



Disaster Recovery & Business Continuity

System failures, human errors and natural disasters can cripple an organisation's operations in a moment. The consequences can be serious enough that your business will never recover. Research organisation Gartner estimates that two out of every five businesses that experience an IT disaster will close within five years.

Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity minimises the risk to your business from unexpected events. However, implementing systems that provide protection can require significant capital investment, consume staff resources and require specialist skills that are not available to many businesses. Many companies fall short of delivering a plan that meets their needs and only find out when it is too late.

BlueFire can help. We have invested millions of dollars in secure data centres that can deliver world-class disaster recovery services to your business. BlueFire's Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity service ensures your organisation can get back up and running almost immediately in the event of a disaster.

Importantly, the service is delivered for a fixed monthly fee, which allows your business to control costs by eliminating the need to purchase and maintain expensive equipment that may only be needed in a case of emergency.

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Hosted Disaster Recovery

BlueFire's Hosted Disaster Recovery service protects your business from loss of income following a disaster. Our storage area network (SAN) and server replication experts will replicate the entire contents of your servers to one of our data centre facilities.

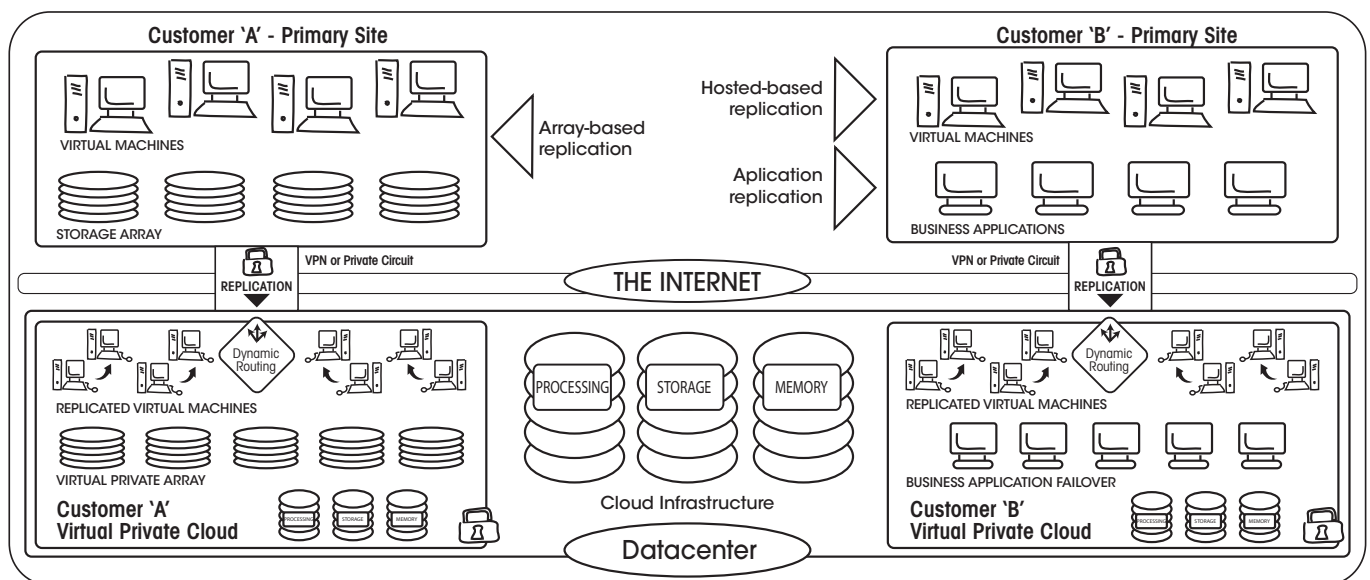
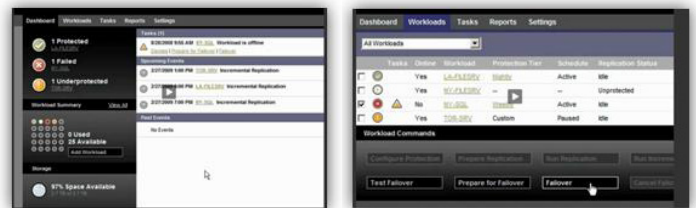
In the event of a disaster, your staff can simply use a web browser to access your network resources. Our experts ensure that your data will be available within a timeframe specified by you. You may need your network back online in seconds, minutes or hours – BlueFire can make sure that any unforeseen disaster will have minimal impact on your business within the timeframe you require for specific services.

