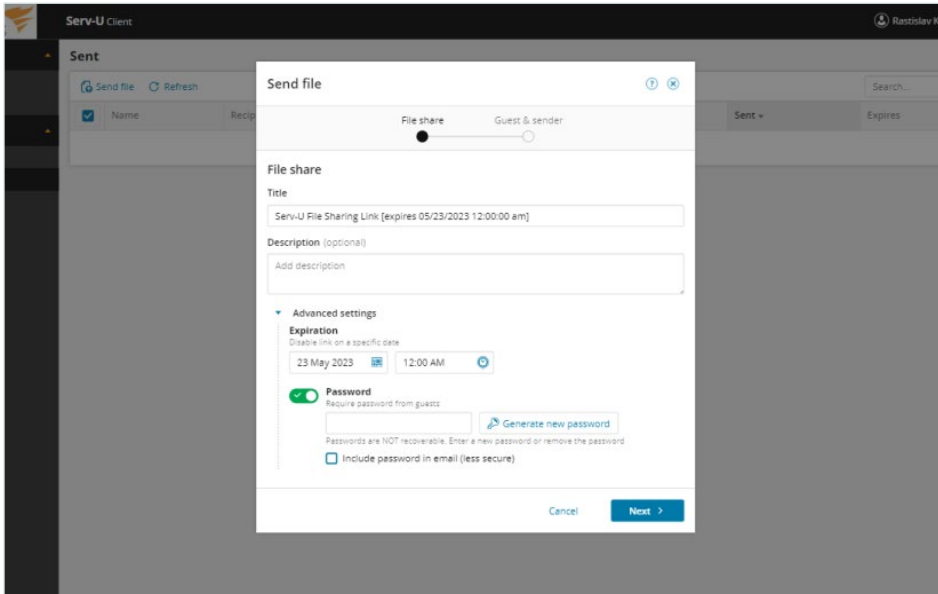📋 **DATASHEET**

Serv-U FTP Server
For Fast and Safe File Transfer

> ❝ *We have continued to use Serv-U over the years because it is so easy to use, configure, and understand.*
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> — Glenn Martin,
> IT Admin, Washington TV Station KSPS

[SolarWinds® Serv-U® FTP Server](#) is designed to deliver quick, easy, and reliable file transfers for your organization. You can exchange sensitive files with your trading partners using safe FTPS (FTP over SSL/TLS) over both IPv4 and IPv6 networks. Users can view, upload, and download files from intuitive web and mobile interfaces. Designed for small businesses, Serv-U FTP Server is an affordable and safe file transfer software that can help you accomplish all your internal and external file transfer needs.

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14 days, full version

SERV-U FTP SERVER AT A GLANCE

• Safe FTP server software that can support FTP and FTPS (over SSL/TLS) for file transfers

• Be able to easily view, upload, and download files from anywhere—transfer files over web and mobile devices

• Supports large file transfers (>3GB) and multiple file transfers with drag-and-drop capability

• Contains a variety of customization options that can help with easy file transfer administration and management

• Built to be simple to deploy, easy to use, and extremely affordable

• Available for Windows® and Linux® platforms

FEATURES

Safe File Transfer using FTPS (over SSL/TLS)

Serv-U FTP Server is built to support safe FTPS protocol for file transfers. You can encrypt files using SSL or TLS cryptographic protocol and can safely exchange files with your business partners. When transferring files using FTPS, SSL/TLS protects the data in transit using SSL/TLS, and confidential information is protected from tampering, snooping, leakage, or accidental exposure.

Quick and Easy File Transfer from Web Browsers and Mobile Devices

From intuitive web client and mobile device interfaces, you can easily view, upload, and download documents in very little time. With an interactive drag-and-drop file transfer option, your end users can exchange files from anywhere on the fly.

Large File Transfer (>3GB) and Multiple File Transfers

Be able to transfer large files (>3GB) with the help of a free, built-in web plug-in called "Web Client Pro." This plug-in also allows you to upload/download multiple files at once. Web Client Pro provides a transfer queue to pause or resume active file transfers and ask for confirmation before file overwrite.

Easy File Transfer Administration and Management

Perform file transfer administration and management from a single, easy-to-use management console. This includes real-time session monitoring and file transfer statistics, granular control over bandwidth, storage, permissions and access, access to virtual folders for local storage, remote shares, transfer ratio, and quota management for end users, and more.

Enhanced data transfer security with MFA

Serv-U supports multifactor authentication, requiring users to enter a code from an authentication app in addition to their username and password for an extra layer of security. Users can use various multifactor authentication apps to generate the required code when logging into Serv-U.

Monitor FTP Server Logs for Troubleshooting and Error Handling

View and monitor FTP server logs in real-time for help with easier troubleshooting and error handling. The server log shows file server startup, configuration, and shutdown information.

