

## Re: Arrrrrrrrrrrggggg!!

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"Sevag Krikorian" wrote:

> *Don't feel so bad. I recently sent my JumpDrive packed with  
> 120 megas of data through the wash/dry cycle. The shock of  
> the ordeal separated the microchips from the board.*

I've sent a 250MB USB MiniCruzer (SanDisk) through the wash without any problems. I wouldn't recommend anyone do it, but the SanDisk thing is a USB "chip". Works great. It doesn't have a disk at all and acts more like a Removable RamDisk once the system recognizes it.

Was cheap when I bought it two years ago. The one I got is 256MB in size, but they're up to 4GB now...

<http://www.sandisk.com/corporate/media/photos-cruzer-mini.asp>

SanDisk <http://www.sandisk.com> is advertising some waterproof models as well on their homepage. I don't think mine is waterproof, I sent it through the dryer as well. Nothing was lost and I don't recommend anyone do this. The mention of waterproof was off the homepage link there.

Sony Was supposed to release a 40GB Flash Card at the end of 2003 for certain camcorders...

I don't know anything about this product, but it looks like it is presented as a 40GB flash memory... For about \$269.00.

[http://www.freecom.com/ecProduct\\_detail.asp?ID=1142](http://www.freecom.com/ecProduct_detail.asp?ID=1142)

The end of mechanical hard drives coming soon?

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Post replies to newsgroup.