

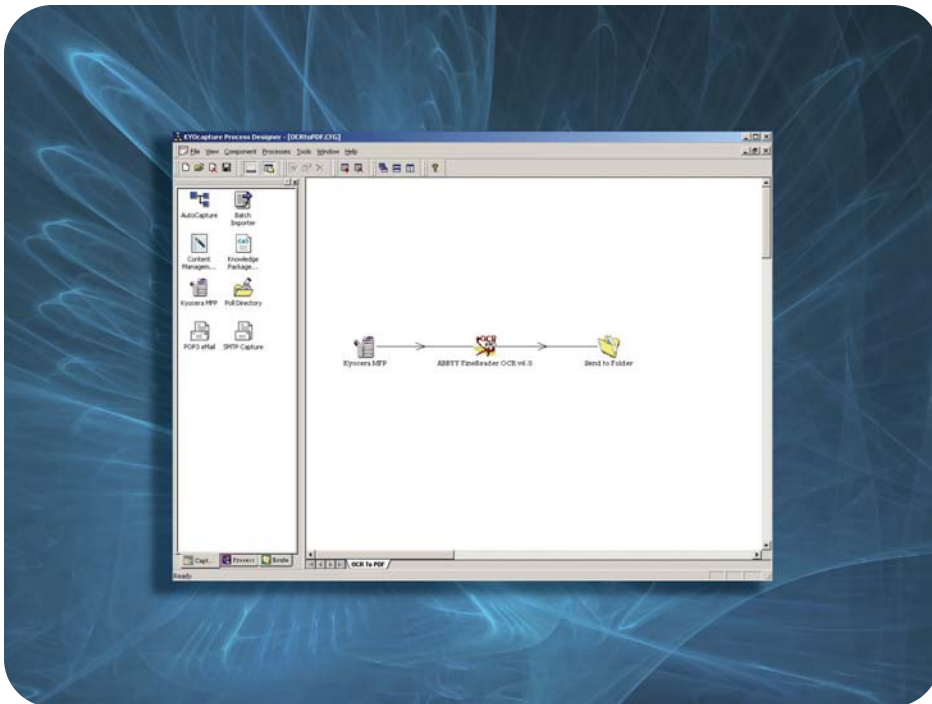
# 2005 Award Winner

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*Best Workflow Management Application*

# Kyocera KYOcapture



Administrators utilize an easy-to-use interface to design workflows within KYOCapture.

**A 21st Century document imaging strategy relies on a marriage between hardware and software products. BERTL's Best Awards highlight software solutions that excel in areas including fleet management, cost control, network security, document work-**

**flow, archiving, and distribution — issues that are critical points of decision-making in every company.**

**BERTL has named Kyocera's KYOCapture "BERTL'S Best" in 2005, in the category of Best Workflow Management Application.**

Automating paper processes significantly reduces administrative and physical storage costs, while sharing of electronic copies of paper documents eliminates dependence on interoffice mail, couriers, or regular mail. Providing simple, structured document capture, processing, and routing workflows, KYOCapture — which is driven by NSi's AutoStore — provides a single platform which enables companies to easily and seamlessly capture, process and route information directly from the control panel of the MFP. Device-independent in nature, KYOCapture captures both hardcopy and electronic (e.g., Word, PDF, and XLS files) documents through multiple sources including MFPs, digital copiers and scanners, e-mail, desktops, wireless devices, and fax equipment from various manufacturers.

Captured documents are recognized, tracked, and indexed — individually or in batches. Capture can be as simple as a basic scan to file task, to more complex tasks including barcode recognition and key metadata field population at the Kyocera MFP touch screen routed directly to new or existing customer databases.

Following capture, documents can be processed through a wide range of

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image enhancement and editing tools including OCR, despeckling, deskewing, and much more before the final stage of the process is undertaken.

The final stage in the KYOCapture workflow process involves the routing of the captured and processed document to multiple final destinations. Documents can be routed to numerous content repositories or business applications, databases, and e-mail systems. Tight integration with document management systems helps consolidate and streamline capture processes into a single action process.

