Subject: Hard Drives

Posted by cheesesoda on Mon, 01 Mar 2004 20:16:19 GMT

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I am starting to get tired of my 10GB hard drive. I want AT LEAST a 20...I don't really think I need any more than an 80GB. Does anyone know of where I can get hard drives for cheap and are quality hard drives? Thank you for your assistance.

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Posted by dal11 on Mon, 01 Mar 2004 20:18:33 GMT

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Try http://www.newegg.com, they have the best prices on good drives i"ve seen.

They also have free shipping on most stuff.

As for the drive itself i'd recommend a 60 or 80gb Western digiatal JB model drive.

Subject: um, no

Posted by Argus on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 06:09:52 GMT

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egg does not! I just got a 200GB for \$99 after a rebate

http://www.tigerdirect.com/indexus.asp?kb=y&sourceid=6133&afsrc=1

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Posted by Battousai on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 06:41:43 GMT

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Tigerdirect? How much was shipping? \$20? You can't buy anything from tigerdirect because the shipping is too much. They have a deal at office max that comes around 80gb western digital 7200 rpm 8mb buffer for \$20 after rebate. That's the shit.

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Posted by General Havoc on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 16:40:21 GMT

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I said I wouldn't fill a 40GB when I had my 20GB one, but since I installed my 123GB drive I am now using around 80GB of it. So much more 'freedom' with a bigger drive, you don't have to conserve space as much.

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Posted by npsmith82 on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 17:30:50 GMT

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I also said i wouldn't fill my primary 60GB drive... but then i did. So i bought a new 80GB, thinking i'd never fill that up... but of course i was wrong.

A secondary D:\ hard drive is extremely useful when it comes to formatting your C:\ though. No need to backup all your stuff to CD.

A few years back, i never thought i'd fill up my 3.2GB drive. Back then all you had saved were office documents, small images and a few websites. Just shows how things change with all the space intensive digital media we have today.

If i were you, i'd plan ahead and get one at least twice the size that you think you need.

If you want some decent answers to your question, tell us what part of the world you come from.

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Posted by Scythar on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 17:37:24 GMT

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A while back, 16 Mb was something amazing...no home user would EVER need so much space. Or so they thought....now look at this

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Posted by Nightma12 on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 17:50:35 GMT

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http://www.megabytes.co.uk

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Posted by Argus on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 20:12:33 GMT

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Shipping was only \$11.70 us for UPS ground, took 3 days to arrive. And the shipping was for the hard drive, a chieftec super tower case, powersupply, MB and CPU.

Don't take their default 2nd day air UPS, ground is just as fast and a whole lot cheaper.

And even with the shipping, what I spent overall was close to \$100 cheaper than anywhere else I found.

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Posted by cheesesoda on Tue, 02 Mar 2004 20:18:16 GMT

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i reside in the states. personally...i have the capability to keep my space usage low. i have about 7GB left of my 9.48 possible and have downloaded files like mad. so a 20gb would be plenty...but i don't want to have to limit myself with that in case i do need more.