

Frequently Asked Questions About CEMF Event Browser

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A. The Event Browser displays only the first line of a long description. Arbitrary length (multi line) alarm messages can be stored, and the browser displays the first line truncated to whatever size is specified in the **.ini** file – the default is 120 characters.

Q. How can I change the width of the Event Browser's columns? (Products affected : CEMF 3.x)

A. The Event Browser columns can be re-sized by changing the column length settings in the **<CEMFROOT>/config/init/eventBrowser.ini** file. These are set by default as follows:

```
[browserHeader]
clearLen = 5
ackLen = 5
coreObjectLen = 60
timeLen = 28
severityLen = 12
descriptionLen = 120
```

To change the length of the Object Name column, for example, alter the default value of 60 to an appropriate value. The **eventBrowser** process must be restarted in order to reflect the change. Any of the columns may be resized in this way, although it is not advisable to resize the **clear** and **ack** columns.

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