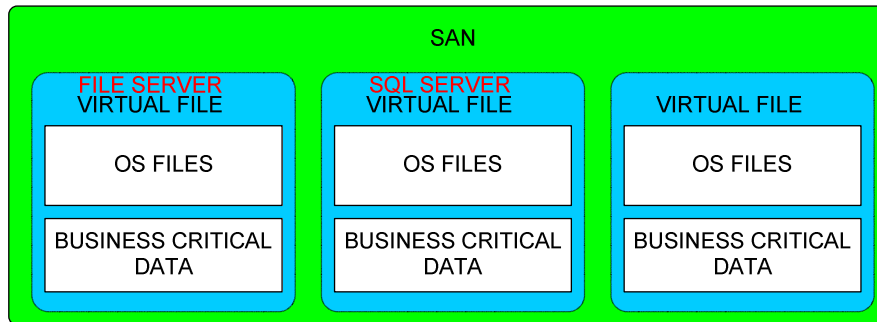


BUSINESS DATA IN THE VIRTUAL IMAGE FILE



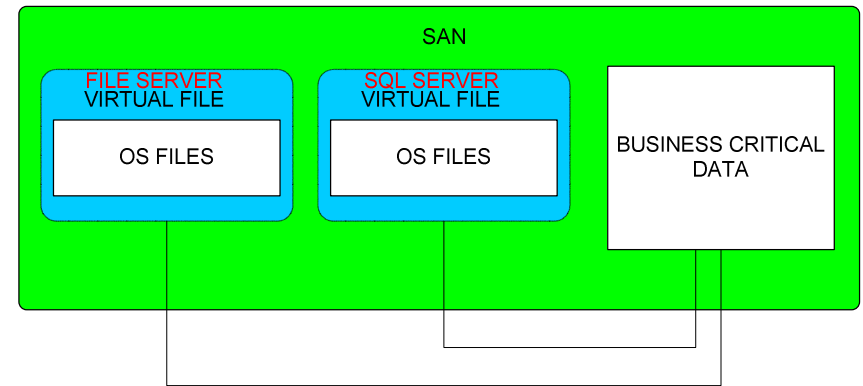
Advantages :

1. using snap mechanism of the VMware software will snap total situation of the system
2. virtual file can work on its own, easy to change to another environment

Disadvantegs:

1. snap files are bigger
2. Slower performance
3. Business data on different places

BUSINESS DATA SEPERATED FROM THE VIRTUAL IMAGE FILE



Advantages :

1. performance
2. small virtual files
3. business data and system (os) data is separated
4. business data on one place

Disadvantegs:

1. Extra backup software for snap business critical data