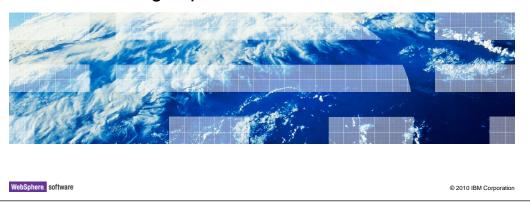


# WebSphere Business Compass V7.0

## Business design space administration



This presentation provides an introduction to the administration functions of WebSphere® Business Compass Server V7.0 that are specific to the business design space. The business design space is the part of WebSphere Business Compass that provides the business modeling functionality.



### Goal

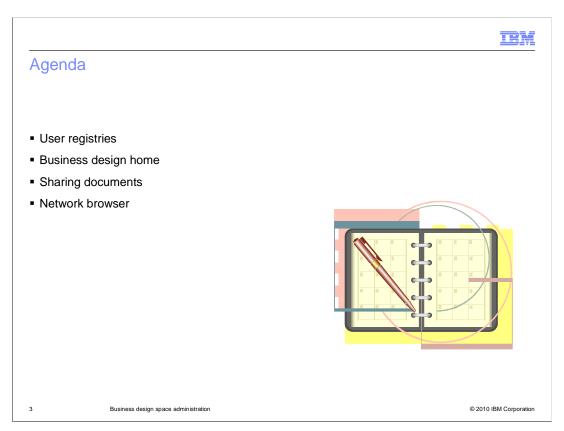
- Provide details about managing users and projects in WebSphere Business Compass business design space.
  - The business design space provides the business leader functionality for the WebSphere Business Compass server



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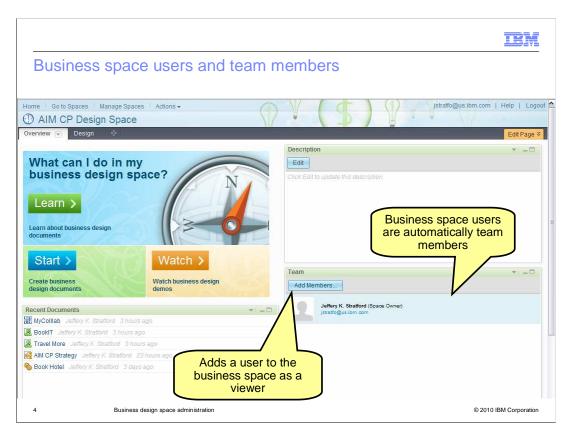
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The goal here is to provide the basic information needed to configure your users and groups to be used with the WebSphere Business Compass business design space.



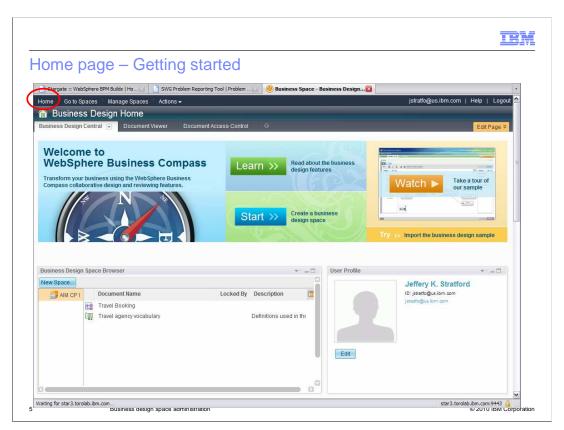
This presentation covers the application level administration for the WebSphere Business Compass business design space.

The business design home space is a special business space that is provided to help you manage teams and document sharing. This is covered along with other configuration options that should be considered when installing and configuring WebSphere Business Compass.



From the previous discussion on the Business Compass administration, you will remember that a business space owner can add users as viewers or editors to their business space. The WebSphere Business Compass has the concept of team membership and a widget is provided on the overview page to help you manage your users without having to use the business space management facilities.

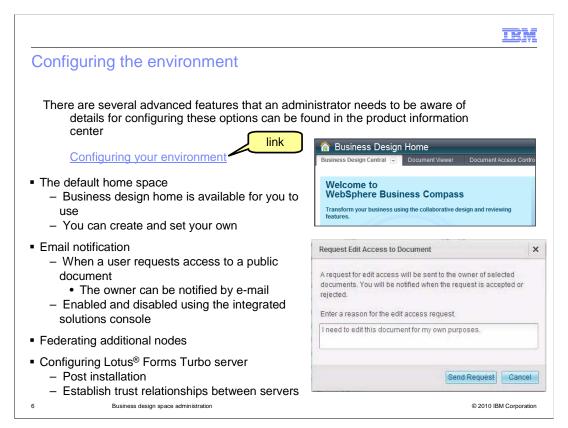
Adding a user or group as a team member here, is the same as adding them as a viewer to your business space using the business space management facilities.



When you first log into the WebSphere Business Compass you are presented with the home page. The home page is full of links to documentation, educational material, tutorials, and a link to the space manager. The space manger is where you can get started creating your own personal business design space.

