



## Integrate fax servers with Ascent® Capture

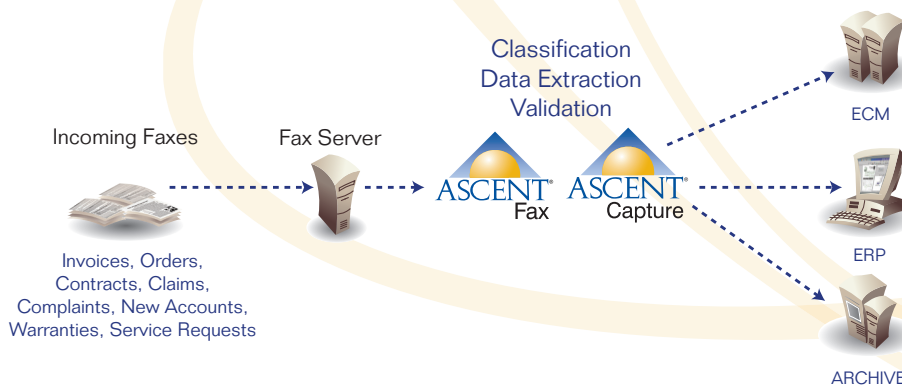
Ascent Fax works with fax servers to automatically and securely transfer inbound faxes to Ascent Capture for processing. Ascent Fax is especially valuable for organizations that place a premium on the reliable receipt and capture of business critical information that arrives via fax.

Ascent Fax lets Ascent Capture treat fax servers just as it does a scanner or a multifunctional peripheral: a source of incoming digitized documents. This allows organizations to process faxes using the same business rules applied to scanned paper documents, as well as email and other electronic documents. Information captured from faxes then can be stored in an archive, or sent to an Enterprise Resource Planning, Customer Relationship Management or other enterprise software system for additional processing.

Because the inbound and outbound traffic of standalone fax machines is difficult to monitor, and thus may pose a compliance risk, many organizations have converted to fax servers, or are considering to do so. Fax servers also allow organizations to save space, reduce costs, enhance security and improve productivity. With Ascent Fax, organizations are assured they can fully integrate a fax server into their capture operations - Captaris® RightFax™, as well as TOPCALL fax servers are supported.

The combined power of Ascent Fax and Ascent Capture offers organizations numerous workflow automation possibilities. For example, Ascent index fields can be populated automatically with the fax number of the sender and timestamp information. Documents received on different fax lines (i.e., one fax number used to receive orders, another used to receive invoices) can be assigned to different Ascent batch classes and processed differently. A batch can either be closed after reception of a certain number of fax documents, or based on a timeout. All these configurations can be done from within Ascent.

Ascent Fax is easy to install and administer as an add-on module to Ascent Capture, version 7.0 or higher. It's firewall friendly, using Web Services to communicate with the fax server. If your organization's Ascent Capture installation needs secure, automated access to your fax server, you need Ascent Fax.



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