

Persona IQ Provides:

- Adherence to corporate authentication standards
- Zero footprint in Cognos after project completion
- Ability to reconfigure Cognos to a new security source in under an hour
- Less than five minutes Cognos downtime

A Namespace Migration is a Horror Story

If you're changing the security provider in Cognos, you're changing the core. Every CAMID is impacted and almost every object has a CAMID. Motio's Persona IQ allows users to change authentication providers in Cognos safely without creating security gaps or corrupting the content store.

Persona IQ Namespace Replacement is the Zero-Change Solution

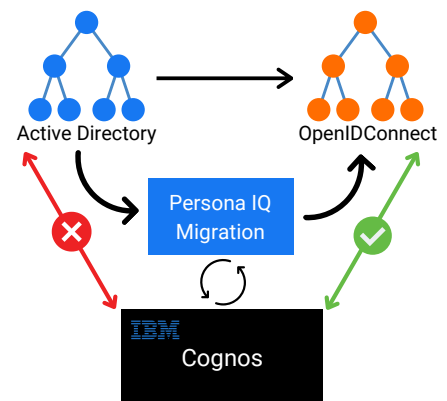
There are over 140 different object types in Cognos Analytics that have references to CAMIDs, including:

- **Content Store Object References:** security policies, object owners, schedule credentials & recipients, burst slices, My Folders / My Content, memberships, user preferences, Folders, Reports, Dashboards, and more
- **External Framework or Transformer Models** which contain security-related controls or rules
- **Planning Analytics powered by TM1** environments which are secured against a Cognos namespace

Updating to a new namespace requires these CAMID's be carried over to the new namespace. Cognos objects not properly migrated can lead to orphaned or lost "My Folders" / "My content" content, schedules that stop running, halted email deliveries, misconfigured security politics, and more. It is an error-prone activity that is high-risk when performed manually.

PersonalQ makes this transition simple by automating the process and minimizing the risk. All those tens of thousands of CAMID references in your Content Store stay exactly as they are, and with zero footprints, PIQ was never there.

Migrating with Persona IQ



Supported Platforms:

- OpenID Connect Identity Providers
- SAML Identity Providers
- Cognos Series 7 Access Manager
- Microsoft Active Directory
- Microsoft Active Directory Federation Services
- LDAP v3 Compliant Sources

"If we had attempted this transition manually, there would have been a huge amount of work. Manually finding and updating all of the appropriate user, group and role references and then re-verifying access and data level security would've been an expensive and error-prone process"

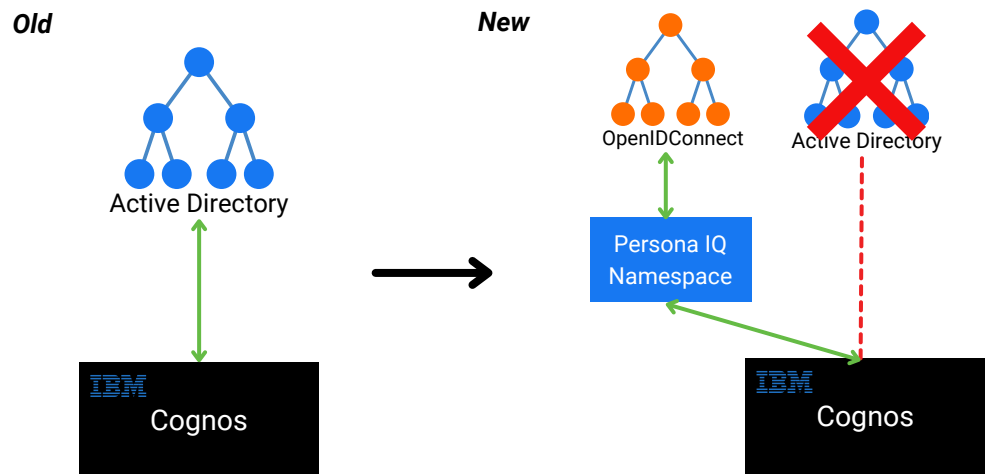
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Tame "The Monster" With Persona IQ

Persona IQ can seamlessly transition existing Cognos environments between external authentication sources without impacting existing Cognos content, CAMIDs, or configuration. Persona IQ virtualizes all security principals that are exposed to Cognos from the existing namespace. Persona IQ maintains the CAMIDs of pre-existing principals, even when they are backed by a new source. All those tens of thousands of CAMID references in your Content Store stay exactly as they are. Persona IQ leaves zero footprints, meaning, no changes are made to your Cognos content and CAMIDs stay the same! Persona IQ is the safest and lowest impact approach to reconfiguring Cognos to a different security source.

Alternatively, Persona IQ can migrate all security IDs between authentication sources. This process will change IDs within the Cognos content store as needed, safely and securely, via an easy-to-use mapping of users and groups between the chosen authentication sources.

Replacement with Persona IQ



Support Your Support Desk

PersonaIQ's impersonation feature allows users to use their current credentials to authenticate into Cognos as another user. This allows support teams to understand the root of issues affecting end users, faster. PIQ enables support teams to experience the problem exactly as it occurs, limiting the usual back-and-forth email requests and long-winded explanations.