## Manage SQL Diagnostic Manager

The Administration view of SQL Diagnostic Manager allows you to control access to all the information that SQL Diagnostic Manager collects, letting you designate the servers and databases that each of your SQL Diagnostic Manager users can view or edit. In addition to controlling access, you can also add or import custom counters to monitor in SQL Diagnostic Manager and even keep track of key actions performed in your SQL Diagnostic Manager environment.

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| SQL Di<br>reports                                      | ignostic Manager al<br>with the Import/Expo | lows you to control<br>ort wizard. | access to the inform    | tion that is collected with Application Security and a | dd custom counters to monitor metrics that are s   | specific to your environment. You    | can also review configuration of | changes and actions taken o     | n monitored servers using the Change    | Log, as well as import or exprot dif | ferent types of XML files such as | alert templates and custom |  |
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|  | Application Secu                            | irity                              |                         |  |  |                                      |                                  |                                 |   |                                      |                                   |                            |  |
| 9  | Application Security                        | y allows you to cont               | trol how database ad    | ninistrators use SQLDM. You can define the instance    | es users can monitor and the tasks they can per    | erform. By default, users with admir | nistrator privileges on the SQLD | DM Repository are the only us   | ers that can enable and modify Applica  | tion Security.                       |                                   |                            |  |
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|  | Custom Counter<br>Athough SQL Diag          |                                    | lects a wide-rance of   | SQL Server and Windows related performance cou         | nters, sometimes a need arises to collect addition | onal counters that aren't available  | in the standard collection set.  | SQL Diagnostic Manager all      | ws users to define counters that can b  | e customized to monitor the perfo    | mance of any SQL Server enviro    | content.                   |  |
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|  | Change Log                                  |                                    |                         |  |  |                                      |                                  |                                 |   |                                      |                                   |                            |  |
| Ŷ  | The Change Log a                            | lows users to view                 | a list of key actions p | erformed in SQLDM. Keep track of changes made t        | o your SQLDM configuration and actions taken (     | on your monitored servers, such a    | as when a server is added for n  | monitoring, when a user kills a | blocking session or when your alert ter | nplate has been modified.            |                                   |                            |  |
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|  | Import/Export<br>The Import/Export          | wizard allows users                | to import and share 3   | ML files. Save time and resources by importing or e    | porting alert templates, alert responses, custom   | n counters and custom reports        |                                  |                                 |   |                                      |                                   |                            |  |
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