# Tools

This section describes tools used to aid in migration, and to replace standard tools found in MS SQL.

## Migration tools

The following table lists tools which can be used to help you migrate an MS SQL database to a Firebird database.

### Table 2. Migration tools

Tool name	Provided by
Microsoft Access and Microsoft SQL Server to InterBase Wizard	Marcelo Lopez Ruiz
IBDataPump	Alex Poloziouk

#### **Replacing MS SQL tools**

The following table lists tools which can be used to replace the standard tools that come with MS SQL.

Note that, in general, all applications that provide services similar to Enterprise Manager also provide query services.

#### Table 3. Replacement tools

Tool name	Replaced by
Books Online	Online PDF documentation
Client Network Utility	No need to; connection strings are fully self-described. Test with IBConsole.
Enterprise Manager	IBConsole
Enterprise Manager	IBExpert (commercial)
Enterprise Manager	InterBase Workbench (commercial)
Import and Export Data -	
Performance Monitor	InterBase Heartbeat (commercial)
Profiler	InterBase Observer SQL Profiler (commercial)
Query Analyzer	IBConsole
Server Network Utility	IBConsole
Service Manager	Control Panel Applet

These tools are just samples to help in replacement. For a better and more up-to-date list, see https://www.ibphoenix.com/download/tools/.



