# Extended Events

SQL Server Extended Events has a highly scalable and highly configurable architecture that allows users to collect as much or as little information as is necessary to troubleshoot or identify a performance problem.

## Benefits of SQL Server Extended Events

Extended Events is a light weight performance monitoring system that uses very few performance resources. Extended Events provides two graphical user interfaces (**New Session Wizard** and **New Session**) to create, modify, display, and analyze your session data.

CREATE EVENT SESSION [Test] ON SERVER

ADD EVENT sqlserver.sql\_statement\_starting(SET collect\_statement=(1)// Event Library/Type

WHERE ([sqlserver].[equal\_i\_sql\_unicode\_string]

([sqlserver].[sql\_text],N'%SELECT%HAving%'))) // Event Filter

ADD TARGET package0.event\_file(SET filename=N'Test') // Event Info File

GO