

Quest[®] NetVault[®] Bare Metal Recovery Plug-in Server 12.4 Release Notes

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These release notes provide information about the Quest[®] NetVault[®] Bare Metal Recovery Plug-in *Server* release.

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About this release

NetVault Bare Metal Recovery Plug-in *Server* 12.4 is a minor release, with enhanced features and functionality. For complete product documentation, visit <https://support.quest.com/technical-documents/>.

Known issues

The following is a list of issues, including issues attributed to third-party products, known to exist at the time of release.

Table 1. General known issues

Known issue	Issue ID
NetVault Backup Server only backs up the selected partitions when the Disk Raw Mode option is enabled. If only a few partitions are selected with the Disk Raw Mode option enabled, only the selected partitions are backed up. Workaround: Select the entire disk for backup before selecting Disk Raw Mode . NOTE: If the entire disk is selected but some of the partitions are crossed out and the Disk Raw Mode option is enabled, the entire disk is backed up. You cannot exclude partitions when the Disk Raw Mode option is enabled.	DNBMR-434 (17712, VOG-173)
Cannot restore Virtual Machine Disk (VMDK) Images concurrently.	DNBMR-523 (17801, VOG-95)
Cannot restore a VMDK Image to a shared network drive.	DNBMR-524 (17802, VOG-96)
The plug-in does not support Plug-in <i>Offline Client</i> for Linux backup and restore jobs that use NetVault SmartDisk as a target.	DNBMR-1015, DNBMR-1096 (28860, 32464)

System requirements

Before installing NetVault Bare Metal Recovery Plug-in *Server* 12.4, ensure that your system meets the requirements outlined in the *Quest NetVault Backup Compatibility Guide* available at <https://support.quest.com/technical-documents>.

Upgrade and compatibility

For complete supported-platform information, see the *Quest NetVault Backup Compatibility Guide*.

Product licensing

To obtain the license key for your NetVault Backup Server environment, determine the NetVault Machine ID of your main NetVault Backup Server. Also identify the machine IDs of any clients running application plug-ins, such as Oracle, MySQL, PostgreSQL, SQL Server, and Exchange.

You can use the NetVault Configuration Wizard to install the product license keys. Alternatively, you can install the license keys from the Manage Clients page.

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Obtaining a machine ID

- 1 Start the NetVault Backup WebUI.
- 2 In the Navigation pane, click **Manage Clients**.
- 3 In the **NetVault Backup Clients** list, select the applicable machine, and click **Manage**.
- 4 On the **View Client** page, note the machine ID exactly as it is displayed in the **Client Summary** table.

Installing a license key using the configuration wizard

- 1 In the Navigation pane, click **Guided Configuration**.
- 2 On the **NetVault Configuration Wizard** page, click **Install Licenses**.
- 3 In the **NetVault Backup Clients** list, select the applicable machine, and click **Next**.
- 4 In the **Enter the license key string** box, type or copy and paste the license key, and click **Apply**.
After the key is applied successfully, a message is displayed.

Installing a license key from the Manage Clients page

- 1 In the Navigation pane, click **Manage Clients**.
- 2 In the **NetVault Backup Clients** list, select the applicable machine, and click **Manage**.
- 3 On the **View Client** page, click **Install License**.
- 4 In the **Install License** dialog box, type or copy and paste the license key, and click **Apply**.
After the key is applied successfully, a message is displayed.
- 5 To dismiss the dialog box, click **Close**.

Upgrade and installation instructions

- Upgrading to NetVault Bare Metal Recovery Plug-in *Server* v4.0 or later requires that you upgrade NetVault Bare Metal Recovery Plug-in *Offline Client* to v6.0 or later to perform backups and restores. You must also re-create all backup and restore jobs. (DNBMR-771, 18049)
- For upgrade and installation instructions, see the *Quest NetVault Bare Metal Recovery User's Guide*.

More resources

Additional information is available from the following:

- [Online product documentation](#)
- [NetVault community](#)

Globalization

This section contains information about installing and operating this product in non-English configurations, such as those needed by customers outside of North America. This section does not replace the materials about supported platforms and configurations found elsewhere in the product documentation.

This release supports any single-byte or multi-byte character set. It supports simultaneous operation with multilingual data. This release is targeted to support operations in the following regions: North America, Western Europe and Latin America, Central and Eastern Europe, Far-East Asia, Japan.

The release is localized to the following languages: Chinese (Simplified), French, German, Japanese, Korean.

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