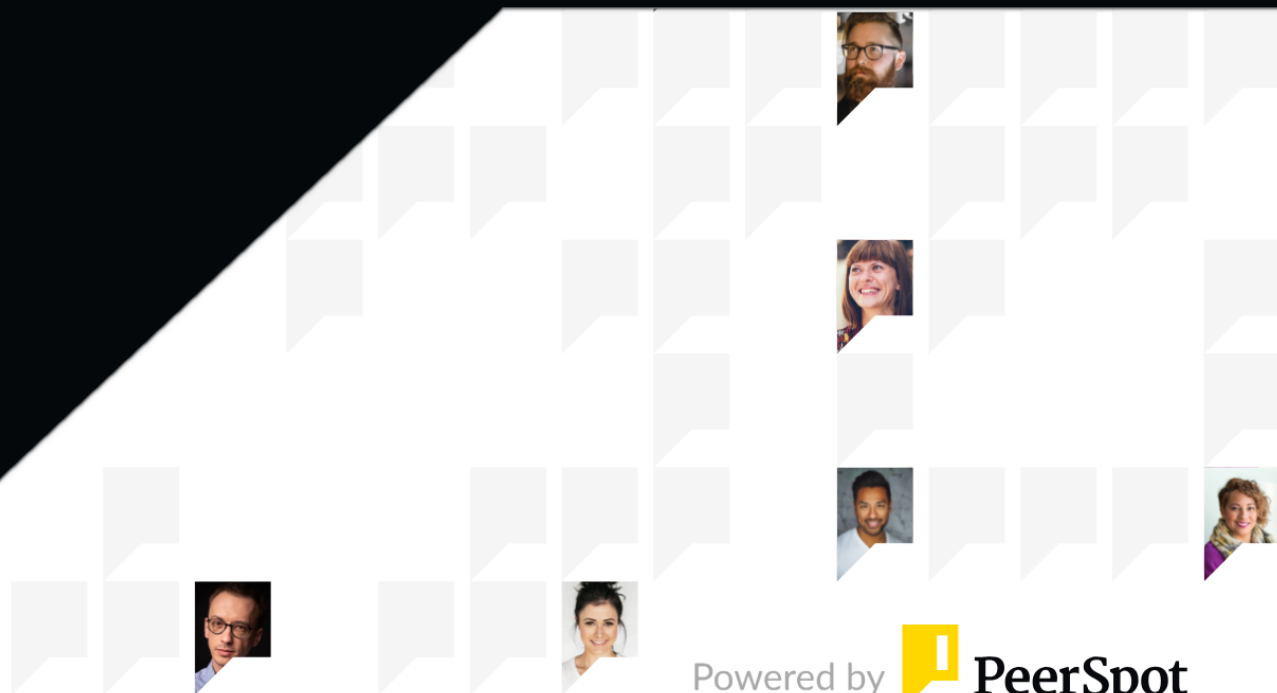




NetApp BlueXP

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Product Recap

 NetApp BlueXP

NetApp BlueXP Recap

NetApp BlueXP offers a unified dashboard, enhancing cloud operations with improved visibility across multiple platforms. Its integration with NetApp storage and user-friendly interface makes it a preferred choice for managing data, ensuring compliance, and optimizing disaster recovery.

NetApp BlueXP simplifies cloud storage management, providing tools for efficient data migration and extraction. Organizations manage data centers and media storage while utilizing a single control panel for unified monitoring and configuration deployment. BlueXP supports a broad range of environments, including Kubernetes, OpenShift, Azure, AWS, and Google. Despite occasional interface slow speeds and complex initial setups, it delivers significant benefits in security management and disaster recovery.

What features does NetApp BlueXP offer?

- **Single Dashboard:** Centralized operations management across clouds.
- **Enhanced Visibility:** Clear insights into multiple cloud platforms.
- **Easy Integration:** Seamless connection with NetApp storage systems.
- **Security Functions:** Advanced tools for improved data protection.
- **Unified Control:** Streamlined monitoring and configuration from one point.

What benefits and ROI should users look for?

