

DISKEEPER ADMINISTRATOR CUSTOMER REVIEWS

“We have not used the built-in defrag in several years. It consumed more CPU, required scheduling, and had conflicts with SQL locked files and other custom applications we run. Diskeeper resolved all of these issues - very efficient.

“With the Diskeeper Admin Console, upgrades and deployments are very simple; scan, select, and deploy, then watch the report update. It doesn't get much easier than that.”

Charlie Brown, Systems Administrator, UnumProvident

“I consider Diskeeper to be a valuable tool and am very pleased with our deployment of it. We have Diskeeper Administrator running on our internal domain and use it to deploy and manage our Diskeeper clients. We have defrag policies set up and use them to keep production running.

“I personally like the ease of use the Admin Console gives me to manage and deploy new installs on our network. With just a few clicks I can edit defrag policies to fit our production needs as we bring up different workloads and shifts. Before we just used the built-in defrag tool in Windows to defrag servers and PCs. By using Diskeeper and the Admin Console, I can automate all of that and know that it is being done. Each morning I have scheduled reports which run to inform us of the current fragmentation levels and performance indicators. I also have it set up to email when a new upgrade is ready and can see all the machines it is installed on and what version they are running. This makes my task of managing these systems so much easier for me and my co-workers.”

Bradly Kerns, Network Administrator, Inter-State Studio & Publishing Company

“This system runs the software that routes all our trucks and outbound scheduling. With the Diskeeper Administrator I can see which computers are not performing at their best and the status and health of the hard drive. It also made installation quick and easy with the software push and upgrade ability.”

Jeff Orton, Sysco San Diego

“We have Diskeeper Admin Console setup on a Windows 2003 server domain environment. We push out Diskeeper clients from the Diskeeper Admin server to a mix of Windows XP, Server 2008, and Windows 7, 32 and 64 bit computers. When deploying the Diskeeper client and or upgrades to computers we will scan computers to see what they need from the Admin server.

“We use the default settings mostly on the Diskeeper installs and it tells us that it has improved performance by a certain percentage; we have no reason to doubt the report.”

Peter DenAdel, Information Services Dept, Our Community Credit Union

“Since installing Diskeeper I definitely hear fewer complaints from the users which is always a good thing! The client machines are smooth running; the server is definitely smoother sailing. We have saved money.

“In addition, I can monitor all the disks from the Administrator and get real-time data as to how they are and have been running. This allows me to see trends on specific workstations and head off any potential problems. This has been great for me as that means less down time for my users. And since installing Diskeeper I’ve actually had zero down time, which has been a blessing! I make sure to run reports once a month, which I used to do weekly, but there is so little for me to do now I can stretch it out.”

Zack Barresse, Lieutenant/Systems Administrator, Boardman Rural Fire Protection District

“A few months ago, I tried out the Diskeeper Administrator. I didn’t think our environment was big enough or complex enough, but I was curious about the usefulness of this tool. I installed Administrator, experimented with it, ran some reports, didn’t find anything alarming, and left it alone for a while. The other day I ran an Administrator status report and was concerned to see one of our workstations flagged with a Performance Alert. Upon investigating, I found it was our most powerful desktop computer. Coincidentally, a few days earlier I had made a mental note about that same machine as it was running sluggishly.

“Because of the Administrator report, I went to the affected computer and ran a Diskeeper analysis of the hard drive. To my surprise, I found the paging file had thirteen fragments. This is such a rare event with Windows 7 (which manages page file size automatically by default) that I rarely check for that particular problem. I immediately used Diskeeper to schedule and run a boot time defrag on the machine, which promptly reduced the page file to a single segment. Surely enough, when I logged back on to that machine I didn’t need a bench test to tell me performance was significantly improved. It was tangibly faster simply based on my personal ‘wait-time’ gauge, which I laughingly admit is set to a very low tolerance.

“It was definitely a ‘How cool is THAT?!’ moment. Diskeeper rules - case closed. Your products and your people give me a sense of confidence that is unmatched. You’ve set an admirably high standard. Please keep up the great work!”

Doug Lawson, Network Administrator, Greater Round Lake Fire Protection District