Uniwell Lynx Enterprise
Concurrent Access

Concurrent Access in Uniwell Lynx Enterprise allows multiple users to login to the same database at the same time. Each user logged in must have a unique User ID. The following table outlines the different types of access available and the restrictions associated with each access type.

Exclusive

Exclusive access allows a single user to open a database with unrestricted access. No other users will be able to open the database while a user is logged in with exclusive access.

The following functions require exclusive access and are not available when logged in with shared access:

- Restore Data File
- Optimise Data File
- Archive Data
- Purge Data
- Editing primary index fields (ie. Item Code)

Shared

Shared access allows users to open a database with restricted* read/write access and to share access with an unlimited number of shared or read-only access users.

*Data locking automatically restricts users from performing operations that require write access to data that has been locked by operations being performed by another user.

Read-Only

Read-only access allows users to view but not edit data. Functions that require write access including some reports are not available when logged in with read-only access. There is no limit to the number of users that can login to a database with read-only access.

Licence Requirements for Concurrent Access

For users accessing a database across a network, Uniwell Lynx Enterprise must be installed on every PC that will be used to access the database. A separate licence is required for each PC. Data Licences can be used on PCs that will not be used for Communications functions.

If Uniwell Lynx Enterprise is installed on a server and accessed via Remote Desktop or Terminal Services then a full licence is required for the first user and an RDS Licence is required for each additional user.