



# QA Studio

The Omnis Data Bridge ("ODB") is a 32 bit application (API) that resides on the network server hosting the QA Studio database. It acts as a conduit for the data access calls from QA Studio workstations. Because the ODB is on the same computer as the data file, the database calls are more reliable and more responsive.

One of the biggest benefits of deploying the ODB is that the data file is not locked as it would be if we connected to the data file directly from the workstation. That means that the QA Studio database can be backed up with a simple copy command or by any standard backup software without having to get everyone out of QA Studio.

The ODB is fairly simple to setup and does not burden the server with any additional overhead.

Please call QA Studio support @ (209) 668-0600 to set up the data file on the Omnis Data Bridge.