

FileTek Releases StorHouse/FTP

Active Archive Alliance founding member, FileTek, has released StorHouse/FTP, an optimized FTP server that provides high-speed, sequential retrieval of very large (multi-gigabyte) StorHouse files using any standard FTP client. FTP retrieval is in addition to native NFS and CIFS support that StorHouse® Linux-based servers already provide. With NFS, CIFS, and FTP interfaces, StorHouse® customers can optimize retrieval performance based on client operating system requirements, application use cases, and file size.

The StorHouse logo features the word "StorHouse" in a teal, sans-serif font, with a registered trademark symbol (®) to the right. The text is contained within a white rounded rectangular border.The FileTek logo consists of the word "FileTek" in a white, bold, sans-serif font, set against a teal square background.

StorHouse/FTP provides many benefits to StorHouse® customers who use the product as an enterprise active archive for their multi-gigabyte media/entertainment, life sciences/pharmaceutical, intelligence/defense, research/high-performance computing, and engineering/seismic data. These benefits include enhanced “jet-speed-like” retrieval performance; flexibility to use any standard GUI or command-line FTP client; specialized features that optimize tape retrieval, including buffered, sequential, read-ahead processing to maximize tape’s inherent data streaming capability; and near-linear performance as customers add new tape drives and run multiple concurrent retrieval streams.

FUJIFILM

Fujifilm’s StoragelQ to offer Quick Verify Feature

Active Archive Alliance voting member, Fujifilm, has added a new Quick Verify feature to its StoragelQ Archive Verification service. StoragelQ is an annual service offered by Fujifilm and is powered by the Crossroads ReadVerify® Appliance (RVA). The RVA can now read individual LTO cartridge memory, displaying the information, and alerting on the condition of the EOD (End of Data) marker.

The optional Archive Verification feature of StoragelQ ensures all tape media is readable for recovery and compliance audits. Verification is scheduled using the RVA web based GUI and operates independent of the backup application and verifies the entire written length of tape media producing a report that identifies the condition of archived media. StoragelQ is the perfect companion for an active archive!

Fujifilm helps make tape storage smarter and even more efficient and scalable. By monitoring and reporting on the entire tape library environment, StoragelQ proactively validates the integrity of active archive tape storage resulting in improved data safety and significant cost savings. The RVA is a stand-alone, easy-to-install fibre channel appliance with complete support for mixed vendor environments.

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Applications/Software

**FileTek – Active Archive Products: StorHouse**

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**Atempo – Active Archive Product: Atempo Digital Archive (ADA)**

Atempo enables organizations to preserve and protect digital information simply and effectively, across any infrastructure, on any platform, over long periods of time. Atempo's comprehensive archiving solutions deliver policy-based and workflow-driven management of rich media files, e-mail and other high-value digital assets to maximize the efficiency and performance of storage systems and reduce long-term storage costs. Atempo's fully-integrated software portfolio also includes backup and recovery of heterogeneous servers, workstations and laptops throughout the enterprise – from the data center to remote offices. Atempo serves thousands of customers around the world through a sales and support network of over 200 resellers and partners. For more info visit www.atempo.com

**QStar Technologies – Active Archive Products include Data Director and HSM Archive Replicator**

QStar Technologies is a leading provider of enterprise class archive, data management and disaster prevention software and solutions. QStar's software virtualizes one or more archive storage technologies, presenting a network share that provides users and applications direct access to the archive. QStar's solutions employ the 3-2-1 Archiving and Data Protection Best Practice, endorsed by leading storage analysts, which creates a solid foundation for a robust archive architecture without demanding proprietary hardware or infrastructure. Established in 1987, thousands of companies worldwide rely on QStar for the secure, cost effective and reliable storage protection of their valuable digital assets. For more information, visit www.qstar.com

**GRAU DATA AG – Active Archive Products: ArchiveManager, FileLock**

GRAU DATA AG offers unsurpassed Windows and Linux based archive software solutions which reduce risk, optimize performance and minimize compliance issues for users at 100's of organizations worldwide. Based on its in-depth understanding of archiving, GRAU DATA AG developed its ARCHIVEMANAGER and FILELOCK software to help organizations comply with industry regulations while utilizing open systems hardware solutions. The company supports organizations in government, manufacturing, finance, education and healthcare industries. Established in 1999, GRAU DATA AG is a privately held company with headquarters in Schwabisch Gmund, Germany, and sales offices in North America and Europe. More info available at www.graadata.com

Hardware

**DELL Storage – Active Archive Products: Dell DX Object Storage Platform**

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**SGI – Active Archive Products: LiveArc, DMF 5, CXFS 6 Active Archive Disk Products: InfiniteStorage, COPAN 400)**

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**Crossroads Systems, Inc. (CRDS.PK) – Active Archive Products: ReadVerify Appliance (RVA)**

Crossroads Systems, Inc. is a global provider of solutions and services that ensure stored data is proactively protected and reliably recovered. Crossroads offers organizations powerful data protection, proactive data security, intelligent storage connectivity, unmatched performance and significant cost savings. Founded in 1996 and headquartered in Austin, Texas, Crossroads holds more than 100 patents granted and patents pending and has been honored with numerous industry awards for innovation in data protection and storage. For more information visit their website at www.crossroads.com

**Spectra Logic – Active Archive Products: T-Series Tape Libraries**

Spectra Logic defines, designs and delivers innovative data protection and backup solutions through tape backup, disk-based backup, recovery and archive storage solutions. By igniting innovation they challenge expectations of the data protection market with intelligent, integrated, and simple to use backup and archive technologies. Throughout their 30-plus-year history they have delivered high-density, feature rich storage with unmatched service and support to customers worldwide. For more info, go to www.spectralogic.com

**FUJIFILM Recording Media U.S.A., Inc. – Active Archive Products: LTO Ultrium 1-5 and 3592 Tape Cartridges, StorageIQ Services)**

FUJIFILM Recording Media U.S.A. is the U.S.-based manufacturing, marketing and sales operations of professional broadcast video and data tape recording media for FUJIFILM Corporation. Based on a history of thin-film engineering and magnetic particle science such as Fujifilm NANOCUBIC technology, now including barium-ferrite particles, Fujifilm creates breakthrough products for the industry. Fujifilm is a leader in supplying the IT industry with advanced storage media including LTO Ultrium and enterprise-class data tape featuring the lowest cost per GB for mass storage applications while requiring very low power. Fujifilm provides broadcast and data center customers and industry partners with a wide range of data center accessories, value-added services and programs. For details, visit www.fujifilmusa.com/tapestorage