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Subject: Re: Data Miner

Posted by [Dick Jackson](#) on Fri, 01 Sep 2000 17:09:39 GMT

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Hi,

I've been using DataMiner for some time now, with Oracle 8. It seems to work fully as advertised, although I have a few items on my wish list. Chapter 2 in the DataMiner manual (datamine.pdf) gives a good overview of how it works.

I see that mySQL has ODBC support which *\*should\** be all that's required for it to work, but there are always exceptions. If you're running Windows NT, and in ODBC Control Panel you can set up a System Data Source or File Data Source to your DB, that's a great start. In Windows 2000 Pro... uh, I recently upgraded, where did ODBC go?... ah: Control Panel\Administrative Tools>Data Sources (ODBC).

Drop me a line or post here if there's a question I can help with.

-Dick

"Theo Brauers" <th.brauers@fz-juelich.de> wrote in message news:3997C1FC.3760B1B5@fz-juelich.de...

> Hi:

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> I started a query on data miner a few days ago and I never got an  
> answer on that. Probably nobody is using this feature anyway.

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> Actually, I did some tests accessing Oracle8 through IDL5.3 (WinNT).  
> It works but some newer features of Oracle8i were not supported  
> mainly because of the Merant ODBC driver we use here. I also could  
> read and write M\$ Excel and Access files through IDL but my goal is  
> to establish an interface to Oracle for IDL users.

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> Theo

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> PS: I am also still searching for some exchange of experience on the  
> data miner issue.

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> Andy Loughe wrote:

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>> Hello,

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>> It seems to me that very few people are using IDL Data Miner.

>> Could someone prove me wrong and direct me to the experts?

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>> Does anyone know if Data Miner works with a product called mySQL?

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>> Thanks!  
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