The home page is fully customizable by the business space administrator so that you can create your own personalized welcome experience for your organization.

Notice the other menu items across the top, 'go to spaces', 'manage spaces', and 'actions'. These will always be with you, no matter where you are in the business space. They provide quick navigation and access to the space management functions.



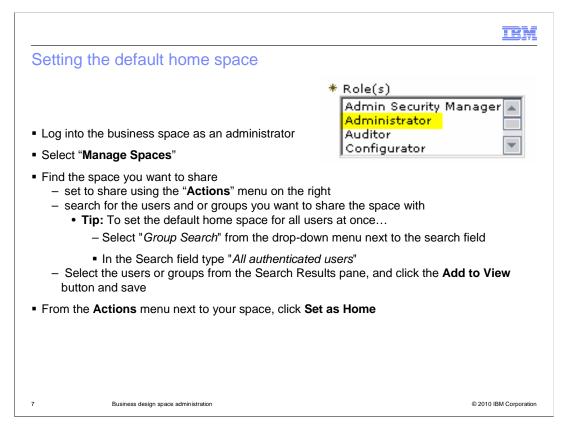
The administrator can create a default home space for users so that when they log into WebSphere Business Compass, they are taken straight to a relevant product environment. This is especially useful for users who are not familiar with business space and who are primarily interested in creating and sharing business design documents such as process maps, strategy maps, and business vocabularies.

Another configurable feature is the e-mail notification. As part of the document sharing scenario, the document owner can be notified whenever someone makes a request for edit access to a public document. The requestor is also notified when their request has been accepted or rejected.

After you have created a highly available environment, you can federate additional nodes to the deployment manager at a later time if needed.

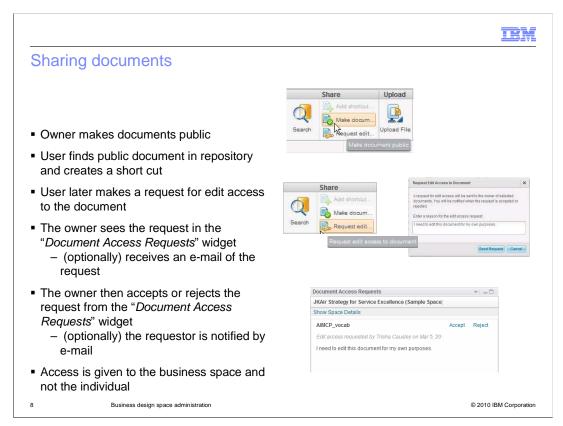
By default, Lotus Forms Turbo is installed locally, but if WebSphere Business Compass is using a self-signed certificate for SSL, the server requires information about how to retrieve the certificate file. Therefore you must then configure SSO and the exchange SSL certificates in order to get Lotus Forms Turbo working with WebSphere Business Compass.

To learn the details of these configuration options, use the "Configuring your environment" link to the WebSphere Business Compass product information center which is provided here.



You might find that the Business Design Home space is exactly what you need. If this works for you, then you can set it as the default home for all users logging into the WebSphere Business Compass server. If not, you can create your own custom business space and set it as the default home for your users.

Remember that the administrator is defined by the security role in the WebSphere integrated solutions console.



As a business space owner and administrator, will need to know about document sharing.

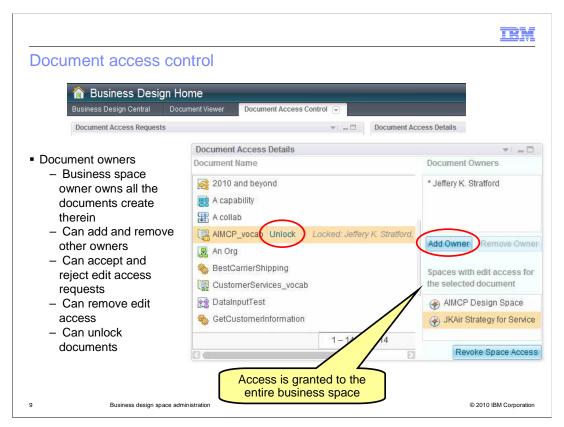
The first step in document sharing is for the owner of the document to make it public. Once it is public, it can be seen by users in other business design spaces when they do queries against the repository.

Having found a document of interest using the search facility, you can then create a readonly shortcut to the document in their business space.

If you want to edit the document, they need to request edit access from the owner. If the e-mail notification feature is configured, the document owner will receive an e-mail notifying them that someone wants to have edit access to one of their documents. The document owner then uses the widgets on the document access control page to grant or deny access.

If the e-mail notification has been configured the requestor is notified by e-mail of the decision.

The edit access is granted to the business space and not the individual.



There are two widgets on the document access control page. One is the document access requests and the other is the document access details.

