

Streamline Information Access and eDiscovery to Control Risks and Reduce Costs

Enable Corporate IT and Legal Teams to Keep Information Assets from Becoming Liabilities

KEY BENEFITS

- Reduce in-house eDiscovery burdens and costly outsourcing fees
- Mitigate the threat of sanctions and fines
- Empower legal and business teams to conduct their own eDiscovery searches, eliminating the IT bottleneck
- Leverage search across multiple data types from a single platform
- Address legal hold requirements across all ESI
- Enable a consistent, repeatable and defensible strategy for all ESI
- Perform early case assessments and prepare for opposing counsel negotiation
- Provide audit-ready reporting
- Ensure the integrity of original data for it's court submission

The Challenge

E-Discovery today represents 35% of the cost of litigation, and companies that fail to produce information in a timely or appropriate manner face the risk of paying millions of dollars in sanctions and fines, not to mention loss of corporate reputation, lost revenue and embarrassment (Osterman Research, June 2008). To complicate matters, the amount of data being stored, managed, administered and protected by organizations is exploding. Evolving case law, regulatory pressures and privacy acts only add to the confusion. As a result, eDiscovery timeframes and compliance SLAs are regularly being overshot, causing unnecessary risk and exposure.

Fortunately, there is a solution. CommVault® Simpana™ enables organizations to investigate message and file archives, along with backup data, providing the most comprehensive and risk adverse electronic disclosure solution that exists today. Having an effective and proactive legal discovery strategy can mitigate risk and reduce the costs associated with litigation.

The CommVault® Solution

Responding to legal action is more than just archiving. The capability to manage backup data, along with archived messages, is becoming increasingly more important as courts begin to look beyond email for discovery. CommVault software uniquely provides capabilities for search and retrieval across all data types and data copies with our Singular Information Management™ software suite. A single interface enables the archive, find, search and retrieval capabilities necessary to meet the increasing demands for retention and retrieval regardless of data source or media type.

Additionally, CommVault's singular approach allows companies to effectively execute legal holds across all Electronically Stored Information (ESI). Unlike traditional legal hold technologies, CommVault's legal hold feature spans email, files and backup tapes to minimize corporate disruption, maximize protection and eliminate the reckless disposal of evidence based on regular retention policies.

Not limited to legal action, users abiding by internal governance or compliance rules can also leverage the legal hold feature set for adherence to company policies that mandate the retention and disposal of certain documents and information.

Save Time and Money

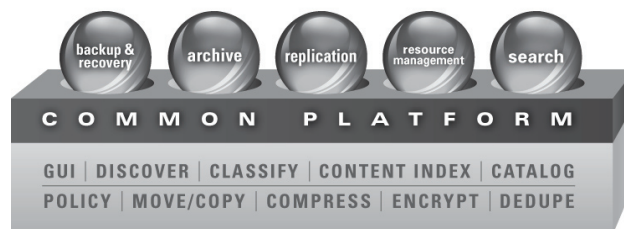
Consider the true costs of eDiscovery, apart from the obvious risk of fines or sanctions due to data management missteps. The drain on corporate resources, the results of lost productivity from legal fishing expeditions, the astronomical costs of outsourcing eDiscovery actions – all of which directly influence your company's bottom line.



KEY CAPABILITIES

- **Advanced search and find.** eDiscovery is faster and simpler with powerful filters that enable users to quickly identify and reduce the number of files and email messages needed to review. Search result views allow users to utilize annotation tags and organize search results.
- **Point-and-click management.** Simpana simplifies data management of all ESI by offering an integrated suite operated from a single dashboard.
- **“One-click” legal holds.** Preserve authenticity and integrity of data. Legal holds can be administered globally and/or selectively across the enterprise based on search criteria and/or custodian.
- **“Post” legal hold considerations.** This includes reclassification of held content, data movement, consolidation and/or timely destruction of held content, regardless of infrastructure.
- **Cull and Reduce ESI volume.** Reduce the volume in-house, before being sent in for costly review and processing by an outside firm.
- **Built-in reporting.** Get all the information you need, when you need it. Ensure the evidentiary integrity of content with “point and click” reporting.
- **Export result sets** to XML document format for seamless integration with in-house case management.

These are just a few reasons why so many organizations rely on CommVault’s Simpana to meet their eDiscovery needs. CommVault empowers legal and IT users to proactively gain better control of their ESI in-house, increase the re-use of data and reduce overall costs and risks.



CommVault® Simpana® Software Singular Information Management®

Streamline eDiscovery and Information Access

CommVault’s Singular Architecture offers a holistic approach to managing all ESI, from creation to proper disposition, with one interface. Advanced search capabilities span both online and offline data to rapidly respond to eDiscovery requests. Using a single console, the amount of data repositories that need to be searched in response to litigation are reduced. This is clear differentiator over other “point solutions” in the market.

Minimize Risk and Exposure

There is no doubt we live in litigious times. Chances are pretty high that your organization is a target for litigation or electronic discovery. In fact, ESI is used in 3 out of 4 lawsuits involving the Fortune 500. A consistent, repeatable and defensible strategy for promptly meeting eDiscovery challenges is the only way your organization can reduce the risk of a legal or public relations nightmare.

CommVault’s Simpana provides an unprecedented level of business intelligence from all types of ESI, arming you with the most accurate picture (i.e. data map) in any discovery situation. This enables you to make better informed decisions and assess your legal strategy with confidence.

Conclusion

CommVault Simpana is the only product that delivers file, email and document management across replication, backup and archive data as part of a proven and unified data management solution. CommVault’s unique, single architecture reduces the amount of data repositories that need to be searched in response to litigation. From a single console, meet eDiscovery and compliance challenges with powerful search, retrieval and management of all ESI.

For More Information on CommVault solutions for eDiscovery environments:

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CommVault’s Simpana® suite of Data Protection, Archive, Replication, Resource Management and Search software is designed to work together seamlessly from the ground up, sharing a single code and common function set. This exclusive single-platform architecture enables unparalleled software efficiency, performance and reliability for unprecedented control over data growth, costs and risk.