



Your Efficient All-in-One Mono Laser Printer

Easy to set up and connect for
Fast Flawless printing

MFC-L2885DW



PRINT



SCAN



COPY



FAX



WIRELESS



FULL AUTO
DUPLEX

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Work from anywhere, at home or in the office with the easily connected Brother MFC-L2885DW. Hosting a range of efficiency-boosting features, this all-in-one mono laser printer saves you time with fast flawless printing and quick scan speeds, automatic 2-sided print, fax capability, a generous paper tray capacity and large automatic document feeder.

Set up with ease and download the Brother Mobile Connect App, enabling you to print and scan from virtually anywhere.

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Key features:

- Print up to 34 pages per minute
- Auto Duplex print, up to 16 sides per minute
- Scan up to 22.5 images per minute³
- 6.8cm Colour TFT Screen
- Fast ethernet, Wi-Fi Direct and USB
- 256MB Memory
- 50 Sheet Automatic Document Feeder (ADF)¹¹
- 250 Sheet paper input tray¹¹
- 1,200 Page yield inbox toner
- 5,000 maximum yield available⁷

Work smarter

The MFC-L2885DW is designed to increase efficiency, with fast print speeds helping you to work smarter. The Automatic Document Feeder and 2-sided print features saves you time, enabling you to get on with other tasks. Scan your documents in colour or mono and send directly to your desktop or mobile device.

Effortless

Make your day easier and your printing effortless, with simple set up and fast wireless ethernet, Wi-Fi or USB connection. This efficient MFC-L2885DW is a breeze to operate using the easy to navigate menu on the 6.8cm colour touchscreen. Benefit from the ability to create custom shortcuts on the touchscreen for your most used functions.

The perfect partner

High quality print technology ensures that your output is flawless and professional every time. The expertly designed MFC-L2885DW has a high capacity paper input and output tray allowing you to print for longer, while the compact and quiet form enables you to work without interruption in smaller workspaces.

Print longer

The MFC-L2885DW keeps your printing costs down using a separate drum and toner unit, and the generous 1,200 pages⁷ inbox toner supporting your higher print volume needs. Toner is easy to change and a super high yield toner is available, printing up to 5,000 pages,⁷ reducing your cost per page and replacement frequency.

Secure by design

To keep pace with the ever-evolving legislation on privacy and data security, our devices offer the latest industry-standard security features to securely protect your data. Our security experts continuously research new enhancements to products, solutions and services to proactively ensure all our products are 'secure by design'.

The MFC-L2885DW provides a range of robust features. It uses triple-layer security at a device, network and document level. This offers added peace of mind and guarantees that the integrity of your data is maintained at every step.

Print from anywhere

With Brother Mobile Connect, you can fully operate your Brother printer from anywhere. Print and scan documents on the move. You can also personalise your frequently used features and unlock a revolutionary way of printing from your mobile device. Download the app on your mobile device to get started.



General

Technology

Electrophotographic Laser

Memory

256MB

Control panel

6.8cm Colour TFT
Screen

Local Interface

Hi-Speed USB 2.0

Wired Network

Fast Ethernet

Wireless Network

2.4GHz Support
Wi-Fi Direct

Carton Contents

Printer, Inbox Toner, Drum,
Power Supply Cord, USB Cable,
Quick Set-Up Guide

Print

Print Speed

1-Sided: 34ppm Mono
2-Sided: 16 sides
per minute Mono

FPOT (First Print Out Time)

Up to 8.5 Seconds Mono

Quiet Mode

A mode to reduce the printing
noise

Resolution

Up to 1200 x 1200dpi

Print Languages

PCL6, BR-Script3,
PDF Version 1.7

Embedded Fonts (PCL)

73 scalable fonts,
12 bitmap fonts

Embedded Barcodes (PCL)

16 bar codes*

*Code39, Interleaved 2 of 5,
FIM (US-PostNet), Post Net
(US-PostNet), EAN-8, EAN-13,
UPC-A, UPC-E, Codabar, ISBN
(EAN), ISBN (UPC-E), Code128
(set A, set B, set C), EAN128
(set A, set B, set C), Code93,
GS1Databar, MSI

Embedded Fonts (Postscript)

66 scalable fonts

Printer Functions

N-up Printing

Reduce up to 25 pages into
a single page

Poster Printing

Enlarge a single page into a
poster using 2x2, 3x3, 4x4
or 5x5 pages

Toner Save Mode

Use the Toner Save Mode to
reduce toner consumption
without affecting print speed

Watermark Printing

Watermark your documents
with predefined text, custom
logo or custom messages

ID Printing

Add identification to your printed
documents (date and time,
short custom message or
PC username)

Booklet Printing

Print documents in A5 booklet
format using automatic or
manual 2-sided print

Print Profiles

Store your favourite driver
settings as profiles to easily
recall them

Manual 2-Sided Print

Manual 2-sided printing
(recommended for media
not supported by automatic
2-sided print)

Print Complete Notice

A printing notification can be
set to go to your computer
(Network only)

Printer Driver

Windows

Windows 11
(32 and 64 bit editions)
and more

macOS

Printing via macOS requires the use of AirPrint. Mac drivers are not provided.

