



You Back Up Your Data. But Have Your Proven You Can Restore It?

The Most Dangerous Assumption In IT

'Backups are running, so we're covered.' It's an easy assumption to make, but a risky one. A successful backup doesn't automatically mean:

- You can restore cleanly and completely
- Your RTO or RPO will be met
- Recovery will hold up under pressure
- Restores will happen in the right order
- Data will be restored in the correct environment
- Recent, validated testing

In many organisations, restore testing is infrequent, manual, informal, or never done at all. The risk only becomes visible during an outage.

How Coeo Reduces Knowledge Risk

When restore processes haven't been properly tested, problems tend to appear at the worst possible moment. That might include:

- Corrupted or broken backup chains
- Missing or incomplete log files
- Gaps in retention
- Restore steps that only exist in someone's head
- Recovery times that run far longer than expected
- Data that hasn't been fully validated after restore

The issue usually isn't that backups aren't running. It's that recoverability has never been proven.



Coeo Restore Confidence Review

At Coeo, we look beyond backup status dashboards and make sure your recovery actually works.

Backup Strategy Assessment

We start by reviewing how your backups are designed and maintained, including:

- Full, differential, and log backups
- Retention policies and storage validation
- Resilience, encryption, and overall backup posture

This gives us a clear view of both strengths and hidden weaknesses.

Recovery Readiness Review

Finally, we look at how prepared you are for recovery under pressure:

- RTO and RPO alignment
- Restore sequencing and runbook accuracy
- Escalation paths and decision clarity

Everything needed to recover quickly and calmly during an incident.

Controlled Restore Test

Next, we carry out a controlled restore in a designated environment:

- Restore to the designated platform
- Full chain & integrity validation
- Measured recovery time vs RTO

Why Choose us?

What you Receive

At the end of the review, you'll have:

- A structured Restore Confidence Report
- Measured recovery times versus agreed targets
- Clear identification of configuration or chain gaps
- Recommendations to improve resilience
- A documented, repeatable restore runbook

Why This Matters

During an outage, there is no time to experiment. Recovery must be:

- Documented
- Tested
- Repeatable
- Fast
- Verified

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