



When National Mobile Windscreens were looking to implement a new business system IT solution to their branch sites they needed a partner that could deliver the all of the component parts of the solution. The requirements were not only to link all of the 34 branches to Head Office, but to design and implement a server solution that would deliver NMWs' critical business applications to the branches.

National Windscreens

National Mobile Windscreens is the UK's largest independent vehicle glass replacement company established for over 35 years and offers replacement glazing for all types of vehicles anywhere in the United Kingdom. Customers are serviced via a network of 34 branch locations.

Challenge

- Existing head office infrastructure only part integrated with the branch sites limiting inter-site communication.
- Multiple legacy physical servers running key business systems with lengthy recovery and restore processes and high management overhead.
- Existing infrastructure unable to scale to meet growing business demands and industry security requirements.

Solution

- Managed MPLS network with internet breakout and managed firewalls to link 34 branch sites to head office and disaster recovery facility.
- Highly available Virtualised data centre with off-site replication to deliver key business systems across the organisation
- Business continuity solution with full workplace recovery for key business operations in the event of a disaster.

Result

“The project to deliver our Wide Area Network, servers and terminals to link the 34 branches to our head office was vital to the continued growth of our business. The planning and implementation of the project could not be faulted and is a credit to all involved. The business has already seen benefits through improved efficiency and cost reductions.”

Phil Lomas - Managing Director