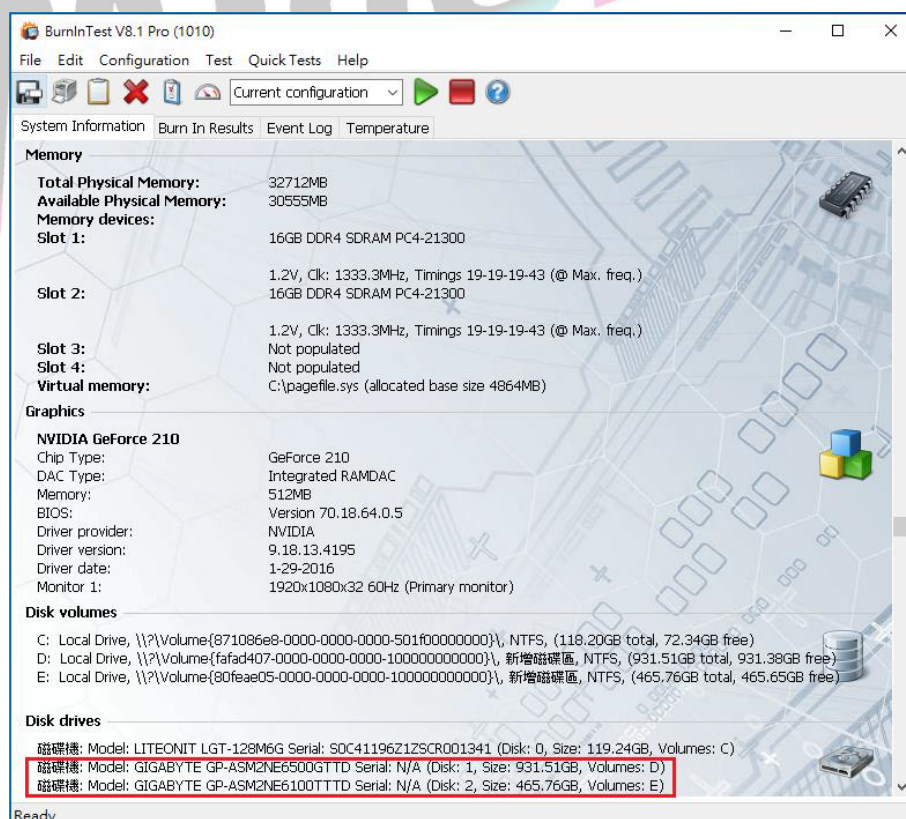
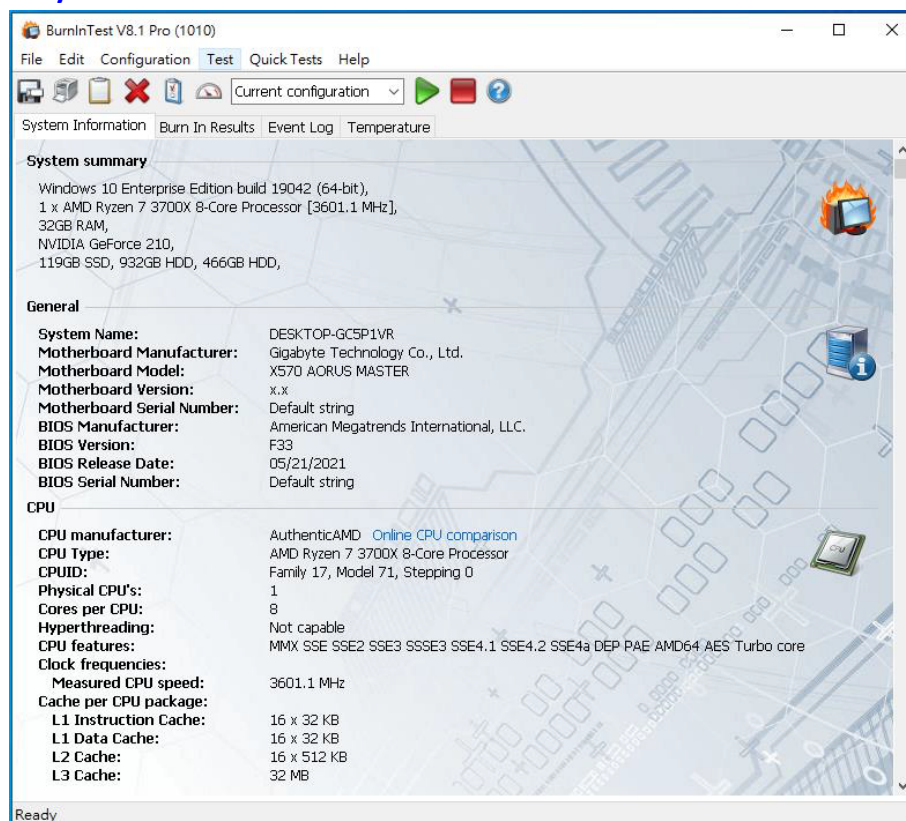


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3. Burn In Tests and Results

