

## With Synerway, Vinci Construction Public Works Department (Paris Region) opts for serenity

Vinci Construction Public Works Department (Paris Region) is part of the French VINCI Construction Group.

The French VINCI Construction Group's operations employs 1500 people including 600 in the company headquarters near Paris and 900 in the rest of France.

### Why choose Synerway solutions ?

Before discovering Synerway and their range of data **backup Appliances**, Sébastien Desplats, IT Manager of the Vinci Construction Public Works Department (Paris Region) used Dell's NetVault backup software for the Headquarters and DoubleTake software for the regional offices to replicate data to the Headquarters which were then duplicated to tape.

Backups had become a genuine constraint on resources and were complicated to manage due to data volumes and retention periods and backup windows together with the difficulty in managing the solution and its overall lack of stability. This is why Sébastien Desplats chose Synerway Appliances: for their **simplicity**, the **reduction in administration tasks**, the **rapidity of the restaurations** and the fact that they provide **peace of mind** and **flexibility** for the teams who manage the solution.

### How the backups work

Initially, the chosen solution was **a single LA32L-R5 Appliance with 32 TB of disk space and an LTO-5 loader** to back up the data at Vinci's Headquarters. **A second Appliance was then added** to protect critical data from regional sites and construction sites.

The LA32L-R5 Appliance was switched to protect data from regional and construction sites and the second, more powerful Appliance, **an LA64L-R6 Enterprise version**, handles data protection at the Headquarters with an **LTO-6 loader** for additional security. Software agents deployed on the remote sites allow continual block mode protection. Synerway worked closely with the teams at Vinci on how best to deploy the solution.

### Powerful backup capability

Storage is optimised, network bandwidth usage kept to a minimum, **the RPO is close to zero** in the event of an incident, and all this without any local skills requirements.

The Synerway Appliances send **a daily e-mail** which checks the backup status and frees up time and increases **peace of mind**. I am very satisfied with Synerway, for its products but also for the **implication, availability and efficiency of its teams**» declared Sébastien Desplats. The next step for the Vinci Construction Public Works Department (Paris Region) is to deploy software agents in the laptops of VINCI management teams and this with no additional costs because the version «Enterprise CDP» installed on the Appliances enables access to an **unlimited number of servers, workstations and laptops**.



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IT Manager

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### About Synerway

Synerway design and supports a **range of data backup and restoration Appliances** dedicated to IT protection with storage space ranging from 1 TB to 100 TB in Raid 5 and 6.

SMEs, local authorities and multi-site corporate clients use Synerway Appliances on a daily basis to **protect their information Systems**.

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