

# GPS™

## **GPS™ is a General Print Server that restores and augments 328x print functionality in the TN3270 environment**

**GPS™ is compatible with a wide variety of network operating systems and network-based printers.**

For printers attached directly to the network, GPS implements the HP Jetdirect Sockets protocol to communicate with the printer. For other printers, GPS uses the standard LPR/LPD function within TCP/IP FOR VSE™.

**More flexible than TN3270 printer support, GPS™ allows 328x print output to be sent to any TCP/IP printer.**

Printing occurs without requiring the user to log on to the mainframe for a printer connection. As long as the printer or the associated Line Printer is available, manual intervention is unnecessary.

GPS also preserves VTAM LU name privacy for installation-specific security purposes. TN3270E compromises this security measure by allowing users to specify their own LU name.

**GPS™ is an optional feature that is included with your TCP/IP FOR VSE™ distribution. Simply obtain a product key from your account executive for activation.**