## Required accounts and permissions

The IDERA Dashboard and SQL BI Manager connect to registered SQL Server instances and their host computers to collect information. The collection service requires permission to connect and gather information using SQL and WMI connection credentials.

The IDERA Dashboard and SQL BI Manager requires the assignment of the following permissions for the accounts listed:

Account	Action	Permissions required
Windows user account or Windows security group user account	To install IDERA Dashboard and SQL BI Manager components	Windows Administrator permission on the Target computer
	To create and access the Core and SQL BI Manager repository databases	<ul> <li>Create Database Rights on the target SQL Server Instance</li> <li>Read and write privileges on the Core and SQL BI Manager Repository Databases</li> </ul>
SQL Server login account	For most SQL queries	VIEW SERVER STATE
		VIEW ANY DATABASE
		VIEW ANY DEFINITION
	To monitor database information	ALTER ANY DATABASE server- level permission or
		CREATE DATABASE in the master database
	For DBCC CHECKDB	sysadmin server roles
WMI account	To access remote WMI data	Additional rights on a group that has been given remote access

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