Linux

CUPS, LPD/LPRng
(x86/x64 environment)

ChromeOS (Print / Scan Only)

Supports native
ChromeOS printing

PCL Driver

Universal Printer Driver
(Windows)
(PCL5e/BRScript)

PostScript Universal Printer Driver

Driver for Windows that enables you to print to any network or locally connected Brother printer

Visit support.brother.com for the full list of supported OS and to download the latest drivers and software.

Paper Handling¹¹

Paper Input Standard Tray

250 Sheets

Manual Feed Slot

1 Sheet

Automatic Document Feeder (ADF)

50 Sheets

Paper Output

120 Sheets A4

Envelope Printing

From manual feed slot

Media Sizes Standard Tray

A4, Letter, B5(JIS), B5(ISO),
A5, A5(Long Edge), B6(JIS),
A6, Executive, A4 Short,
16K(195x270mm)

Manual Feed Slot

Width 76.2 to 215.9 mm,
Length 127 to 355.6 mm
Envelope; COM-10, DL, C5,
Monarch

ADF

Width: 105 to 216 mm
Length: 147 to 356 mm

Scanner Glass

Up to A4/LTR

Auto 2-Sided

A4

Media Type and Weights Standard Tray

Plain Paper, Thin Paper,
Recycled Paper,
Thick Paper
60-163gsm

Manual Feed Slot

Plain Paper, Thin Paper, Thick
Paper, Thicker Paper, Recycled
Paper, Bond, Label, Envelope,
Env. Thin, Env. Thick
60-230gsm

ADF

Plain Paper, Recycled Paper
60 to 105gsm

Auto 2-Sided

Plain Paper, Thin Paper,
Recycled Paper
60-105gsm

Mobile and Web Connectivity

Brother Mobile Connect¹⁷ (Android)

Print from, scan to, preview
copies and check the machine
status from an Android device

Brother Mobile Connect¹⁷ (iPad / iPhone)

Print from and check the
machine status from an
iPad / iPhone

Apple AirPrint¹⁷

Print from and scan to most
common file types from any
AirPrint enabled application

Brother Print Service Plugin¹⁷

Print from any Android devices
without a dedicated App

Mopria™¹⁷

Print most common file types
from Mopria™ supported
Android devices

Brother Apps¹⁸

Scan to Mobile, Scan to
Searchable PDF, Fax forward
to Cloud/E-mail, Scan to
PowerPoint, Scan to Excel, Scan
to Word, Easy scan to E-mail,
Cloud Secure Print, Email Print

Web Connect¹⁸

Print from and scan to without
using a PC on Box, Dropbox,
Evernote, OneDrive, Google
Drive™ OneNote, SharePoint
online

Copy

Copy Speed (A4)

1-Sided: 34ppm Mono
Auto Duplex Copy

Resolution

Up to 600 x 600dpi

FCOT

(First Copy Out Time)

Up to 10 Seconds Mono

Grey Scale

256 shades of grey

Copy Functions

Multi-Copying/Stack/Sort

Makes up to 99 copies of each page / Stacks or Sorts

Enlargement/Reduction Ratio

Reduce or Increase document sizes from 25% to 400% in 1% increments

2 in 1 ID Copying

Allows the user to copy both sides of an ID card to a single A4 sheet

Duplex Copy

Automatic

N in 1 Copying

Allows the user to compress 2 or 4 pages on to a single A4 sheet

Scan

Scanner Type

Dual CIS (Contact Image Sensor)

Colour and Mono Scanning

Yes

Scan Speed (A4)³

22.5ipm Mono and
7.5ipm Colour

Scan Resolution from ADF

600 x 600dpi

Scan Resolution from Scanner Glass

1200 x 1200dpi

Interpolated Scan Resolution

Brother Scanner Utility enhances up to 19,200 x 19,200 dpi

Colour Depth

30 bit colour Processing (Input)
24 bit colour Processing (Output)

Grey Scale

10 bit colour Processing (Input)
8 bit colour Processing (Output)

Duplex Scan

Automatic

Scanner Functions

Supported File Formats

Including PDF (PDF/A, Secure PDF, Signed PDF, Searchable¹⁷)
JPEG, TIFF

Standard Functions¹⁷

Scan to E-mail, OCR ,
Image, File

Network Scanning¹⁶

Scan to E-mail Server, FTP,
FTPS, HTTPS, Sharepoint
(iPrint&Scan for Windows only)

Scan Features

Auto Deskew from ADF only
(iPrint&Scan for Desktop)

Scan To Microsoft Office

Scan to Word (.docx),
PowerPoint (.pptx), Excel (.xlsx)
for Microsoft Office

Scan Profile¹⁵

Create up to 25 profiles for an easy way to store multiple scan settings (scan to FTP/Sharepoint)

Document Separation

Create scanned files based on blank sheet separation or a specific number of single sided images or sheets of paper, even if more documents are set on the ADF

Scanner Drivers

Windows

TWAIN and WIA
Windows 11
(32 and 64 bit editions)

macOS

Scanning via macOS requires the use of AirPrint. Mac drivers are not provided.

