

Scalability and Efficiency:

On-Premises & Cloud Backup and Restore Taken to the Next Level

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Oracle Data Protection

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Top DB Backup/Recovery Challenges

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Oracle Data Protection Challenges

Backup/Recovery Top Challenges

- Poor Performance
- Impact on Productivity
- Management complexity
 - "Backups need constant management"
- Growing Data Volumes
 - "My backups are running too long. I Cannot Complete Backups."



Oracle Protection Methods Overview

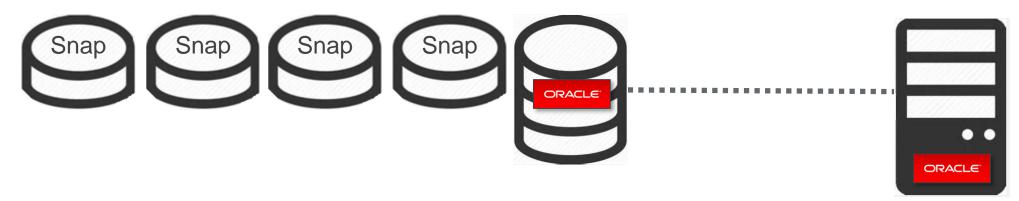
Continuous Data Protection (CDP)

- Holy Grail of Data Protection
- Typically a Very Expensive

-Reserved for < 25% of databases in an environment

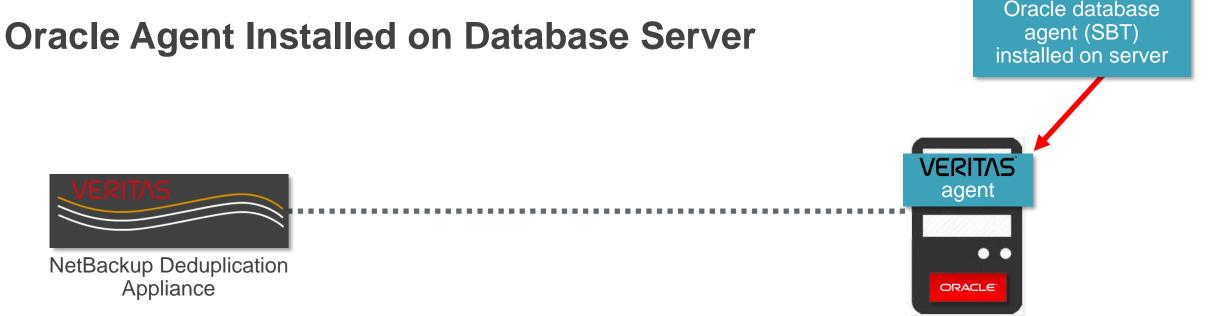


Storage Snapshots



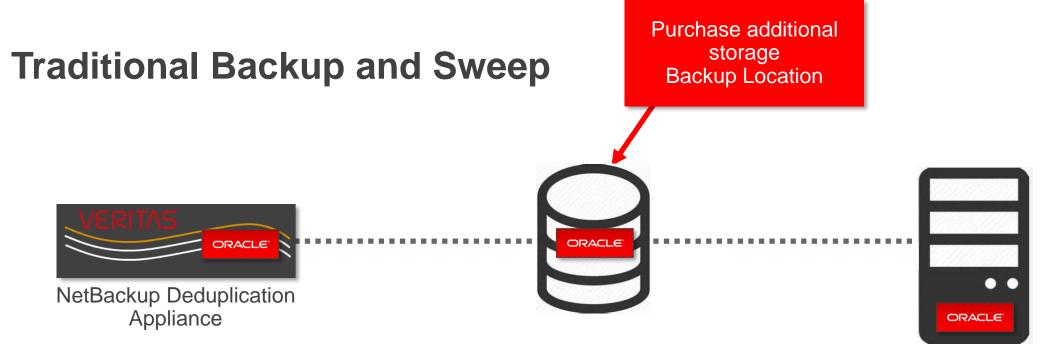
- Typically Adopted Due to RMAN Taking Too Long
- Fast (near-instant)
- Can be difficult for DBA self-service (RMAN visibility, recovery granularity, mileage varies)
- Does not protect against physical corruption (stored on same storage)
- Lacks RMAN Intelligence (DB Validation, etc.)





