



NEW: ActiveImage Protector 2018!

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We are pleased to announce the release of ActiveImage Protector 2018 in Europe, Middle East and Africa.

What's new in ActiveImage Protector 2018?

New ActiveImage Protector 2018 for Windows

- NEW Virtual Standby Availability: **ActiveImage Protector for Windows now includes vStandby Server/Desktop solution** - Creates automatically updated boot points with scheduled incremental snapshots directly to a VMware ESXi or Microsoft Hyper-V Host. When a disaster strikes, the virtual standby replica (VSR) can be instantly started (in two minutes according to our test result).
- Post-backup processing including BootCheck™ and consolidation: Automatically ensures backup images are bootable using Microsoft Hyper-V, saving system resource and time. As part of ImageCenter installer (including in ActiveImage Protector 2018), it can be installed on any machine of the network to offload the BootCheck tasks to a dedicated system, greatly reducing resource demands on the backup source machine.
- Updated and improved P2V, V2P, P2P, and V2V processing.
- Enhanced Full-state file recovery retains access rights.
- Supports Windows 10 Fall Creators Update.

New ActiveImage Protector 2018 for Linux

- New tracking driver for faster backup and restore
- Now supports Red Hat Enterprise Linux & CentOS 7.3 & 7.4
- Fixes



Which solutions are upgraded to ActiVeImage Protector 2018?

- **ActiVeImage Protector for Windows**
 - ActiVeImage Protector Server
 - ActiVeImage Protector SBS
 - ActiVeImage Protector Desktop
 - ActiVeImage Protector Cluster
 - ActiVeImage Protector Virtual (single - Cloud - Unlimited)

NOTES:

- ActiVeImage Protector Hyper-V Enterprise and ActiVeImage Protector IT Pro Edition are still under the version 2016. Our developers are working on the 2018 versions.
- ActiVeImage Protector Personal Edition will soon be upgraded from version 4 to version 5, the equivalent of the 2018 edition for domestic usage.

- **ActiVeImage Protector for Linux**
- **vStandby**
 - vStandby Server
 - vStandby Desktop

How to upgrade to ActiVeImage Protector 2018

If you have a licence with valid maintenance contract or MSP licence

1. You currently have ActiVeImage Protector 2016 installed:

- 1.1. Download the new version of ActiVeImage Protector (Windows or Linux) directly from your software or manually using our [links](#).
- 1.2. Install it.
- 1.3. Restart the machine.



2. You currently have vStandby Server or vStandby Desktop installed:

- 2.1. Get in touch with our Customer Care service or Administration, [by email](#) or [by chat](#), to receive a new product key. vStandby is now included in ActiVeImage Protector 2018 and you will therefore be able to use this new software version at no cost.
 - If you had vStandby Desktop, you will receive ActiVeImage Protector 2018 Desktop.
 - If you had vStandby Server, please indicate our team if you wish to receive ActiVeImage Protector 2018 Server or ActiVeImage Protector 2018 SBS product key.
- 2.2. Once you have received your new product key, uninstall vStandby and restart the machine (NOTE: all settings will be lost).
- 2.3. [Download ActiVeImage Protector 2018](#), and install it.
- 2.4. Active the solution with your product key.
- 2.5. Restart the machine.
- 2.6. Configure your Virtual Instant Availability job again.

3. You currently have ActiVeImage Protector v3.x installed:

Please follow the upgrade procedure [instructions here](#).

If you have a licence with no valid maintenance

Please contact our Customer Care service, by email: info@netjapan.eu or by [chat](#).

Resources

- All links to our Release notes, guides and Readme files are available on: <https://www.netjapan.eu/en-eu/backup-dr-assistance/resources/documentation-upgrade-info/>
- NetJapan website: <http://www.netjapan.eu>
- For any question, please contact our support technicians by [creating a support ticket](#).

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