## What is Business Continuity?

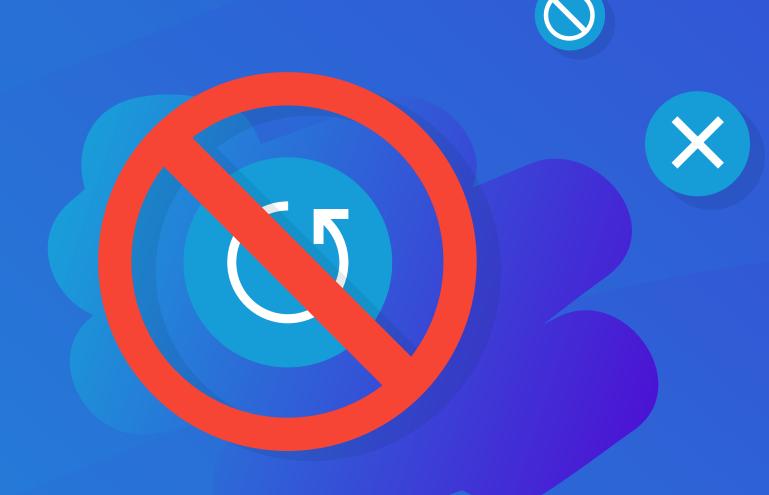


### Trying to define business continuity isn't always easy.

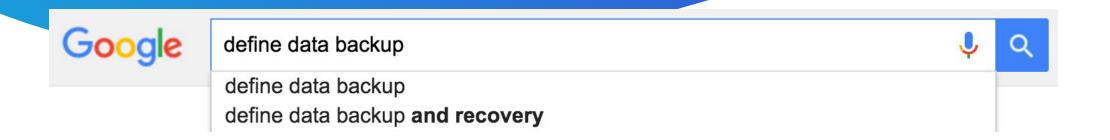
Everyone seems to have a unique definition these days. Depending on how your business operates, you may think about it a lot differently than the guy next to you.

### So what's a general definition? Is there one? Do more than one apply to you?

Let's start by defining what business continuity is NOT.

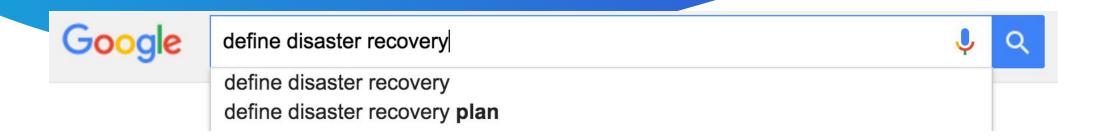


#### Business Continuity ≠ Data Backup



A **data** backup is the result of copying or archiving files and folders for the purpose of being able to restore them in case of **data** loss. **Data** loss can be caused by many things ranging from computer viruses to hardware failures to file corruption to fire, flood, or theft (etc). Mar 10, 2015

#### Business Continuity ≠ Disaster Recovery



**Disaster recovery** is the area of security planning that deals with protecting an organization from the effects of significant negative events.

# You may be scratching your head at this point, saying, "But those things make up my business continuity plan?!"

You are 100% correct, data backup and disaster recovery most certainly contribute to your business continuity plan. But the two should never stand alone!

## Not sure what kind of data backup is the ying to your disaster recovery yang?

Call us and we can help you get started!

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