

# Capture Audit Snapshot window

The Capture Audit Snapshot window allows you to manually capture an audit snapshot for all registered SQL Server instances or a specific instance. This option provides on-demand configuration data for auditing diagnostics. Audit snapshots include current audit settings for the registered SQL Server instances and audited databases. Captured snapshots are listed on the **Change Log** tab.

Select the type of audit snapshot you want to capture, and then click **OK**.

*If you want to capture audit snapshots on a routine basis* , consider scheduling snapshots.

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