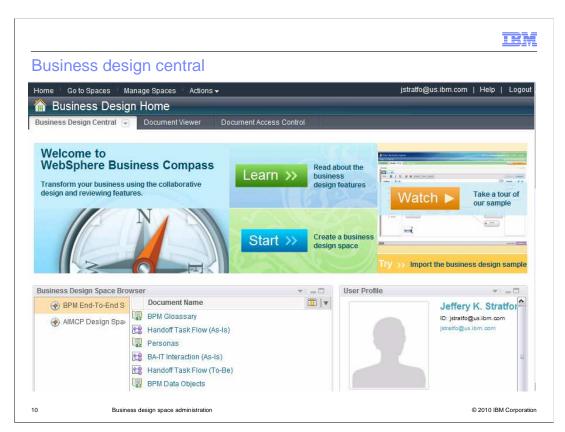
The document access request widget was shown on the previous page and does not need any further explanation.

The document access details widget though, has several functions that need to be mentioned.

First, it is important to note that when edit access is granted for a document it is not for the individual that made the request, but for the entire business space. This means that all the users in that business space will have edit access to the document.

Next, consider what it means to be a document owner. The business space owner is automatically the owner of all the documents that are in the business space.

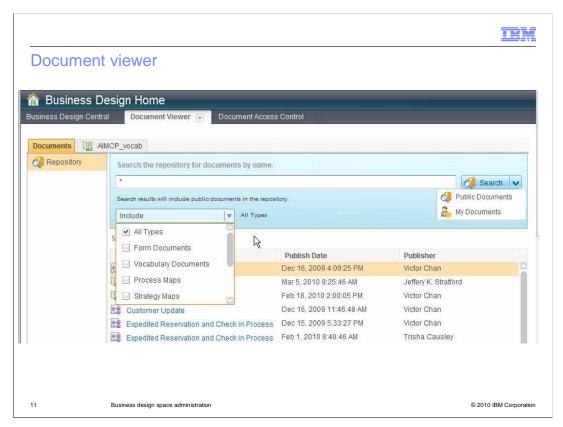
An owner can accept or reject requests for edit access and they can remove the edit privilege. Owners can also unlock documents that have been left in the locked state. Furthermore, owners can also add and remove other owners.



The "business design central" page is a convenient starting point for working with business spaces.

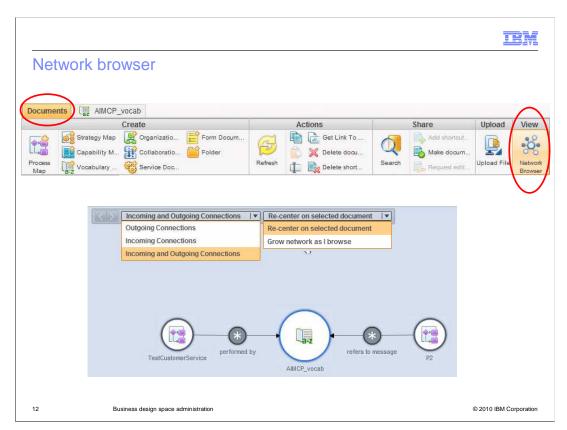
Here you have easy access to samples, documentation and tutorials and to the various business design spaces you are a member of.

You can complete your team profile and create new business design spaces



The document viewer is precisely that. It only allows you to search for documents and view them in a read-only mode.

There is a filtering capability to help you find the kind of documents you're interested in and you can search in the public documents or your own private documents.

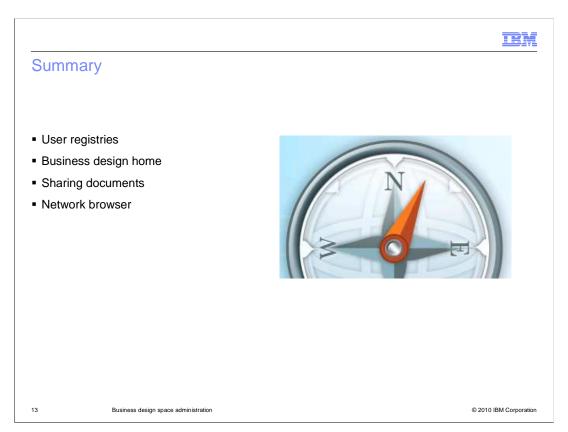


The network browser is invoked from the toolbar of the "documents" page.

It can be very useful when trying to understand a complex project and to debug export problems.

The network browser displays the link relationships between the documents in a graphical format. The drop down menu on the left lets you filter the connections based on whether they are incoming or outgoing from the currently selected document. Here you can see that there are two business process maps that are using the AIMCP vocabulary document. Selecting one of the process map documents will shift the focus to that document and display the links relative to it.

The drop down menu on the right provides centering options. You can re-center on the selected document or grow the network as you make your selections.



The WebSphere Business Compass design space uses the base user registry provided by the WebSphere business space and the WebSphere Application Server. The basic business space management functions for creating teams and sharing documents are available through the default business space called the business design home. The business design home is composed of three pages, business design central, document viewer and document access control.

Other administration and configuration tasks for the business design space involve, customizing the home page, enabling and disabling the e-mail notification, federating node in a highly available topology and configuring the Lotus Forms Turbo server. Details for these tasks can be found in the WebSphere Business Compass product information center.

The network browser tool, for exploring the link relationships of the documents was also introduced. This is useful for understanding large and complex projects and debugging export problems.

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