

CLOUD STORAGE WITH "DROPBOX"

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SUMMARY

You can use "Dropbox" cloud storage to protect yourself from the losing data files and to access your data files on multiple computers, cell phones, and computing devices.

Dropbox's Server Farms

- See <https://blogs.dropbox.com/tech/2019/01/the-scalable-fabric-behind-our-growing-data-center-network/>

REPORT CARD FOR "DROPBOX"

AMOUNT OF FREE STORAGE?	2 GB
RELIABLE UPLOAD AND DOWNLOAD OF ENTIRE FOLDERS CONTAINING DATA FILES?	Yes for computers but no for iOS
NO KNOWN DATA SECURITY COMPROMISES?	No !!
ONLINE CREATION, VIEWING, AND EDITING OF DOCUMENT FILES AND PHOTOS?	Yes
"ZERO KNOWLEDGE" OF YOUR PASSWORD OR YOUR STORED DATA FILES	No

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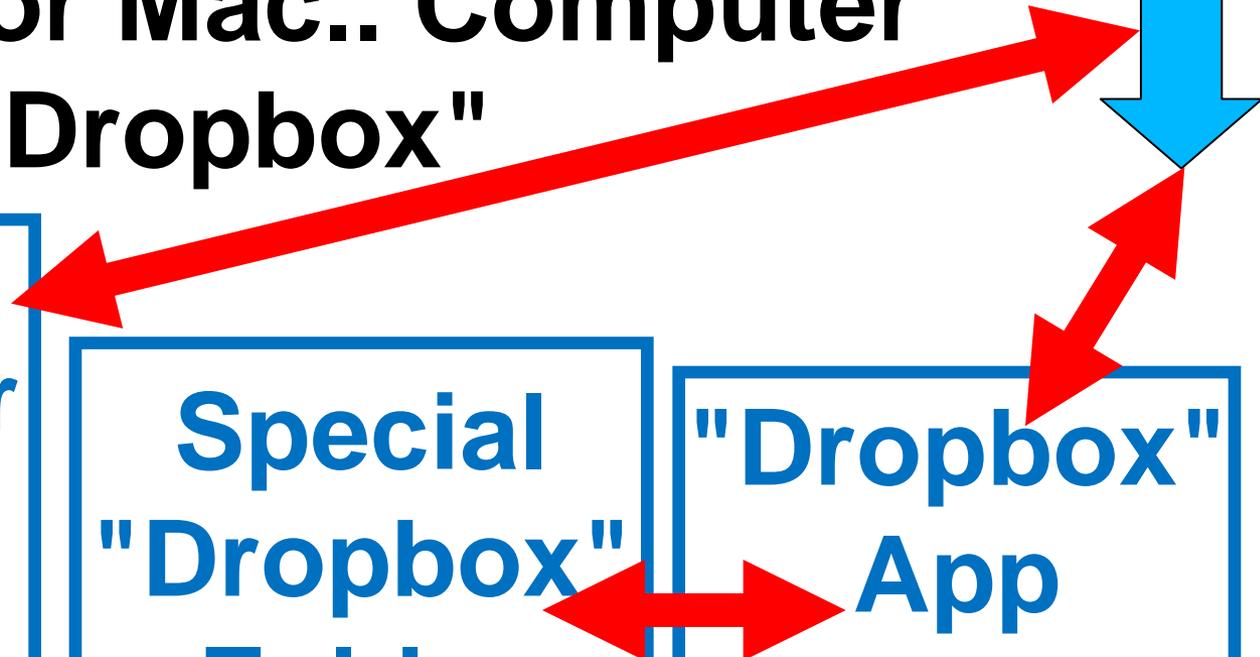
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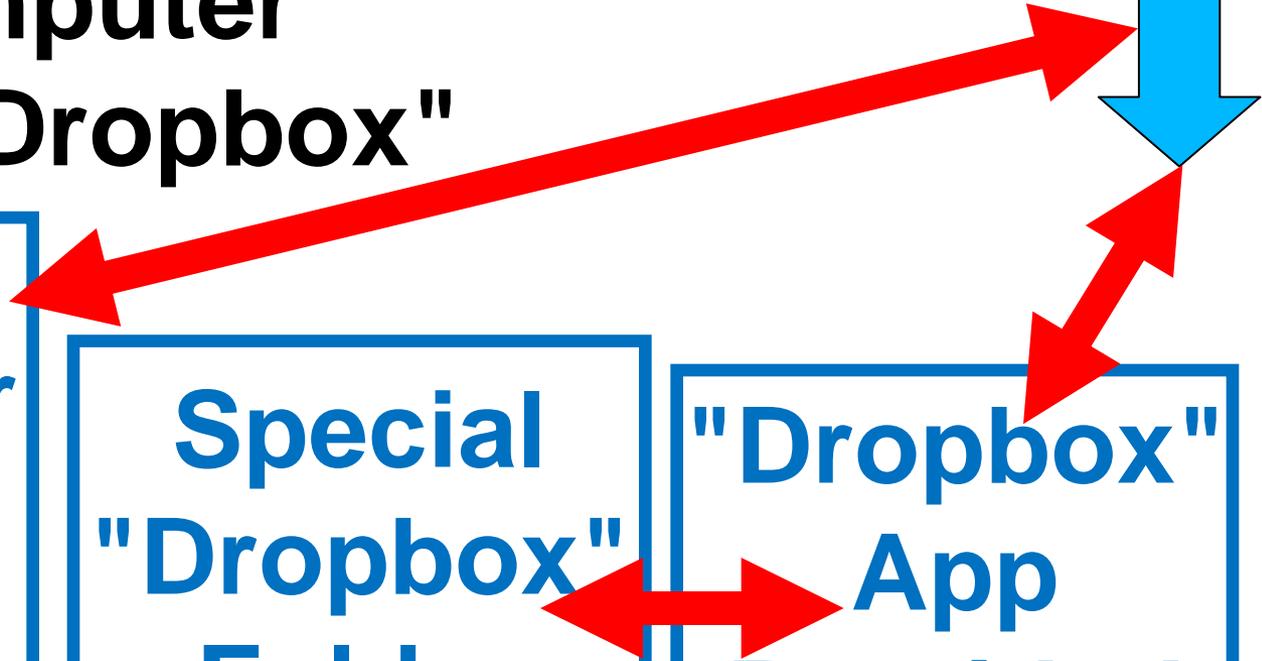
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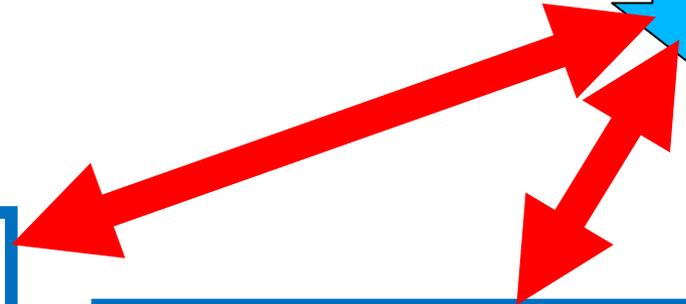
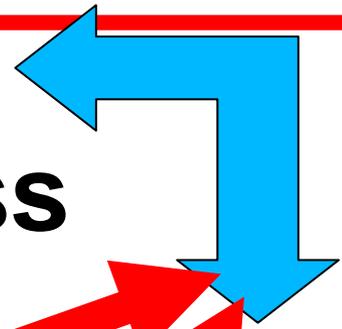
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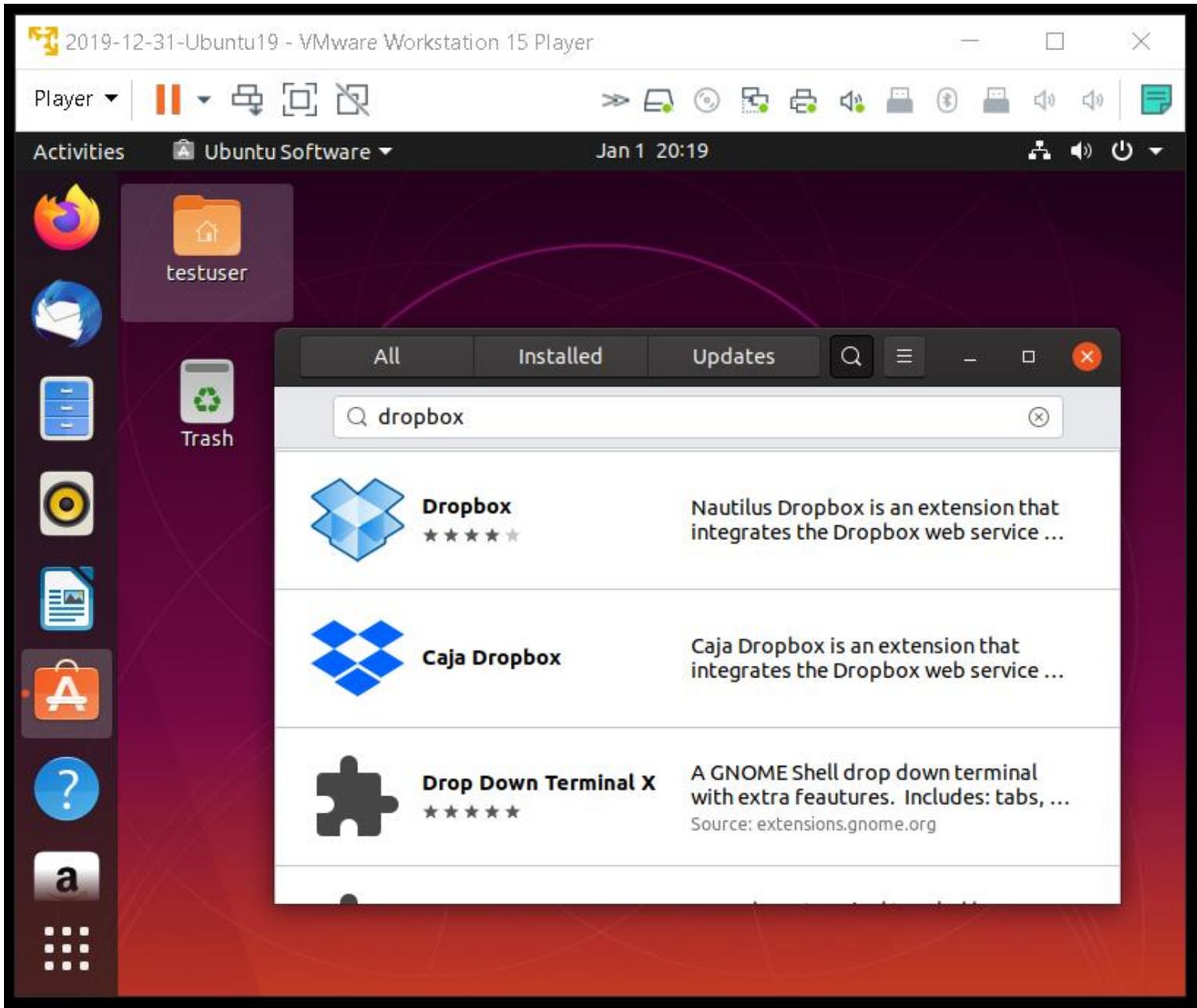
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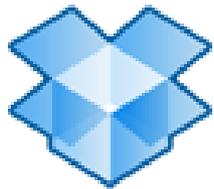


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DROPBOX'S FEATURES

- See

<https://zapier.com/blog/dropbox-hidden-features/#sync>

DROPBOX SYNC LIMITATIONS

- See

<https://zapier.com/blog/free-dropbox-account-three-device-limit/>

"DROPBOX" SECURITY LAPSES

- See

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Criticism_of_Dropbox#January_2017_accidental_data_restoration

DROPBOX "SELECTIVE SYNC"

- See

<https://help.dropbox.com/in-stalls-integrations/sync-uploads/selective-sync-overview>

"DROPBOX PAPER"

- "Dropbox Paper" is an online document processing app that can import files of almost any format
- "Dropbox Paper" stores files online in a proprietary form. These files cannot be downloaded to your computer
- See https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dropbox_Paper