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Installation Instructions

To install the **TQBE_32** component copy **TQBE_32.DCU** and **TQBE_32.DCR** files into the LIB directory of your Delphi 2 (or any other directory visible to the library builder), and click "Component" and then "Install" on the Delphi's main menu. Click buttons "ADD" and then "BROWSE" to do the installation. Use the "file of types" drop down list to make any files with DCU extension visible. We suggest that you create a **add-ins** directory under the lib directory for any 3rd party components.

The Component is an evaluation version only and it will **only** work in Delphi's development mode. To get the full version please contact Amber Computer Systems Inc. via one of the addresses below.

You may also choose to install the "Package" of ACSI components included in the zip file. Follow the directions in the Delphi 4 help, or the users manual for installing a package.

Demonstration Instructions

To run the Demo program (amberQBE.dpr), unzip the file into a directory of your choosing. Then install the component on the palette as described above. Next, you can create an alias **dddtest** which points to the directory in which you have stored the program and the test tables. (Or you can simply run the program, and it will point at the directory the EXE is in.) Then, compile the project. Load the QBE file TEST.QBE in the same directory as the demo program. Click the "Load" button on the QBE section to load the QBE file into the program. The QBE statement will appear in the middle window. Click the "Run" button of the QBE section to generate an answer. It will appear in the last window. To see the source table click "Open" button on the Table section

To test the component with your own .db or .dbf files, change the **dddtest** alias to point to your own data directory. Then, create a QBE in the Borland DataBase Desktop and save it to a QBE file in the same alias. Click the "Load" button on the QBE section to load your QBE into the program. The QBE statement will appear in the middle window. Click the "Run" button of the QBE section to generate an answer. It will appear in the last window. To see the source table click the "Open" button on the Table section

Feel free to use the component while you design your program.

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