



DATA SHEET

Enterprise Search Decision Accelerator

Discover how an enterprise search solution from Microsoft Services meets your needs

Realize the power of enterprise search in your environment.

The Enterprise Search Decision Accelerator from Microsoft Services helps you:

- Prove complex requirement concepts.
- Plan a successful search solution

Enterprise Search

The information explosion in the workplace has increased the need for information workers to perform under constant pressure to make sense of an overwhelming amount of data. The expense of not finding needed information can have a dramatic impact on an organization's bottom line. Enterprise search is here to help your information workers succeed.

Microsoft® Office SharePoint® Server 2007 is the Microsoft enterprise search solution to help you increase productivity and reduce information overload. This provides your employees, partners, and customers with the ability to find relevant content in a wide range of repositories and formats.

The enterprise search capability in Office SharePoint Server 2007 helps you unlock business data and expertise by enabling:

- Increased productivity through integrated search of data from various sources including Websites, documents, line of business applications.
- Improved ability to locate information and people throughout your enterprise with powerful search capabilities.
- Improved manageability through enterprise-grade support.

Enterprise search solutions from Microsoft Services empower your people to find information and expertise anywhere in the organization. They enable working professionals to manage and extend search as an integrated part of a broader information management infrastructure. And they combine the simplicity and cost advantages of entry-level solutions with a feature set typically found only in more costly high-end solutions.

An important component of the Microsoft Services Office SharePoint Server 2007 deployment portfolio, the Enterprise Search Decision Accelerator fits in the vision and plan phases of the portfolio.

The standard Enterprise Search Decision Accelerator includes:

- Installation and setup of Office SharePoint Server 2007 in a lab environment
- Installation, configuration, and deployment of the out-of-box (OOB) search functionality including:
 - Setup of shared service providers (SSP), Web applications, and site collections
 - Configuring authentication and authorization services for users and systems
 - Building site collections and sites
 - Assigning appropriate user access to use, configure, and manage enterprise search capabilities
 - Indexing of HTTP/SharePoint sites
 - Creation of a search site to display return results
 - Configuring search Web parts and other search related areas
- Defining relevance of results using authoritative pages and keywords
- Customization of the advanced Web part
- Creating styles, importing images, and building the look and feel of Office SharePoint Server 2007
- Documenting and configuring keywords for the content in editorial search document
- Documenting and configuring best bets in editorial search document
- Installing additional protocol handlers and iFilters
- Building Office SharePoint Server 2007 master pages, content types, and page layouts
- Modifying the synonyms and thesaurus for search

People Search

The Enterprise Search Decision Accelerator + People Search offering builds on the standard scenario by extending the search capabilities to include people within your organization, with limited customization. Features include:

- Configuring Office SharePoint Server 2007 with people search
- Completing business data catalog (BDC) and people search configuration
- Setup and create BDC definitions for external relational content
- Configuring search to include BDC data
- Improving search performance by increasing relevancy
- Building Extensible Stylesheet Language (XSL) and Extensible Markup Language (XML) into the closed system to demonstrate custom results

Experience You Can Count On

Microsoft Services has successfully implemented search solutions in numerous organizations like yours. Using best practices developed over years of experience, we are confident that we can deliver a solution that will meet your business needs.

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