



Texas A&M Kingsville Modernizes Backup Infrastructure with Rubrik's **Comprehensive Data Management Platform**

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1,396

employees

Deal Highlight

Rubrik Data Management Platform.

Products & Services

NAS Cloud Direct, Rubrik Immutable Cloud Backups, M365 Data

Protection MSP

Partner

eGroup Enabling Technologies

Customer

Competition

Texas A&M Kingsville

Dell/HP

CHALLENGE

Texas A&M Kingsville faced challenges with its outdated backup infrastructure, which had reached its end of life and incurred excessive costs.

To address these issues, the university sought a more extensive and secure backup solution capable of protecting both on-premises and cloud data. A particular focus on Microsoft 365 data highlighted the need for enhanced recovery capabilities to safeguard against security threats, including the implementation of air-gapped off-site storage for robust data protection.

Furthermore, the institution required a scalable off-site storage solution to support future growth and evolving data management needs.

SOLUTION

To facilitate its backup modernization initiative, eGroup Enabling Technologies recommended the Rubrik platform to Texas A&M Kingsville as a reliable and secure backup solution.

This platform was specifically designed to safeguard on-premises resources, including various virtualization solutions and Network Attached Storage (NAS). It offered a longterm air-gapped archival capability while streamlining management through the Rubrik Security Cloud, providing a cohesive interface. This solution significantly improved Texas A&M Kingsville's security preparedness and effectively managed Microsoft 365 data requirements.

OUTCOMES

eGroup Enabling Technologies evaluated the existing backup solution and designed the Rubrik On-Premises Cluster configuration. The subject matter experts installed a Rubrik appliance at Texas A&M Kingsville's production facility and registered it with Rubrik Security Cloud (RSC).

The team configured backup policies to protect virtual servers and applications, deployed NAS Cloud Direct for NAS-resident data backups, and conducted tests to ensure successful operation of the Rubrik infrastructure. Additionally, eGroup Enabling Technologies set up Data Protection for Microsoft 365 data backups.

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