

Explorer component

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Hi,

We have encountered a strange problem for our kiosk that was supposed to run XPe. We are using our own browser which is basically a .Net windows application with the Internet Explorer component (axWebBrowser).

At one of the pages in our web application we must print a receipt. To avoid printer dialogs we are using an ActiveX component that prints directly to the default printer without any user interactions. What we experience is the following:

- Using our browser in XP Pro the page is printed
- Using our browser in XPe the page is not printed
- Going to the page by using the ordinary IE in XPe, the page is printed

I would really need some advices for how to track down this problem. I think it quite common to use a custom browser (for e.g. keeping an eye on the network connection and try to get connected if the net goes down) and an ActiveX component for printing to avoid the printer dialogs (does anybody know a way without using an ActiveX?). Should there be any difference in XPe and XP Pro for our application?

Regards,
Paal