

# StorageConsole: Backup Manager



# Datasheet

**INCREASE** backup reliability and reduce costs through a central, real-time view of your enterprise backup and recovery environment in APTARE StorageConsole Backup Manager.

# **Increase Backup and Restore Success**

The best way to increase the success of your backup environment is to eliminate the cause of failed backups. APTARE StorageConsole Backup Manager helps you pinpoint problems to increase the reliability of your backups and restores.

#### **Backup and Restore Summary**

Instantly see successful, partial, and failed backups. Drill down to discover the root cause of reported problems.

#### Discovery of Unprotected Data

Reduce exposure of unprotected data by automatically identifying clients and data sets that aren't protected under a backup policy.

#### **Identify Suspect Backups**

Eliminate "false positives" by identifying partial or failed backups that report as successful by the backup software.

# **Improve Capacity Planning**

APTARE StorageConsole Backup Manager helps you maximize current backup resources and improve your capacity planning.

#### **Drive Utilization**

The Tape Library and Drive Utilization Report helps load balance your drives by identifying drives that are underutilized and those that are over capacity.

#### Media Forecasting Dashboard

APTARE StorageConsole Backup Manager shows the capacity you'll need in the future based on your current and historical tape consumption. Plan tape purchases accordingly instead of being caught off guard when capacity runs out.

#### Tape Media and Disk Utilization

Gain an intuitive view of available tape media capacity and utilization with indicator bars. Availability warnings enable you to manage the backup environment proactively.

## **Streamline Compliance**

APTARE StorageConsole Backup Manager provides out-of-the-box compliance reports so you'll meet internal SLAs and pass external regulatory audits like Sarbanes Oxley. You can also easily create custom reports that match unique compliance requirements.

#### Mission Control Dashboard

Preconfigured dashboard designed for compliance reporting gives you a snapshot status of every server by day using intuitive indicator lights.

#### Service Level Agreements (SLA)

Track backup performance against established SLA levels for backup start time, duration, and backup success.

# Improve Backup Performance

APTARE StorageConsole Backup Manager helps you identify and fix bottlenecks that slow down performance throughout your backup environment.

#### Disk Usage and Performance

View and analyze performance of your drives by tracking average job write speed. The report shows disk usage and total gigabytes written to disk.

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#### **Drive Performance Summary**

Easily identify drives that are under-performing and need to be fixed. View the number of backup jobs and quantity of data written to the drive.

#### Client Usage

See which clients are the most heavily used in terms of the number of backup jobs and gigabytes. Then take action to load balance more efficiently.

#### Virtual Tape Library Support

APTARE enables customers to plan and predict capacity and utilization from the backup software and VTL perspective with comprehensive reporting on VTL appliances such as Data Domain. Using both CLIs and SNMP, powerful reports provide forecasting and trending of VTL capacity usage over time to help you identify when the VTL may run out of space. Performance monitoring and reporting of the appliance speed, an audit trail for history, and trending and asset management make integrated VTL management easy and intuitive.

#### The APTARE STORAGECONSOLE Platform

APTARE StorageConsole is a Web 2.0 platform that delivers comprehensive reporting and management tools for storage environments – from backup to capacity management.

#### Data Extensible Database

The APTARE StorageConsole platform is based on an Oracle database that sits across the entire product line, pooling management data in a

central location. The scalability of the database ensures accurate and reliable data collection and ensures that virtually any type of management information can be collected, analyzed, and shared.

#### Web 2.0 Convenience

APTARE StorageConsole user interface is built from the ground up on open Internet standards and Web 2.0 technologies. Web 2.0 features—such as "drag & drop" reports, tabbed browsing, and floating dialog boxes—provide effortless access to reports and customization of how you view and organize and share the information you need.

#### **Out-of-the-Box Dashboards and Reports**

APTARE StorageConsole provides the most popular reports right out of the box – enabling you to diagnose and manage your environment immediately with minimal training. In addition, easily customized dashboards enable you to tailor your desktop to feature the information that's critical to you. Email your customized dashboards and reports to other team members in PDF, CSV, or HTML format. Or schedule reports so they are automatically delivered in any time frame you choose: daily, weekly, or monthly.

### Specifications

Our Supported Environments datasheet contains a complete list of supported environments for APTARE StorageConsole and can be found online at www.aptare.com.

