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Identifying MammothTape™ and 8mm tape drives

To identify the model of MammothTape or 8mm tape drive, start by determining whether it is a *half-high drive*, *full-high drive*, or neither (*non-rectangular desktop drive*). Then, use the descriptions in the appropriate section below:

- **Half-high drives** - Faceplate is 1.7 inches (4.3 cm) high
- **Full-high drives** - Faceplate is 3.4 inches (8.6 cm) high
- **Non-rectangular desktop drives** - Curved front, drive door on top

Note: Your drive may be installed in a library, computer drive bay, or standalone enclosure. The descriptions refer to the drive only, not the enclosure.

Half-high tape drives

Exabyte Mammoth-2 (M2)

Physical characteristics

- "M2" and "MammothTape Technology" printed on faceplate (most models)
- Three *round* LEDs at left
- Unload button at right
- LCD below the door

Cartridges supported

- AME with SmartClean: 75m, 150m, 225m
- AME: 22m, 45m, 125m, 170m

For more information, see **Exabyte M2 technical support**.

Exabyte Mammoth

Physical characteristics

- Three *rectangular, horizontal* LEDs at left
- Unload button at right
- Optional LCD below the door

Cartridges supported

- AME: 22m, 45m, 125m, 170m
- MP (read only): 15m, 54m, 112m, 160m XL

For more information, see **Exabyte Mammoth technical support**.

Exabyte Mammoth-LT

Physical characteristics

- "Mammoth-LT" printed on faceplate (most models)
- Three *rectangular, horizontal* LEDs at left
- Unload button at right

Cartridges supported

- AME: 22m, 45m, 125m
- MP (read only): 15m, 54m, 112m, 160m XL

For more information, see **Exabyte Mammoth-LT technical support**.

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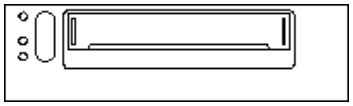


Physical characteristics

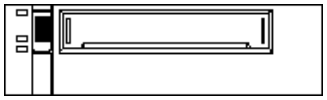
- Three *round* LEDs at left
- Unload button at left
- "Eliant" printed on faceplate (some models)

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m, 160m XL

For more information, see **Eliant 820 technical support** .

Exabyte 8505XL (EXB-8505XL)



Physical characteristics

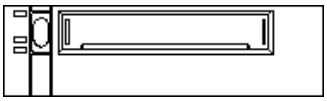
- Raised diamond pattern on unload button
- Three *rectangular, horizontal* LEDs at left
- "XL" printed on faceplate (some models)

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m, 160m XL

For more information, see **Exabyte 8505XL technical support**.

Exabyte 8505 (EXB-8505)



Physical characteristics

- Unload button at left
- Three *rectangular, horizontal* LEDs at left

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m

For more information, see **Exabyte 8505 technical support**.

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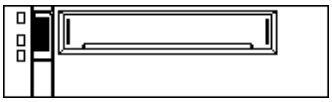

Physical characteristics

- Raised diamond pattern on unload button
- Three *rectangular, vertical* LEDs at left
- "XL" printed on faceplate (some models)

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m, 160m XL

For more information, see **Exabyte 8205XL technical support**.

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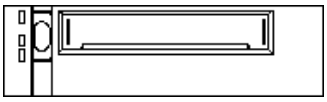


Physical characteristics

- Unload button at left
- Three *rectangular, vertical* LEDs at left

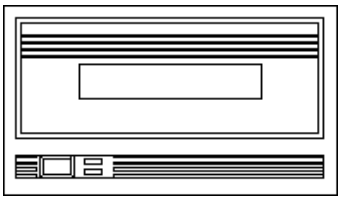
Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m

For more information, see **Exabyte 8205 technical support**.

Full-high 8mm tape drives

EXB-8500 and EXB-8500c



Physical characteristics

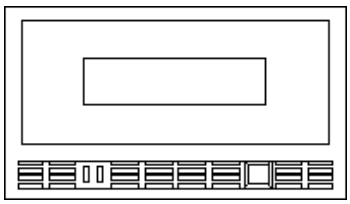
- Unload button at bottom left
- Two *horizontal* LEDs at bottom left
- "C" on EXB-8500c unload button (some models)

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m

For more information, see **EXB-8500 and EXB-8500c technical support**.

EXB-8200 and EXB-8200SX



Physical characteristics

- Unload button at bottom right
- Two *vertical* LEDs at bottom left
- EXB-8200SX supports high-speed search

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m

For more information, see **EXB-8200 and EXB-8200SX technical support**.

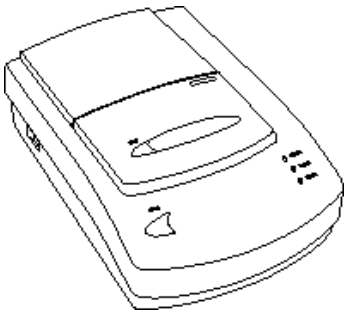
Non-rectangular, desktop 8mm tape drives

Exabyte 8700 product family

There are three products in the Exabyte 8700 family:

- **8700** - Includes a choice of backup applications on the EXA*soft* CD-ROM
- **8700LT** - Does not include backup applications
- **8700SW** - Includes Cheyenne software

There are no physical differences between these products.



Physical characteristics

- Dimensions:
  Height - 2.5 inches (6.3 cm)
  Width - 6.25 inches (15.9 cm)
  Length - 9.75 inches (24.3 cm)
- Close button on top of drive door
- Open button at front left
- Three LEDs at front right

Cartridges supported

- MP: 15m, 54m, 112m, 160m XL

For more information, see **Exabyte 8700 technical support**.

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