



FILELOCK - Simplify Compliance

A cost-effective software solution for data archiving

Archival & Compliance Storage Software For Magnetic Disk

Archive & Compliance storage are both emerging as important issues for organizations. With 20+ year data retention being common and 12,000+ regulations, including SOX, SEC-17a and HIPAA, all businesses, regardless of size, are being challenged to preserve their data.

FILELOCK is a simple cost effective software only solution that can help organizations meet their archival & compliance requirements.

FILELOCK Overview

FILELOCK is a storage hardware independent software product which ensures WORM functionality with standard Microsoft NTFS file systems.

An ever-increasing amount of data must be preserved in an unchangeable format for compliance reasons in accordance with country and industry specific legal requirements. This makes FILELOCK the perfect solution.

FILELOCK allows written files to be read, but not to be altered within a set lifetime. Only when this "retention period" is up, can this data be altered or deleted. Unauthorized access is no longer possible with FILELOCK. Even existing NTFS file systems can subsequently be write-protected. FILELOCK runs under Microsoft Windows and also under VMware on "Virtual Machines". Every application, local or remote, can read/write data directly to an NTFS file system protected by FILELOCK.

As FILELOCK is able to use the existing host and storage infrastructure, an audit-compliant archive can be implemented in a very cost-effective manner. FILELOCK can be seamlessly integrated into this existing software environment. All requirements and applications like system management, backup, virus scanner, accounting or virtualization software can continue to be operated with no adaptation required. FILELOCK is scalable in accordance with customer requirements. Installations can be made under virtual machines as well as on complex 64-bit cluster structures with no difficulties.

Unlike many existing compliance storage management products, FILELOCK aims to simplify compliance and archiving.

FILELOCK Customer Benefits

FILELOCK enables simple and audit-compliant archiving of company data according to country regulations such as SOX (Sarbanes-Oxley Act). An ideal approach, for example, to migrate data from technically out-dated robotic library based archival storage systems. This brings about considerable reductions of costs because the existing IT infrastructure can continue to be used. The user continues to use their normal data access methods. With the archived data being directly available to the user via a Microsoft NTFS volume; in a non-alterable format.

FILELOCK Features:

- Transparent magnetic WORM file system.
- Works with any Microsoft NTFS file system volume.
- Supports any magnetic disk like subsystem, completely hardware independent.
- Supports fixed and removable storage devices.
- Works with all application and utility programs.
- Easily integrates into an existing infrastructure.
- Even existing NTFS volumes with user files can be subsequently write-protected.
- Scalable licensing by individual FILELOCK volume capacity. No host license fees.
- Audit-compliant such as SOX (Sarbanes-Oxley Act)
- Fast performance with very low overhead.
- User configurable file/directory retention.
- Network friendly; iSCSI and remote NTFS volume shares via CIFS or NFS.
- Offers SnapLock functionality.
- Built-in replication service for mirroring FILELOCK volumes.
- No proprietary API's.
- Supports Microsoft cluster environments.
- Works with virtual machines; VMware Ready.
- Simple and user friendly; with GUI.

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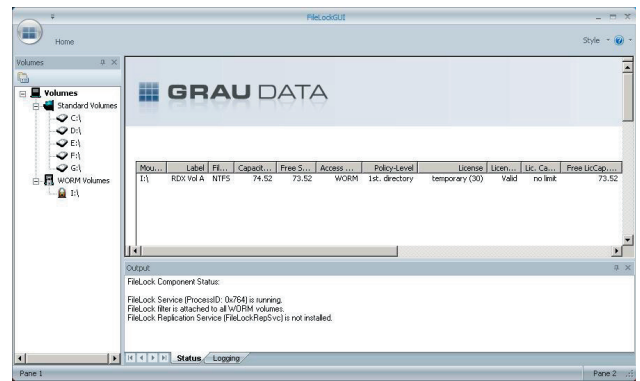
GRAU DATA

GRAU DATA AG offers unsurpassed Windows and Linux based archive software solutions, which reduce risk, optimize performance and minimize compliance issues for users at 100's of organizations worldwide. Based on its in-depth understanding of archiving, GRAU DATA AG developed its ARCHIVEMANAGER and FILELOCK software to help organizations comply with industry regulations while utilizing open systems hardware solutions. The company supports organizations in government, manufacturing, finance, education and healthcare industries. Established in 1999, GRAU DATA AG is a privately held company with headquarters in Schwabisch Gmünd, Germany.

Storage Clarity

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Storage Clarity is a full service value-added distributor and integrator specializing in archiving, compliance and data-protection storage solutions, software and services. The company's goal is building lasting partner and customer relationships to deliver innovative, reliable, and cost effective solutions. Established in 2009, Storage Clarity is a privately held company with headquarters in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

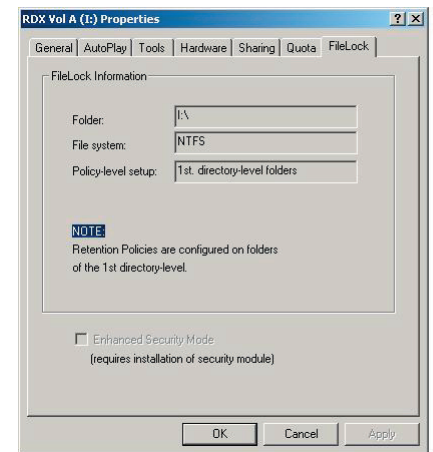


Minimum Host Requirements:

- 200 MHz processor
- 512 MB RAM
- 25 MB hard disk space

Supported Windows Platforms:

- Desktop Windows 32/64 bit XP, Vista & Windows 7/8
- Server Windows 32/64 bit 2003, 2008 & 2012



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