BlueFire Hosted Disaster Recovery Services support array based SAN-to-SAN replication or host-based replication. BlueFire also support automation & workflow technologies such as VMware Site Recovery Manager.

This application automates the replication and failover process between VMware virtual server sites.

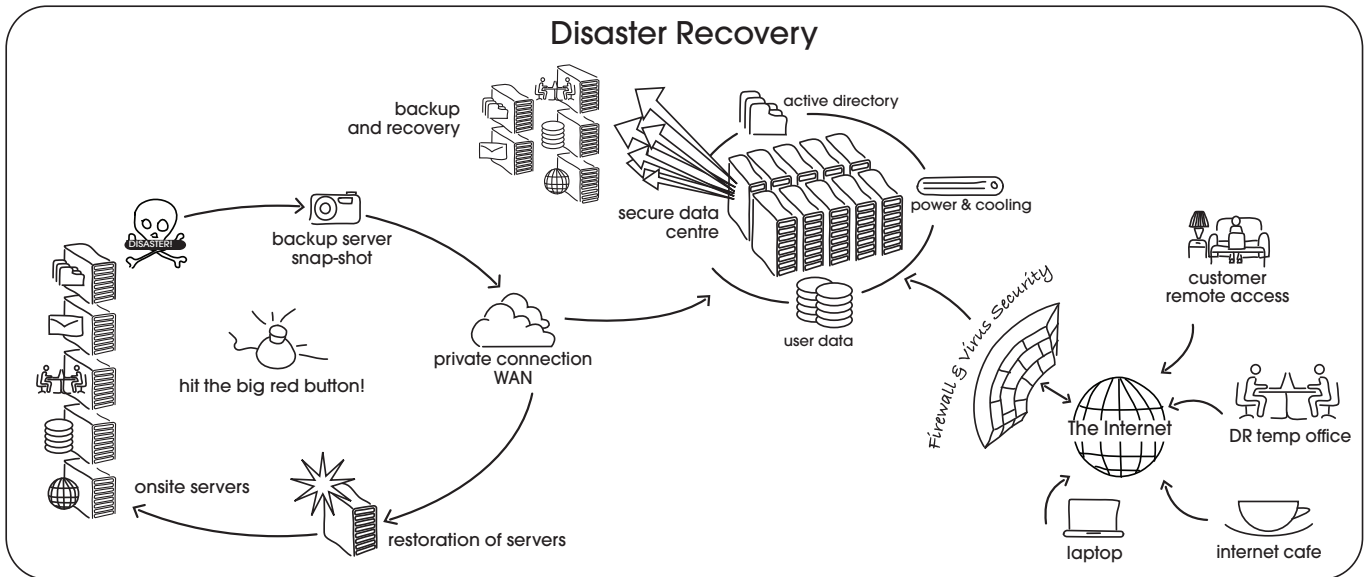
Your infrastructure is replicated at intervals based on your requirements to our data centre, which acts as your disaster recovery site. If your production servers fails or there is a disaster, it will enable you to action a failover to a redundant system so your business can continue to run as normal.

A self-service portal also allows you to deploy, test and manage your disaster recovery services at any time.



Key Benefits

- Guarantees full system recovery in the event of a disaster
- Enterprise-class replication and recovery capabilities
- Reduces the cost of downtime and disruptions to your business
- Reduce TCO on infrastructure, data centre and IT resource costs
- Eliminates CAPEX costs with an easy monthly service schedule
- Supports array and host-based replication
- Provides flexible, self-service data recovery and testing options
- Return Home Solution makes it simple to fail-back to your production environment



Business Continuity Suites

BlueFire offers Business Continuity Suites, located on the Sydney city fringe in our North Ryde head office. This facility provides businesses with a location to continue operating in the event of an unexpected disaster such as a fire, chemical spill, utility failure or flood. These events can prevent organisations from operating for significant periods of time, costing time, money and lost opportunities.

Each seat inside this centre is equipped with a PC, telephone and Internet access. Meeting rooms, staff lockers and technical assistance is available on demand. The suites can be accessed 24x7x365.



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