

Question

How many clients can Replicator support?

Answer

The limiting factor to the number of clients Replicator can support is the amount of disk space attached to the server. The minimum amount of disk space is equal to the size of the data to replicate. However, because of Replicator's optional archiving feature, more space is often needed as multiple versions of files are kept on the server according to the number of archives the administrator wishes to keep. Multiple inexpensive servers with limited storage can be used as Replicator servers through a tiered approach, in which each server replicates a small workgroup of machines, and several servers replicate other Replicator servers. The tiered approach also allows Replicator to easily scale along with its environment.