# SATA History

- **FEBRUARY 2000**: SATA Revision 1.0a introduced, 1.5 Gb/s
- **JULY 2004**: SATA-IO was incorporated
- **OCTOBER 2005**: SATA Revision 2.5, 3 Gb/s
  - Internal slimline cable and connector
  - Internal SATA connector for 1.8” HDD
- **DECEMBER 2006**: First SATA SSD certified
- **JULY 2008**: SATA-IO was incorporated
- **JULY 2014**: First M.2 certified
- **FEBRUARY 2016**: SATA Revision 3.3 introduced
  - New Power Disable features
  - New and modernized commands
- **JULY 2020**: SATA Revision 3.5 introduced
  - Device Transmit Emphasis for Gen 3 PHY
  - Defined Ordered NCQ Commands
  - Command Duration Limit Features

# Certified SATA Products

- **HDDs**: 491
- **SSDs**: 268
- **Building Blocks**: 69
- **Cables & Connectors**: 17
- **Discrete ICs/Chipsets**: 46
- **Other**: 114
- **Hosts**: 17
- **Test & Validation Tools**: 13

# Specifications and Revisions

- **20** Specifications

# Events

- **13** Interoperability Workshops
- **37** Events & Trade Shows

# Member Companies

- **417** Total Member Companies
- The color indicates the number of member companies by country: None, 1-2, 3-9, 10-49, 50-149, 150+

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