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iWD GAX Plugin Help

Business Structure

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Business Structure

What is 'Business Structure'?

The Business Structure is a hierarchy of business units. Each Tenant can contain one or more Solutions as the first level of the hierarchy. Below Solutions are Departments. Below Departments are Processes. For example:

- East London Office—Solution (note that this meaning means the top node of a business structure, rather than the meaning of Solution in Genesys Configuration environment.)
 - Finance Department—Department
 - Accounts Payable—Process
 - Order Processing—Process

Warning

All node names have to be unique within the parent node. For example, moving Department D1 to another solution which already has a Department named D1 generates an error.

Warning

Only one business structure per Tenant is possible.

Levels of a Business Structure for a Tenant

Solutions

Solutions are used for partitioning logical and physical resources for purposes of user access control and load partitioning (performance). Normally there will be one Solution per Tenant, though you can configure multiple solution instances per tenant, if necessary (for example, “Production” and “Test”).

A Solution in iWD represents a runtime environment, which is composed of the following:

- Runtime nodes—iWD runtime application instances that are within the Java application server in which services are being run
- Services—Services that enable iWD functionality, such as Data Mart, Statistics Adapter, and logging.

- **Business logic**—Primarily the configuration of iWD departments and processes.

The **Solution** level in a Business Structure corresponds to the **Global** level in Genesys Rules System for the processing logic of business rules.

Departments

A Department represents an administrative unit within a Solution. A Solution can contain many Departments. The Department level of a Business Structure corresponds to the Department level in Genesys Rules System for the processing logic of business rules.

Processes

A Process represents an administrative unit within a Department. A Department can contain many Processes. The Process level of a Business Structure corresponds to the Process level in Genesys Rules System for the processing logic of business rules.

Display Options

Filters and Constraints

Configuration Server respects tenancy permission settings. You can access only those objects that you have been granted permissions and privileges to access.

You can filter the contents of this list in two ways:

1. Type the name or partial name of an object in the **Quick Filter** field.
2. Click the cube icon to open the **Tenant Directory** filter panel. In this panel, click the Tenant that you want to select. Use the **Quick Filter** field in this panel to filter the Tenant list.

You can sort the items in the list by clicking the **Name** column. Clicking a second time reverses the sort order. You can add or remove columns by clicking **Select Columns**.

To select or de-select multiple objects at once, click **Select**.

Data Fields

Each entry is shown with the following data fields:

- **Name**—The element's name.
- **Type**—Solution, Department or Process
- **ID**—The runtime ID of this element.
- **Contact Name**—Contact name for queries about this element.
- **Description**—Free-format text description of the element.

Solutions

To create a new Solution

To create a new Solution, do one of the following:

- If one or more Solution is already present, select one Solution and click **More**, then click **Clone**, then edit the Solution data fields.
- If one or more Solution is already present, Display the details of an existing Solution and click **Clone**, then edit the new Solution data fields.
- If no Solution is present, click the the **New** button (+), choose **Solution**, then edit the Solution data fields.

Other Actions

From this context you can **Delete** this Solution.

Warning

1. Deleting a Solution can have huge implications for the operation of a contact center. Do not undertake these without serious consideration.
2. If you delete a Solution, all related rules packages in GRS will be lost, and you will not be able to recreate new rules packages with the same name.

Solution Details

Descriptive Details

- **Solution Name**—The Solution name. Mandatory when you add a new Solution.
- **ID**—The ID of the Solution. Mandatory when you add a new Solution. The system will propose a default new Runtime ID.
- **Timezone**—Solution timezone. Use the drop-down list to change this.
- **First Day of Week**—The first day of the working week for this Solution. Use the drop-down list to change this.
- **Description**—Free-format text description of the Solution. Do not use the Runtime ID as a descriptor.

Strategies

The following options allow customization of the strategies used by iWD in the current Solution.

- **Classification Strategy**—The name of the Classification strategy for this solution. Select one from the drop-down list.
- **Prioritization Strategy**—The name of the Prioritization strategy for this solution. Select one from the

drop-down list.

Queue Names

The following options allow customization of interaction queues used by iWD in the current Solution. You must define non-standard queue names when there are multiple iWD business processes configured in the same Tenant. Select the required queue names from the drop-down lists. If a value is missing, a default name is displayed for this queue.

