

Business Objects auditing solutions comparison

Vendor	Business Objects	ebiexperts
Product	BO Auditing	Enterprise Manager 11
Supported Version	XIR2	BO 5,6, XIR1 XIR2
Components Monitored	All XIR2 Server components	All XIR2 Server components, Business Objects Full Client
Session Details		
User Login Business Objects	✘	✔
User Login Scheduling	✘	✘
User Login Webintelligence	✔	✔
Webintelligence Session Start, End Date, Session Duration	✔	✔
Business Objects Session Start, End Date, Session Duration	✘	✔
Document Visualization in Infoview		
Open, Refresh, Create, Close Webidocuments	✔	✔
Deski Document	✔	✔
CrystalReport	✔	✔
Other documents	✔	✔
Universe, Class, Object Name	✘	* (Q2 07)
Number of lines retrieved	✘	✘
Query Duration	✘	✘
Audit Duration	✘	✘
Deski User (Client applicaiton)		
Open, Refresh, Close	✘	✔
Create	✘	✔
Universe, Class, Object Name	✘	✔
Number of lines retrieved	✘	✔
Query Duration	✘	✔
Audit Duration	✘	✔

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Query SQL	✘	✔
Webintelligence Conditions		
Condition Object (where filter is applied)	✘	✘ (Q2 07)
Condition Expression	✘	✘ (Q2 07)
Prompt Expression	✘	✘ (Q2 07)
Value Used in Expression	✘	✘ (Q2 07)
Business Objects Conditions		
Condition Object (where filter is applied)	✘	✔
Condition Expression	✘	✔
Prompt Expression	✘	✔
Value Used in Expression	✘	✔
Session Duration	✘	✔

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***** Enterprise Deployment *****

Server Hardware

OS	Any Servers platform supported by BO	Windows only
IIS Server	No	No
Dedicated Server	No	Not required but possible

Audit DB Platform

Oracle	✓	✓
DB2	✓	✓
My SQL	✓	✓
Microsoft SQL Server	✓	✓
Informix	✓	✓
Sybase	✓	✓
Teradata	✓	✓
Other ODBC	unsupported	✓

Deployment Support

Audit overhead analysis	✗	✓
Architecture	Part of the Architecture	Audit Agents(services), Universe & Reports
Multiple Server/cluster support	✓	✓
Business Objects Permissions for deployment	Any Designer	Any Designer
Repository impact	None	None
Remarks		Works for all types of deployments, Webi or Deski