



## Federal Government Agency uses InTrust

### CHALLENGES

The business challenges that led the agency to evaluate and ultimately select Quest InTrust:

- Collecting large volumes of event log data from different systems, devices, and applications
- Strict compliance regulations for data retention

### USE CASE

The key features and functionalities of InTrust that the agency uses:

- Uses the following SIEM tools:
  - ArcSight
  - Splunk
- Collecting data from the following systems:
  - Windows (servers and workstations)
  - Linux/Unix (HP-UX, IBM AIX, Solaris)
  - Web Servers
  - DB Server (SQL Server, Oracle)
  - Custom/scripted data source
  - Firewalls (CheckPoint, Cisco PIX)
  - Exchange

- Proxies (Microsoft ISA, Microsoft Forefront Threat Management Gateway, TrendMicro InterScan Web Appliance)

- Uses the following systems to analyze InTrust data:
  - Quest InTrust Repository Viewer (Searches and Reports)
  - Splunk

### RESULTS

The agency achieved the following results with Quest InTrust:

- Forwarded log data to their existing SIEM solution for security analytics
- Protected event log data from tampering or erasure
- Reduced storage costs by 61-80% with InTrust's highly-compressed repository.
- Total size of their InTrust repositories is 10 TB.

“We are using Quest InTrust for management of event logs in an environment where auditing is turned up way too high. We are looking at Splunk for analytics and are in the process of setting up ingestion of the InTrust repository contents.”