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The backup report of the Friedrich Schiller University Jena





Overview of FSU Jena

10 Faculties

- Theology
- Faculty of Law
- Economics
- Philosophy
- Social and Behavioural Sciences
- Mathematic & Computer Science
- Physics and Astronomy
- Chemistry and Earth Sciences
- Biology and Pharmacy
- Medicine

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- many scientific
 departments and institutes
- other facilities
 - Academic Affairs
 - Human Resources
 - Library (ThULB)
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Needs & Conclusions

- independent -> difficult to set rules
- freedom of research and education
- very heterogeneous resources and knowledge
 - sometimes own IT department
 - sometimes nothing
- sometimes rival to each other

- → different requirements
- → self service (notification, restore)
- → separation (only show self information)

Goal for 2015/16

- replace our two backup systems
 - Veritas NetBackup
 - old and no support
 - > 400TB, 400 million files, 120 clients
 - Atempo Time Navigator
 - failed to replace NetBackup (unsatisfactory)
 - license expires in fall 2016
 - 2 catalogs, 750TB, 460 million files, 150 clients
- long-term satisfying backup system

Veritas NetBackup

- antique GUI
- √ command interface available
- ✓ save backup data as files (.tar) in our HSM
- license fee for special things (NDMP,...)
- difficult client installing
- not intuitively operable concerning restoring in client
- problem with offline clients

 retention expires

Atempo Time Navigator

- campus license (all inclusive)
- many features included (NDMP, NetworkShare, SQL, Exchange,
 VMware, ...)
- ✓ intuitive restoring with GUI (on client)
- GUI only (no really useable CMD interface) → many clicks necessary
- proprietary (no SQL) catalog max. 512GB
- no cross-restoring without catalog administrator rights
- no/bad restrictions
 - all configured backups in catalog are visible for everybody
 - possible to restore world-readable files from other clients
 - some world-writeable files/dirs in installation directory
- no spooling

 only indirect with VTL and migration

Evaluation: Needs

backup system

- stable system
- stable configuration
- stable catalog
- useful command-interface
- ACL, right management for users (self service)
- LTO6-Library useable
- save files on HSM
- longtime or no license
- incremental forever or virtual full (for laptops/desktops)

clients

- Windows
- Linux
- MacOS
- Filer (Isilon, NetApp) via
 NDMP
- Novell Filer
- Exchange Server
- VMware Cluster
- DBMS (MySQL, MariaDB, Oracle, MS SQL)

Evaluation of Bareos - Pros

- open source → no migration necessary (no license validity) !!
- configuration files → stable, easy saveable
- good and scriptable command-interface
- uses real! SQL database ©
 - no catalog restrictions (size,...)
 - possibility to develop own SQL reports
- uses standards (i.e. mtx for library control)
- good file backup (Windows, Linux, Novell Filer)
- self service
 - restricted console
 - notifications after backup

Evaluation Bareos - Cons

- self service for users
 - no useable GUI
 - WebUI was not available
 - no LDAP users!
- NDMP at file level → has to be developed
- Exchange

