

StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere™



Since its inception, the StoredIQ Intelligent Information Management (IIM) Platform has provided holistic visibility into and control over electronically stored information (ESI) throughout the enterprise. Seamlessly connecting to a multitude of data sources, StoredIQ enables IT personnel to index, search, classify, tag, report and act on corporate data. With StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere™, these features are complemented with a straightforward, legal-friendly user interface and workflow to enable Early Case Assessment (ECA) at the beginning of the eDiscovery process.

“Not-So-Early” Case Assessment

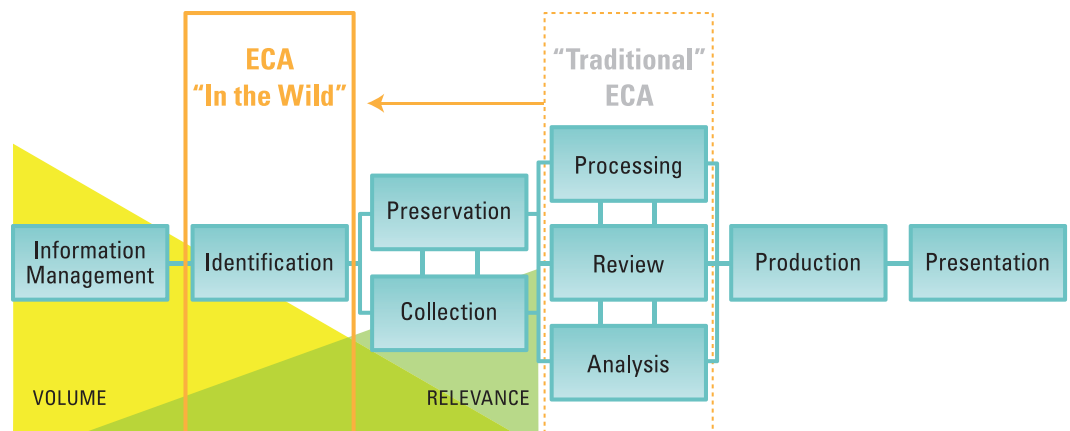
Prior to StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere™, in order to conduct an ECA, legal counsel had to first collect all custodial data before the analysis and first pass review could begin. This premature collection process was expensive, inefficient, and prolonged since collection and preservation usually involved manual, forensic copying of the custodian’s hard drive and a complete data dump of the custodian’s archived email and documents into a central repository. Only then could processing and analysis be performed to ready the data set for a first pass review. This process tended to over-collect from some data sources, and worse, miss other matter-relevant data in obfuscated data sources such as file shares and SharePoint. Clearly, these activities were time-consuming, expensive, incomplete and ultimately not an effective means of ECA.

Analysis in the Wild

Underpinned by the StoredIQ IIM Platform, Analyze Anywhere enables an early case assessment that can be performed on ESI natively where it resides without first copying any data to a repository. This is a significant distinction from traditional ECA because it enables in-house legal counsel to deeply analyze the potentially responsive matter prior to preservation and collection. Using automatically generated analytics, legal counsel can dynamically tune search criteria, modify custodian lists, and apply known exclusions to quickly cull large datasets. As a result, in-house counsel can formulate a superior legal strategy sooner and more efficiently.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Conduct ECA on data where it natively resides—prior to Collection
- Lower the cost of formal review by outside counsel
- Develop a superior legal strategy
- Formulate “settle vs. litigate” decision sooner
- Retain all business context around data for higher quality downstream review
- Leverage legal-friendly workflow for simplified and accelerated analysis



StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere shifts ECA to the Identification stage of the EDRM.

