

Why pay more for a High Availability solution, if all you need is a Disaster Recovery solution?

SOR

Simple Object Replicator

The affordable AS/400 disaster recovery solution.

Businesses are becoming more aware of the need to plan for continued business operations in the event of a disaster. Historically, the cost for software needed to implement a hot site disaster recovery solution has been out of the reach of many small to medium businesses. But now, Simple Object Replicator (SOR) provides an affordable disaster recovery solution to AS/400 administrators. At a cost that is far less than most high availability software products, SOR makes it affordable for even small to medium businesses to implement a hot site disaster recovery plan.

SOR replicates objects from one IBM AS/400, iSeries, or System i, to another. Database files, data areas, data queues, and a variety of other objects such as programs, display files, menus, etc. can be chosen to be replicated to another location anytime there is a change made to them.

SOR operates on any AS/400, iSeries, or System i running OS/400 V5R2, or i5/OS V5R3, V5R4.

Visit www.sor400.com for more information.

Contact information:

Midrange Resources, Inc.
PO Box 35971
Tulsa, OK 74153-0971

918-398-0569 (Voice)
918-398-0584 (Fax)

sales.team@midrangeresources.com
www.midrangeresources.com

MIDRANGE
RESOURCES, INC.

Why pay more for a High Availability solution, if all you need is a Disaster Recovery solution?

SOR is NOT high availability software. SOR is data replication software.

True high availability software gives you the ability to load PTFs and perform OS upgrades on the primary system while users operate on the secondary system. A planned transition can be made to switch operations over to the secondary system with little down time for users. Once the OS upgrade or PTF load is completed, and all data changes have been propagated to the primary system, another planned transition can be made to switch the users back again. This requires the secondary system to be configured the same as the primary system so that it can support a normal work load while maintaining the same level of operations and response times as the primary system.

Data replication software provides you a hot site backup system with current data to be used in the event of a disaster or other long-term outage. Often, companies are able to utilize a smaller system for their disaster recovery solution because it is understood that in the event of a true disaster, the company will most likely be operating at a reduced capacity and will not have the need for as large a system as normal.

Most small to medium sized businesses have no real need for a high availability solution. They can accommodate the few hours of planned down time each year that is necessary for loading PTFs or performing the occasional OS upgrade. What most small to medium sized businesses really need is the ability to continue their business operations after a disaster. SOR can provide that capability to them at a fraction of the cost of most high availability solutions.

- SOR works between any two AS/400, iSeries, or System i operating at V5R2 or above. Your backup system does not have to be an identical copy of your primary system so long as it has sufficient disk storage, communications lines, and a CPW rating to support your critical business operations after a disaster. This allows you to save money on your backup system by utilizing a smaller, used AS/400 or iSeries system, or a System i express model.
- SOR provides a simple, easy to use interface for you to manage the replication of objects on your system. SOR is designed to look and feel much like PDM, which is a familiar interface for many users.
- SOR is designed to perform all of the tasks associated with preparing objects for replication. You do not need to know how to create or manage journals and receivers, SOR does all of this for you.