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Information Management

IBM OmniFind Yahoo! Edition: Make information actionable with no-charge enterprise search

Highlights

- Benefit from no-charge Website and file system search of up to 500,000 documents
- Empower employees to rapidly find the information they need from inside the enterprise and the Internet
- Delight customers with intuitive search-based access to product and service information
- Integrate seamlessly with Yahoo! Internet search and enable users to search both the enterprise and the Internet from a single interface
- Install and customize in minutes with intuitive yet powerful administration capabilities
- Experience immediate ROI with no up-front investment; pay only for support
- Maintain flexibility for future growth with IBM's comprehensive OmniFind search portfolio

Managers agree that providing employees with fast, accurate, search-based access to company information improves decision-making and increases firm productivity. However, with data scattered across a company's intranet, shared file systems, blogs and wikis, deploying a traditional enterprise search solution is a formidable, expensive and resource-draining challenge.

IBM OmniFind™ Yahoo! Edition is a no-charge, entry-level enterprise search software solution that enables rapid deployment of intranet and file system

search for both employees and customers. Seamless integration with Yahoo! Search enables users to search both the enterprise and the Internet from a single interface. The solution integrates smoothly with existing infrastructures and intranet sites and incorporates open source Apache Lucene search technology to deliver the best of IBM and community innovation. Access to IBM's expert service and support professionals, available through a paid support option, ensures any challenges are resolved in a reliable and timely manner.

Business Value		
Beneficiary	Business Value	Contributing Factors
Line of Business Manager	Improve employee productivity Reduce costs	 Speed information retrieval Eliminate duplicative efforts Empower customers and business partners to quickly find information themselves (instead of contacting service representatives)
IT Manager	Improve responsiveness to business unit needs	Provide enterprise-wide search capabilities quickly and inexpensively
Website Developers	Enhance Website performance and business contribution	Incorporate search easily into an intranet or external site

User	Beneficial Product Features	
All users	Support for: • Up to 500,000 documents • More than 200 file types • More than 30 languages	
Administrator	 Simple three-click installer, no previously required installations Intuitive Web-based administrative console Automatic, intelligent crawlers for Websites (HTTP) and file systems Ability to define synonyms to increase search result relevancy Featured links that provide a shortcut to important content A user-friendly, GUI-based tool for designing custom search and results pages Tunable relevancy controls to improve search results "Top query" and "no results" reports highlight terms that require extra focus and fine-tuning Access to expert IBM support professionals through a paid support option Smooth integration that leverages existing hardware 	
End-user	 A single, easy-to-use interface for enterprise or Internet search Automatic spelling correction Full wildcards support: Substitute any character (or characters) in a search string with a wildcard character Search term highlighting in both summary and abstract results 	
Developer	URL-based APIs for simplicity and extensive portability (REST architecture) Key interfaces that support: Issuing search requests and receiving search results Pushing documents to be indexed Deleting documents from an index Retrieving cached and source documents Embeddable and customizable UI output (XML/HTML/HTML snippets) Lucene search libraries, enriched with IBM enterprise capabilities, that leverage the innovation of global users, administrators, developers and researchers	

For more information

To learn more and to download IBM OmniFind Yahoo! Edition, visit http://omnifind.ibm.yahoo.com.

Enterprises with search challenges that require a search of more than 500,000 documents, secure access to enterprise content repositories, or a sophisticated managed user search experience may view IBM's advanced enterprise search offerings at ibm.

com/software/data/enterprise-search.



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