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Subject: Screen Saver Problems

About ten times (and counting) this morning in about a 2 hour period, I have been involuntarily dumped out of the wordperfect document I've been working on and sent to the screen-saver, requiring me to enter my network password to get back into the system. This, to put it mildly, bites. It is a big waste of time and has a significant frustration multiplier effect on loss of productivity. I had this problem last week as well, but not as often (although I wasn't working in wordperfect as much either). Long ago I put my screensaver on the "fish" setting, after being assured that the fish were glitch-free. Which leads me to ask: What, if any, useful purpose do the screensavers serve? Can serving this purpose possibly be worth the ongoing problems the screensavers cause? Why can't each computer user be allowed to strike the balance between the (substantial) costs and (alleged) benefits for himself, and get rid of the things on his own computer if he wants to?

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