

HIGHLIGHTS

- Decommission Enterprise Vault
- Shortcut Rehydration
- 5 Continents
- 8,100 Mailboxes

CHOOSING ULTIMATE MIGRATOR

Ultimate Migrator is committed to delivering software that works. We help you move messaging data between platforms quickly, reliably and securely. We are asked to migrate some of the World's most complex messaging environments by some of the largest global organisations including banks and governments.

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The Customer

As specialist bank and asset manager, the customer provides a diverse range of financial products and services to a niche client base in three principle markets, as well as certain other geographies. Although headquartered in South Africa, the business also has a substantial user base in both the United Kingdom and Australia, with further smaller offices dotted around the world.

The Requirement

As part of their strategy to minimise costs, a business decision was made to move their entire messaging platform to Office 365 (O365). Having already transferred the mailbox data to the cloud, the next step was to decommission Enterprise Vault (EV). This can be accomplished in 2 ways:

- Copy the entire contents of EV into the respective user's personal archive in O365 and then delete all shortcuts
- Simply recall the original message only where a shortcut (or stub as it is sometimes called) exists.

The Solution

Most end-users are good at housekeeping and will delete messages when no longer required. However, only the shortcut is actually removed and the original message remains in EV. Copying the entire contents of EV back into the mailbox therefore causes confusion as it effectively un-deletes everything and also means that data is transferred unnecessarily. Rehydrating the shortcuts directly in the user's mailbox is by far the better option and allows the message to be found exactly where expected, deleted messages do not reappear and the minimum of data is sent across the wire. Ultimate Migrator was chosen for a number of reasons including:

- The complete rehydration process is fully automated
- Rehydration is speedy as only required data actually transferred
- Verbose reporting allows for detailed tracking and auditing, which is of considerable interest in a regulated environment
- Fast development cycle allowing customer specific features to be delivered quickly

Archive Type	Queue ID	User Archive Path	Discovery Status	Import Status	Log File	History	Retry Count	User ID	Size	Orphan	On Hold	Tag
	7902	DEV\ABailey	✓	✓			1	Andrew Bailey (ABailey)	460.19Mb			shortcutsmigration
	9085	DEV\ABailey	✓	✓			0	Andrew Bailey (ABailey)	529b			shortcutsmigration
	7903	DEV\ABarry	✓	✓			0	Abraham Barry (ABarry)	2.537b			shortcutsmigration
	7912	DEV\ABoyd	✓	✓			0	Angelica Boyd (ABoyd)	637.34Mb			shortcutsmigration
	7913	DEV\AButler	✓	✓			0	Alfred Butler (AButler)	1.22Gb			shortcutsmigration
	7917	DEV\ACase	✓	✓			0	Armando Case (ACase)	2.13Gb			shortcutsmigration
	7964	DEV\AHudson	✓	✓			0	Adrienne Hudson (AHudson)	4.41Gb			shortcutsmigration
	9083	DEV\ADougPecarski	✓	✓			0	Doug Pecarski - PST (DougPecarski)	76b			shortcutsmigration
	7905	DEV\ENriqueSalem	✓	✓			0	Enrique Salem (ENriqueSalem)	58.79Mb			shortcutsmigration
	9084	DEV\gbr3161	✓	✓			0	Gibney (gbr3161)	7.28Gb			shortcutsmigration
	7931	DEV\DPecarskiD	✓	✓			0	Doug Pecarski (DPecarskiD)	115.59Mb			shortcutsmigration
	7904	DEV\SteveJobs	✓	✓			0	Steve Jobs (SteveJobs)	1.24Gb			shortcutsmigration
	7911	DEV\User_1_host1013	✓	✓			0	User One (User_1_host1013)	1.117b			shortcutsmigration
	7916	PSTA-UAT1\Jive	✓	✓			0	Jive	29.62Gb			shortcutsmigration
	7915	PSTA-UAT1\SteveJobs	✓	✓			0	SteveJobs	1.24Gb			shortcutsmigration
	7896	DEV\ABailey	✓	✓			1	Andrew Bailey (ABailey)	439.19b			shortcutsmigration