

## KnowItAll Data Control: IT Setup Instructions

### What is KnowItAll Data Control?

KnowItAll Data Control enhances the security and management of centralized, shared databases created with Wiley's KnowItAll Software.

Upon activation, organizations can connect to and utilize an Apache Subversion (SVN) repository to store KnowItAll databases centrally, enabling robust version control and managed permissions.

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### About this Document

This document provides an overview of KnowItAll Data Control Setup from an IT perspective. It specifically provides details on how to connect KnowItAll to your SVN repository.

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### Before you begin

An organization can utilize an SVN repository they have already set up. If an existing SVN repository is not available, IT will need to make some decisions and set one up.

*Here is a link to documentation on the official Apache Subversion site:*  
<https://subversion.apache.org/docs/>

Once a repository is created and appropriate user access rights are defined, the following steps will allow connection to the KnowItAll Data Control.

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## How to Set up Data Control

Once your SVN repository is set up and permissions are defined, you will need to connect each computer to your SVN repository.

### **To connect KnowItAll to the repository on the server:**

1. Go to the KnowItAll MineIt application and use the Data Control > Checkout menu item.
2. Enter the URL for the repository for the first entry and define a local path to maintain the local database copies.
3. The user's credentials from the SVN server setup will be required to continue the checkout operation.

Once the checkout operation is completed, the user will be able to create/edit databases from the local path. Commit operations will be managed in KnowItAll.