

# Viewing discovery status

The IDERA SQL Inventory Manager displays a read-only log of all the actions and events occurring during the instance discovery process. These events include:

- Discovery started, including type of scan
- Discovery completed, including type of scan and the total number of systems scanned
- Status message for each 100 systems scanned
- Status message when a new SQL Server instance is discovered, including the instance name, discovery method, and user account name used
- Any errors encountered during discovery
- Any password failures encountered during discovery
- All auto-registration activity

To view this log, go to **Discovery Status** on the **Administration** tab.

For each activity, IDERA SQL Inventory Manager displays a timestamp of the event as well as a message corresponding to the type of event that occurred. The Discovery Status log displays only the last 7 days of activity.

Discovery Status

Date	Message
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	Discovery Started (Browser Service)
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	Discovery Started (Odbc)
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	SQL Server Instance ALANPRECISE961 Discovered On Server ALANPRECISE961 Using Odbc And Account SIMPSONS\Administrator.
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	SQL Server Instance AUT-SQLBI-118 Discovered On Server AUT-SQLBI-118 Using Odbc And Account SIMPSONS\Administrator.
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	SQL Server Instance MANISH-VM Discovered On Server MANISH-VM Using Odbc And Account SIMPSONS\Administrator.
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	SQL Server Instance 2012R2\SQL2012 Discovered On Server 2012R2 Using Odbc And Account SIMPSONS\Administrator.
Sep 20, 2016 11:28 AM	SQL Server Instance ALANPRECISE961\SQL2008 Discovered On Server ALANPRECISE961 Using Odbc And Account SIMPSONS\Administrator.

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