

# Top five considerations for Microsoft 365 data protection

Combining the benefits of Microsoft apps with the scalability and efficiency of the cloud, many enterprises rely on Microsoft 365 as their primary software suite for business productivity. However, an important capability is missing data protection. Deploying a cloud-native third-party data protection solution for SaaS applications like Microsoft 365 is hugely important to protect your organization.

## Is your Microsoft 365 data protected? Consider the following:



## 3-2-1 security compliance

Backing up Microsoft 365 data with Microsoft 365 itself doesn't meet the 3-2-1 security standard recommended by virtually all security professionals: three copies of data with two backups on different platforms/ media and one remote backup.



### **Simplicity**

Can end-users and administrators quickly and easily restore files regardless of their age or when they were last accessed? On the device of their choice? Recovering files in Microsoft 365 can be problematic if the deleted files have been purged from the recycle bin.



#### **Anomaly alerting**

Malware attacks typically start to rename, delete, or encrypt files en masse. Except for offering support for relatively recent deletions, Microsoft does not protect against malicious insider attacks that aim to destroy or alter data. A SaaS data protection solution can automatically monitor file status and detect odd changes (anomalies) and alert IT.



# eDiscovery enablement

Does your company's legal team have timely and easy access to virtually all of your current and historic enterprise data? Inadequate visibility to corporate data could cost your company both legal fees and lawsuit outcomes.



## Total cost of ownership (TCO) savings

Although the Microsoft 365 E5 subscription includes some protection, combining the Microsoft 365 E3 subscription plan with a powerful third-party data protection solution will typically cost less and offer significantly greater protection than an E5 plan alone.

#### Check out

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