



USB Simplicity Meets Enterprise Scalability.

Crossroads StrongBox® is a non-proprietary, file-based and fully portable storage solution for long-term data retention. This enterprise-level solution leverages Linear Tape File System (LTFS) technology, combining the unparalleled scalability of tape with the speed and accessibility of disk. StrongBox is the industry's most cost-effective answer to the ever-growing data storage requirements, seamlessly scaling for today while future-proofing for tomorrow.

Online All-the-Time

Tape is transformed into an online all-the-time, easily accessible file system. Multiple access points can engage StrongBox simultaneously and will be presented with a unified, persistent view of the data vault. StrongBox minimizes IT dependency and allows users to experience real-time, online access.

Vendor Neutral

Vendor lock-in is eliminated, allowing organizations to take back control of their data with this non-proprietary archive solution. Tape media written by StrongBox is readable in any LTFS compatible drive or system. No agents, no applications, and no proprietary software means you control your data today and future-proof it for tomorrow.

Seamless Scalability

Data grows exponentially – budgets don't. Organizations can now invest in a cost-effective solution that seamlessly scales as their archive grows from 500,000 files to 5 billion. New devices will be automatically detected and organically integrated, scaling to high capacities while keeping total cost of operations low. The complexity of traditional tape-based solutions is replaced with the simplicity of file-based NAS storage.

Self Monitoring and Reporting

StrongBox ensures data is available to meet critical business requirements by proactively monitoring and reporting on the utilization of data and drives. The advanced reporting interface gives users a full understanding of the operations and utilization of the physical storage systems.

Optimized Performance

StrongBox harnesses the reliability and economy of tape with the accessibility of disk to achieve up to an 80 percent cost reduction for file-based storage. Disk caching and buffering expedites the data archive and retrieval process on low cost, highly reliable tape media. Flexible policies and configurations provide optimized access to data and minimize total cost of ownership for an online all-the-time data archive. When needed, StrongBox also auto-migrates files to newer drive technology and media without sacrificing the files' online accessibility.

Data Mobility

Data is easily shared with affiliates, moved to a secondary site, or accessed from any LTFS supported vendor system. Due to the open standard of LTFS, terabytes of information can be moved and managed via tape cartridge – freeing up expensive network bandwidth while retaining online accessibility to your data.



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