- **Queue for canceled tasks**—Interaction queue for tasks canceled by a Global Task List user or by a capture point. Default values:
 - IRD—iWD_Canceled
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_Canceled
- **Queue for captured tasks**—Interaction queue for tasks successfully processed by the Classification strategy. Default values:
 - IRD—iWD_Captured.
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_Captured
- **Queue for completed tasks**—Interaction queue for tasks marked as completed by agents. Default values:
 - IRD—iWD_Completed
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_Completed
- **Queue for error-held tasks**—Interaction queue for tasks that failed to be processed by the Classification or Prioritization strategies. Default values:
 - IRD—iWD_ErrorHeld
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_ErrorHeld
- **Queue for new tasks**—Interaction queue recognized by iWD as an entry to the business process in this solution. Default values:
 - IRD—iWD_New
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_New
- **Queue for queued tasks**—Interaction queue for tasks successfully processed by the Prioritization strategy. Default vlaues:
 - IRD—iWD_Queued
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_Queued
- **Queue for rejected tasks**—Interaction queue for tasks rejected by the Classification strategy. Default values:
 - IRD—iWD_Rejected
 - Composer—iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_Rejected

Interaction Server Settings

Important

iWD Plugin for GAX will propagate the connection to the specified Interaction Server (details below) across iWD Manager Server application objects. The following parameters are set as the connection attributes of the Interaction Server connection in the iWD Manager Server application object:

- Port
- Connection Protocol
- Local Timeout
- Remote Timeout

- **Interaction Server**—The Interaction Server for this Solution. This can be an individual Interaction Server, Interaction Server Proxy or Interaction Server Proxy cluster. Please refer to [Interaction Server Configuration](#) for details. Use the drop-down list to make a selection. This drop-down list contains those Interaction Servers, Interaction Server Proxies and Interaction Server Proxy clusters which contain the Solution's parent Tenant on their Tenants list. Direct connection to Interaction Server clusters is not supported and therefore will not be presented in this list.
- **Port**—The connection port of the Interaction Server or Interaction Server cluster proxy. Use the drop-down list to change this. This drop-down list contains ports of the Interaction Server or Interaction Server cluster proxy chosen above.

Warning

For connections to a unique Interaction Server only—The iWD Manager application has one common place for all Solutions (and Solutions in different tenants) where Interaction Server connection parameters (for a unique Interaction Server) are kept. If two Solutions are configured to use the same individual Interaction Server, the Interaction Server settings (that is, secure or non-secure) of the Solution that is configured *most recently* are the ones that the Interaction Server will use. It is preferable to ensure that both Solutions' settings are of the same type—either both secure, or both non-secure. The affected parameters are:

- **Port**
- **Connection Protocol**
- **Protocol Timeout**
- **Local Timeout**
- **Event Buffer Size**
- **Remote Timeout**

- **Threads**

The only parameters to which this does not apply are **Attribute Filter Include/Exclude**.

- **Connection Protocol**—The connection protocol of the Interaction Server. Use the drop-down list to change this.
- **Protocol Timeout**—The timeout configured for the connection protocol.
- **Local Timeout**—The timeout configured on the local server.
- **Event Buffer Size**—The maximum size in bytes of the event buffer.
- **Remote Timeout**—The timeout configured on the remote server.
- **Threads**—The number of threads available.
- **Attribute Filter Include**—Attributes included here will appear in the Custom Attributes displayed in the Global Task List in iWD Manager.
- **Attribute Filter Exclude**—Attributes excluded here will not appear in the Custom Attributes displayed in the Global Task List in iWD Manager.

Warning

- The Interaction Server JDBC URL *must* be configured in release 9.0 in the **Application** view of GAX Configuration Manager. It is used by iWD for accessing the Interaction Server database in order, for example, to perform migrations.
- The EventLog JDBC URL is rendered obsolete in release 9.0 by the iWD History Node.

History Node Settings

Important

iWD Plugin for GAX will propagate the connection to the specified iWD History Node (details below) across iWD Manager Server application objects as well as the iWD Runtime Node associated with the given solution. The following parameters are set as the connection attributes of the iWD History Node connection in the iWD Manager Server and iWD Runtime Node application object:

- Port
- Connection Protocol

- Local Timeout
- Remote Timeout

- **History Node**—The name of the History Node for this Solution. This can be an individual History Node, or the name of a History Node cluster. Use the drop-down list to make a selection.
- **Connection Protocol**—The protocol of the connection to the History Node or cluster. Use the drop-down list to change this.
- **Port**—The connection port of the History Node or History Node cluster. Use the drop-down list to change this. This drop-down list contains ports of the History Node or History Node cluster.
- **Local Timeout**—The timeout configured on the local server.
- **Remote Timeout**—The timeout configured on the remote server.

Important

History Node and History Node clusters can only support one Tenant. For multi-tenant configurations, a separate History Node instance is needed for each Tenant.

Migration

Interaction custom properties and migration issues

This dialog enables you to:

- Add the necessary columns to tables in the Interaction Server and Interaction Server Event Log databases to support iWD.
- Create new iWD-related **Interaction Custom Properties**, which are a type of **Business Attribute**, in the Genesys configuration database.
- Create some options for the Interaction Server Event Log Database Access Point that are necessary to support iWD.
- Add iWD_Completed (IRD) or iwd_bp_comp.Main.iWD_Completed (Composer) or a customized business process queue name for completed tasks to the Interaction Server configuration.

