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ISYS:web 8

Based on the award-winning ISYS® search engine, ISYS:web 8 is an easy-to-deploy search solution for websites, intranets and portals. ISYS:web supports more than 60 languages and 200 file types, including Word, PDF, web content, databases and enterprise systems such as Microsoft SharePoint 2007*. Offering broad search, navigation and discovery functionality, ISYS:web enables comprehensive out-of-the-box search that also provides the flexibility and extensibility necessary for maximum customization, all in a single product.

What are the benefits of ISYS:web?

Unlike competing solutions that are often expensive, and difficult to implement and maintain, ISYS:web delivers high-end functionality that can be deployed in a matter of days, not months. What's more, ISYS:web is priced to beat the competition, all of which adds up to a much more favorable return on investment and cost of ownership. Most importantly, the technology offers broad functionality and tuning capabilities that ensure users spend less time looking for information and more time actually working with it.

ISYS:web enables this by providing a range of search, navigation and discovery tools. You can execute natural language queries or easily construct advanced Boolean and proximity queries via point-and-click operators. Navigate, drill down and instantly locate the right information via **On-The-Fly Categorization**, 'search within' queries, hit highlighting and hit-to-hit navigation. Discover associations and connections between your search terms and the entities ISYS has automatically identified within your search results with **ISYS Entities**. Administrators will also benefit from ISYS:web's easy-to-deploy, web-based administration, which includes features like the ISYS Site Designer and Search Designer, federation of remote ISYS indexes, Best Bets, Micrsoft SharePoint 2007 integration, and **ISYS SearchTrends** for analyzing search patterns.

Who uses ISYS:web?

Thousands of businesses and government organizations worldwide have deployed ISYS:web to provide their website, intranet and portal users with a simple and effective search solution. Government agencies use ISYS:web to unlock public information via their websites. Businesses use it internally to connect employees with corporate content, and externally to help customers find the products and services that most interest them. Organizations in legal, financial services, education and more also benefit from ISYS:web and its ability to increase productivity, eliminate duplication of work and drastically reduce the amount of time spent searching for information.

How does ISYS:web work?

ISYS:web is easy to implement and maintain, and offers 100-percent browser-based administration, thus ensuring a seamless experience for IT administrators. ISYS:web can operate as a standalone web server or can integrate into your existing Windows or Linux environment. It can also be configured to automatically update indexes at predefined times. With ISYS:web, you'll never need to reformat or relocate your data, nor will you have to retain an army of consultants just to wrestle the technology out of the box. Apart from offering a hassle-free indexing process, ISYS:web also includes a Theme engine, which offers default templates designed to reduce the amount of HTML coding and ensure rapid deployment and layout customization. These tools are simple enough to deploy search in a matter of hours, or, for customers requiring greater flexibility, ISYS:web also comes standard with a developer's toolkit to enable maximum customization. Most importantly, ISYS:web is a search solution that you can have up and running in a matter of days, not months, and at a fraction of the cost of competing solutions.

* Windows version only

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ISYS:web 8 Features

ISYS:web 8's broad features and comprehensive administration tools are designed to help you get the most out of your deployment and ensure ease of implementation, management and use.

Search - To quickly and easily identify the right information, ISYS offers multiple search methods and options.

- **Multiple query methods.** ISYS understands different users require different kinds of search methods. Multiple methods are available, ranging from Natural Language, Web Style and the easy point-and-click Menu-Assisted mode through to the advanced Command-Based mode using the ISYS Query Syntax. ISYS also offers Boolean and proximity operators, phrase matching, fielded searches, and Sounds Like and Starts With options.
- **ISYS Federator.** ISYS:web 8's federation capabilities enable you to include remote ISYS:web indexes to provide users with a comprehensive collection that is searchable from any location.
- **Subscribed Searches.** This function serves as ISYS' built-in push technology that constantly monitors your corporate knowledge base or nominated sites on the Internet and alerts you via email everytime something that matches your predefined search criteria appears.

Navigation - Once presented with a list of results, the ISYS interface makes it easy to quickly review the results, navigate and refine, and pinpoint the information you want most.

- **On-The-Fly Categorization** provides you with the means for drilling down into a particular category, thus refining the results list to a specific topic. ISYS:web automatically draws up this structure, but also provides you with the means for tuning the categories to meet your business rules or needs.
- **Outline View.** For each search result, you can view a context extract with the search terms highlighted, enabling you to verify if the content is relevant prior to downloading the native file.

Discovery - Find information and associations you didn't know existed, which in turn enables greater content intelligence and text mining capabilities.

- **ISYS Entities** highlights the Who, What and Where of your search by automatically extracting and displaying entities such as people, organizations, email addresses and more. Simply click on one of these entities to refine your search and discover more.

Administration Features - To ensure easy, intuitive implementation and management of the search function, ISYS:web offers browser-based administration with features that include:

- **Best Bets.** With Best Bets, organizations can ensure a specific document appears as the first result when given a certain query. Simply assign the query and desired document, and ISYS handles the rest.
- **ISYS SearchTrends** provides you with a variety of reports to help you better analyze search activity and user behavior. Default reports include top searches, searches with no results, subsequent searches, and trends such as ascending and descending searches.
- **Search Designer and Suggested Synonyms.** Search Designer enables administrators to browse their sites and view live SearchTrends data as they navigate. ISYS also leverages SearchTrends data to suggest synonyms, thus helping you ensure users find desired content when common and frequent misspellings and word choices yield few or no results.
- **Site Designer.** Through the ISYS Site Designer, administrators can more easily configure the layout and functions of their ISYS:web implementations. By providing point-and-click options, ISYS Site Designer reduces the amount of HTML coding necessary, thus ensuring a more seamless integration and a faster time to market.

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Microsoft Office
XML PDF
WordPerfect documents
Email Messages
FTP ZIP
Lotus Notes/Domino
Oracle Databases
HTML
ACT! Files
HTML meta-tags
Email attachments
MP3
Document Summary Profiles
SQL Databases

Key specifications

- Greater flexibility and power
- Navigate via On-The-Fly Categorization
- ISYS Entities extraction capabilities
- ISYS SearchTrends analytics tools
- Federation of remote ISYS indexes
- Best Bets editorial tuning
- Windows NT Security support
- Support for scripting, .NET and SOAP
- Multi-platform support