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### Mimosa Systems: Next Generation Archiving Solutions

**W**ho is **Mimosa Systems**? Mimosa Systems enables enterprises to efficiently manage their unstructured and semi-structured information, while reducing business process costs and risk. As the recognized visionary in enterprise content archiving, Mimosa is driving innovation in the industry and is continually delivering cutting-edge solutions to address the evolving needs of customers around archiving, retention, ediscovery and backup.

#### **SharePoint Archiving with Mimosa Systems: Protect your Organization from Costly Growth and Possible eDiscovery Nightmares**

According to an Enterprise Storage Group research article, around one in three (33%) North American and Western European organizations are currently using SharePoint and an additional 13% plan to do so in the near future. In fact, SharePoint is the fastest growing server product for Microsoft today. With fast growth and rapid adoption come many challenges, as nearly one quarter (25%) of early adopters believe the backup process is more challenging for SharePoint than for other applications.

With most mailboxes and file shares blocked with storage limits, SharePoint is rapidly becoming the next dumping ground in organizations and special care needs to be taken to prevent excessive growth. In addition to the increased use of SharePoint as a dumping ground by users, the rapid growth of document libraries is also caused by the lack of deduplication of content within SharePoint.



It is apparent that organizations are still confused about the difference between backup and archiving since more than half (54%) of those archiving SharePoint are using traditional backup applications to do so—which is the wrong approach to solve this growing problem.

Archiving, as in moving content from expensive SharePoint document libraries to cheaper storage, makes sense from a cost and growth management perspective. It allows for the content to still be accessible for the end user, while reducing the cost associated with large SharePoint farms.

By implementing an archiving strategy organizations also gain the benefit of improved backup and recovery times, and assistance with complying with regulations and policies that can be hard to track and support. These increasingly stricter compliance policies affect all content in an organization and the inevitable eDiscovery requests that will come not only require email content to be handed over, but also content residing inside SharePoint farms.

For more information please visit [www.mimosasystems.com/spbackup](http://www.mimosasystems.com/spbackup) to get a copy of our new whitepaper, **“Backup and Recovery Challenges with SharePoint.”**

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