



Foglight®

Collection Types

Technology for Synthetic, Passive, Active, Real-Time, Embedded and Automated Agent Capture

Collecting the right data is essential for effectively managing and monitoring an environment. Examining more than just log files is crucial for ensuring all mission-critical information is captured.

Effective application and services management means collecting compliance, performance and availability data from a wide range of components in your environment:

- End-user accounts
- Web and application servers
- Database management systems
- Enterprise Service Buses (ESBs) and other middleware
- Infrastructure
- Operating systems
- Network devices

Only Quest's technology provides a host of collection capabilities. This allows you to mix and match options to suit your environment, whether you need collection for low overhead and deep-dive diagnostics, or automatic agents, passive monitoring and synthetics.

Synthetic Agents and Transaction Validation

Generate synthetic transactions from remote locations to validate execution as well as get availability information tied to geography and ensure remote service-level execution; agents are available for Web and rich clients.

Real-Time Passive End-User Data Capture

Capture end-user performance, availability and session data for end-user replay and diagnostics using passive agents that use no overhead and connect to the system via router SPAN ports.

Automated, Remote and Active Agents

Generate performance and availability data for applications and database with agents that connect remotely, without installing of software on the managed host.

Embedded Agents for Transaction Tracing, Memory Leak Detection and Diagnostics

Enable deep-dive diagnostics, memory leak detection, exception analysis and collection of internal system metrics for Web servers, applications, databases and operating systems using embedded agents that live on the managed host.

- Choose only the collection technologies you need for overhead and security goals
- Integrate existing performance, availability and services management data into a single system
- Manage performance and availability of legacy systems through integration with standards-based interfaces
- Connect infrastructure performance issues to end user and customer activities

System Requirements:

Quest has a wide range of operating system support spanning numerous versions and across 32- and 64-bit architectures. In addition to these, Quest offers custom solutions for nearly any platform.

- AIX
- RedHat AS
- RedHat AS/ES
- RedHat EL
- Fedora Linux
- HP-UX
- Linux
- SLES
- Solaris
- Windows

Network Topology Import, Discovery and Collection

Discover and manage network topologies and environments through automated agents that use SNMP and WMI.

Open Collection Interfaces

Import and access performance, availability and service compliance data from any external source or existing investment through standard, XML-HTTP collection agents.

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