







Acronis Backup 12.5 License Comparison incl. cloud deployment functionality

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	WORKSTATION	WINDOWS SERVER ESSENTIALS	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE	WORKSTATION	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE
Storage – disks, NAS, SAN, Acronis Cloud Storage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Touch-friendly web-based centralized and remote management console	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Customizable dashboards	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Patented disk-imaging technology	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Acronis Active Protection™ from ransomware	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Microsoft Exchange®, SQL Server®, SharePoint®, Active Directory®		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Cloud-to-cloud backup for Microsoft Office 365, SharePoint Online, OneDrive for Business, Public folder					✓					✓	
G Suite cloud-to-cloud backup						✓					✓
VMware vSphere®, Microsoft Hyper-V®				✓					✓		
Centralized disk storage deduplication							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Tape drives, autoloaders, libraries support							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Centralized backup policies							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Acronis Notary™							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Acronis ASign™							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Administrator roles and delegations							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Advanced reporting							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Off-host backup management operations							✓	✓	✓	✓	

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Complete business protection

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Windows 10, 8.1/8/7/Vista®/XP support	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Mac OS X® (macOS®) support	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Windows Small Business Server 2011/2008/2003R2/2003		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Windows Server 2016/2012R2/2012 Essentials and Foundation		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Windows Server 2019, 2016, 2012R2/2012, 2008R2/2008, 2003R2/2003			✓	✓				✓	✓		
Windows Storage Server 2012R2/2012, 2008R2/2008, 2003			✓	✓				✓	✓		
Windows MultiPoint Server 2012/2011/2010			✓	✓				✓	✓		
Linux (various distributions)			✓	✓				✓	✓		
VMware ESX/ESX and Hyper-V (agentless and agent-based VM backup)				✓					✓		
VMware and Hyper-V changed clock tracking (CBT)				✓					✓		
VMware and Hyper-V Virtual host backup				✓					✓		
VMware vSphere VM Replication				✓					✓		
Hyper-V application aware backup				✓					✓		
File backup	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Clustered Exchange, SQL support								✓	✓		
Oracle Database® support								✓	✓		
Citrix XenServer®, Linux KVM®, RHV, Oracle® VM Server, Nutanix									✓		
Virtuozzo				✓					✓		

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GPT disks backup	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Microsoft Azure® VM backup of supported OS	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Amazon EC2® instance backup of supported OS	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Microsoft Exchange database backup with log truncation		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Microsoft Exchange mailbox backup		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Microsoft SQL Server backup with log truncation		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Microsoft SharePoint backup		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Microsoft Active Directory backup		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		
Microsoft Office 365 mailbox cloud-to-cloud backup					✓					✓	
Microsoft Office 365 mailbox cloud-to-local backup					✓					✓	
G Suite cloud-to-local backup						✓					✓
iPhone®, iPad®, Android® backup	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
NetApp® SAN Storage Snapshots for VMware vSphere									✓		
Backup of Exchange and SQL Server clusters								✓	✓		
SAP HANA backup		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓		

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World's fastest recovery

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	WORKSTATION	WINDOWS SERVER ESSENTIALS	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365		WORKSTATION	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE
Acronis Universal Restore	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Mounting of disk backup as a virtual drive	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Acronis Active Protection™	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Acronis Bootable Media	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
WinPE plug-in for on-premise console	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Acronis Startup Recovery Manager	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Granular restore of Microsoft Exchange		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Integrated search and preview of Exchange emails		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Granular restore of Microsoft SQL Server		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Mounting of SQL databases from the backup storage		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Flexible SQL recovery modes (RECOVERY, NO RECOVERY, STANDBY)		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Granular restore of Microsoft SharePoint		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Recovery of Microsoft Active Directory domain controllers		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
VMware ESXi host bare-metal recovery, Hyper-V host bare-metal recovery				✓					✓		
Convert backup to virtual machine	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Acronis Instant Restore™ (run VM from a backup)									✓		
Acronis vmFlashback (CBT-based incremental VM restore)				✓					✓		
Granular restore of Office 365 mailboxes and emails					✓					✓	
Granular restore of G Suite						✓					✓
Integrated search and preview of Office 365 emails					✓					✓	
Acronis Disaster Recovery add-on			✓	✓				✓	✓		
PXE server							✓	✓	✓		
Remote bare-metal recovery							✓	✓	✓		
Automated bare-metal recovery							✓	✓	✓		
Enhanced validation in sandbox environment									✓		




