



# LTO NewsBytes



## Storage Is Only the Beginning: How LTFS is Exceeding Limits

Over the years there has been enormous innovation in LTO technology, including the introduction of the Linear Tape File System (LTFS). LTFS represents a significant, positive change in the way storage managers and content providers utilize tape.

While tape storage can be used as a means of archiving 'cold' data, by integrating LTFS, tape is also capable of being an easily accessible and versatile data storage solution for all enterprise needs.

With LTFS, it's possible to now get a handle on the biggest issue with excessive data: how to best manage it. LTFS makes finding and copying files to tape as easy as dragging and dropping, as you would with a USB stick or external hard drive. If you want to share a large file with someone else, they could easily find that file and copy it over to their own system. LTFS enables organizations to leverage the cost and reliability of LTO technology with the accessibility and ease of use they are accustomed to with disk-based solutions - a win-win for organizations storing large quantities of data!

Moral of the story: there is no limit to the capabilities of tape for storage.

If you're interested in learning more about how LTFS could help improve and expand your data management, come see us at [ASIS International!](#) The LTO Program team will be there September 28 through October 1, and we'd love for you to stop by our booth so we can share how LTFS can exceed expectations for your data management needs.

Check out BlogBytes [here](#). Follow us on Twitter ([@TheLTOProgram](#)) or on our company page on [LinkedIn](#) as we keep you posted on the various happenings in the industry.

## Want to Know More About LTFS?

LTFS (Linear Tape File System) is changing the way that storage managers and content providers are looking at tape – and opening the door for applications in a broad range of industries. To learn more, check out the new two-minute [LTFS animation introduction video](#) at the LTO program website.

## The LTO Program is on the Road in 2015!

This 2015 trade show season is shaping up to be a good one and the LTO Program will be providing more insight on the latest uses of LTO technology and LTFS. Check out the [LTO events calendar](#) for the latest details around NAB in Las Vegas and others throughout the year.

**TAPE SAVES**  
Costs • Energy  
Data • Company



For more details, check out white papers, articles and other useful information at [www.lto.org](http://www.lto.org)