

Step 1: How to Install the Barracuda Backup Server

Before installation, determine the best type of deployment for your Barracuda Backup Server; refer to the [Deployment](#) section for a list of options.

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Create a Barracuda Cloud Control Account

You must have a Barracuda Cloud Control account to use Barracuda Backup. If you do not already have an account, follow these steps:

1. Go to the following URL: <http://login.barracudanetworks.com/>
2. Complete the fields on the **Create New Account** page, and click **Submit**.

Verify the Equipment

Verify you have the necessary equipment:

- Barracuda Backup Server (check that you have received the correct model)
- AC power cord
- Ethernet cables
- VGA monitor (recommended)
- Keyboard (recommended)
- Barracuda Backup Server serial number and linking code (available on both the side of the Barracuda Backup Server and the Quick Start Guide card)
- Connectivity and access information for servers you want to back up
- All necessary cables, e.g., multi-mode fiber optic cable is necessary for models 891, 991, and 1091

Connect to Network

1. Fasten the Barracuda Backup Server to a standard 19-inch rack or other stable location. **Caution**
Do not block the cooling vents located on the front and rear of the unit.
2. Connect an Ethernet cable from your network switch to the Ethernet port on the back panel of the Barracuda Backup

Server.

3. Connect the power cord, VGA monitor, and a keyboard to the Barracuda Backup Server. The AC input voltage range is 100-240 volts at 50/60 Hz.
4. Press the **POWER** button on the front panel to turn on the unit.

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