

OneDrive for Business Synchronization

How does OneDrive for Business synchronize files?

The business of synchronization

OneDrive for business is constantly checking for new and changed files to synchronize. When a change is detected, such as a new file on a client machine, client synchronization determines the technology to use to sync. Web services are used to bridge the gap between the client computer and Office 365.

Web Services used in synchronization

- **Cellstorage.svc** - used for file synchronization.
- **Sites.asmx** - returns site collection information.
- **Webs.asmx** - used to work with sites and webs.
- **Lists.asmx** - used to work with lists and list data.
- **Version.asmx** - used to work with file versions.



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