 no special client
- VMware → not finished
- DBMS → nothing special
- NetDisk

 problematic backup of Windows/NAS share

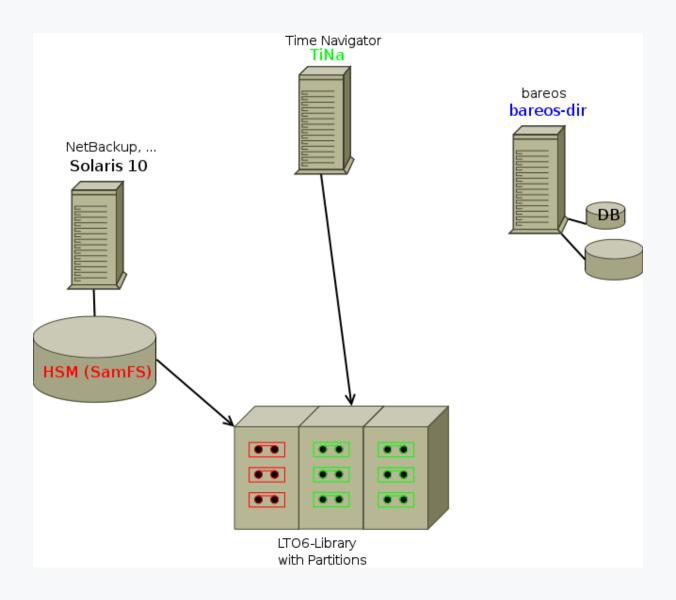
Handle Cons

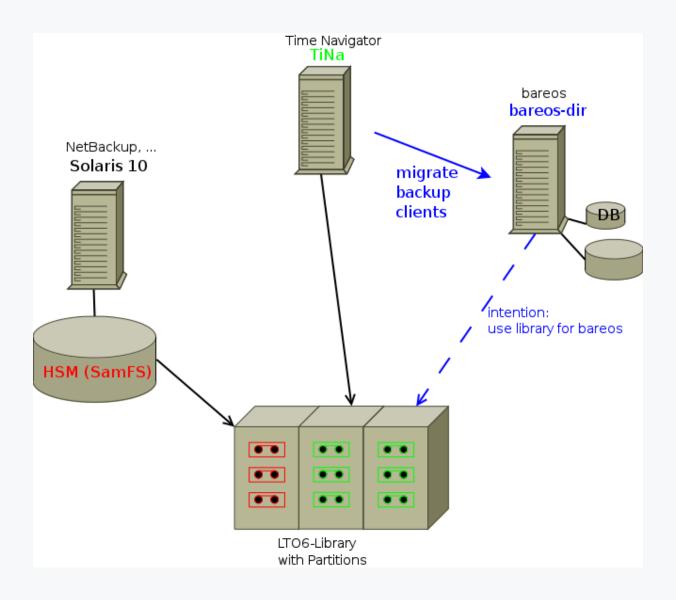
- SQL → use dump via 'run before script'
- Exchange

 use Windows-Backup via 'run before script'
- file level NDMP for Isilon → funded development
- wait for WebUI with LDAP users (hopefully soon!!)
- VMware → use temporary VMware integrated backup
- NetDisk try to unsupport this

- use consulting for initial installing
 - thereby gathering of knowledges to run by our own
- replace backup systems until spring 2016
- use existing LTO6-Library

