

Buyer's Guide – Database Backup and Recovery

Company	Product	Licensing	Agent or Agentless	Continuous Data Protection (CDP)	Online Backup	Disk-to-Disk-to-Tape (D2D2T) Backup	Data De-Duplication Support	Devices to Which You Backup
Double-Take Software http://www.doubletake.com 317-598-0185 888-674-9495	Double-Take for Windows 4.5	Licensed per server	Software installs on each production system. No special agents required for SQL.	Yes - continuous replication with disk-based snapshots.	Yes	No	No	Any locally addressable storage hardware on the target server - local disk, USB disk, iSCSI storage, FC SAN, etc.
	Double-Take SQLVault	Licensed per server	Software installs on each production system. No special agents required for SQL.	Yes - continuous replication with disk-based snapshots.	Yes	Yes	No	Any locally-addressable storage hardware on the target server - local disk, USB disk, iSCSI storage, FC SAN, etc. In addition, periodic backups can be made either to disk, UNC share or supported tape devices.
Idera http://www.idera.com 713-523-4433 877-464-3372	SQLsafe 3.2	Per SQL Server instance	Agent	Yes	Yes	No	No	Hard disk, network storage device, USB, tape
PlateSpin http://www.platespin.com 416-203-6565 877-528-3774	PowerRecon	Information not provided	Agentless	No	Yes	No	No	Disk, tape, optical, and D2D2Ne Virtual Tape Library
Quest Software http://www.quest.com 949-754-8000	LiteSpeed for SQL Server	Per server	Agentless	No	Yes	Yes	No	Hard disk, network storage device, USB, local tape, and Tivoli Storage Manager
	LiteSpeed for SQL Server Enterprise	Per server	Agentless	No	Yes	Yes	No	Hard disk, network storage device, USB, local tape, and Tivoli Storage Manager
	LiteSpeed for SQL Server Express	Per server	Agentless	No	Yes	Yes	No	Hard disk, network storage device, USB, local tape, and Tivoli Storage Manager
	LiteSpeed for SQL Server Developer Edition	Per server	Agentless	No	Yes	Yes	No	Hard disk, network storage device, USB, local tape, and Tivoli Storage Manager
Sonasoftware http://www.sonasoftware.com 408-927-6200	SonaSafe for SQL Server	SonaSafe Application = \$1,995 SQL Agent = \$995 Standby License = \$1,295 SQL Standby Agent = \$995	Agent	Near CDP	Yes	Disk-to-Disk	No	Hard disk, SAN, IP SAN, NAS, DAS
Symantec http://www.symantec.com	Veritas NetBackup 6.0	Per physical machine depending on the hardware tier model of the machine	Agent	Veritas Storage Foundation and FlashSnap deliver multiple point-in-time copies for disk-based recovery. We work with other third-party vendors to provide the CDP capability for use with NBU.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Tape, disk
UltraBac Software http://www.ultrabac.com 425-644-6000	UltraBac	Per server	N/A	No	Yes	Yes	No	Hard disk, virtual machine, removable media, tape, DLT
	UBDR Gold	Per server	Uses Restore CD or USB Key	No	Yes	Yes	No	Hard disk, virtual machine, removable media, tape, DLT
Yosemite Technologies http://www.yosemitetech.com 408-236-7556 800-228-9236	Yosemite Backup	Information not provided	Agent	No	Information not provided	D2D2Ne	No	CD, DVR, tape, disk, hard drive

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Data Compression Support	Data Encryption Support for Data In-Flight and Data At-Rest	Point-In-Time/Point-Of-Failure Recovery	# of SQL Server Instances Supported	SQL Server 64-bit Edition Support	Bare-Metal Restore	Web-based Interface	Database Platforms	Able to Recover Single Tables	Other Applications Supported
Yes	No	Real-time or snapshot-based recovery	Based on limitations of SQL Server. 16 for SQL Server 2000 and 50 for SQL Server 2005.	Yes	No	No	SQL Server 2000/2005, Oracle for Windows, DB2 for Windows	No	Microsoft Exchange Server, SharePoint, IIS and most other major Windows-based applications.
Yes	Yes	Real-time or snapshot-based recovery	Based on limitations of SQL Server. 16 for SQL Server 2000 and 50 for SQL Server 2005.	Yes	No	No	SQL Server 2000/2005	Yes	Replication and failover capabilities work with any Windows-based application. Periodic backup and recovery of SQL databases is restricted to Microsoft SQL Server.
Yes	Yes	Yes	Unlimited	Yes	No	Yes	SQL Server 2000/2005	No	None
No	Yes	No	Information not provided	Yes	Yes	Yes	Information not provided	Yes	VMware ESX Server, VMware Server, Microsoft Virtual Server
Yes	No	Yes	Unlimited	Yes	No	No	SQL Server	No	No
Yes	Not as indicated here. LiteSpeed encrypts database backup files	Yes	Unlimited	Yes	No	No	SQL Server	Yes	No
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Yes	Indirectly encrypted through the compression utility	Yes	Unlimited	Yes	Yes	Yes	SQL Server	No	Exchange Server Windows File Server Total solution for Microsoft servers
Yes	Yes	Yes	Unlimited	Yes	Yes	Yes	Oracle, IBM DB2, IBM DB2 UDB, SQL Server	Yes	Exchange Server, Microsoft SharePoint Portal Server, SAP NetWaver, Sybase, Informix and Lotus Notes and Domino Server.
Yes	Yes	No	No limit other than licenses	Yes	Yes	No	Oracle, SQL Server, MySQL	No	Exchange Server, Tivoli Storage Manager, UNIX, Linux, Mac OSX, HP-UX, Sun Intel, Sun Solaris, FreeBSD
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Yes	No	No	Information not provided	Yes	Yes	No	Oracle, SQL Server	Information not provided	Exchange Server