

Ravenblack Dynamic Widgets

KEY FEATURES

MORE SIZE OPTIONS

Widgets can be sized by quarters, thirds, full row and full page easily.

HIGHLY INTERACTIVE

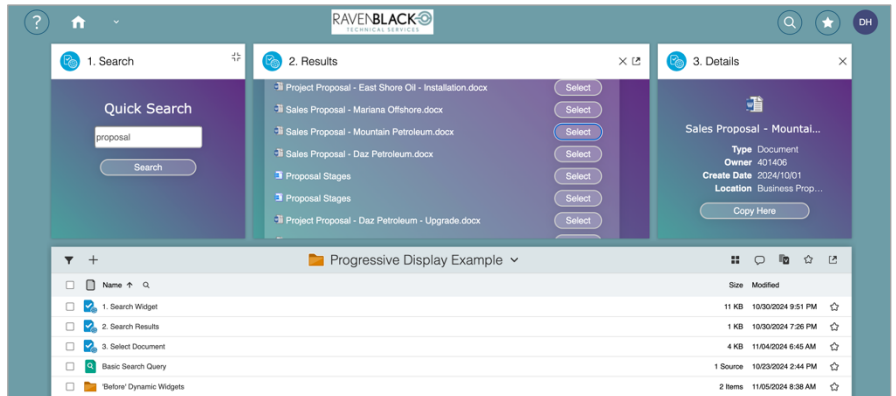
Widgets can be hidden and revealed, resized, expanded and collapsed any time.

CONNECTED WIDGETS

Widgets can pass information to each other, as well as control each other.

EASY DEVELOPMENT

The included API makes development quick and easy, without any oScript.



Smart View development using WebReports widgets made significantly more powerful

For nearly 10 years, OpenText Content Server has included a user interface called Smart View. Most customers and partners have found ways to use this UI in their business solutions, but in our experience, they have not been able to achieve the same level of customization and configuration they can achieve in classic Content Server with WebReports, ActiveView and other products.

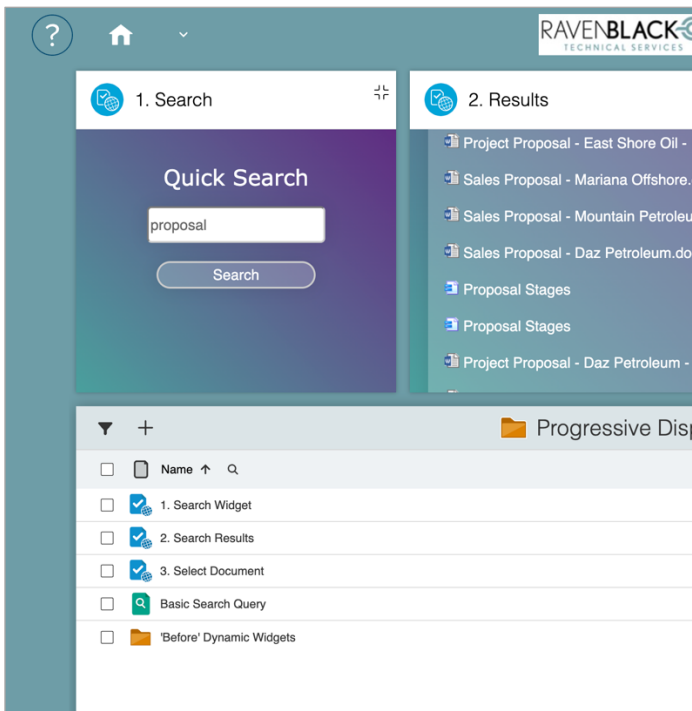
Ravenblack's Dynamic Widgets gives you the ability to create the informative widgets you need for your users, while adding new abilities for widgets to change and update in real time depending on the need of your users.

ABOUT RAVENBLACK

Founded by the original developer of OpenText WebReports, Ravenblack provides expert products, advice and consulting to organizations wanting to derive the maximum value from their Content Intelligence investment.

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After Resonate KT was acquired by OpenText, we became part of the Smart View evolution and we contributed by creating some widget types capable of running WebReports, thus introducing some flexibility in widget development that doesn't require working with the Smart View development kit.

SMART VIEW LIMITATIONS

This capability is frequently used, but it does have some limitations. Firstly, the widget size and content are fixed at the time of creating a perspective—one could say they are static. Secondly, these widgets can't interact with each other, thus each widget can only be a self-contained piece of functionality.

ENTER DYNAMIC WIDGETS

Our product installs as a "CSApp" (no Oscript module) and provides a flexible extension of the WebReports HTML widget, that also includes a unique JavaScript API.

This JavaScript API allows any widget to dynamically control its visibility, size, expansion, and content.

It also allows widgets to control other widgets, and each widget header can have unique controls attached in addition to any links or buttons you create in your unique widget.

WHY DYNAMIC WIDGETS?

REDUCE DEVELOPMENT COSTS

- The included API makes widget development quick.
- All development is done in the CS UI without the need for Oscript

RECOVER LOST AND WASTED TIME

- Give users the tools they need in context to complete tasks

IMPROVE USER SATISFACTION

- Delight users and increase user adoption in the Smart View

DELIVER ON ORGANIZATIONAL GOALS

- Finally deliver the Smart View goals you've been blocked on

This functionality truly allows you to create fully fledged applications within the Smart View interface—with only WebReports knowledge and our simple API.