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- Oracle database agent installed on Oracle server
 - Considered a "streaming" backup
 - RMAN is used but data not stored in RMAN format
 - -Full and incremental backups
- Database server-based deduplication optionally supported
 - -Oracle agent can be configured to deduplicate data before transfer to backup destination
- Requires Recurring Level 0's.
- Takes Too Long Not Enough Time in the Day



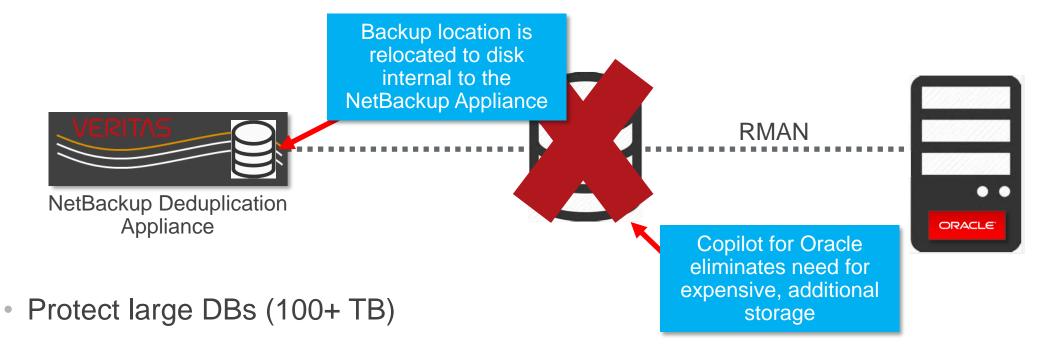
- Need to acquire additional storage for RMAN (or Data Pump) target
- DBA manually writes backup (or export) to separate disk location
- Backup admin sweeps data to backup destination
- Separate administrators perform uncoordinated process (DBA & Backup)
- No Visibility to DB Copies in the Backup System
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The Way Forward

Veritas Copilot for Oracle

Integrated Backup to Disk and Sweep: Copilot for Oracle



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- RMAN Validation
- DBA Controls Workflow
- Access to All DB Copies
- Cut storage costs (appease storage team)

