

User Profile



Company Name:	Coronation Asset Management
Location(s):	Cape Town, South Africa
Industry:	Asset Management
Operating System:	Windows NT
Network Environment:	NDMP-based with 1 Network Appliance F740 filer
Applications:	File and print, MS Exchange
Databases:	MS SQL
Backup Requirements:	Over 200 GB weekly
Compatibility Requirements:	ADIC FastStor 22
Reseller:	Maxtec, South Africa
Solution:	NetVault Workgroup with 1 NDMP plugin, 1 library with 24 slots, 5 pack heterogenous client licence.

Situation

Coronation Asset Management is a diversified financial services company encompassing a range of businesses within the financial services arena. In short, they were looking for a quick and easy solution to backup their NDMP filer to tape to ensure 100% data safety and integrity. They bought their Network Appliance filer in 2001 but encountered problems backing it up across the network. Using other backup solutions such as ArcServe proved extremely slow; it used to take over 24 hours to backup 200GB of MS SQL and MS Exchange database files residing on the filer. With NetVault, this has been reduced to just 5 hours. Coronation also liked NetVault as it proved to be a solution that was easy to deploy, easy to administer and gave the best return on investment. There was no need for training courses or costly implementation services.

Quote

“NetVault excels at being very user-friendly and easy to use. We are amazed by the backup speeds that NetVault manages to sustain and the skills transfer process is extremely easy; it just took me a few hours to give my team of IT managers hands-on training on the product.” —Tabi Tabe Tabi, Network Manager, Coronation Asset Management