Traditional identity and access management (IAM) frameworks are expensive to build and time-consuming to implement and maintain. They are burdens on most IT departments as IT typically manages all user identity lifecycle management. To meet the varied IAM needs of different business units, IT often works with a disjointed set of narrowly focused tools and relies on manual processes for policy enforcement and security practices. This leaves the environment vulnerable, and makes it difficult to meet SLAs.

A streamlined, secure and cost-effective IAM system with governance that accommodates the business processes of the managers and users would help IT meet its business objectives.

Identity Manager, part of the Dell One Identity products, streamlines the access governance process of managing user identities, privileges and security enterprise-wide. It moves user management and access control away from IT and into the hands of the business. By leveraging an automated architecture, Identity Manager simplifies major identity and access management tasks to a fraction of the complexity, time or expense of “traditional” framework solutions.

**Features**

**Access governance** – Enable business managers to know who has access to which network resources, while ensuring employees have only the right access to do their job, nothing more.

**Benefits:**

- Achieves access governance by providing employees with the right access to business-critical information they need, and nothing more
- Enables line-of-business managers to manage identities and access tasks, alleviating IT staff workload
- Provides fast return on investment through deployment in months, instead of years
- Reduces human error while increasing efficiency and security through automated provisioning
- Ensures compliance through workflow and attestation based on business needs and policies
- Unifies IAM and capitalizes on your existing investments through integration within an existing IAM framework

**Figure 1:** Identity Manager provides a unified solution, simplifying the complex problems of identity and access management.
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![Figure 2: In a quick glance, dashboards provide an accurate picture of the status of your environment, and users can clearly identify what requires their attention.](image)

IAM with full visibility and control – Easily view all connected systems and applications, including user entitlements and the status of requests, using a management-friendly dashboard.

Role-based delegation – Share views with any approved contributor, and limit the data displayed according to role.

Rich auditing and reporting – Create detailed and professional-looking reports and workflows with ease using out-of-the-box reports and the GUI-driven report creator – no coding required.

Time trace and change simulation – Track every object, process, change and action performed and see exactly what was changed, how, by whom and when. A simulation mode exposes the impact of any change before it is rolled out into production.

Visionary architecture – Eliminate the typical barriers associated with adopting an IAM framework solution with a streamlined, business-optimized and rapidly deployed configuration.

Automated provisioning – Automatically provision to any system, platform or application using configuration rather than customization.

Self-service lifecycle identity management – Enable non-IT users to provision accounts and control access rights with an intuitive “shopping cart” interface.

Complements existing investments – Support other systems, including “traditional” IAM frameworks to plug functionality gaps.

Business process management – Create workflows and attestations based on your business and policy needs.

Compliance-ready IAM – Achieve and maintain compliance with ongoing governance, using your own security policies.

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