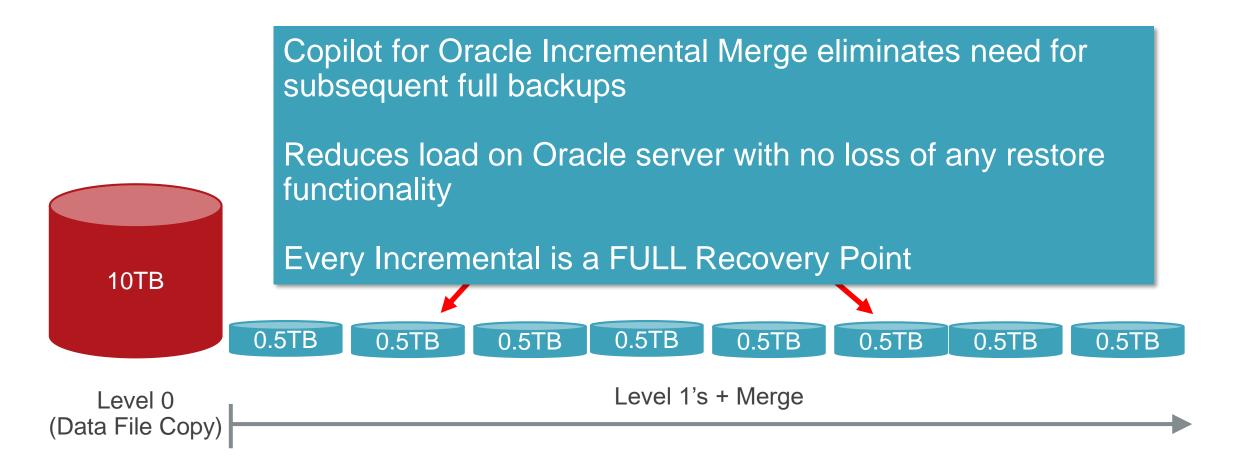
Copilot for Oracle

- Oracle Native Technology
 - Flash Recovery Area (FRA)
 - Block Change Tracking
 - Incrementally Updated Backups
 - RMAN Block-Level Consistency Checks
- Veritas' Contribution
 - RMAN Run Block Automation
 - Snapshots on Separate Storage
 - Storage Tiering (older backups moved to lower cost infrastructure)
 - -Instant Recovery
- The Result:
 - Unique "Incremental Forever" Oracle Backup
 - A logical full backup, level 1 processing.
 - Significantly reduces backup impact on the Oracle server
 - Reduces network overhead

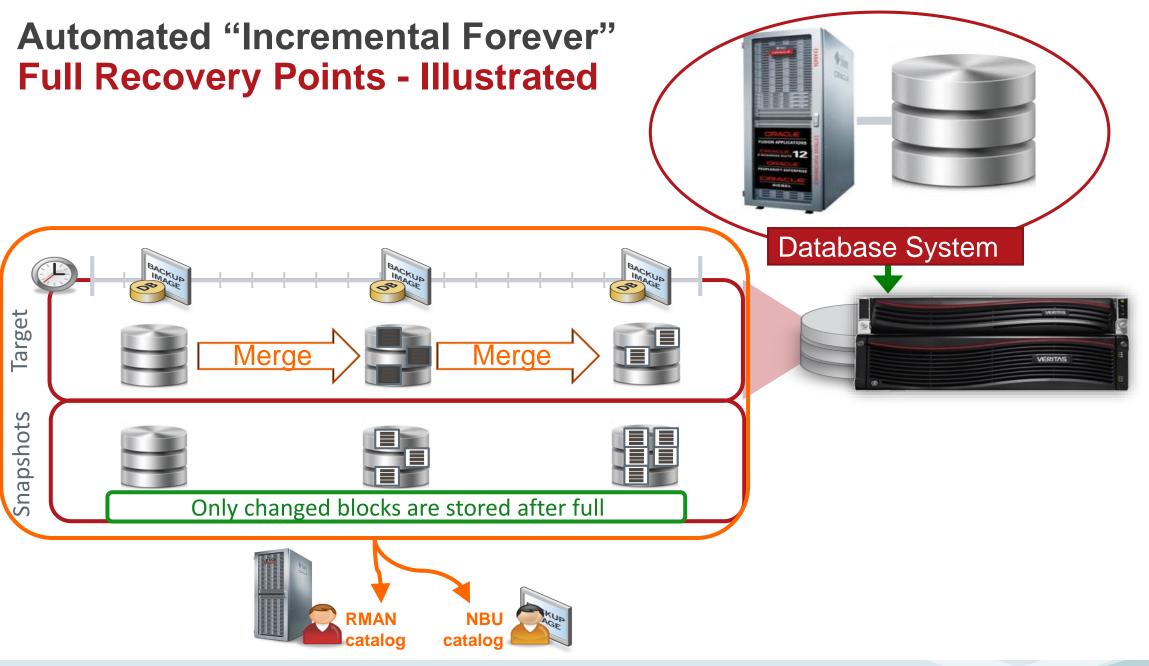




Traditional Recurring Full vs. Incremental Merge





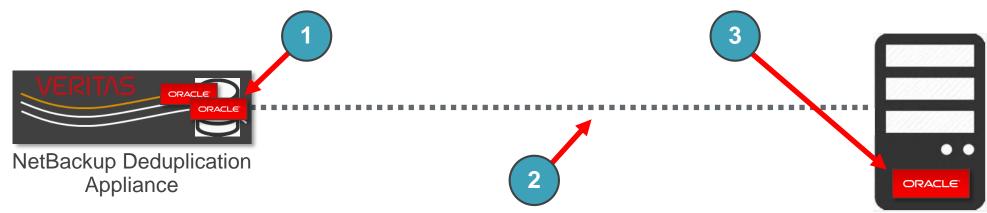




Copilot for Oracle Advanced Features

Copilot for Oracle Instant Recovery

Copilot for Oracle Instant Recovery Process



- 1. Oracle "backup to disk" image is cloned
 - No changes to original backup image ever occur
 - Any RMAN full/incr backup images located on backup disk can be used
- 2. Cloned image is exported to Oracle server over NFS
 - Oracle redo log group is cleared
- 3. Oracle database is mounted, open and fully accessible



