

Quick Start Guide

Use this guide to get started with a basic installation of IBM InfoSphere Information Server Pack for SAP BW.

Product overview

With IBM® InfoSphere® Information Server Pack for SAP BW, you can use IBM InfoSphere DataStage® or IBM InfoSphere QualityStage® to load data into SAP Business Information Warehouse and extract any type of data that is supported by the Open Hub architecture from SAP BW.

1 Step 1: Access software and documentation



To download your product if you do not have the installation media, go to the IBM Passport Advantage® site. For more information, see the download instructions.

This product offering includes one CD for Microsoft Windows systems or two CDs for Linux or UNIX systems. The CDs contain client and server components of the InfoSphere Information Server Pack for SAP BW. A Quick Start CD contains the product documentation.

Before you install the Pack, read the release notes. The latest information about product changes is in the release notes.

To download any fix packs or updates, go to the IBM Support Portal or the Knowledge Collection.

2 Step 2: Evaluate your hardware and system configuration



The InfoSphere Information Server Pack for SAP BW has the same hardware and system configuration requirements as IBM InfoSphere Information Server. Ensure that your computers meet the system requirements. You can use the Software Products Compatibility Reports tool to view detailed system requirements.

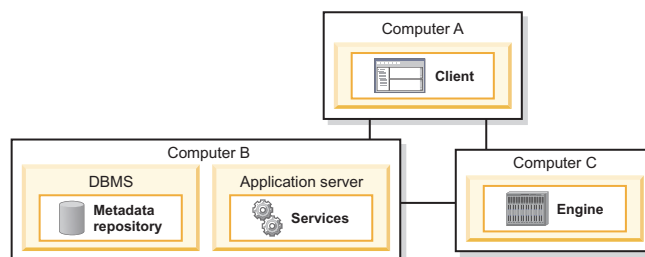
For information about the supported versions of IBM InfoSphere Information Server, see the release notes.

3 Step 3: Plan your installation and architecture



You install InfoSphere Information Server product modules and components on one computer or distributed across multiple computers. InfoSphere Information Server is installed in tiers: metadata repository, services, engine, and client. The Pack includes add-on components for the client and services tiers.

The following diagram shows an installation that is distributed across three computers. For details about architectures, see the planning topics in the *IBM InfoSphere Information Server Planning, Installation, and Configuration Guide*.



4 Step 4: Install and configure the product modules and components



Follow the installation, migration, and configuration instructions:

Installing or upgrading the Pack

http://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSZJPZ_11.3.0/com.ibm.swg.im.iis.ds.entpak.sapbw.reinfo.doc/topics/sapbw_installation_migration_info.html

Installing InfoSphere Information Server

http://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSZJPZ_11.3.0/com.ibm.swg.im.iis.install.nav.doc/containers/cont_iis_information_server_installation.html

More information



Product documentation

The Knowledge center contains the documentation, including links to PDF files, at http://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSZJPZ_11.3.0/index.jsp.

Information roadmap

For additional technical resources, see the roadmap at http://http://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSZJPZ_11.3.0/com.ibm.svg.im.iis.productization.iisinfsv.roadmap.doc/topics/iisinfsv_roadmap.html.

