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[Samsung Quietly Rolls Out A 19-Inch Widescreen Desktop PC Monitor](#)

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Samsung's SyncMaster series of LCD monitors is one of the most successful on the market, as it provides good image quality and advanced features at some pretty decent price tags (actually, this very article has been written using a SyncMaster). And in order to attract an even greater number of consumers, namely those who require extended desktop space, the Korean company has just announced a new SyncMaster model, namely the 942BW, built in the spirit of the entire series, but with a few interesting extras. Thus, since it features an ultra-narrow bezel and a 16:10 wide-screen format, the 942BW monitor's wide viewing area can support multiple simultaneous application windows, thereby helping to improve work efficiency and reducing the need for two monitors. The 942BW monitor's viewing experience is further enhanced by a fast response time of 5ms GTG, providing vivid and true-to-life motion reproduction while gaming or watching movies. Furthermore, the model features a high 1440 x 900 resolution, allowing the monitor to deliver clear and precise images, along with a height-adjustable stand. It also comes with a 500:1 contrast ratio and 300 cd/m² of brightness, packed with what could already be called "traditional" connectivity options for Samsung monitors, namely the HDCP supported Digital Visual Interface (DVI) and VGA. The 942BW monitor features Samsung's proprietary Magic technologies for enhanced performance and image quality: MagicTune, MagicBright3 and MagicSpeed. The MagicTune is an intuitive on-screen interface that allows users to control all of the Magic Technology picture adjustments by simply using their mouse, while the MagicBright3 automatically optimizes brightness, contrast and gamma correction, based on the specific application. Thus, with a push of a button, users can easily switch between Text, Internet, Movie, Game, Sports, Custom and Print View modes to help ensure the best picture quality. "Samsung is committed to meeting the growing consumer demand for high-quality, yet affordable, widescreen displays" said Young Bae, senior product marketing manager, display products, Samsung Electronics America, Inc. "By coupling a super fast response time with a wide format viewing area, the 942BW is an outstanding choice for both personal and professional users looking for outstanding image quality and enhanced productivity for both personal and professional users." Samsung's SyncMaster 942BW monitor has a MSRP of around \$249.99 and should be available right away through all of the Korean company's retail channels. We are just a few, but there are many of you, Softpedia users, out there. That's why we thought it would be a good idea to create an email address for you to help us a little in finding gadgets we missed. Interesting links are bound to be posted with recognition going mainly to those who submit. The address is .