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#### **Scope**

EntireX provides a set of command-line scripts as a solution to the following scenarios:

- "I want a quick overview of my standard broker and a list of active external services that are running." More info
- "I want to monitor an EntireX component (broker, service, client) over time." More info
- "I want to monitor my environment and check that all components (broker, RPC servers) are up and running." 

  More info

You can select the scripts from the EntireX Command-line Scripts Menu or call the individual scripts from the command-line.

#### Note:

You can use these scripts with local or remote brokers. The scripts were introduced with version 9.7, but can be used with brokers of any supported version.

### **EntireX Command-line Script Menu**

- To call the command-line script menu
  - Choose Start > Software AG > Administration > EntireX Command-line Scripts.

Or:

Enter command Menu\_Of\_EntireX\_Command\_Line\_Scripts.bat in the EntireX bin directory.

The following screen appears:

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List of EntireX Command-line Scripts

Current Broker: localhost:1971

1: Show Broker and registered Services

The following scripts write to CSV file:

2: Monitor Broker

3: Monitor Services

4: Monitor Clients

5: Change current Broker (this session only)

6: Edit Broker and other defaults (persistent)

7: Define your Environment

8: Monitor your Environment

9: Open new command window (in script directory)

0: Exit

Enter the number to be executed or ? for help
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The screen shows the current broker to which the administration tasks apply. You can change this for the duration of the session or persistently in the defaults. See *Using the Broker ID in Applications* in the ACI Programming documentation for possible formats.

Enter a number to perform the respective task. The options are described in the table below, together with the corresponding script if you prefer to call the script directly.

## **Script Menu Options**

Option	Description		Corresponding Script	Note
1		More info	entirex_overview.bat	

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Option	Description		Corresponding Script	Note
2	Monitor Broker. Monitors the current broker.	More info	monitor_broker_to_csv.bat	Output for these three monitoring scripts is written to a CSV file (comma-separated
3	Monitor Services. Monitors services registered to the current broker.	More info	monitor_service_to_csv.bat	values), which you can view, for example, with a spreadsheet tool.
4	Monitor Clients. Monitors clients registered to the current broker.	More info	monitor_client_to_csv.bat	
5	Change Current Broker. Changes the broker used in the various scripts for this session only.			When the session is restarted, this value reverts to the default.
6	Edit Broker and other Defaults. You can modify defaults for Broker ID, timeout values and output files.	More info	edit_user_specific_monitor_defaults.bat	
7	Define your Environment. You can define the environment (list of broker and registered services) you want to monitor.	More info	edit_user_specific_environment_definition.bat	
8	Monitor your Environment (defined with option 7).	More info	monitor_environment.bat	

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9	Open New Command Window (in command-line script directory).		This enables you to start the scripts with your parameters.
0	Exit.		Exits the menu. If you changed the current broker with Option 5, this will revert to the default value. Monitoring scripts that write to CSV files running in a separate command window continue to run.

## **Changing the Current Broker**

- **%**#65279;**%**#65279;**%**#65279;To change the current broker for your current session
  - Choose option 5 from the *EntireX Command-line Script Menu*, "Change current Broker (this session only)". This changes the current broker ID used for executing the command-line scripts in this session.

If you restart the script, the broker ID will be (re)set to the default value.

- To change the current broker permanently
  - Choose option 6 from the *EntireX Command-line Script Menu*, "Edit Broker and other Defaults (persistent)".

Or:

Run command  $\texttt{edit}\_\texttt{user}\_\texttt{specific}\_\texttt{monitor}\_\texttt{defaults}.$  bat in the EntireX bin directory.

See Default Handling.