Previous Status



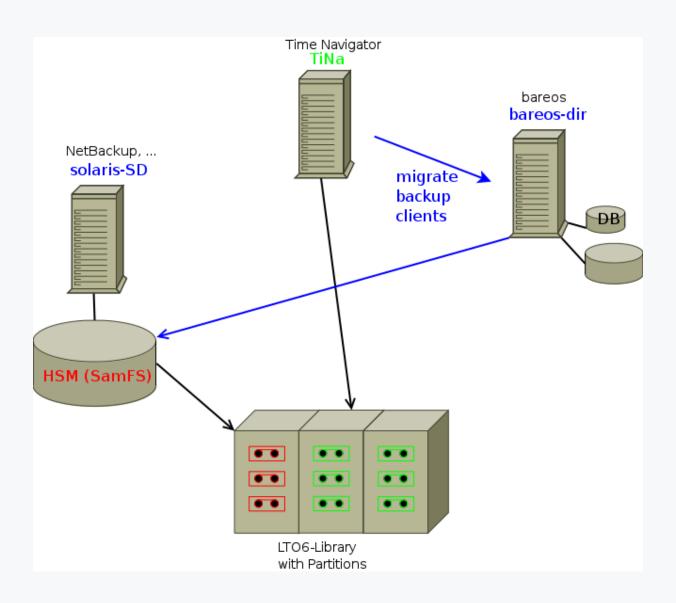


Implementation

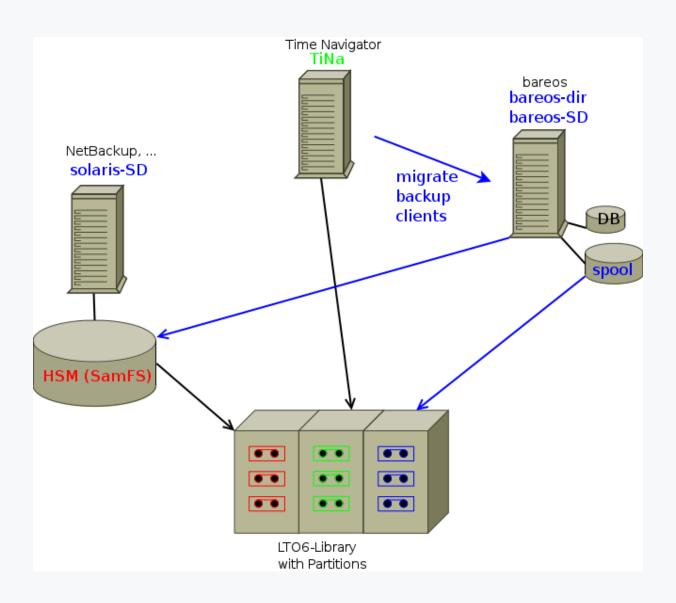
- used consulting for initial installing and setup
 - ✓ Daniel Neuberger (dass IT) → many thanks to him
- installing of Bareos-Dir (new Linux server)
- installing of Bareos-SD on Solaris
 - with local virtual autochanger (on HSM file system)
- configured some default Pools, Jobdefs, Filesets, Schedules
- installed and tested NDMP-Clients

migration of clients from Time Navigator to Bareos

Realization – Step 1

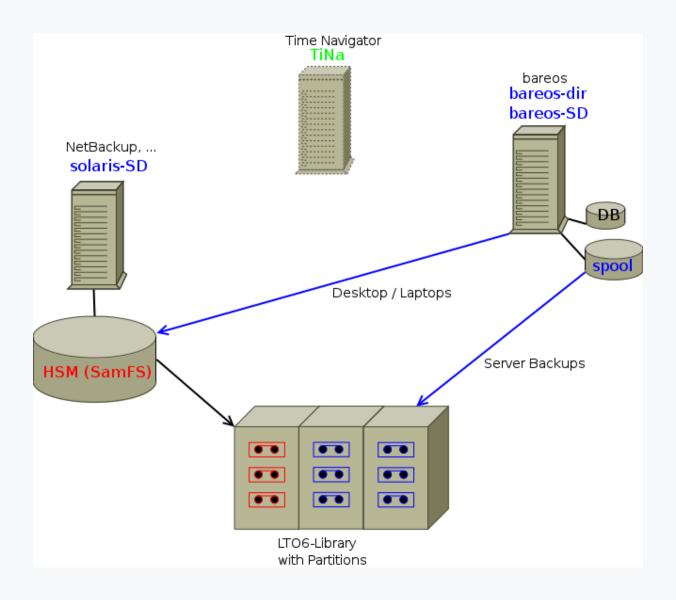


Realization – Step 2



Implementation 2

- some data migrated (freed space on library)
 - → create new partition for Bareos
- install Bareos-SD on Linux
 - map library partition in SAN
- move data / jobs to new SD
 - change Jobdef to new Pool
- ... from time to time ...
 - decrease Time Navigator partition (in library)
 - increase Bareos partition (in library)
 - → very easy to increase tape slots in Bareos



Server Backup Strategy

- backup data to local spool
- despooling to LTO6-Library (Linux-SD)
- Pools by retention (3 months, 3 weeks, 1 year, ...)
- special Pools (NDMP3M, NDMP3W)
- inefficient use of tape drives detected!
 - first 2 drives, now 4 drives
 - all backups in a Pool uses only 1 drive → more drives not used
 - drive is already reserved while spooling → drive is blocked for other
 Pools
 - Prefer Mounted Volumes = no^(→) one Pool reserves all drives

Desktop and Laptop Backup

- no normal scheduling of clients → online/offline?
- 1 trigger job which starts a script daily at 09:00, 12:00, 15:00
 - select clients by schedule=VFS
 - check if client is available (FD-Port 9102 open)
 - start incremental backup
- normal schedule (VFS) starts ,virtual full' 2 times per month
- save backups to virtual autochanger (SD on Solaris) via HSM

Summary / Experiences

- works as designed ©
 - stable (running, database, configuration)
 - likely command-interface
 - own SQL reports possible
- nice NDMP funding development
- support works, especially on critical bugs
- current status:
 - 183 clients (244 jobs)
 - >1000 million files, ~1PB saved
 - 428 LTO6-Tapes, 4 LTO6-Drives
 - on HSM 13TB (client backups)

- self service -> status e-mail
 - set description for e-mail address and mode of client
 - run after script: contact_user.pl
 - collects data from job and client

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show client=...