Easily Add File Transfer Users and Groups

Serv-U FTP Server enables you to easily add users and groups for file transfer. With the help of a wizard-driven interface, you can create new users and grant them access to the file server in as little as a few clicks.

Easily Manage FTP Server Settings and Permissions

Serv-U FTP Server can help you easily configure file transfer settings and permissions on the file server. You can define limits for the maximum number of sessions on the server, block the IP address of a timed-out session, enable settings to require reverse DNS names, and more.
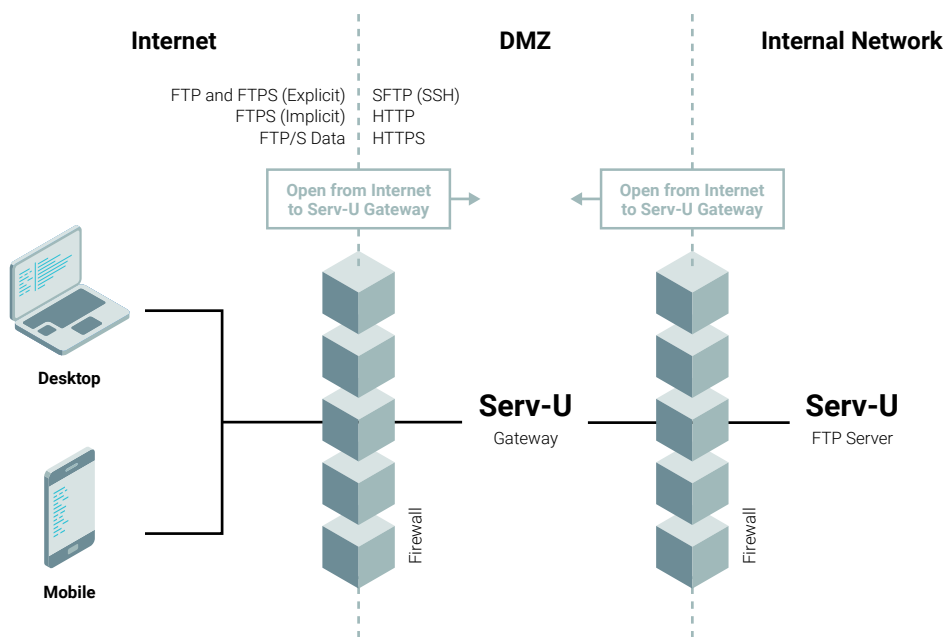
Affordable FTP Server for Windows and Linux Platforms

Serv-U FTP Server deploys on both Windows and Linux operating systems and can provide easy configuration options to set up domains, add users and groups, and start transferring and exchanging files in no time.

SECURE GATEWAY FOR FILE TRANSFER IN DMZ NETWORKS

Serv-U FTP Server integrates with the optional Serv-U Gateway to help ensure safe file transfer in your DMZ networks. Serv-U Gateway is the addition to Serv-U FTP Server that allows you to safely accept incoming file transfer connections in your DMZ. Serv-U Gateway provides defense-in-depth safety to Serv-U FTP Server deployment.

Secure DMZ Deployment
with Serv-U Gateway

Internet   **DMZ**   **Internal Network**

FTP and FTPS (Explicit)   SFTP (SSH)
FTPS (Implicit)   HTTP
FTP/S Data   HTTPS

Open from Internet to Serv-U Gateway

Open from Internet to Serv-U Gateway

Desktop

Mobile

Serv-U
Gateway

Serv-U
FTP Server

Firewall

Firewall

INTEGRATION WITH OTHER SOLARWINDS PRODUCTS

Using Serv-U FTP Server, you can send server logs to SolarWinds Log & Event Manager (SIEM software) for deeper security analysis and compliance reporting.

MANAGED FILE TRANSFER (MFT) FOR ENTERPRISE FILE TRANSFER

For larger file transfer and file sharing requirements, advanced security, scalability, and administration options, Serv-U Managed File Transfer (MFT) Server is designed to be a safe and comprehensive enterprise file transfer solution. While Serv-U FTP Server is limited to three domains, 250 user accounts, and 100 concurrent sessions, Serv-U MFT Server can support unlimited domains, users, and concurrent sessions. See comparison of Serv-U FTP and MFT Server.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

HARDWARE	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS
CPU	1.0 GHz Processor (Dual Core recommended)
Memory	256 MB (Or minimum required by Operating System)
Hard Drive	30 MB **Note:** *This is for the Serv-U application only. Additional local or UNC-accessible storage is usually required for users' home folders, shared folders, file sharing storage, and log files.*

SOFTWARE	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS
Operating System	**Licensed version supported on:** Windows • 2019 • 2016 • 2012, 2012 R2 Linux • Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) v.7.2 (Recommended) • Fedora 24 • Ubuntu 16.04 • CentOS 8, 7.2 • OpenSUSE 42.1
Database	ODBC-compliant databases, such as SQL Server® and MySQL®, are optional

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