If any of these updates was not previously done, this dialog will display a table of warnings informing you of the missing attributes or outdated database versions.

Click the **Configure** button to execute the configuration. A message will be displayed in the **Messages** column when the configuration has completed. A restart of Interaction Server is required if any configuration changes were made.

Permissions Settings

Business Structure details include a **Permissions** tab on which users with the relevant permissions can view and edit permissions settings for all users of the selected node.

Permissions Table

Permission	Description
Read	Permission to read information and receive updates about the object.
Create	Permission to create objects in this folder.
Change	Permission to change the properties of the object. The Change permission is the same as allowing "Write" access.
Execute	Permission to perform a predefined action or set of actions with respect to the object.
Delete	Permission to delete the object.
Read Permissions	Permission to read the access control settings for the object.
Change Permissions	Permission to change the access control settings for the object.
Execute	Permission to perform a predefined action or set of actions with respect to this object.
Propagate	For container objects (such as Tenants). The Propagate check box controls whether to propagate this set of elementary permissions to the child objects. By default, the check box is selected).

Actions

- **Add Access Group**—Displays the **Select Access Group** panel from which you can select one of the available Access Groups to add to this node and for whom you can then configure permissions.
- **Add Person**—Displays the **Select Person** panel from which you can select one of the available Persons to add to this node and for whom you can then configure permissions.
- **Replace Recursively**—Enables you, upon confirmation, to remove permissions for all child objects of this container and replace them with the permissions defined in this container.

Departments

To create a new Department

To create a new Department, first choose the Solution to work with, then do one of the following:

- If one or more Department is already present, select one Department and click **More**, then click **Clone**, then edit the Department data fields.
- If one or more Department is already present, display the details of an existing Department and click **Clone**, then edit the new Department data fields.
- If no Department is present, click the **New** button (+), choose Department, then edit the Department data fields.

Other Actions

From here you can **Clone**, **Delete** or **Move** this Department. You can move the Department only to a Solution. Any Processes configured under it will also be moved. Runtime IDs are not moved in the Move function—you must create a new one for the Department and all its child Processes in its new Solution.

Warning

1. Deleting or Moving a department can have huge implications for the operation of a contact center. Do not undertake these without serious consideration.
2. If you delete a Department or Process, any rules assigned to those objects will be inactivated and moved to the Solution level. This happens if you delete and re-create a Solution/Department/Process with the same name.

Department Details

- **Department Name**—The department name. Mandatory when you add a new Department.
- **ID**—The department's Runtime ID. Mandatory when you add a new Department. The system will propose a default new Runtime ID.
- **Contact Name**—The contact name for the department, for informational purposes.
- **Contact Email**—The contact email for the department, for informational purposes.
- **Contact Phone**—The contact phone number for the department, for informational purposes.
- **Start Date**—The date on which the department becomes active. If left empty, the period start date is unconstrained.
- **End Date**—The last day that the department is active. If left empty, the period end date is unconstrained (that is, the department will be active infinitely).
- **Description**—Free-format text description of the Department.

Department Attributes

Click **Add** to create new attributes.

- **Name**—The attribute name
- **Type**—Select from the drop-down list. Valid values are:
 - Text
 - Percentage
 - Number
 - Date
 - Lookup Table
- **Value**—The attribute value. If the type is a lookup table, then the value is set from the drop-down list.
- **Description**—Free-format text description of the attribute.

Department Metrics

Click **Add** to create a set of user-defined metrics, for reporting purposes.

A key component of dashboards and reports is the comparison of actual metrics against target goals. Understanding the effectiveness or efficiency of organizations requires measuring performance against important goals that have been set by the organization. Targets can be associated with a number of objects, such as processes, departments, or tenants. For example, a work-time goal for a task will differ, based on its process; for example, orders will take longer than address changes. You can use metrics to measure this. Example:

When a metrics value is set, it will be stored as a named attribute in Data Mart. If the value is changed, the updates are pushed through to Data Mart with a `valid_from` and `valid_to` date/time stamp. This is important for historical reporting. For example, if you update the target on November 1 from 2.5 to 3.5, all tasks up to November 1 will use 2.5, and all new tasks will use 3.5. If the value is set at a department level, it applies to all processes, unless there is a specific value for that process. For example, Department 1 has four processes: A, B, C, and D. Cost/Task @ Department 1 = 2.50, which applies to Processes B, C, and D. Cost/Task @ Process A = 1.50, which applies only to Process A.

- **Name**—The metric name
- **Type**—Select from the drop-down list. Valid values are:
 - Text
 - Percentage
 - Number
 - Date
 - Lookup Table
- **Value**—The attribute value. If the type is a lookup table, then the value is set from the drop-down list.

- **Description**—Free-format text description of the attribute.

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Processes

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- **End Date**—The last day that the process is active. If left empty, the period end date inherits the end date value of the parent department.
- **Description**—Free-format text description of the Process.

Process Attributes

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