

Re: suitable plan for Log backup

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When deciding how often to back up the log, probably the main consideration is risk... If the server burns completely up, you will have lost all the transactions since the last log backup... To reduce the risk backup the log more frequently, many people back the log up hourly, but I have backups as frequently as every 10 minutes...

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"Aryan" <Aryan@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
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> Hi,

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> I have a 2GB database and the size of log file is approximately 1.5GB. For backup, I have defined a maintenance plan for DB & Log files. Unfortunately, after backup the size of log file does not decrease. It is said that after log file backup, SQL server eliminate the inactive logs automatically.

> What is the best plan for Backup in SQL server? I mean, a plan for backup of DB/Log files and also we can have a log file in a suitable size.

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> Thanks in advance

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> Aryan

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