

# Top 10 Reasons

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## Introduction

Nashua Limited is not only a leading distributor of digital office automation and document output solutions in Southern Africa, but is also a leading provider in the marketplace in the Managed Document Solutions (MDS) field.

Nashua's MDS approach analyses an organisation's processes and document workflow. Working with Nashua can revolutionise the way your organisation manages information. Nashua's end goal is aimed at implementing workflow and information management solutions that reduce cost and complexity, thus improving operational effectiveness.

Companies that fully embrace the Nashua MDS measure can find that it serves as a potent catalyst for business and technology change. Greater enterprise value will accrue from enhanced controls, improved information quality and a more streamlined structure, thus resulting in huge cost savings and minimized complexities.

## Nashua ProAct

Nashua ProAct is an innovative fleet management solution that helps Nashua to increase our office efficiency and productivity for all of our document output devices, through constant monitoring of your printers or MFP's. Nashua ProAct reports critical status and condition information to our technical data centers. Moreover this solution is provided to you at no cost as it allows us to deliver our best possible service!

So how does it work? Nashua ProAct collects data on an ongoing basis and delivers the information in the form of customisable statistics and analysis reports, thus assisting our service departments' efficient maintenance of your print infrastructure resulting in advanced performance levels. Meter readings are automatically synchronized with Nashua's ProAct server, eliminating manual capturing of the data while delivering increased billing accuracy. Lastly adaptive service management proactively manages your toner supplies, ensuring the right supplies are delivered to you at the right time without you having to lift a finger!

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## Top 10 Reasons to use PaperCut MF

PaperCut MF is simple, low cost software application that lets you take control and manage all your printers and multi-function devices.

Compatible with Windows, Mac, Linux or Novell networks, the following 10 reasons, describe some of the other key benefits PaperCut customers value highly.

- 1 Cut Waste and Go Green**

Encourage responsible printing with PaperCut MF quotas and print policies, cutting paper and toner costs and power usage. At-a-glance reporting on CO2 and carbon emissions – by CO2 volume or by tree – shows the impact.
- 2 Apply Your Own Print Policies**

With PaperCut MF, copying and printing is controlled according to policies that encourage or enforce appropriate access and use of your device fleet. Using PaperCut's filtering or advanced scripting (JavaScript) you might route large jobs to dedicated high-speed printers, display popups to ask end users to confirm single sided output, automatically delete print jobs with incorrect paper sizes or suggest an alternative printer when a device is offline. Using forced attributes, you can convert color jobs to grey-scale and enforce to duplex where appropriate.
- 3 Offer Driverless Web Printing**

Allow end users to print wirelessly from laptops, netbooks, iPads and iPhones with no driver installation or server authentication. Fully integrated into PaperCut MF's standard print charging/accounting/quota process, jobs sent, are typically paused and then released by the user, directly from the most convenient MFD or printer.
- 4 Enable Find-Me / Secure Print Release**

PaperCut MF protects confidential documents and slashes the volume of unclaimed printouts. With Find-Me printing, users queue print jobs to a virtual queue, and then release them for printing on any PaperCut supported MFP or printer. Secure Print Release requires user authentication, by swiping card or entering an account code to release and collect sensitive documents. Authorization of print jobs, prior to release, by managers, teachers or sys admins is supported.

## Top 10 Reasons to use PaperCut MF continued

- 5 Monitor and Report on Usage**

PaperCut MF offers more than 50 user and shared account, copy, print, fax and scan reports, out of the box, in PDF, HTML or Microsoft Excel (.csv) format. Access reports from any web browser, or schedule them to be automatically generated and emailed. You can set up reports to use your own header, and create reports with custom data by specifying date ranges, filtering and sorting by the data available. The PaperCut Dashboard web interface enables real time visual monitoring of system, user and device status, including toner levels.
- 6 Deploy Simply**

An installation wizard installs the server software and then proceeds to automatically detect printers and multi-function devices on your network. Create users and groups automatically from directory services including Active Directory, Open Directory, Novell eDirectory or LDAP. Install wizards help you define user types, access rights, page costs and quotas. Client software is optional and can be run directly off a server share avoiding the need to install/deploy locally. Device technicians can quickly install and configure MFPs with PaperCut embedded/onboard copy, scan and fax management software.
- 7 Administer Centrally, Manage Easily**

PaperCut MF provides browser-based administration access from any network location, providing advanced central management, control and configuration across all users and devices using an intuitive user interface. End users have access to a set of web tools to track their own activity in real-time, query their account balances, view transactions, add funds and view policies.
- 8 Customize The Look and Feel**

A customizable web interface allows you to change the look and feel of the user interface to replicate your colors, add logos and text.
- 9 Scale Up Effortlessly**

Modern software design and architecture provides scalability for networks of all sizes, from five to 500,000 users. Regardless of the number of servers and end users on your network, PaperCut MF will scale to meet your needs.
- 10 Maximize Uptime and Availability**

PaperCut MF delivers a robust approach to maintaining service by clustering at the print spooler, application server and database (for cluster-aware databases), as well as automatic fail-over protection against single points of failure.

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## More benefits of PaperCut

**Control costs** with simple account, bill or charge for every copy, print, scan and fax



**Access devices** via login, account code or ID/access card



**Manage copiers** printers and users from a streamlined web interface



**Enforce** responsible use using rules, limits and auto-notifications



**Report usage** and costs by page, by user, device and function



**Secure** confidential documents and release anywhere with Find-Me print



**PaperCut is used by more than 30,000 organizations in 100+ countries to cut costs and environmental impact.**

*"Based on the results we've seen so far, and the savings achieved by similar systems at the other universities we visited, we predict that PaperCut will reduce our printing costs by 20 to 25 per cent."*

Barend Pretorius, senior IT consultant, North-West University

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