

READ ID CHANGE FOR SPECTEK NAND FLASH

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We would like to inform you of an upcoming change in SpecTek NAND FLASH material that might require a change to your controller initialization software.

Effective October 1, 2007, SpecTek will be adding a new Manufacturer ID value of B5h to our NAND Flash. All our datasheets will be changed to include SpecTek’s JEDEC Manufacturer ID. The results of the READ ID query command (90h) will return values of B5h, 2Ch, or 89h in Byte 0.

	Options	I/O7	I/O6	I/O5	I/O4	I/O3	I/O2	I/O1	I/O0	Value
Byte 0	Manufacturer ID									
	SpecTek	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	B5h, 2Ch, or 89h
Byte 1	Device ID									

If you are a controller company, please make the necessary changes to allow for SpecTek’s new Manufacturer ID. The parameters for SpecTek material will be exactly the same as Micron Technology, Inc. NAND Flash (Manufacturer ID of 2Ch) and/or Intel Corporation NAND Flash (Manufacturer ID of 89h).

If you are manufacturer that purchases SpecTek NAND Flash, please consult your controller vendors for updated software.

This change will reduce confusion with customers and controller companies on who actually supports the NAND Flash material. Unfortunately, due to limitations in our recovery process, not all SpecTek material will contain the new ID of B5h. Some product will still contain 2Ch or 89h.

We appreciate any comments, questions or feedback that you might have. Please Email them to: spectek_apps@spectek.com.

Thank you,
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