

# Pcounter XAuditron

## Accounting for Xerox Multifunction



Pcounter XAuditron (PXA), is a dedicated product for Xerox machines enabling automatic upload of user and Account codes and download of log files from Xerox machines to Pcounter.

PXA works with any Xerox multifunction devices which supports the Xerox Network Accounting option. This option allows third party software to communicate to the machine with a bi-directional dialog

User and/or Account code is entered on Xerox machine display, and information is added to the log

PXA is a fully automated product, which means that it needs to be set-up once and hereafter will the process of updating User codes, Account codes, log-files be automated..

## Full monitoring



XAuditron will monitor the print, copy, scan and fax use without any administration from customer side, and without the need of additional hardware. System is 100% automated and data will be placed in the Pcounter log for further handling.

### A three step process

- 1 - PXA will first import the user list and client codes from the Pcounter database
- 2 - PXA will upload these codes to each of the registered copiers .
- 3 - Scheduled operations will regularly read each copier counters and download the data to Pcounter database

### Printing from the network

To print to the multifunction devices working with the Xerox Network Accounting and PXA, the user will either just print the job as usual and this job will be accounted with a default user ID and client code. Or, a CenterWare PopUp window will ask him to type a user ID and client code

### Copying

To make a copy, the user will have to identify himself at the copier operator panel, and type a client code or a password. This authentication sequence is done locally at the copier and does not generate any dialog on the LAN

## User authentication



### Network User ID

Pcounter XAuditron will maintain the user list automatically which is done directly with e.g. Active Directory, NDS or LDAP.

If the User Network ID is long and not optimized for use as ID code, then can Short-ID code be generated for each user (from version 2).

### Account codes (client/project codes)

Pcounter XAuditron can be set-up to get the client/project codes automatically which is done from Pcounter. Pcounter will maintain the client/project codes and can work together with a 3rd party database



## Features and Benefit



Pcounter XAuditron provides a powerful and still simple solution for tracking and accounting of document usage. All print jobs sent to the copiers, as well as all jobs done locally such as copy, scan and fax can be tracked and accounted with a centralized information database. This brings many advantages like :

- Authentication by user and department or Client code
- Codes are typed directly at the copier panel
- No need for external device
- No need for the network for authentication (less traffic)
- No need to walk at each copier to collect count data
- Document count is centralized and easier to manage

# Pcounter

The intelligent Document Accounting solution

## Pcounter XAuditron - Key features



PXA is a software module which works in conjunction with Pcounter to manage document accounting information with all Xerox multifunction devices which are compatible with the Xerox Network Accounting option

### ABOUT XEROX AUDITRON

All Xerox copiers and multifunctions have a feature to create Services or Client codes. All users will need to enter a code at the copier panel to be allowed to do any copy. This feature is called AUDITRON. But this feature cannot export any data, and does not support the network print jobs. To allow copiers to communicate with the outside world Xerox has developed The Network Accounting which is equivalent to a "Networked Auditor"

### HOW IT WORKS

The PXA software will control communication with the Xerox machines, which means upload of User and Account codes and download of log files. PXA will get the User and Account codes from Pcounter and the log files downloaded from the Xerox machines will be stored in a central file in Pcounter (image 1). PXA will work together with Pcounter, which needs to be installed in the Windows or Netware server.

### SMOOTH CONFIGURATION

There are not hundred of parameters to define in PXA. Just add the equipment, define the log retrieve time schedule, define the cost for all copy format, and job is done (image 2)

### MODULARITY

XAuditron only works with Xerox machines, but can be set-up in a mixed environment with none Xerox printers, where Pcounter will control, track and account the printing and XAuditron the copy, scan and fax from the Xerox machines

### WEB REPORTING

PXA can work with PWR, the Pcounter Web Report engine which offers up to 30 reports and graphic views of your document traffic, this from a single Web browser, from any workstation. (image 3). See our separate PWR brochure

## Specification



PXA is running on the following Operating Systems

- Windows NT4 (SP4 minimum), 2000, XP Pro workstations
- Windows NT4, 2000 and 2003 servers
- Novell Netware print servers NDS or NDPS

Xerox equipment supported : All new models including\*

WorkCentre Pro models :

35, 45, 55, 65, 75, 90, 32 Color, 40 Color - C2128/C2636/C3545

Also DocuCentre models :

240, 255, 265, 425, 432, 440, 460, 470, 480, 490, 535, 545, 555

\* If you don't find your model listed please email to Pcounter Europe



Image 1



Image 2

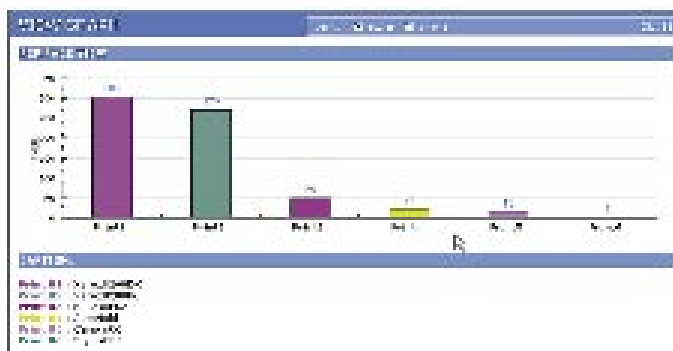


Image 3

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