Ilist jobid=...

list joblog jobid=...
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send e-mail to user if necessary

- self service -> restricted consoles
 - we use one configuration file per client
 - set tags (in comment) on client files for allowed user
 - # Admin: user1, user2
 - script: update-user.pl
 - generate restricted console with random password
 - update ACLs for all necessary Jobs, Clients, ...
 - enable LDAP-Login on remote host
 - copy Bareos bconsole-configuration to remote host
 - → goal: known LDAP-Users on Bareos console

Specials 3

status monitor via watch + status storage + awk-script

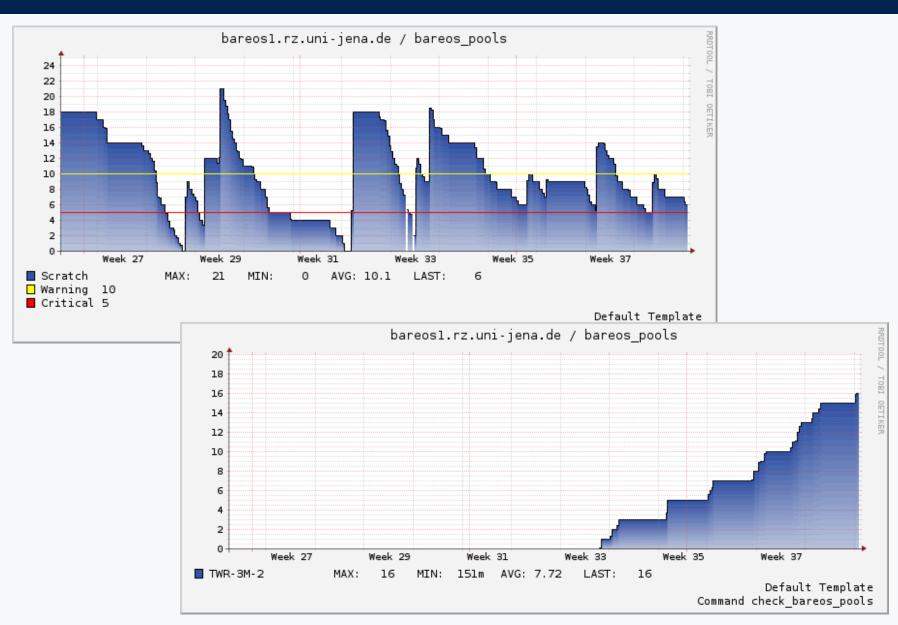
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Every 2.0s: ssh fsuj01 ls -1 /bareos cache/*pool ; ls -1 /backup/spool/*pool ; printf "status storage=VirtualStorageVIB\nstatu... Sun Sep 25 00:27:54 2016
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        -- 1 bareos bareos 112252393875 Sep 25 00:27 /backup/spool/bareos1-sd.data.51771.ulblin07.thulb-bj1.2016-09-23 19.10.01 01.LT06-twr-05.spool
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     ---- 1 bareos bareos 35119980544 Sep 25 00:27 /backup/spool/bareos1-sd.data.51912.mail1.rz-bjmd-uz.2016-09-24 00.14.00 28.LT06-twr-03.spool
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Specials 4

