

## Re: Your backup is from a different version.. Cannot restore backu

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SPIN is a utility provided to import data into SPS 2003 that was exported from a Sharepoint 2001 server.

<http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyID=FEEA83B4-7F46-4040-BCE2-5341E5C1B107&disp>

"Salva" wrote:

> *Hi Timothy*

> *What do you mean by SPIN?? I don't understand.*

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> *-Salva*

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> *"Timothy S. Matheny" <TimothySMatheny@discussions.microsoft.com> skrev i en*

> *meddelelse news:946B7651-4594-4876-8D3B-3C44751CB6D5@microsoft.com...*

> *> I am having what seems to be the same problem. I have a series of backups*

> *> made with the backup and restore tool I have tried to restore from. I can*

> *> restore backups made prior to using SPIN to import files from our SP2001*

> *> server. Backups made after using SPIN give the schema error and will not*

> *> restore.*

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>> *"Salva" wrote:*

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>>> *The "old" site was also updated with SP1 but I have tried to restore with*

>>> *and without SP1..*

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>>> *"Juhani" <Juhani@nospam.com> skrev i en meddelelse*

>>> *news:etAdnR1FFHA.548@TK2MSFTNGP14.phx.gbl...*

>>> *> It usually means that the old site was not WSS SP1 and the new one is.*

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>>>> *You mention that the new one is SP1 but is the old one SP1 ? That you*

>>>> *don't*

>>>> *say.*

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>>>> *Juhani*

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> > > "Salva" <salvanone@hotmail.com> wrote in message  
> > > news:#EUMmt0FFHA.2676@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...  
> > > I was having a problem with the search option in Sharepoint so I  
> > > decided  
> > > to  
> > > backup the whole site with the GUI backup tool and uninstall  
> > > Sharepoint  
> > > and  
> > > SQL 2000. It succeeds without any problems.  
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> > > I install SPS and SQL 2000 with SP1 and SP3a for. No problems  
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> > >  
> > > Now when I use the stsadm.exe tool to restore a backed up database to  
> > > a  
> > > site  
> > > I receive the following error:  
> > > "Your backup is from a different version of Windows Sharepoint  
> > > Services  
> > > and  
> > > cannot be restored to a server running the current version." and the  
> > > restoration fails.  
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> > > If I use the GUI backup and restore tool it also fails and in the log  
> > > it  
> > > says that my database schema is old and I should upgrade it.  
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> > > Does anybody know what this means and what I can do about it?  
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> > > Is there any extra hotfix or update I could have missed for  
> > > Sharepoint?  
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> > > I have also tried to use my backup for SQL but it's the same problem  
> > > when  
> > > I  
> > > want to connect Sharepoint to the database. The database schema is  
> > > old –  
> > > upgrade it and continue.

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> >> >> *Can anybody help??*  
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> >> >> *-Salva*  
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