



BEB – Blato Emergency Backup

YOUR DAILY SAFETY NET FOR IMPORTANT WORK

User Manual

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That's it. Your day's work is protected.

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The Modern Backup Dilemma

There are many excellent backup programs available today. Most are powerful, robust, and completely reliable. But they all share one major flaw:

They expect you to remember to run a backup regularly.

For freelancers, small business owners, students and busy professionals, that is exactly where things go wrong. You get busy — and suddenly it has been two weeks since your last full backup. What happens to the important documents, spreadsheets or creative work you created or edited **today**?

That's Where BEB Steps In

BEB is a brilliantly simple yet powerful utility designed specifically for **daily protection**. It is not meant to replace your weekly or monthly professional backup — it perfectly bridges the high-risk daily gap.

Why BEB is Different

- **Smart Daily Safety Net** — Protects only the work you did since your last major backup.
- **Non-Disruptive** — No long system scans or heavy processes. Finished in minutes.
- **Strategic** — Complements (does not replace) your existing full backup solution.
- **One-Click Simple** — Plug in USB → Open BEB → Click Start. Done.

How It Works — 3 Simple Steps

1	Plug in your USB Any standard USB flash drive, SD card reader, or external SSD/HDD.
2	Open BEB Double-click the BEB icon on your desktop (or run the .exe).
3	Click Start BEB automatically detects your USB and copies only today's new & changed files.

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→ **Just plug in → Click → Protected.**

Using BEB – Detailed Guide

1. Select Your USB Drive

When you start BEB, it automatically detects removable USB drives and shows the drive letter together with free and total space (for example: **E: (29 GB free / 32 GB)**). If your drive does not appear, click the **Refresh** button.

2. Choose Folders to Protect

On the left side you will find the standard folders: **Desktop, Documents, Pictures** and **Downloads**. Downloads is turned off by default because it often contains large installers. You can add any other folder by clicking **+ Add custom folder**. Custom folders appear on the right in neat columns.

3. Optional Settings

- **Last 36 hours** — Instead of only today's files, also include files modified in the last 36 hours. Useful if you work late.
- **Remember settings** — Saves your folder selection and options so they are restored next time you open BEB.
- **Open backup folder when finished** — Automatically opens the backup folder in Windows Explorer after a successful run.

4. Start the Backup

Click the large green button **Start Daily BEB Backup**. BEB will scan the selected folders and copy only the files that match the chosen time window. A live log shows every file being copied. When finished you see a clear summary: number of files copied and total size.

What Gets Copied?

BEB creates a dated folder on your USB, for example **E:\BEB_Backup_2026-08-05**. Inside it recreates the structure of your source folders. Only files whose modification date falls within the selected window are copied. Older files are skipped — this is what keeps the process fast.

Free Space Warning

Before starting, BEB checks available space on the USB. If less than 500 MB is free, a clear warning is shown so you can decide whether to continue or free up space first.

Recommended Storage Devices

BEB works with virtually any external USB storage device — compact USB sticks, SD card readers, external SSDs or HDDs.

Best Recommendation: Small USB SD Card Reader + SD Card

- **Low-profile** — Sits nearly flush with the laptop, reducing the risk of snagging or breaking when packing your bag.
- **Customizable capacity** — Choose an SD card size that matches your needs and budget.
- **Cost-effective** — Reliable readers are widely available for under \$10.
- Ideal if you want to leave the device plugged in most of the time.

Excellent Alternative: Standard USB Flash Drives

Most people already own several USB thumb drives. BEB works seamlessly with them. Simply dedicate one stick to your daily BEB backups.

Tip: Keep a dedicated USB device just for BEB. This makes the daily habit even simpler.

Tips for Best Results

- Run BEB at the end of your work day, or whenever you have finished important documents.
- Use “Remember settings” so you never have to re-select folders.
- Leave Downloads unchecked unless you specifically need files from that folder.
- BEB is a daily safety net. Continue using your regular weekly/monthly full backup for complete protection.
- After the first successful run, enable “Open backup folder when finished” once to verify everything looks correct.

Understanding the Log

- **Scanning:** the folder currently being examined
- **✓ filename** — the file was successfully copied
- **x filename** — an error occurred with that particular file
- Final line shows total files copied, total size, and how many older files were skipped

Troubleshooting

Problem	Solution
USB drive not listed	Click Refresh. Confirm the drive appears in Windows File Explorer.
No files are copied	Files may be older than today. Enable “Last 36 hours” or check the log for “Skipped”.
Windows SmartScreen warning	Click “More info” → “Run anyway”. Normal for new unsigned software.
Custom folders disappear after restart	Make sure “Remember settings” is checked before closing the program.
Backup feels slow	Large folders (especially Downloads) take longer. Select only the folders you really need.

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