

Acronis

Backup Subscription

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

WHY SUBSCRIPTION?

Your small or medium business' IT department is under increasing pressure to do more with less while dealing with an ever-increasing variety of systems and data types. With Acronis Backup and Acronis Backup Advanced's subscription licensing models, your company can enjoy attractive pricing and eliminate the burden on the balance sheet by shifting capital expense investments (CAPEX) to operational expenses (OPEX). Best yet, your organisation can back up more data, back up more systems, and back up more business.

Acronis subscription licensing is very straightforward. One solution protects any virtual or physical system and applications, which significantly simplifies the procurement process.

WHAT IS THE SUBSCRIPTION LICENSING POLICY?

An Acronis subscription is available in one-, two-, and three-year options to suit your specific business needs. You simply get the necessary number of licenses for each of your systems.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

You receive special subscription license keys — allowing you to install the software on any supported physical or virtual system.

HOW DOES IT COMPARE TO TRADITIONAL PERPETUAL LICENSING?

Subscription licenses cover all supported operating systems and applications without any limitations. For example, with an Acronis Backup Advanced for Server subscription, you can protect any physical server (Windows or Linux), any virtual host (VMware, Hyper-V, Xen, KVM, RHEV, Oracle VM), and all applications on the server (Exchange, SQL, SharePoint and Active Directory). You also get 24/7 technical support and free upgrades to new versions.

I ALREADY HAVE AN ACRONIS BACKUP LICENSE WITH MAINTENANCE. CAN I CONVERT TO A SUBSCRIPTION?

Yes, you can convert your perpetual license to a subscription. You will get all the subscription benefits such as support for any operating system and application.

KEY BENEFITS

Easy – simple, streamlined licensing for current and future versions

Complete – protects Microsoft Windows®, Linux®, VMware vSphere®, Microsoft Hyper-V®, Citrix XenServer®, Red Hat Enterprise Virtualization®, KVM, Oracle® VM Server, Microsoft Exchange®, SQL Server®, SharePoint®, and Active Directory®

Safe – includes 24/7 technical support, upgrades to new versions, and future support of new OSs and applications

Affordable – attractive pricing that shifts costs from capital (CAPEX) to operational expenses (OPEX)

Flexible – offers multiple licensing options to fit your specific needs

SUBSCRIPTION LICENSE OPTIONS

License	Details	Convert from
Acronis Backup Server Subscription License	Complete protection of your Microsoft Windows/ Linux physical servers or cloud workloads on Microsoft Azure® or Amazon EC2®, including support of Microsoft Exchange, SQL Server, SharePoint, and Active Directory.	Acronis Backup for Windows Server Acronis Backup for Linux Server
Acronis Backup Virtual Host Subscription License	Complete protection of your entire VMware vSphere ESX(i) or Microsoft Hyper-V hosts, including the backup of the host, unlimited number of VMs, and supported applications on the licensed hosts - including Microsoft Exchange, SQL Server, SharePoint, and Active Directory.	Acronis Backup for VMware
Acronis Backup Windows Server Essentials Subscription License	Affordable image and file backup and recovery of your entire Windows Server Essentials or Small Business Server system including Microsoft Exchange, SQL Server, SharePoint, and Active Directory.	Acronis Backup for Windows Server Essentials
Acronis Backup Workstation Subscription License	Image and file backup and recovery of your entire Microsoft Windows PCs/tablets and Mac® computers for complete protection of your users' desktops and laptops.	Acronis Backup for PC
Acronis Backup Advanced for Server	Advanced protection of your Windows Server, Linux, VMware vSphere, Microsoft Hyper-V, Citrix XenServer, KVM, RHEV, Oracle VM, Microsoft Exchange, Microsoft SQL Server, Microsoft SharePoint, and Microsoft Active Directory, including deduplication, support of tape devices, and reporting.	Acronis Backup Advanced Universal License Acronis Backup Advanced for Windows Server Acronis Backup Advanced for Linux Server Acronis Backup Advanced for VMware Acronis Backup Advanced for Hyper-V Acronis Backup Advanced for Xen Server Acronis Backup Advanced for KVM Acronis Backup Advanced for RHEV Acronis Backup Advanced for Oracle VM Acronis Backup Advanced for Exchange Acronis Backup Advanced for SQL Acronis Backup Advanced for SharePoint Acronis Backup Advanced for Active Directory
Acronis Backup Advanced for PC	Advanced protection of your Windows PCs, including deduplication, support of tape devices, and reporting.	Acronis Backup Advanced for PC

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