

Global File Servers to SharePoint & Teams

A business with five on-premise file servers spread across the world was paying to maintain aging hardware while staff struggled to find the right version of any document.

KEY RESULTS

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on-prem file servers retired

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of staff with secure cloud access, no VPN required

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file-related support tickets

BEFORE

- Five physical file servers in different countries, all out of warranty and nearing end of life
- No consistent backup or disaster recovery plan across sites
- Staff emailing files back and forth, creating duplicate and outdated versions
- VPN-only access for remote workers, causing slow performance and support tickets

AFTER

- 5 -> 0 - on-prem file servers retired
- 100% - of staff with secure cloud access, no VPN required
- -70% - file-related support tickets
- Audited every server, share and permission set before touching any data

"For the first time in years I can open the right file from anywhere without asking three people where it lives."

- Operations director, international services firm