Opendiem Training

Technical Note

Audit Log – Increase Maximum Record Size

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Technical Notes, Increase the number of records kept in the Audit Log

Introduction

The Opendiem Engine Audit Log keeps a running list of system activities for review. It is a scrolling window. By default the Audit Log only keeps 100,000 records as a maximum.

If you have set the Log History (Days) limit to a length of collection that allows the maximum number system activity entries to be reached prior to the number Log History (Days) being reached you will receive an error message in the Audit Log stating you have exceeded your maximum number of activity entries.

The Audit Log will cease collecting data and a potential for degradation in Engine Core performance may exist.

You have two options that you may use to prevent the Audit Log from filling up. They are defined below.



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Instructions

- 1. Decrease the number of Log History (Days)
 - a. Decrease the Log History (Days) until the number days logged can be reached before the maximum number of entries can be reached. This will allow for a first-in-first-our scrolling window method of the log entries.

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- 2. In crease the MAXIMUM number of record entries allowed in the Audit Log. This is done by adding an entry in to the system registry as shown below. You may need to adjust the Log History (Days).
 - a. You need to add the registry key called **LogAllowed** as a **DWORD** under the Opendiem Engine folder. Then use the DECIMAL option to set the maximum number of entries into the Audit Log.

You must restart the Opendiem Engine in order for this update to take effect.



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