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Flexible storage and backup options

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	WORKSTATION	WINDOWS SERVER ESSENTIALS	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE	WORKSTATION	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE
Acronis Cloud Storage: files and folders	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Acronis Cloud Storage: disks and partitions	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Acronis Cloud Storage: iPhone/iPad contacts, photos, videos, calendars, reminders, via iOS API	With Acronis Cloud Storage subscription license only										
Acronis Cloud Storage: Android contacts, photos, videos, calendars, text messages via Android API	With Acronis Cloud Storage subscription license only										
Local and external drives	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Network shares	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SFTP	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Acronis Secure Zone	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Backup validation as part of backup plan	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Backup contents search	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Backup encryption (in-flight and at-rest)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
VSS support (consistent backup of applications)	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Backup compression	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Flexible backup rotation and retention policies	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Backup retention cleanup as part of backup plan	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Multi-destination backup (backup copying) up to 5 locations	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Acronis Notary™							✓	✓	✓		
Acronis ASign™							✓	✓	✓		
Centralized managed storage (Acronis Storage Node)							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Central storage deduplication							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Tape drive, autoloader, library support, including media management							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Scheduled backup replication							✓	✓	✓	✓	




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	WORKSTATION	WINDOWS SERVER ESSENTIALS	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE	WORKSTATION	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE
Off-host backup staging (moving)							✓	✓	✓		
Off-host backup replication (copying)							✓	✓	✓		
Off-host backup validation							✓	✓	✓		
Off-host backup retention (cleanup)							✓	✓	✓		

Intuitive, scalable management

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Touch-friendly web-based centralized management console	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Customizable dashboards	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Email notification	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Remote installation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
Remote update	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Smart alerting	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Condition-based backup scheduling	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Event-based backup scheduling	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Centralized data catalogue with search							✓	✓	✓	✓	
Centralized backup policies for machine groups							✓	✓	✓	✓	

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Supported systems

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Supported platforms	Windows PC, Mac	Windows Server Essentials, Foundation, Small Business Server	Windows Server, Linux	VMware, Hyper-V	Microsoft Office 365	G Suite	Windows PC, Mac	Windows Server, Linux	VMware, Hyper-V, XenServer, KVM, RHEV, Oracle VM Server, Nutanix, Virtuozzo	Microsoft Office 365	G Suite
Restore of iPhone/iPad, Android data from Acronis Cloud Storage	With Acronis Cloud Storage subscription										

Licensing

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	WORKSTATION	WINDOWS SERVER ESSENTIALS	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE	WORKSTATION	SERVER	VIRTUAL HOST	OFFICE 365	G SUITE
Perpetual licensing option (incl. 1 year of maintenance)	On-premises only										
Subscription licensing option (1,2,3-year options available, including maintenance)	For any deployment										
Licensed objects	Physical machine or cloud instance running workstation OS	Physical machine or cloud instance running Windows Server Essentials, Foundation or SBS	Physical machine or cloud instance running server OS	Virtual host with unlimited VMs or sockets	Office 365 seat	G Suite seat	Physical machine or cloud instance running workstation OS	Physical machine or cloud instance running server OS	Virtual host with unlimited VMs or sockets	Office 365 seat	G Suite seat
Acronis Cloud Storage add-on	Subscription for required capacity, including mobile device backup										
Acronis Disaster Recovery add-on (1,2,3-year options available, including maintenance)	Only in Cloud deployment and with Acronis Server/Virtual Server subscription license										

Support options

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Support	Phone, E-mail, Web										
Email response time	Within 1 business day										
Product upgrades	Included during support subscription period										
Product updates	Free										