



In many organisations, proactive database management and administration along with performance tuning activities are neglected. Often this is caused by the fact that business and economic pressures on modern information technology departments does not allow for this type of specialisation to develop within the organisation. Despite the lack of data management, businesses have come to depend on data for core operations and the cost of this data not being accessible in a timely fashion can be staggering.

Business Landscape

Almost all business information systems, whether developed internally or developed by a third-party are designed to store important business data in a database management system. In order to maintain optimal performance and ensure system availability, someone who understands the technology must be assigned the ongoing task of supporting the crucial database management system.

Business applications operate in dynamic environments. Critical performance tuning and system optimisation parameters need to be monitored over time to ensure that they are always adjusted for optimal performance and operation. This proactive approach ensures that an information system is available to users when needed and continues operating at peak performance.

The Solution

WARDY IT Solutions Virtual DBA provides a cost effective solution to meet the day-to-day challenges of availability, performance and administration of your organisations critical Microsoft SQL Server databases.

A Virtual DBA remotely monitors critical SQL Server databases on a daily basis and reports any issues along with the impact that these issues may have on your SQL Server databases and how these issues can be addressed. The Virtual DBA service also provides your organisation with priority access to a team of Database Administrators on call 24x7.

Virtual DBA is a solution that can be tailored to the needs of your organisation whether it is to assist your existing staff or to outsource all of your Microsoft SQL Server Database management.

Solution Overview

Like most organisations your data is the centre of your information systems. But like most organisations you are faced with the following challenge:

How can we cost effectively monitor and ensure the availability of our data?

Virtual DBA is a solution that has been designed by WARDY IT Solutions to meet the day-to-day challenges of availability, performance and administration of your organisations critical Microsoft SQL Server databases.

Partner Profile

With a proven track record of implementing SQL Server solutions ranging from Architecture and Design Consulting to Database Development and Business Intelligence, **WARDY IT Solutions** has established itself amongst the top solution providers in SQL Server technologies.

Website

www.wardyit.com

Industry

System Integrator

Technology Used

WARDY IT Solutions Virtual DBA solution is based on current Microsoft products and is being tested on the next version of SQL Server, SQL Server 2008. The Microsoft software used in this solution is:

- Microsoft® SQL Server 2000
- Microsoft® SQL Server 2005
- Microsoft® SQL Server 2008
- Microsoft® Operations Manager 2005
- Microsoft® System Center Operations Manager 2007

What's Next

The effective management and governance of data is a challenge for many organisations. In a constantly changing workplace, data management is more than simply ensuring that a backup has been performed. The introduction of various regulatory requirements for data security along with the need for data to be available 24x7 is introducing numerous complexities into today's information technology departments.

WARDY IT Solutions can assist your organisation to access and review your current Microsoft SQL Server database environment using our 'SQL Server Health Check'. Our review process has been specifically designed to provide a summary of the current health of your SQL Server environment and to provide recommendations for any issues identified.

WARDY IT Solutions can then work with your organisation to design a Virtual DBA solution that is specifically tailored to meet the individual challenges of your organisation, whether that is a fully outsourced data-management solution or a periodic mentoring and review process.



Data Management Solutions
Business Process and Integration

Value to Business

WARDY IT Solutions Virtual DBA provide a cost-effective solution to meet the day-to-day challenges of availability, performance and administration of your critical business information systems

Value to IT

- Reduction in database support costs
- Increased availability of data
- Removes the need to maintain staff with highly specialised skills

Microsoft Products

- Microsoft® SQL Server 2000
- Microsoft® SQL Server 2005
- Microsoft® SQL Server 2008
- Microsoft® Operations Manager 2005
- Microsoft® System Center Operations Manager 2007

Partner Details

WARDY IT Solutions
Tel: 1300 927 394
contact@wardyit.com
www.wardyit.com



For more information about Microsoft products and services please visit the following World Wide Web sites:

<http://www.microsoft.com/australia>
<https://www.microsoft.com/australia/business/>
<http://www.microsoft.com/casestudies/>
<http://www.innovationqld.net>

©2007 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

This customer solution is for informational purposes only. MICROSOFT MAKES NO WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, IN THIS SUMMARY. Microsoft, Windows, SQL Server and .Net are registered trademarks or trademarks of Microsoft corporation in the United States and/or other countries. The names of actual companies and products mentioned herein may be the trademarks of their respective owners.