



## NC Tip #18: Screen Saver for Kiosk System

### **Customer Requirement**

A customer plans to deploy NC900 products in a kiosk application for general use by customers in retail stores; however, the customer wants the NC900 to display advertisements while it is not being used.

### **Solution**

The NCBridge/NC900 solution offers a screen saver mode (SSADVT), which allows GIF files to be displayed while the NC900 is not being used.

The system administrator can create the GIF files using any number of off-the-shelf graphics packages and save the graphics into the GIF file format. When there is no user activity, the GIF files are displayed on the NC900 screen instead of having the NC900 screen turn blank.

### **Configuration Hints**

The NC900 can be programmed to display the GIF images after a desired amount of time has expired with no user activity. The system administrator can also specify the length of time that an image is displayed before it is replaced with another image automatically.

When the user presses any key, the GIF images are erased and the desired applications are displayed.

### **Benefits**

When the NC900 is not in use and the screen saver client is activated, the NC900 can display advertisements, corporate branding, and other corporate-endorsed images; hence, the NC900 can be of use even when no particular user is working with it.