One set of capture workflows can be defined for all document and content types, both easing administrative requirements and reducing the user learning curve. Alternatively, KYOCapture can be set up to automatically capture and archive content sent to a particular e-mail address (POP3 or SMTP) or polled/monitored directory.

The application is fully integrated and certified with Documentum D5 and ApplicationXtender, Domino.doc, SharePoint Portal Server, Hummingbird, iManage, OpenText LiveLink, Lotus Notes/Domino, and Exchange. Also featured is the ability to send documents to multiple document management applications, network folders, printers, and fax services.

While KYOCapture's open architecture means that it can be used with any scanning input device, Kyocera has worked closely with NSi to create a much richer marriage between the hardware and software elements.

The first key differentiator between KYOCapture and some the other

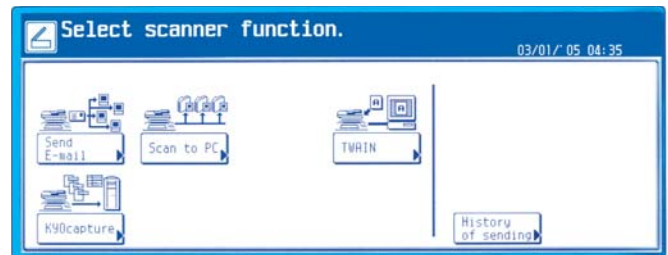
MFP/AutoStore solutions is a result of the strong bidirectional interface. This bidirectional capability allows the wizard-like device interface to be refreshed as user walks through the device panel. This enables Kyocera MFP devices to be capable of interacting with the application while in use, allowing:

1. Server level validation of the device panel interaction
2. A dynamic menu definition for the users and the way they walk through the wizard-like interface; and
3. Allows applications to directly interact with the device without taking CPU time on the device.

A second key differentiator of KYOCapture is its ability to make great use of the range of local databases that house users, private contact list, public email address books, and PC addresses. KYOCapture has made great use of the interfaces into these databases to integrate them directly with Lotus Notes Public Address Books or Microsoft Exchange Global Address List. Even further distinction was built by Kyocera that enables their users to synchronize their private contacts from Notes or Exchange into the device.

In summary these capabilities enable:

- Public Email Synchronization: very valuable for remote devices that need updated Public email
- Private user contact list synchroniza-



Entering a KYOCapture workflow from a Kyocera MFP touch screen

tion: very valuable for offices where users have private contacts for sending emails

- Device propagation which allows one device to be primary/master device and other devices to be secondary: valuable to keep devices in sync automatically
- Device grouping which allows a device to be grouped by organizational definitions (defined in Active Directory) so that various users can see their own set of capabilities within their own devices
- Authentication directly with Active Directory/LDAP/Novell directories from the panel.

KYOCapture, through a combination of the advanced bi-directional ability of the Kyocera MFP design and the sophistication and customizable KYOCapture software workflow processes, offers organizations the ability to capture, process, and route both paper and electronic documents in a flexible, easily-programmed environment that is both richer and more functional than similar applications.

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## Spotlight On Kyocera

Founded in Japan in April, 1959, Kyocera is a familiar name throughout the international business community. The company is continuously expanding and is currently represented in 160 countries. Kyocera acquired well-known copier company Mita in the 1990s and now does business as Kyocera Mita.

Kyocera's headquarters are in Kyoto, while Kyocera's main headquarters are based in Osaka, Japan. The company has more than 40,000 employees, split into various groups throughout the world. Kyocera's focus is on various hardware and software products and solutions. Kyocera has a wide reach across the

global market. Kyocera is mainly an office equipment specialist, interested in the development of copiers, multifunctional devices, printers, and fax products.

The company focuses on low- to mid-range volume areas of the business market. However, it has a sturdy, high-volume product range available as well.

Kyocera's concern for environmental issues is visible in the design of many of its machines. The company's ECOSYS® (Ecology, Economy, and System) printers have eliminated disposable print cartridges to reduce industrial waste.

To further build on its success, Kyocera is focusing on the development of software and network solutions that integrate with their hardware products. These measures will enable the company to provide a more comprehensive, consultative approach to assist its customers in getting more value from their document management processes.

Kyocera states that it remains dedicated to further developing their business and increasing the satisfaction of its customers.

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