Context is Worth 100 IQ Points

In addition to saving an appreciable amount of time during ECA, StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere gives deeper and broader understanding of the matter more quickly to the ECA user by finding and retaining all the metadata that surrounds a file. These business-oriented perspectives of data are not only available to in-house counsel, but can be pushed downstream to traditional review tools

quickly and efficiently. The software can form threads, comparisons, relationships and statistics much faster than human reviewers can. Its graphical user interface (GUI) includes dynamic visuals, detailed reports and an intuitive dashboard to accomplish in-depth analysis of once unwieldy amounts of discovered data. As the data set is culled, Analyze Anywhere's GUI presents a running count of the files retained (and eliminated from consideration)

and automatically calculates the potential savings from the downstream review cycle. Throughout the entire eDiscovery process, from "ECA in the wild" to forensically-sound collections, StoredIQ maintains thorough, legally-defensible audit trails and a complete chain of custody.

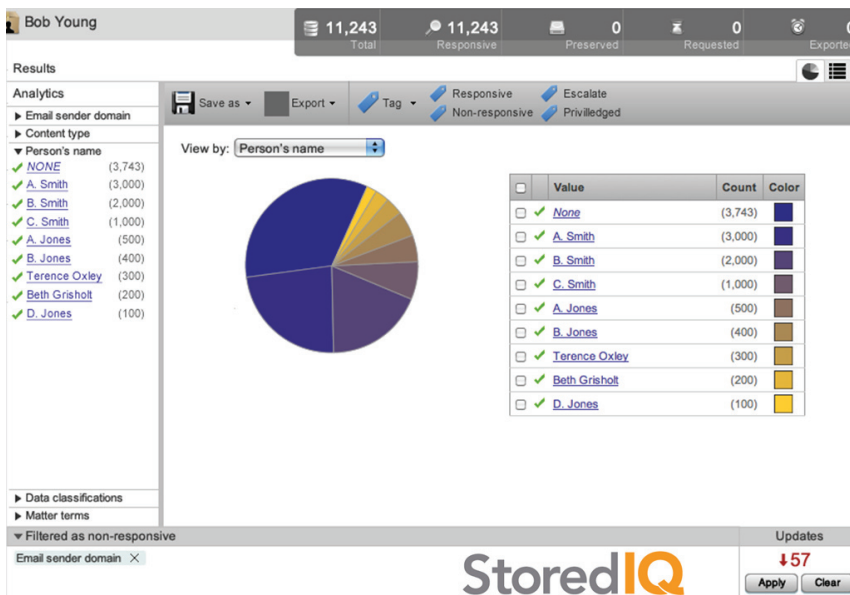
Intelligent Legal Holds

In addition to enabling ECA in-place, StoredIQ can perform incremental collections, a critical feature necessary to truly be an effective ECA solution. This eliminates the need to repeatedly collect the same data from custodians that are frequently subject to eDiscovery requests. StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere leverages the IIM Platform to maintain a record of all data that has been previously collected for prior matters

and will only collect data that is not already on hold, or that has been modified since it was last collected, thereby minimizing the impact to normal business processes and reducing the amount of storage needed for legal hold.

True ECA Achieved

This novel approach to ECA allows the in-house legal teams to effectively compress the EDRM. It allows for processing and analysis of the data set during the Identification stage, moving ECA earlier into the eDiscovery process, and enabling in-house counsel to make "settle vs. litigate" decisions earlier. By accomplishing ECA near the beginning of the eDiscovery workflow, ECA finally achieves the goals it originally set out to accomplish for improved legal strategy decisions and cost reduction.



Users can leverage StoredIQ's advanced analytics of live data

enabling a contextually richer review experience. Using this invaluable insight, StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere enables legal counsel to precisely narrow the set of data that is subject to the "duty to preserve" and therefore minimizes legal risks. Thus, the data set that is ultimately produced for downstream, formal review is not only qualitatively enriched and context aware, but is considerably smaller, thereby significantly reducing legal costs.

Going with the Flow

StoredIQ Analyze Anywhere is driven by an eDiscovery workflow presented through a polished, browser-based user interface for legal counsel to cull potentially matter-relevant data. This guided process enables attorneys to rapidly explore and analyze even large initial data sets. Powerful analysis functionality facilitates the extraction of truly matter-relevant data from a mass of information

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