Caution – Use proper ESD grounding techniques when handling components. Wear an antistatic wrist strap and use an ESD-protected mat. Store ESD-sensitive components in ESD-safe packaging before placing them on any surface.
Installing the Tape Drive

The tape drive is not a hot-swappable device.

1. **Take the system to Standby mode or halt the Solaris Operating System).**
   Refer to your system’s service manual or system administration manual.

2. **Remove the existing tape drive or tape drive filler panel from the removeable media module.**
   For detailed instructions, refer to your system’s service manual.

**Note** – The tape drive is not shipped with a base plate installed. Install a base plate on the tape drive as described below.

3. **Remove the base plate from the existing tape drive or tape drive filler panel.**
   As shown below, there are four screws that secure the base plate to a tape drive, or two screws that secure the base plate to a tape drive filler panel.

![Figure 1: Tape Drive and Base Plate](image)
4. Attach the base plate to the new tape drive using the four countersunk screws that were shipped with the drive.

5. Install the new tape drive in the removeable media module.

6. Reattach the data and power cables to the tape drive.

7. Close the chassis.
   For detailed instructions, refer to your system’s service manual.

8. Restart the system.
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