

Re: NTBACKUP on XP Fails to Restore .BKF File from CD

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I tried to restore from Backup MyPC, but that also failed.

Thanks anyway.

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Gary Grathen

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"Harry Ohrn" wrote:

> I don't know if this will help in your situation but you might try the
> Orilogix trailware version of Backup MyPC 4.85 which is fully functional for
> 30 days. The NTBackup program is based on this app which was originally
> developed by Veritas.

> <http://downloads.zdnet.co.uk/0,39025604,39058072s,00.htm>

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> (This version is not to be confused with the Backup MyPC trailware that is
> distributed by Stompinc)

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> Harry Ohrn MS-MVP [Shell/User]

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> "Gary Grathen" <GaryGrathen@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message

> news:353E7820-1E13-432A-9B60-1AD4BA1C8CC8@microsoft.com...

> > I'm getting the following error message when I try to restore a .BKF file
> created on a CD with the NTBACKUP application on Windows XP Professional:

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> > "Unrecognized media

> > The backup file contains unrecognized data and cannot be used."

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> > I have two different backups on two different CDs, each getting the same
> > error message. The backups completed successfully with no indication of a
> > problem.

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> > My old hard drive crashed and I lost all the data (the local computer
> > repair shop could not recover the files). I get the above error message when
> > I run the "restore files" function from the Windows XP NTBACKUP application.

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> > I tried to copy the .BKF file on the CD to my new hard drive and got this
> > error message:

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> > "Error copying file or folder

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> > Cannot copy BACKUP: Data error (cyclic redundancy check)"
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> > Since the NTBACKUP backups completed successfully, I made the assumption
> > (which was wrong, apparently), that the "restore" function would also be
> > successful.
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> > If I can't restore the two backup files on these two CDs, I will lose all
> > my data, which is a very painful prospect. If anyone has any idea on how to
> > restore the .BKF file or how to copy it to a hard drive (getting around the
> > CRC error), please advise.
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> > Thanks much.
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> > Gary Grathen
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