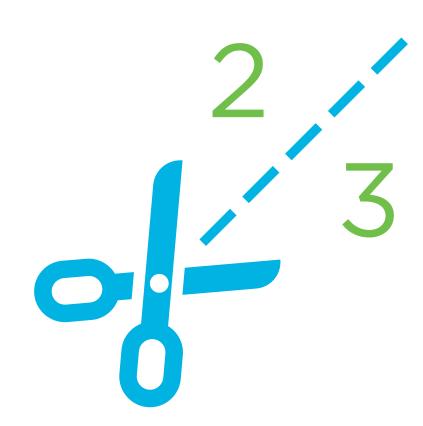


Every year, telecommunications, pay TV, home security, and utility companies write off billions of dollars in bad debt. To help combat this problem, industry leaders formed the National Consumer Telecom and Utilities Exchange (NCTUE). This comprehensive, industry-specific, full account history database helps members better identify and manage financial risks, as well as aid the monitoring of customer relationships throughout the lifecycle.

PROVEN TO DELIVER RESULTS

> With a database of more than 430 million account records and over 220 million consumers, NCTUE is the premier industry-specific data source for accurately assessing new applicant risk. It is also an FCRA-compliant credit data exchange service for the telecommunications, pay TV, home security and utility industries only.



PSNC Energy cut their write-offs by two thirds.

By using data from NCTUE to influence business decisions, this company has taken control of write-offs and improved their business process. How? By helping locate customers with unpaid bills — and fast.

BECAUSE OF THIS, PSNC ENERGY WAS ABLE TO:

26.7%

Find 26.7% of customers who had moved or changed account information

23.1%

Collect payments from 23.1% of that 26.7%

Earn 9.4 times the amount **PSNC Energy had to pay**

WITH NCTUE, PSNC ENERGY FOLLOWED A SIMPLE PROCESS.



Moves before paying final balance



PSNC Energy

Sends account information to Exchange



NCTUE The database matches the unpaid closed

account to new customer's service applications, then sends the information to PSNC Energy



to an attorney for collections, a collections group simply contacts the customer to retrieve the balance. With this matched information from NCTUE,

final bill or has been assigned

Transfer the outstanding balance.

If the account is matched

to another active account, PSNC Energy will transfer the balance and contact the customer.

PSNC Energy has found that their contact rate is 41 percent higher than before.

That's not all PSNC Energy found. They also found:

population has either a thin credit file, or no credit file

About 10 percent of the

to aid these customers to help build credit After adding NCTUE Plus, collected payments increased to

Because of this, they're able

35-40 percent of matched accounts.

THROUGH ANTICIPATED RESULTS Along with lowering write-offs by \$1,000,000, Georgia Power used NCTUE to anticipate results to help avoid debt:

GEORGIA POWER FOUND STABILITY









positive credit data





