

Re: help with bare metal restore of boot volume

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Hello ThomasMc07,

Insert the installation disk in the server and follow the installation part, so when you installed the server the 1st time. Then install SPs and patches etc. Now you can use the article.

Best regards

Meinolf Weber

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The article doesn't say anything about how to restore the original OS, applications, etc. That's what I need to do. Otherwise, there is no reason to use the backup.

Is it possible to restore the original OS with ntbakup?

Thomas McLeod

"Meinolf Weber [MVP-DS]" wrote:

Hello ThomasMc07,

If you use a full server backup with ntbakup created you need of course the same OS version that provides you again with ntbakup. Check the article how to do it complete.

Best regards

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I'm not sure I'm following you. Are you saying that I need to install Windows 2000 Server and then do the restore right over the current running copy of the OS? Is this possible? What about over-writing the registry?

"Meinolf Weber [MVP-DS]" wrote:

Hello ThomasMc07,

To use a backup with ntbakup create you have to prepare the server with a 2000 server installation with the same SP and patch level and also applications on it. Then the backup should not interfere with the current setup.

See also here:

<http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/bb727048.aspx>

Best regards

Meinolf Weber