- **Improved Data Management:** Efficient data handling and transfer processes.
- **Disaster Recovery:** Robust features enhancing recovery capabilities.
- **Compliance:** Enhanced tools for meeting regulatory requirements.
- **Security Management:** Comprehensive security for digital assets.

NetApp BlueXP's flexibility makes it valuable in industries like media and entertainment, where efficient data management and storage are critical. It supports extensive cloud-to-cloud and bare metal transfers, facilitating comprehensive solutions across diverse technological environments.

Valuable Features

Excerpts from real customer reviews on PeerSpot:

- ✓ “NetApp BlueXP ensures my data management by storage, mobility, protection, analysis, and control, so discovering, deployment, and managing storage are all of the real strong features for it.”



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Senior Manager Ict & Innovations at Bangalore International Airport Limited

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What users had to say about valuable features:

“The best features for Pure are user-friendly GUI and fast performance, bandwidth-wise and high-load VMWare and critical databases, which will suit for EverPure. Performance tuning and performance optimization have been very useful in my experience. Regarding advanced backup strategies, we are using Cohesity as a backup tool. On the DR cluster side, snapshots and everything are possible in Pure, so we are using snapshot technology to preserve backups and DR replications..”

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“NetApp BlueXP is a good solution because we did not have another solution for CVO administration. I like NetApp BlueXP; it is good. I am using the unified visibility feature. NetApp BlueXP helps with managing compliance and security policies. For all of NetApp BlueXP, I think nine in general. I like that I worked with NetApp interface before, and NetApp BlueXP is almost the same. It is really good..”

KirillKolesnikov

IT Technical Architect at AVALIS

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“The solution is from NetApp. It's treated like an individual solution. However, it's a full product. It's a backup and recovery tool.

The software interface can extract the data from the backend effectively.

It's a good solution as it natively integrates with other NetApp tools, and they can all work together as one product.

It's useful that it is a single solution..”

Mircea Sandu

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“The features I have found to be most valuable with NetApp BlueXP include easy control of workflow orchestration and automation, as well as making access control across the hybrid and multi-cloud architecture.

“NetApp BlueXP has improved my organization overall by using artificial intelligence; it automatically scans, analyzes, and characterizes data across various types of workloads, and it is helping my business identify personally sensitive information across my data lake..”

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“In my opinion, the best features that NetApp BlueXP offers include centralized and consolidated management of all the service providers, local and on-premises.

“When I talk about centralized and consolidated management, I find that being able to review the storage, as well as the cybersecurity and all the relevant features there, is especially helpful.

“NetApp BlueXP has positively impacted my organization because it takes a lot of time to log in to different portals or to log in to VPN and then access the VMware or other on-premises servers. With this platform, I just log in through our single application and can manage and review all of our service providers easily..”

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“The best features NetApp BlueXP offers, in my experience, include a single dashboard for every operation, which helps reduce manual work. It has a great dashboard with better visibility and works across multiple clouds, whether in a hybrid or multiple cloud environments.

The dashboard helps my team day-to-day by providing a very easy-to-use UI that is not too complex. We can easily add cloud details, create buckets, and manage all the information for backup. The operations are GUI-based, making it very helpful for configuring these tasks without using complex CLI commands.

NetApp BlueXP positively impacts my organization by providing good integration with NetApp storage including ONTAP and Trident, along with built-in monitoring and alerts. It saves a lot of time and reduces the in-field engineers' costs..”

Rajeshk Kumar Nayak

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Other Solutions Considered

“We previously used Dell. We were promised a much more stable, robust solution and so we switched. It also had the size we needed to fit our requirements..”

Naveen Radhwani

Head IT at TO THE NEW Digital

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“We did look into Azure File Services and Commvault. We also considered VMware. This solution was the only one that had full integration with NetApp and Azure. .”

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“I have not implemented advanced data backup strategies; this is not for backup. I do not use AI here; we do not use AI analytics. The reason I am not using it is that we do not need it. We do not use automated data tiering from the S..”

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“NetApp BlueXP was our first choice.

