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Preface

The WebSphere Message Broker ODBC Database Extender Category 3 SupportPac (IE02) extends the ability of the WebSphere Message Broker Product to allow additional databases to be supported on the UNIX and Linux platforms.

Description

The IE02 SupportPac can be used in conjunction with WebSphere Message Broker v7.0 to extend the range of user databases supported by the WebSphere Message Broker product.

This SupportPac does not describe or document the additional user databases supported. The user databases that are supported when using this SupportPac are listed within the documentation for WebSphere Message Broker.

This package contains the driver manager libraries for unixODBC (available from www.unixodbc.org which is an implementation of the Open DataBase Connectivity interface for Unix® systems. These libraries are licensed under the GNU Lesser General Public License (LGPL) Open Source Initiative (OSI).

Chapter 1.

Installation Instructions

Prerequisites

WebSphere Message Broker v7.0.0.1.

Pre-installation

- If you do not already have the IE02 SupportPac installer executable, follow the instructions below:
 - O Download the ie02 tar file for the required platform to a temporary directory. This is located under the IE02 page from the SupportPac's site (http://www-01.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?rs=171&uid=swg27007198).
 - Extract the tar file by issuing the following command:

tar -xvf <filename>

Where <filename> is the name of the IE02 SupportPac tar file.

The tar file contains a copy of this PDF and also an installer to allow you to install the SupportPac. The installer executable is called ie02-install.bin. Although the installer has the same name on all platforms, the installer is platform specific.

Installation

The IEO2 SupportPac install file ieO2-install.bin must be executed under the same userid (typically root) that was used when installing WebSphere Message Broker.

The installer can be run in three modes:

- Graphical
- Console
- Silent

Graphical Installation

From within the directory where the SupportPac was downloaded, execute the following command:

```
./ie02-install.bin
```

The installer should launch within a separate window and guide you through the installation process. If the installer can not launch in GUI / graphical mode, it will launch in console mode.

Console Installation

From within the directory where the SupportPac was downloaded, execute the following command:

```
./ie02-install.bin -i console
```

The installer should launch and guide you through the installation process within the same console that the command was issued under.

Silent Installation

When specifying a silent install a response file is required to define the required responses to the options provided by the installer. An example response file is shown below:

```
# This file was built by the Replay feature of InstallAnywhere.
# It contains variables that were set by Panels, Consoles or Custom
# Code.

#Has the license been accepted
#------
LICENSE_ACCEPTED=TRUE

#Choose Install Folder
#------
USER_INSTALL_DIR=/opt/ibm/IE02
```

Note that the above example specifies that the license has been accepted. By using this example script you are accepting the terms of the license agreement.

The response file must be named installer.properties and needs to be located in the same directory as the IEO2 installer.

To execute the installer in silent mode, run the following command from within the directory where the SupportPac was downloaded:

```
./ie02-install.bin -i silent
```

After the installation has completed, please review the install log. This is located under the installation path specified during the install. The file name of the log is: "WebSphere Message Broker ODBC Database Extender InstallLog.log".

If installing over a previous IE02 installation (within the same installation directory), the previous installation will be silently uninstalled before the new version is installed.

Uninstallation

The IE02 SupportPac uninstaller must be executed with root privileges.

To uninstall the IE02 SupportPac, change directory to "Uninstall_IE02" under the install path for IE02 (\$IE02 PATH) and execute the following command:

```
./Uninstall_IE02
```

This will launch the uninstaller in the same mode that it was previously installed (GUI, Console or Silent).

The uninstaller will not delete the /var/mqsi/common/profiles/IE02.sh file. This file should be removed manually after uninstallation of the SupportPac. However, it will not cause any problems if it is not removed.

Chapter 2.

Configuration and setup of the WebSphere Message Broker ODBC Database Extender SupportPac.

Configuration.

For most scenarios, no additional configuration is required to configure the IE02 SupportPac, as all of the necessary configuration is performed at installation time. You only need to perform additional configuration tasks if you have modified the value of the \$MQSI_WORKPATH environment variable in your Message Broker runtime environment.

Please refer to the WebSphere Message Broker Information Center for additional information regarding configuration of your chosen database. This configuration is different for different databases.

To allow WebSphere Message Broker to take advantage of the additional database support, it needs to know where the SupportPac has been installed. The location of the SupportPac should be set as the value of the environment variable IE02_PATH. This environment variable is automatically set within the Message Broker profile during the installation of the SupportPac by the creation of the script called IE02.sh which is placed within the directory /var/mqsi/common/profiles.

An example file is shown below:

```
#!/bin/sh
# This file was created as part of the IBM WebSphere Message Broker ODBC
# Database Extender SupportPac (IE02) install
IE02_PATH=/opt/ibm/IE02
export IE02_PATH
```

If you alter the location of your \$MQSI_WORKPATH, and therefore alter the location where Message Broker dynamically executes additional scripts whilst loading its profile, you will need to either copy the existing file or create a new file containing the required contents within your new {\$MQSI_WORKPATH}/common/profiles directory.

You must **not** put the "lib" directory of the SupportPac into your library path (LD_LIBRARY_PATH or equivalent). If you do so, the SupportPac will not be correctly loaded by Message Broker and unpredictable results may occur.

Please refer to the Message Broker Information Center for additional information regarding configuration of your chosen database.