bv-Control

for Microsoft® Exchange

Comprehensive security, availability, and policy management for Microsoft® Exchange

- **Establish and enforce e-mail policies**
- **Increase Exchange availability**
- **Prepare for Exchange 2000 migration**
- **Reduce security exposures**
- **Consolidate servers across organizations**

BindView Corporation's bv-Control® for Microsoft® Exchange solution offers an exclusive, two-pronged approach to Microsoft Exchange management, combining exclusive query-based reporting and administration with real-time monitoring, all from one management console (a snap-in to MMC).

bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange offers a range of capability, vital to the healthy performance and secure operation of Exchange servers across sites. Benefits include improved assessment, administration and configuration, increased availability, and reduced cost of ownership. Its unique capabilities allow administrators to:
- Select and move multiple mailboxes across Exchange containers, servers, sites, and organizations
- Perform ActiveAdmin® actions on Exchange 2000 mailbox properties
- Determine proper permissions for public folders and delegates to mailboxes
- Analyze disk space utilization
- Perform uptime and traffic analysis on Exchange servers
- Analyze and document Exchange configurations
- Scan e-mail message contents
- Easily update storage and message size limits

Query-based analysis

## Analysis and Administration

On-Demand Reporting
On-demand reporting and analysis is a much-sought feature in IT administrative and management solutions. bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange software ships with over 140 ready-to-go reports in areas such as:
- Server configuration
- Mailbox properties and contents
- Active Directory™ connector properties
- Mail-enabled user properties
- Web storage properties
- Public folder properties and contents
- Exchange directory, services, event logs, and transaction logs
- Message tracking logs
- WMI hardware information

In addition to using ready-to-go reports, administrators can develop, run, and re-run custom reports with bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange. Using data sources specific to the needs of each Exchange environment, reports can be developed with just a few clicks of the mouse—no scripting is necessary.

Reports that run regularly help administrators to identify and circumvent bottlenecks before they impact users. Reports help administrators to document and review configurations,

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Mailbox Disk Space Utilization

Real Time Console Alert

Exchange Server Configuration
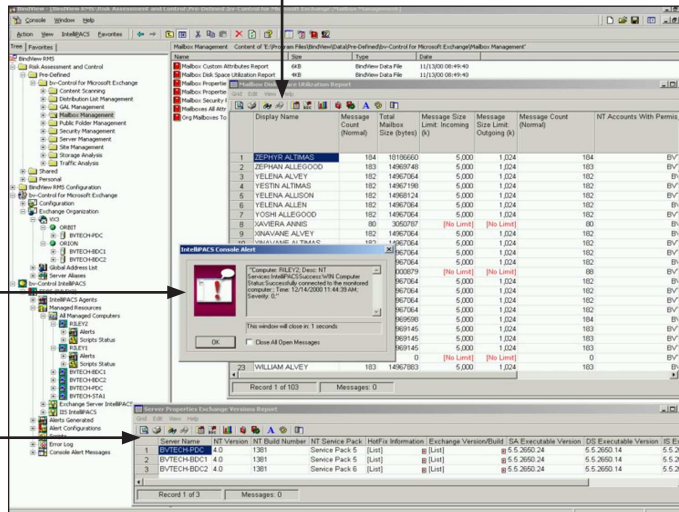
The bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange solution allows you to review server configuration, disk space utilization and even receive performance alerts, all from a single console.

analyze security risks and trends, perform capacity planning. The reporting feature is an asset to any IT administrator managing Exchange environments.

But reporting is only the first step...

Find-and-Fix Problems With ActiveAdmin® Feature

bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange offers administrators the ability to find and fix problems through the exclusive BindView® ActiveAdmin® feature. This saves valuable time when performing policy establishment and enforcement, as well as daily advanced administrative tasks. This feature enables administrators to:

· Manage Exchange 2000 and Exchange 5.5 from a single console
· Modify attributes of mailbox and public folder objects
· Move, copy, and delete messages from mailboxes and public folders
· Establish mailbox storage limits

All by selecting and clicking from within the bv-Control report!

Security Policy Management

A secure Exchange environment is difficult to achieve in today's

networked world, but it is mandatory for effective policy management.

bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange helps establish a secure IT environment in three key respects:

1. *Secure access to the environment* – Ensure that only appropriate people have access to public folders and mailboxes.
2. *Enforce corporate policies* – Search mailboxes and public folders for content in violation of corporate policy. Quickly locate messages or mailboxes in violation and correct them immediately.
3. *Enhance integrity of environment* – Create and run reusable reports quickly and easily for ongoing maintenance and monitoring of a secure environment.

Fast and Easy Administration

bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange empowers Exchange administrators with features that both simplify and speed up day-to-day tasks.

· *Reduce recovery and maintenance time* – Keep server build and versioning documentation up to date. Enforce policies for Exchange environments, using comprehensive find-and-fix capabilities.

· *Maintain control in a dynamic environment* –Drag-and-drop one or more mailboxes to another location, regardless of the site or organization.
· *Automate administrative tasks* – Create distribution lists of all mailboxes on a server in seconds, as well as create server alias names for easy identification.

Prepare for Exchange 2000 Migration

bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange assists in the preparation and cleanup required to migrate from Exchange 5.5 to Exchange 2000 by analyzing and resolving:

· Unused or orphaned mailboxes
· Mailboxes with Exchange aliases different from Windows NT account user names
· Server versions including hot fix and server pack information
· Mailboxes in different organizations that need to be consolidated

Availability Management

Real-time monitoring

bv-Control for Microsoft Exchange contains unique packaged scripts called IntelliPACS®, designed to both gather data and report on the health and efficiency of Exchange and Internet Information Server (IIS) application metrics. By accessing event logs, performance counters, and services, and by measuring response times, IntelliPACS scripts pinpoint the issues that could become problems. Scripts can:

· Monitor availability of key services, such as Message Transfer Agent and System Attendant
· Monitor size of the Exchange information stores and directory store
· Monitor message delivery time between Exchange servers
· Alert when a database corruption error is logged
· Monitor key Microsoft Internet Information Server metrics, i.e., CPU usage, HTTP connections, Event Log errors
· Analyze trends to determine changes from prior periods

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