



# Hybrid File Storage

Interested in lowering file storage costs by up to 60% without sacrificing performance?



Tired of constantly adding costly disks to your file storage? Looking for better performance with unlimited expandability? Interested in one file storage solution that addresses production, archive, backup AND DR?

**The Hybrid File Storage solution addresses these by providing a fast, local cache for frequently accessed files, and low cost Azure storage for the rest of your files. And because a full set of your files are in Azure, it provides an archive, backup and disaster recovery solution as well.**



## What you get

- An enterprise hybrid SAN with fast local cache and Azure cloud storage for the bulk of your files.
- Use existing StorSimple device, or leverage free StorSimple VMs.
- Knowledge transfer from our Azure experts.

We can also provide this as a managed service.

## Lower storage costs

- **Save up to 60%** by using low cost Azure cloud storage for the bulk of your files.
- **Tiered storage** – intelligently stores files to SSD, HDD and Azure based on frequency of file access.
- **Unlimited capacity** – increase capacity by adding another StorSimple device or virtual appliance (up to 500TB hybrid storage each).

## Four-in-one solution

- **Enterprise file storage** – supports iSCSI, deduplication, compression, encryption, and high availability.
- **Archive** – archived files are stored in Azure low cost storage.
- **Backup** – includes cloud backup.
- **Disaster recovery** – quickly restore files in Azure to any location.

## Branch scenarios

- **Faster access** through local branch caches.
- **Reduced management costs** through automated policies.
- **Quicker recovery** by restoring only the cache from Azure.
- **Virtual machines** – StorSimple Virtual Arrays are VMware or Hyper-V VMs that allow for easier remote deployment and management.

## Why Vigilant.IT?

- Over a decade of Microsoft cloud experience.
- Multiple Microsoft Gold cloud competencies and product testing experience with Microsoft.
- Qualified Azure Architects and Microsoft MVPs (Most Valued Professionals).