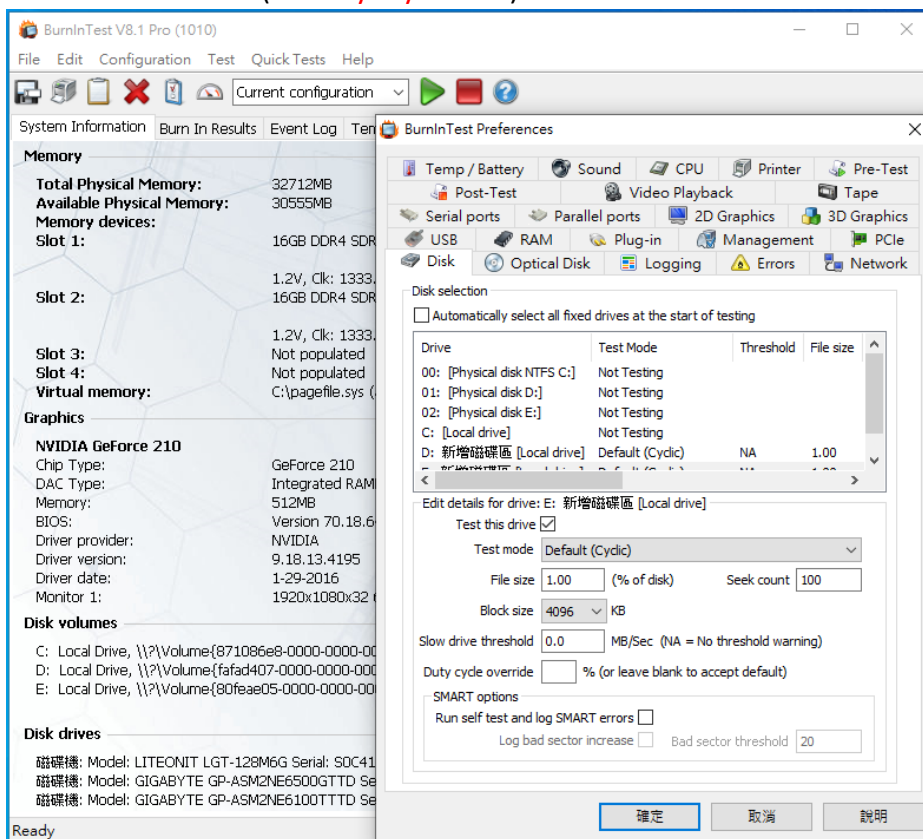
3.1 BurnInTest v8.1 Pro

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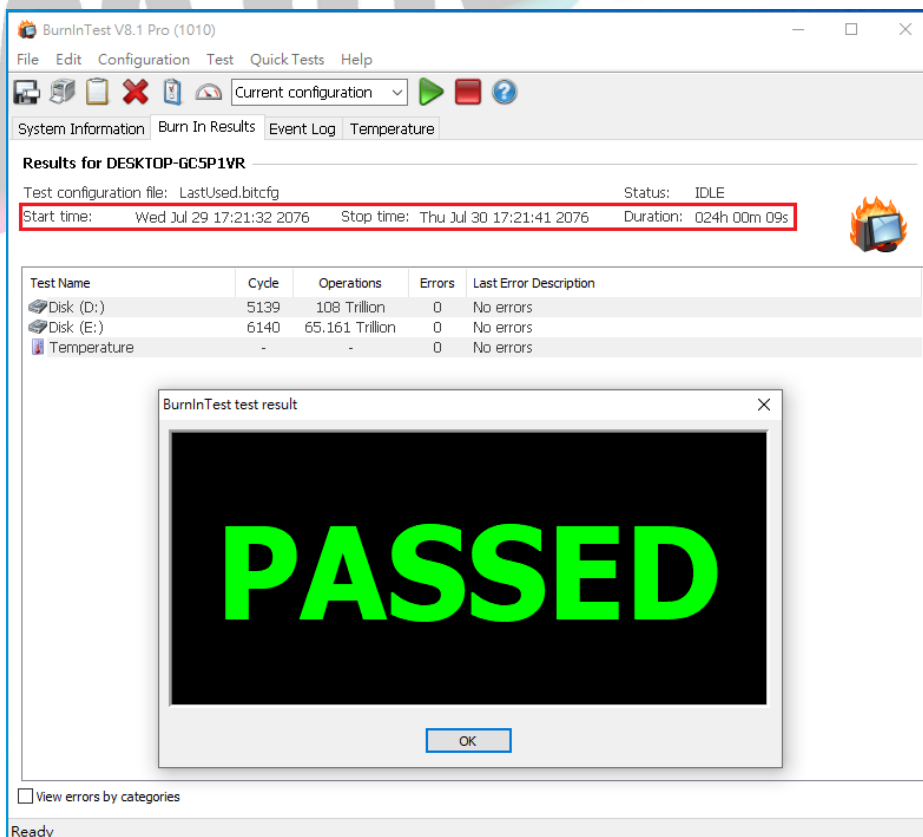


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3.1.2 Disk test mode(10 ways cycle test)



3.1.3 24-hour Burn-in test PASSED



4. Summary

- 4.1 M.2 NVMe SSD is PCIe Gen 4 / 4 Lane Interface, I/O speed, max. to 64Gbps.
- 4.2 GD9805A adapter I/O performance is based on NVMe SSD.

