

ServerSafe to Include Grid-Based Computing as Part of its Data Protection Architecture

MOVING TO ON-DEMAND GRID COMPUTING. ServerSafe will soon introduce a grid-type configuration for Windows clients so that the backup process can be dynamically distributed across multiple systems for improved efficiency and fault tolerance.

Grid computing offers compelling advantages: (1) the ability to make more cost-effective use of a given amount of computer resources, (2) as a flexible way to solve computing problems that need a large amount of computing power, and (3) as a way to harness the resources of multiple computers in a cooperative and synergistic manner.

Using the new on-demand grid computing architecture of ServerSafe, a “backup parent” can be created that is aware of other backup “child clients” residing on machines (virtual or physical) in the backup environment. As a child client completes a backup job assigned to it, it notifies the parent that its jobs are completed and that it can help other child clients complete their backup jobs. The parent client then re-distributes jobs from busy child clients to any idle child clients for greater efficiency.

ServerSafe from NetMass is designed and priced specifically for small companies that need data backed up and moved offsite automatically to a secure facility. ServerSafe uses the latest in online disk-to-disk data protection technology as part of a comprehensive backup and recovery service.

ServerSafe offers secure, reliable solutions for businesses concerned with database protection, protection of file systems, backup of enterprise email servers, bare-metal restores and compliance. NetMass offsite backup services allow small and medium-sized organizations to quickly restore critical data in the event of a server disaster, and to continue operating with minimal or no business disruption.

The ServerSafe solution combines enterprise-quality backup software, a robust internet overlay network, and world-class data centers that offer state-of-the-art data protection at an affordable monthly price. After just one install of the ServerSafe client software on one networked computer or server (no need to install software on each computer you need to back up), and users can back up and restore data across their network.

ServerSafe offers advanced data protection that is superior to tape-based backup and other D2D solutions. ServerSafe addresses the many issues and challenges critical for a total data protection system, such as:

- Centralized, company-wide data protection
- Shorter backup windows and quicker recovery times
- Backup for heterogeneous application environments
- Multiple machine types and disperse data
- End-to-end data security
- Increased compliance with newer rules and mandates



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About NetMass. NetMass, the safe data company, provides companies of all sizes highly secure and reliable remote backup solutions. Leveraging the efficiencies of the Internet, the company's software-based data backup service has been helping organizations realize secure offsite data protection, business continuity and regulatory compliance since 1998. With a robust lineup of products, NetMass delivers server backup, database backup, data storage, file sharing, remote access and disaster recovery services. NetMass, Inc. has offices in Dallas and Houston and has partners and clients around the world.

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