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New in this Release

This section lists the enhancements to IDOL Data Admin version 12.0.0.

- The keywords page now allows paging and filtering on synonyms, to allow you to manage larger numbers of synonyms.

TIP:

For best results for managing large numbers of synonyms, Micro Focus recommends that you configure the QMS Agentstore to make the `DRECONTENT` field a `SortType` field. For more information about `SortType` fields, refer to the *IDOL Server Reference*.

- On the results page, you can now use the paging options to jump to a particular page number in the results list by typing the page number.
- The keywords page rendering performance has been improved.
- The upgrade process for updating and reindexing promotions, synonyms, and blacklists has been improved so that IDOL Data Admin runs fewer unnecessary upgrade operations. IDOL Data Admin now fully upgrades only indexed items with an `IDOL_VERSION` earlier than 11.3.0.

For synonyms with an `IDOL_VERSION` of 11.3.0 or later, IDOL Data Admin upgrades the index to re-sort the `DRECONTENT` and `KEYWORDS` in case-insensitive alphabetical order to enable sorting and paging of synonyms. This upgrade process is optional. You can disable it by setting the `ida.upgrade.sortSynonymContent` system property to **false**.

- The Answer Bank section now uses the new conceptual filter method to find related questions. This method requires Answer Server 12.0 or later. You can adjust the minimum score to use for matching by using the Question Equivalence Min Score option on the settings page.
- IDOL Data Admin caching has been improved to reduce some duplicate calls.
- You can now configure IDOL Data Admin to generate an `idol-access.log` file to log all actions that it sends to an IDOL component ACI or service port. You turn on logging by using the `idol.log.enabled` system property. When you enable logging, you can optionally turn off information about the time taken for requests by setting `idol.log.timing.enabled` system property.
- You can now configure IDOL Data Admin to include an action ID on the requests that it sends to IDOL, by setting the `idol.log.actionid.enabled` system property. Find generates the action ID by using a UUID string and an optional prefix, which you can configure by setting the `idol.log.actionid.prefix`.

Resolved Issues

This section lists the resolved issues in IDOL Data Admin version 12.0.0.

- Indexing synonyms, promotions, and blacklists to a QMS agentstore that used a distributed setup could fail.
- The Keywords area did not display blacklisted terms that matched a query unless the query also contained synonyms.
- IDOL Data Admin failed to run when connected to a non-mirror mode DAH with Combinator virtual databases if the child servers had different language configurations, because it could not retrieve a default language type. IDOL Data Admin can now fall back to using `GetStatus` to retrieve a default language type in this case.
- IDOL Data Admin sometimes returned an exception when a user clicked on the synonym keywords.

Notes

These notes provide extra information about installing and using IDOL Data Admin.

- When you start IDOL Data Admin, it automatically upgrades any of your indexed synonyms that have an `IDOL_VERSION` of 11.3.0 or later to re-sort the `DRECONTENT` and `KEYWORDS` in case-insensitive alphabetical order to enable sorting and paging of synonyms. This upgrade process is optional. You can disable it by setting the `ida.upgrade.sortSynonymContent` system property to **false** in your java run command. For example:

```
java -Dida.upgrade.sortSynonymContent=false -Didol.dataadmin.home=[home  
directory] -Dserver.port=[port] -jar dataadmin.war
```

- The *IDOL Data Admin Installation Guide* has been renamed to the *IDOL Data Admin Administration Guide*.

Documentation

The following documentation was updated for this release.

- *IDOL Data Admin Administration Guide*
- *IDOL Data Admin User Guide*

NOTE:

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