Copilot for Oracle – Platform Introduction

- Form Factor:
 - -Physical
 - -Virtual (Q3 2017)
- Converged Data Protection Platform
 - -Purpose-built
 - -Integrated Storage tuned and benchmarked performance
 - -Hardened with Intrusion Prevention System (better than selinux)
- Optimized for Oracle (via Copilot)
- Deployment:
 - -Run as a dedicated DB protection platform





Veritas CloudPoint

Flexible Snapshot Management for The Cloud and Beyond

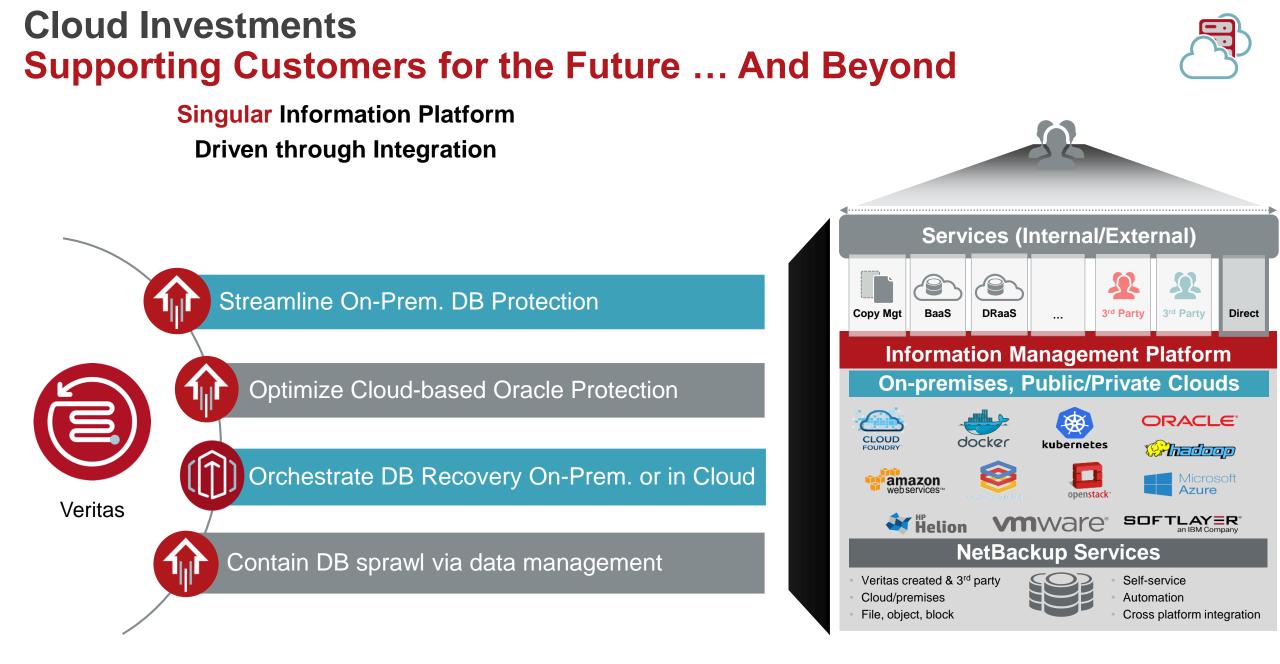
Veritas CloudPoint Basics

- Snapshot-based backup for Cloud & On-Prem. platforms
 - -Application Consistent for Oracle 12c
 - -Avoids homegrown solutions, which break easily
- Multi-Cloud Visibility and Orchestration (cloud-to-cloud replication, etc.)
- Auto-Deletion, based upon expiry policies
- RESTful API for DB/App. Integration
- Support for AWS, Microsoft Azure & Google Cloud
 Other cloud platforms on roadmap.



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