Our goal is to minimize the number of tools we use. We prefer to stick with NetApp products whenever possible to avoid introducing third-party tools..”

Verified user

Solutions Architect at a tech services company with 201-500 employees

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ROI

Real user quotes about their ROI:

When we compare it to classic infrastructure, we see money saving. We see savings with the product compared to classic infrastructure. I think the savings are from twenty to thirty percent.

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“I think the cost of NetApp BlueXP is worth the money at the end of the day; it definitely satisfies the requirements, so it is definitely a return on investment for me..”

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“Since using NetApp BlueXP, we have seen a return on investment by saving time as we manage multiple tools more efficiently. It directly saves money, enhances backup security with built-in security and compliance, and makes scaling easy, allowing us to move data to clouds effortlessly..”

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“We see a return from having the ability to do things very quickly. We can work faster by dragging and dropping things around instead of using the command line or the standard system manager GUI. We had a customer who didn't know that it could migrate from the ONTAP solution we had in New Zealand to San Francisco. He's now doing that. .”

Adrian Hall

Founder at Citrus Consulting

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Use Case

“The solution mirrors the data from on-prem to the cloud. BlueXP is software that sits on the cloud, and it's able to look into the data and extract it. We use it for data extraction..”

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“We primarily use the solution as storage for our media files. We have an online system. The processing is also being done on that storage server. It's like native storage..”

Naveen Radhwani

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“NetApp BlueXP allows me to store and share large amounts of my digital data across physical and hybrid cloud environments, which is the main purpose of utilizing this solution..”

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“We use it for all the different environments we have, such as on-premises, Azure, and AWS clouds.

One of the main challenges we faced was the need for a single point of entry for all our system managers and NetApp BlueXP solution helped us overcome this challenge.

It provides us with a quick and simple overview of all our systems. BlueXP provides us with a unified control pane. .”

Verified user

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Solutions Architect at a tech services company with 201-500 employees

“My main use case for NetApp BlueXP is to secure our hybrid multi-cloud environment, and because we are an MSP, we are using Azure, AWS, and Google. It has helped us to integrate all of them into a single platform.

“A quick, specific example of how I use NetApp BlueXP to manage those different cloud environments is that instead of logging into different portals to access the VMs and storage and checking their health, this software helps us to have a centralized approach and review all the health and status of all the products into a single environment..”

AhtishamMirza

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Senior System Administrator at FirmaTRUST Consulting

“My main use case for NetApp BlueXP is cloud storage management, backup, and disaster recovery, and it is very easy to manage the persistent storage that runs on Kubernetes or OpenShift. Data migration is also a typical use case for our organization.

In some of our Amazon Kubernetes clusters, NetApp BlueXP helps us take backups, including application backup and application manifest backup. If anything fails, we can automatically restore since we have already scheduled the cron job using it, storing the backup for recovery. Additionally, it is very helpful for data migrations, allowing us to move data from cloud to cloud or from bare metal to cloud easily..”

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Setup

The setup process involves configuring and preparing the product or service for use, which may include tasks such as installation, account creation, initial configuration, and troubleshooting any issues that may arise. Below you can find real user quotes about the setup process.

“The deployment was very simple.

It involved discovering the systems and entering an IP address, user ID, and password, and the systems were integrated into the NetApp BlueXP environment..”

Verified user

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“The initial setup is straightforward. It took a few hours to set up.

For maintenance, we have a third-party vendor that's helping us with support and lifecycle management of IT assets. There's a team of six people managing the maintenance. They are architects..”

Mircea Sandu

Solutions Architect at SC PROSERVICECORP SRL

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Customer Service and Support

“The customer support for NetApp BlueXP is very good, and they were able to help us in case of any issue quite effectively. I would rate the customer support a 10 on a scale of 1 to 10..”

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“Customer support for NetApp BlueXP is very good. We get timely access whenever we need support related to the product, which is enterprise-level support. However, I have not received a support plan that increases case priority according to our use cases..”