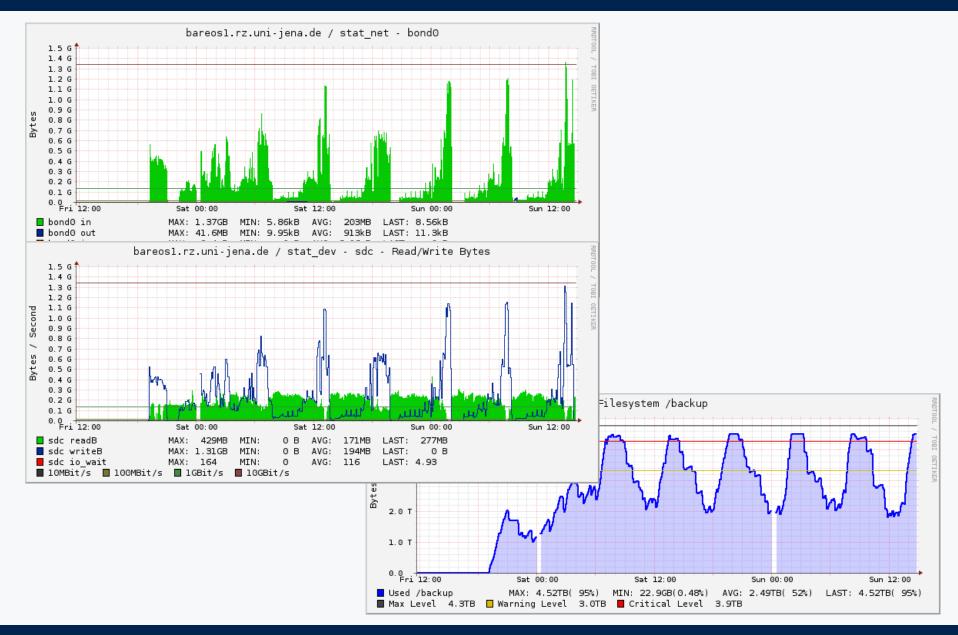
• SQL report: expired volumes

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F0414L6	Append	Scratch				1		
F0495L6	Append	Scratch	0			1		
F0512L6	Purged	Scratch	0	2016-07-24 17:56:26	22 days 02:00:00		1 mon 9 days 04:35:04	
F0656L6	Purged	Scratch	0		22 days 02:00:00		1 mon 8 days 05:48:55	
F0556L6	Full	Scratch	0	2016-05-24 15:54:07	2 mons 30 days 02:00:00		1 mon 1 day 06:37:23	
F0588L6	Full	Scratch	0	2016-05-25 01:40:43	2 mons 30 days 02:00:00		1 mon 20:50:47	
F0587L6	Full	Scratch	0	2016-05-25 11:23:36	2 mons 30 days 02:00:00		1 mon 11:07:54	
F0542L6	Full	TWR-3M	0	2016-06-14 06:35:10	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		11 days 15:56:20	
F0523L6	Full	TWR-3M	0	2016-06-14 12:34:01	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		11 days 09:57:29	
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F0517L6	Full	TWR-3M	0	2016-06-15 04:04:19	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		10 days 18:27:11	
F0539L6	Full	TWR-3M	0	2016-06-15 21:02:42	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		10 days 01:28:48	
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F0360L6	Full	TWR-NDMP3M	0	2016-06-22 14:48:31	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		3 days 07:42:59	
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F0500L6	Full	TWR-3M	84	2016-06-18 01:08:11	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		7 days 21:23:19	7 days 21:02:10
F0507L6	Full	TWR-3W	53	2016-08-27 00:09:57	22 days 02:00:00		6 days 22:21:33	4 days 12:42:50
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0608L6	Full	TWR-3M	17	2016-06-19 12:17:51	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00	1	6 days 10:13:39	3 days 02:20:06
0591L6	Full	TWR-3M	46	2016-06-20 00:54:40	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00	1	5 days 21:36:50	3 days 02:20:06
0573L6	Full	TWR-3M	25	2016-06-20 11:51:10	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00	1	5 days 10:40:20	3 days 02:20:06
0577L6	Full	TWR-3M	51	2016-06-20 23:19:06	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00	1	4 days 23:12:24	3 days 02:20:06
0614L6	Full	TWR-3M	37	2016-06-21 07:49:22	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00	1	4 days 14:42:08	3 days 02:20:06
0592L6	Full	TWR-3M	56	2016-06-22 07:08:40	2 mons 29 days 02:00:00	1	3 days 15:22:50	3 days 02:20:06
0699L6	Full	TWR-3W			22 days 02:00:00		2 days 14:47:09	2 days 09:16:48
0380L6	Full	TWR-3W	115	2016-09-01 05:27:01	22 days 02:00:00	1	1 day 17:04:29	1 day 16:08:38
0609L6	Full	TWR-3M			2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		15:43:27	10:47:04
0361L6		TWR-NDMP3M			2 mons 29 days 02:00:00		15:17:49	02:47:18
0519L6		I TWR-3W			22 days 02:00:00		-00:09:20	-1 days -04:25:02

Specials 5



Performance



List of Wishes

- efficient use of tape drives
 - reserve on demand (despooling), not at spooling
 - reserve more than one drive by Pool
- list-command respects ACL-Rights → fixed in version 16.2 ⊕
- usefull WebUI with LDAP users
- parallel despooling and spooling for a job
 - → use of spooling extends backup time
- new command: audit volume=...
- autoupdate for Windows client?

Thank you for your attention.



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