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# **Is It Really Safe To Back Up Your Data In House?**

You like to be prepared for unforeseen circumstances. That's why you save money in an emergency savings account, always leave the house early for important meetings, and [back up all of your computer files](#) using an external hard drive.

You figure that if anything happens to your computer – it gets lost, stolen or infected with a major virus – your external back up will save the day.

Not so fast cowboy. First of all, good job for even backing up your computer files in the first place. Many people don't and live to regret it. However, your data may not be as safe as you think. When you keep your backup files in the same place as your computer, they could both be wiped out in the event of a fire, flood or other natural disaster that destroys your home or office.

Also, if you forget to update your external backup for a few days, or...maybe a few months, your files may be old and out of date by the time you actually need them.

If you truly want to be prepared for the worst, then you need to consider [backup and data storage online](#).

TAPNET solutions makes backup and data storage online easy and cost effective. Starting at just \$3.75 per month, TAPNET can [store all of your computer data](#) on its servers in a safe, offsite location. This means that if your home or office burns down (and your computer with it), your files will still be very much alive in TAPNET's facility.

All you have to do (after obtaining a new computer of course!) is log in to your TAPNET account to initiate a download of all your files. In only minutes, you'll have all of your computer data back. TAPNET's backup and data storage online system automatically backs up your data on a daily, weekly, monthly and yearly basis. This means that your backup data is always current. In the event of data loss, you'll get back even your most recent data.

So, for those who truly want to [be prepared in the event of data loss](#), the only way to go is with TAPNET's backup and data storage online system.

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