
Subject: Re: Speeding Up Oracle DataBase Access with IDL DataMiner
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- > I would install the appropriate Oracle client on your machine (you can
- > at the same time install Oracle's ODBC drivers), execute that query
- > using SQLplus, and look at execution time. You may find that your query
- > takes just as long in which case you need to either re-think your query
- > or look at tuning your db. Or, you may find that your query executes
- > much faster in which case you need to look at either how you are
- > performing the query in dataminer or mucking around with ODBC drivers.

If you don't already have the client software, go download it now. You can get a lot of details through the Oracle Enterprise Manager and SQL*Plus. Your problem could be as simple as not having a key on the columns your searching or not having analyzed your tables in a while (both will lead to full table scans). If you fire off a typical query in SQL*Plus, you can then watch it in the enterprise manager and see if it's doing. That's probably the first step to figuring this out.

-Mike
