

Guardian Steady

DESIGNED FOR ACTIVE RESILIENCE - RECOVERY IS GOAL

THE PROBLEM

Most organizations still build their security strategy around preventing the attack. But attacks are still getting through— and the pace is accelerating. Cybersecurity Ventures predicts that by 2031, ransomware will attack a business, consumer, or device every two seconds.

That's why modern ransomware operators don't just target production systems - they target recovery. They go after backup infrastructure and recovery dependencies: deleting shadow copies, encrypting catalogs, corrupting recovery points, and undermining your confidence in what's safe to restore.

Traditional backup was built for a world of hardware failures and accidental deletions. In a ransomware incident, "we have backups" doesn't mean "we can recover" - because your last good backup may be compromised, incomplete, or untrusted when you need it most.

When the attack finally triggers, your "last good backup" might not be available or compromised.

SERVICE OVERVIEW

Guardian Steady is a proactive cyber resilience service designed to continuously test recovery capabilities, test cyber recovery processes, and enable organizations to remain prepared to recover quickly and confidently from cyber incidents.

By combining recovery testing, cleanroom validation, threat analysis, and cloud recovery, Guardian Steady helps organizations maintain operational readiness while identifying opportunities to strengthen active resilience over time.

The service is available in Gold and Platinum tiers, allowing customers to select the offering that best meets their needs. compromised, incomplete, or untrusted when you need it most.

CUSTOMER OUTCOMES

- Proven recovery readiness through testing and validation
- Increased confidence in cyber recovery capabilities
- Enhanced cleanroom and isolated recovery preparedness
- Improved visibility into threats impacting recoverability
- Strengthened cloud and SaaS recovery resilience
- Standardized recovery testing processes and runbooks
- Actionable recommendations and continuous improvement roadmap
- Develop muscle memory to reduce recovery risk and improved operational resilience

KEY COMPONENTS AND BENEFITS

- **Cyber Recovery Testing**

- Exercise of recovery processes, procedures, and recovery objectives
- Testing of critical applications and workloads

- **Cleanroom / Air-Gap Protect Validation**

- Immutable recovery environment testing
- Recovery workflow testing in isolated environments

- **ThreatScan Analysis**

- Identification of threats impacting clean recovery
- Recovery confidence validation through threat-aware testing

- **SecurityIQ**

- Evaluation of security posture and cyber recovery readiness
- Alignment between security operations and recovery capabilities

- **Clumio (Platinum)**

- Cloud data protection and recovery readiness testing
- Cloud workload resilience assessment

- **Cloud Rewind (Platinum)**

- Cloud application recovery preparedness
- Configuration and recovery capability testing

- **Custom Recovery Testing Runbook**

- Creation of tailored recovery testing procedures
- Standardized execution and documentation for ongoing customer-led testing

- **Recommendations & Strategic Roadmap**

- Prioritized remediation opportunities
- Improvement plan for cyber resilience

WHAT IS ACTIVE RESILIENCE?

Active Resilience is the ability to confidently answer two critical questions:

- **Are you protected?**
- **Can you recover?**

Commvault Services helps you answer **YES** to both - not just at go-live, but consistently over time. This confidence is built by helping you achieve capability, not dependency.

Through structured knowledge transfer, clear and reusable document deliverables, and witness testing that supports recovery outcomes, your teams can gain the skills, evidence, and operational readiness required to recover. Protection enables resilience, but recovery is the goal - and Active Resilience enables you to be able to achieve it when it matters most.

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