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Other Advice

“If your use case involves backing up data from the cloud or transitioning data from on-prem to cloud or between multiple or hybrid clouds, NetApp BlueXP is a very good tool. With a minimal single dashboard, you can manage every aspect, and you get excellent customer support whenever required, facilitating integration with multiple storage backends including any cloud storage or on-prem storage such as NetApp or Dell. .”

Rajeshk Kumar Nayak

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“I'm a customer.

I'd recommend the solution to others due to the fact that it is stable, offers good performance, remains robust, and has helpful services.

I would rate the product eight out of ten..”

Naveen Radhwani

Head IT at TO THE NEW Digital

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“All Pure products are very much compatible with cloud providers like [AWS](#), [Azure](#), [Microsoft Azure](#), and [Google Cloud](#), maintaining a high level of compatibility-wise and security-wise, and are very much advanced and very useful. I definitely will recommend this product because if you have high-performance databases, critical

production databases, and heavy vCenter's workload, then it should be the best option. I rate this review nine point five out of ten..”

PanduranganParisa

Senior Lead System Analyst at Solugenix

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“NetApp BlueXP provides me with a unified control plane.

“I would assess NetApp BlueXP's ability to consolidate tool sets and frameworks as very strong; it ensures my data management by storage, mobility, protection, and analysis and control, so discovering, deployment and managing storage are all of the real strong features for it.

“My advice to someone that is interested in using NetApp BlueXP is that if you want to manage all your storage and data assets from a single interface, you should consider this solution. I would give this product an overall rating of 9 out of 10..”

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“For the data integration part, we are working with Google. The only downside regarding integration with Google is that it is quite complex when I have to explain the same issue twice.

“I would rate NetApp BlueXP's help with managing compliance and security policies at eight for the visibility feature only. I rate it eight because if you do not use this instrument for administration early, it is difficult.

“It was not my choice; I simply started working with the product they already had.

“I rate this review nine overall..”

KirillKolesnikov

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“NetApp BlueXP is good as it is. I have not used any other tool, so I cannot compare it with anyone else. I am fine with whatever we are using.

“I found the accuracy and reliability of output from NetApp BlueXP to be accurate, as it is able to catalog data quite fast and the search is quite easy.

“Regarding NetApp BlueXP's AI capabilities, I think its governance and security are good. They usually provide automation, NLP-based handy data recovery, and they are quite up-to-date and they are improving themselves.

“The advice I would give to others looking into using NetApp BlueXP is that the solution provides you with easy management, is easy to use, and is secure with all the monitoring and controls there.

“NetApp BlueXP has positively impacted my organization because it takes a lot of time to log in to different portals or to log in to VPN and then access the VMware or other on-premises servers. With this platform, I just log in through our single application and can manage and review all of our service providers easily.

“Regarding the impact, I have noticed time savings and better time management to manage our projects more effectively instead of logging into multiple portals and applications. We can simply log into one console and see and manage all of our respective infrastructure from there.

“I give NetApp BlueXP an overall rating of 10 out of 10..”

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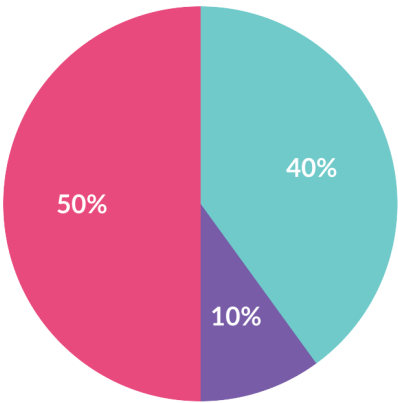
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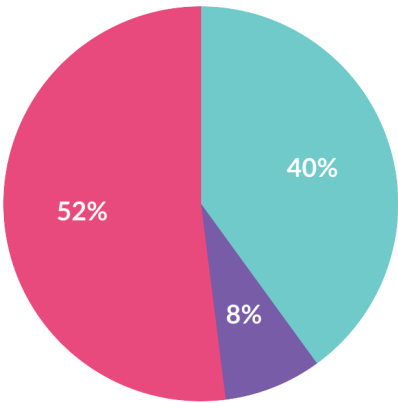


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