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GFI PRODUCT COMPARISON

GFI MailArchiver 6

VS

C2C Archive One Policy Manager

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GFI MailArchiver 6 vs C2C Archive One Policy Manager

	GFI MailArchiver 6	C2C Archive One Policy Manager
General features		
Supports Microsoft Exchange 2000, 2003 & 2007	✓	✓
Supports distributed installation (different roles on different machines for load balancing)	✓	✓
Supports archiving from different sources	✓	✓
Direct Support for Microsoft Volume Shadow Service (Backup using MS VSS)	✓	✗
Archiving features		
Supports Microsoft Exchange Journaling	✓	✓
Can archive from Microsoft Exchange Public Folders	Using export tool	✓
Can archive directly from Exchange mailboxes (not through Exchange Journaling)	Using export tool	✓
Archives inbound / Outbound emails	✓	✓
Archives internal (Exchange) emails	✓	✓
Archives from multiple servers at the same time	✓	✓
Can archive emails from local and remote PST files	✓	✓
Uses client side PST processing engine (Agent)	✓	✓ At an extra cost
Performs automatic discovery and archiving of the PST files	✓	✓
Archived emails can be exported / restored back to mailbox	✓	✓
Emails can be excluded from archiving	✓	✓
Backend storage support (archived emails)	Firebird (default) MS SQL 2000 MS SQL 2005 MS SQL 2008 NTFS File System	Inbuilt
Format of the archived emails	MIME .eml Format	.cmmsg Format
Email archive compression	✓	✓
Automatically archive emails to a new database according to a pre-defined schedule	✓	✓
Supports storage managers (for example QStar, IBM Tivoli Storage Manager)	✓	✓
Email retention and categorization		
Supports multiple email retention policies	✓	✓
Supports multiple email categorization policies	✓	✓
Supports user interaction auditing	✓	✓
Supports database activity auditing	✓	✓
Features auditing reports for regulatory compliance	✓	✓
Indexing and searching		
Outlook integration or equivalent	✓	✓
Full text searching (implies full text indexing)	✓	✓
Real-time / Scheduled / Batch indexing	✓	✓
Supports multiple search criteria	✓	✓
Search by email labels (or equivalent)	✓	✓

Who we are

GFI is a market leader in security and messaging software, offering high performance solutions at unbeatable prices to small and medium sized businesses.

Products like GFI MailEssentials, the leading spam filter product on the market, has over 80,000 customers; GFI MailSecurity was the first to apply multiple anti-virus engines to combat viruses; while GFI WebMonitor is the No. 1 web filter for Microsoft ISA Server. GFI FAXmaker remains the best fax server solution around.

GFI leads the way in the SMB sphere, combining price, quality and innovative technology in all products.

The GFI difference

- A single source to address security and messaging needs
- Strong focus on small-to-medium sized businesses
- Award-winning technology and unbeatable pricing
- Over 200,000 customer installations worldwide
- Over 10,000 partners throughout the world

The GFI MailArchiver difference

- No. 1 email archiving solution for SMBs
- Over 10,000 installations
- Lowest price, best performance
- Powerful and user-friendly



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Users can save search results	✓	✓
Export search results to user mailbox or on removable media	✓	✓
Users can assign labels to emails	✓	✗
Keeps email conversations (threads) intact	✓	✓
Indexes attachments	✓	✓
Cross-mailbox searches (search across multiple archive stores)	✓	✓
Archive search interface supports localization?	✓	Information not available
Product management and other features		
Configuration interface type	Web-based	MMC interface
Active directory group-based full access	✓	✓
Active Directory users / groups-based access control	✓	✓
Email alert notifications	✓	✓

Email has become an indispensable communication channel in the business environment. Managing the heavy influx of emails through PST is an insurmountable task. Thus, it has become mandatory to have an efficient email archiving solution to address storage, back-up, and compliance issues. Potential customers require a solution, which is efficient, secure, and easy-to-use.

GFI offers a simple, cost-effective, and time-efficient archiving solution – **GFI MailArchiver**. The solution eliminates the dependence on PST and offers unparalleled support for archiving, searching, and auditing requirements.

A simple high-level comparison between the key features of GFI MailArchiver and C2C Archive One Policy Manager revealed the following differences:

GFI MailArchiver can be integrated with several email servers and Platforms ▼

On which email Servers and Platforms can I use GFI MailArchiver?

GFI MailArchiver can be easily integrated with Microsoft Exchange Server 2000, 2003 and 2007. It does not require a dedicated machine and can be installed on the same machine that is being used as the mail server. This is particularly beneficial for small businesses, as it eliminates the need for purchasing and maintaining different servers.

In addition, GFI MailArchiver supports distributed installation for load sharing, thus addressing the requirements of large organizations. It can also archive from multiple Exchange Servers at the same time.

While C2C Archive One Policy Manager can also be integrated with Microsoft Exchange Server 2000, 2003 and 2007, it is generally installed on a dedicated server to leverage the complete functionality of all its features.

GFI MailArchiver is also compatible with Microsoft Windows 2000, 2003 and 2008, whereas C2C Archive One Policy Manager is compatible with Windows 2000, 2003 and XP.



