

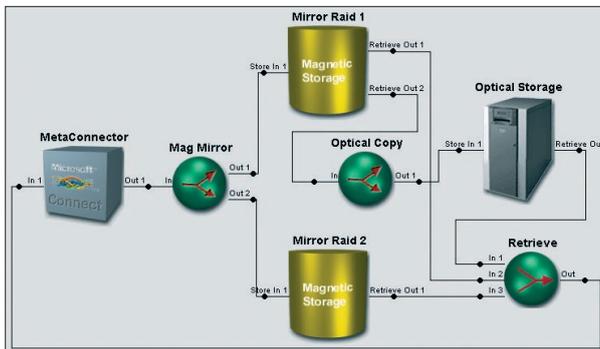
# MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000

Real-time Storing and Retrieving of your Mails



## KEY FEATURES AND BENEFITS

MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000 is an online archiving solution for fast storing and retrieving of mails and other Exchange items. The integration into existing messaging environments is effortless and needs only the installation of a lightweight server extension.



The administration is tightly integrated into the Exchange configuration as a part of the Microsoft Management Console. This allows a simple and straight forward management of the archived mailboxes in sync with the global configuration of the Exchange server network.

The 3-tier architecture of the MetaModules application server offers a flexible, distributed and highly scalable archiving solution. The separation of the

Exchange administration and the configuration of the document/data flow in the used archive system makes the management of the underlying archiving solution completely transparent to the Exchange system administrator. In the case of using Compaq archiving solutions, the MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000 is integrated in the Archive Administration Center. This archiving solution supports magnetic and optical media, mirroring and document migration in a distributed environment.

### Features:

- **Server based archiving.** No client installations are necessary.
- **No user interaction necessary.** User based archiving is optional.
- **No additional network load.** No data traffic between the client and the archiving system.
- **No installation effort.** Only a small software component has to be installed on the Exchange Server.
- **Easy configuration.** Administration is integrated into the Microsoft Management Console (MMC).
- **Use of existing authentication mechanisms.** Usage of the Active Directory.
- **Recovery functionality.** Mailbox and message restoring after system crash.
- **Archiving of non-mail items.** Archiving support for public folders and any other Exchange items.
- **Independent from client software.** Compatible to Outlook 97, Outlook 98 and Outlook 2000.
- **Internet access.** Outlook Web Access supported (available in Version 1.2).

## INTEGRATION

After the installation of a small server side software library, the MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000 is ready to use. Using the Microsoft Management Console, the connection between the Exchange Server and the underlying archiving system will be configured. The archiving policies for single users or user groups can be modified during the productive use of the system. By scheduled archiving tasks, mailbox content is stored to the archive and



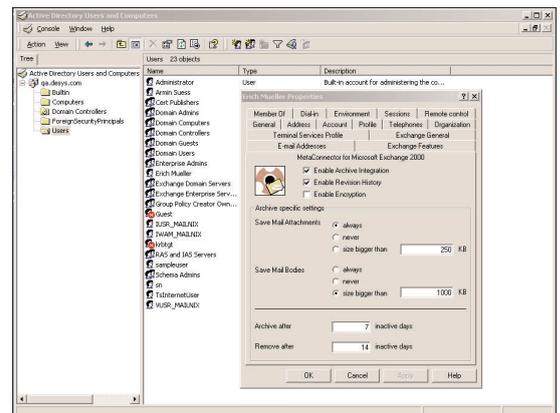
removed from the Exchange Server to reduce disk usage and server load. Whenever an archived mail, which is no longer pertinent on the local server, is accessed, the server instantly retrieves the data from the archive and serves the mail request from the client. This retrieval process is invisible to the user, even the user has not to know which mails of his mailbox are archived. Optionally an Outlook Forms based interface for user based archiving can be provided, which also flags archived items by a “modified” icon.

## COMPATIBILITY

The solution is compatible with Microsoft Exchange 2000. With the server side integration there is no need for a client installation or update. So the version of the client applications are transparent to the MetaConnector. Outlook 97, Outlook 98 and Outlook 2000 have been tested with the solution. Starting with version 1.2 of the product, Outlook Web Access is supported to allow a web based access to archived messages.

## ARCHIVING OF CONTACTS, NOTES AND OTHER ITEMS

MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000 allows to archive contacts, notes, tasks and other items. The archiving of public folders is also supported.



## STORAGE COMPONENTS

The management of the storage components is completely independent from the Exchange Server installation. Using the Compaq archiving solution, magnetic and optical storage media, data mirroring, document migration and corporate-wide data distribution is supported. New storage components and new archive servers can be added without interference with the Exchange environment. This archiving solution has a graphical configuration and data/document-flow planning interface. The MetaConnector for Exchange 2000 is integrated into this Archive Administration Center.



## **MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000** Requirements

Product Name: ..... MetaConnector for Microsoft Exchange 2000

Version: ..... 1.1

Functional description: ..... Microsoft Exchange 2000 Server Extension  
MetaModules Module

MetaModules Version: ..... 1.0

System Requirements: ..... Microsoft Exchange Server 2000 for Microsoft Windows 2000  
Java capable environment for MetaModules Installation

Availability: ..... Q1/2002



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