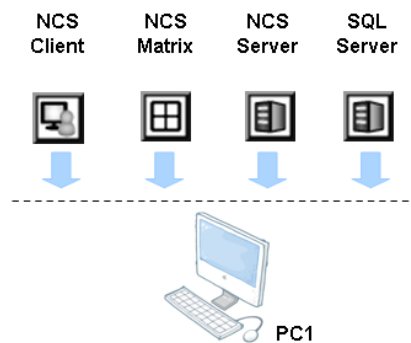


System Requirements

System Setup

There are three scenarios for NCS system setup. Depending on customers' budget and the size of the project, customers can choose a suitable scenario. The system requirements for each scenario are detailed below.

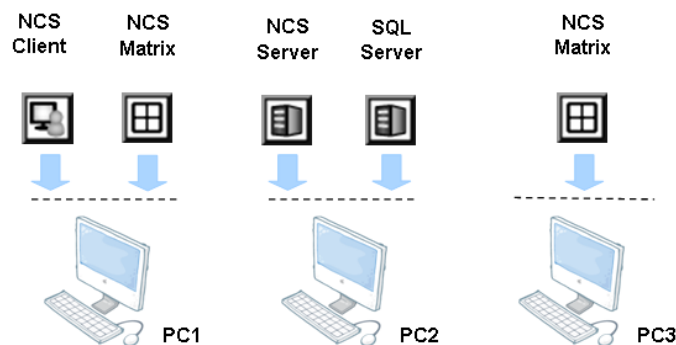
Scenario A: Using one PC for all installed elements



Recommended hardware specification for Scenario A

Recommended hardware specification for Scenario A	PC1
CPU	Intel Core 2 Quad Q9550 @ 2830MHz
RAM	2 GB
Hard Disk	250 GB or above
Mother-board	Intel 945 or 965 chip (for single monitor) Intel P35/975 chip or nVidia nForce 650i chip (for multiple monitors)
Display	ATi X4350 or above, nVIDIA GeForce 9500series or above
Ethernet	100 baseT or above, Gigabit LAN recommended
OS	MS Windows XP Pro SP3 / Vista / 2003 / Win 7 / 2008 R2 / 2012 R2 / Win 8 / Win 8.1

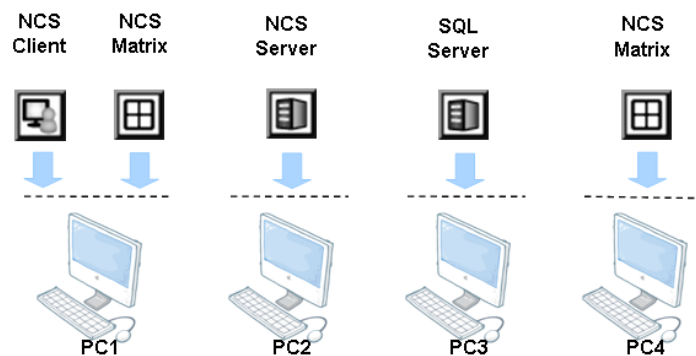
Scenario B: Using three PCs with NCS Client and NCS Matrix on PC1, NCS Server and SQL Server on PC2, and NCS Matrix on PC3



Recommended hardware specification for Scenario B

	PC1	PC2	PC3
CPU	Intel Core 2 Quad Q6660 @ 2400MHz	Intel Core 2 Duo E4500	Intel Core 2 Quad Q6660 @ 2400MHz
RAM	2 GB	2 GB	2 GB
Hard Disk	250 GB or above	250 GB or above	250 GB or above
Display	ATi X4350 or above	ATi X1600 or above	ATi X4350 or above
Mother-board	Intel 945 or 965 chip (for single monitor) Intel P35/975 chip or nVidia nForce 650i chip (for multiple monitors)		
Ethernet	100 baseT or above, Gigabit LAN recommended		
OS	MS Windows XP Pro SP3 / Vista / 2003 / Win 7 / 2008 R2 / 2012 R2 / Win 8 / Win 8.1		

Scenario C: Using four PCs with NCS Client and NCS Matrix on PC1, NCS Server on PC2, SQL Server on PC3, and NCS Matrix on PC4



Recommended hardware specification for Scenario C

	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4
CPU	Intel Core 2 Quad Q6660 @ 2400MHz	Intel Core 2 Duo E4500	Intel Core 2 Duo E4500	Intel Core 2 Quad Q6660 @ 2400MHz
RAM	2 GB	1 GB	1 GB	2 GB
Hard Disk	250 GB or above	250 GB or above	250 GB or above	250 GB or above
Display	ATi X4350 or above	ATi X1600 or above	ATi X1600 or above	ATi X4350 or above
Mother-board	Intel 945 or 965 chip (for single monitor) Intel P35/975 chip or nVidia nForce 650i chip (for multiple monitors)			
Ethernet	100 baseT or above, Gigabit LAN recommended			
OS	MS Windows XP Pro SP3 / Vista / 2003 / Win 7 / 2008 R2 / 2012 R2 / Win 8 / Win 8.1			

Multiple Monitor Configuration

For a PC running the NCS Client and NCS Matrix, it is suggested that three monitors are used: one to display the **Map** window and the **System Configuration** window, one to display the **Alarm Overview** window, and one to display the live video feed matrix. This enables efficient use of the system and saves hardware costs.

PCs using multiple monitors in this way should have an Intel P35/i975x motherboard which can support two display cards. Each display card should be the same model, to avoid hardware conflicts.