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Deployment of GFI MailArchiver is easy and simple

Is GFI MailArchiver easy to install?

GFI MailArchiver can be easily deployed. It follows an easy and convenient installation procedure, and does not require any client-side installation.

On the other hand, the installation process for C2C Archive One Policy Manager is relatively complex and requires the installation of seven different components for optimal functionality. Out of these seven components, two need to be installed on the client machine for offline access and full view of messages using Outlook.

GFI MailArchiver ensures smooth functionality of the Exchange Server

Does my archiving solution affect Exchange Server functionality?

GFI MailArchiver does not affect Exchange Server functionality in any way. When archiving, GFI MailArchiver does not create any links to the email or attachments. A copy of the email is archived intact through journaling.

C2C Archive One Policy Manager, on the other hand, replaces the email with a link, which may affect the functionality of the exchange server.

In these cases, the archiving server and the Exchange server are dependent on each other; hence if one server is experiencing downtime, the other is affected.

GFI MailArchiver provides robust backend storage

What types of backend storage does GFI MailArchiver Support?

Besides Microsoft SQL Server, GFI MailArchiver can be integrated with the Firebird database. Firebird is the default, in-built database for GFI MailArchiver and does not require any additional license costs.

The Firebird alternative is best suited for small businesses, where email traffic is low.

GFI MailArchiver also supports all UNC-based storage managers, such as QStar and IBM Tivoli.

GFI MailArchiver offers uninterrupted archiving during back-up

Will my back-up activity affect the archiving process?

GFI MailArchiver fully supports the Microsoft Volume Shadow Copy Service (MS VSS) feature for the online back-up of archives. This feature enables GFI MailArchiver to back-up archives without stopping the normal archiving activity.

On the other hand, C2C Archive One Policy Manager does not support this feature and necessitates periodic halts in the archiving process to perform back-ups.



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GFI MailArchiver does not allow any tampering with archived emails

Does my archiving solution save emails in their original form for audit purposes?

GFI MailArchiver archives emails along with attachments in their original form and does not allow users and administrators to make any changes.

Further, GFI MailArchiver allows only the administrator to define or modify retention policies. An email is only deleted when its retention policy expires. On the contrary, C2C Archive One Policy Manager allows users to delete emails or unarchive them from the archive by granting access rights.

Thus, GFI MailArchiver ensures that there is no tampering with the archived emails facilitating auditing.

GFI MailArchiver assigns retention policies to each email separately

How are the retention policies applied to archived emails?

GFI MailArchiver allows the administrator to assign custom retention policies for archived emails based on the organization's requirements. An email can have only one retention policy associated with it. Once the retention policy expires, the email is deleted from the archive stores.

In case of C2C Archive One Policy Manager, retention policies are applied to archive stores, i.e., repositories. Thus, all emails in a particular repository will have the same retention period. Since one mailbox can only be assigned to a particular repository, careful consideration is required before assigning repositories.

GFI MailArchiver provides an easy way to search and export emails

How can I search and export emails?

GFI MailArchiver provides a simple search interface with advanced search capabilities. It saves search results in the form of a search query, enabling users to view the retrieved emails without having to restore them.

Emails can then be exported from search results to a folder on a disk or to a specific email address.

C2C Archive One Policy Manager allows users to open a retrieved email, only after restoring it to the mailbox from where it has to be deleted manually. Furthermore, it allows only the administrator and users with access rights, to export the search results back to a mailbox, a public folder or a PST.

GFI MailArchiver provides User Interaction and Database Activity Auditing

What mechanisms are available for auditing purposes?

GFI MailArchiver provides two types of auditing, User Interaction Auditing and Database Activity Auditing.

User Interaction Auditing records all user activities in the form of a report, i.e., User Audit Trail. It records all activities of users when they browse or search through email archives using the Web interface.

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Database Activity Auditing tracks all the changes made to the database, such as configuration management, access control, and retention policies.

The auditing reports serve as a useful resource during audits, system performance monitoring, and in certain cases for regulatory compliance.

GFI MailArchiver offers a multi-lingual interface

Does my archiving solution offer support for languages other than English?

A truly universal archiving solution, GFI MailArchiver offers a multi-lingual interface. It supports localization in several languages including English, Dutch, French, German, Italian, Russian, Spanish, Czech, Arabic, Japanese, Simplified Chinese and Traditional Chinese. It allows users to set their preferred language as the default language for their Web interface.

On the other hand, C2C Archive One Policy Manager provides limited language support. It only supports French, German, and English.

GFI MailArchiver ensures legal compliance

Does my archiving solution ensure legal compliance?

GFI MailArchiver does not allow users to modify archived mails. This helps to ascertain the integrity, and hence the original content of the mail for compliance purposes.

GFI MailArchiver also helps organizations to meet regulatory compliance, such as the Sarbanes-Oxley Act 2002, E-Comm Act 2000, BS7799-2:2002, the Enterprise Act 2002, and Decreto del Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri (8 February 1999).

GFI products do not require additional training

Do I need additional training to use this product?

No additional end user or administration training is required for using and maintaining GFI MailArchiver. It is a user-friendly yet technically robust product when compared to other products on the market.