Linux

SANE (32 and 64 bit editions)

ChromeOS

Supports native ChromeOS scanning

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Fax

Fax Modem

33,600bps (Super G3)

Grey Scale

256 shades (8 bit) of grey are available for faxing

Out of Paper Reception

Up to 500 pages
(ITU-T Test Chart, Standard Resolution, JBIG)

Broadcasting

Send the same fax message up to 250 locations

Memory Transmission

Up to 500 pages
(ITU-T Test Chart, Standard Resolution, JBIG)

Fax Functions

Internet Fax (I-Fax)

Fax documents over the internet as an email attachment

Fax to Server

Scan a document and send it over the network to a separate fax server

Automatic Redial

Automatic redialling if the recipient fax is busy

Telephone Index

An electronic, alphabetical listing of stored speed dials and group numbers

Chain Dialling

Allows the user to store parts for long dialling sequences in different speed dial locations

Fax Forwarding

Send a fax received in memory to another pre-programmed fax number

Remote Retrieval

Allows users to remotely access their machine and retrieve stored fax messages

Fax Stamp

Add the date and time to all received faxes

Cover Page

Create custom cover pages for outgoing faxes

Station ID

An ID and fax number will be printed as the header of every fax sent

PC-Fax Send^{15,18} and Receive^{16,18}

Send and Receive faxes directly from your PC. Supports mono only

Error Correction Mode (ECM)

Detect line errors during fax transmission and resend the page(s) of the document that had an error (recipient machines must share this feature for it to work)

Auto Reduction

When receiving a single page document longer than A4 (297mm) the fax machine will automatically reduce the message to fit onto a single A4 sheet

Fleet Management Tools

BRAdmin Pro^{16,17}
LAN/WAN management software

Embedded Web Server
Web based print management software embedded onto the device

Status Monitor¹⁶
Monitor the status of your machine from your computer

Driver Deployment Wizard^{16,17}

Easily create print drivers for hassle free deployment over your network

Software

Brother iPrint&Scan Desktop^{15,17}
Print from, scan to, preview copies and check the machine status from Windows or macOS PC

PaperPort SE 14^{16,17}
Document management and sharing program from KOFAX

Utilities
Provides setup guides, manual, FAQ, troubleshooting and contact to Brother customer service

Easy Setup
Simple access to drivers and software for the installation of your Brother machine from support.brother.com Windows/Mac

Connectivity

Wired Network
Fast Ethernet
(10Base-T/100Base-TX)

Wireless Network
2.4GHz: IEEE 802.11 b/g/n
(Infrastructure Mode)
IEEE 802.11 g/n (Wi-Fi Direct)

Wi-Fi Direct®
Print wirelessly without having to go through a wireless access point (both automatic and manual methods supported)

Wireless Setup Support
Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS))

Wireless Applications
Vertical Pairing

Mobile
Print or scan from your mobile device with Brother Mobile Connect, Airprint, Mopria

Local Interface
Hi-Speed USB 2.0

Warranty

Brother 5-Year Warranty

When you purchase a Brother printer and our genuine inks or toners, we'll support you every step of the way with our FREE 5-year warranty commitment. YOU DO NOT NEED TO REGISTER YOUR YOUR PRODUCT, our warranty is automatic when you purchase your Brother printer. To keep your Brother machine running in optimal condition, we recommend using only Brother Genuine Consumables, this will ensure you automatically enjoy our exclusive 5-year warranty.



Security Features

Wired Network Security

APOP*, SMTP-AUTH, SSL/TLS (SMTP, POP3, IMAP4,FTP)*, SNMP v3, 802.1x (EAP-MD5, EAP-FAST, PEAP, EAP-TLS, EAP-TTLS), OAuth(SMTP, POP3, IMAP4), Kerberos *When Internet FAX is downloaded.

Wireless Network Security

WEP 64/128 bit, WPA-PSK (TKIP/AES), WPA2-PSK (TKIP/AES), WPA3-SAE (AES), WIFI Direct supports WPA2-PSK (AES) only.

APOP*, SMTP-AUTH, SSL/TLS (SMTP, POP3, IMAP4,FTP)*, SNMP v3, 802.1x (EAP-FAST, PEAP, EAP-TLS, EAP-TTLS), OAuth(SMTP, POP3, IMAP4)

*When Internet FAX is downloaded.

IPv4

ARP, RARP, BOOTP, DHCP, APIPA(Auto IP), WINS/NetBIOS name resolution, DNS Resolver, mDNS, LLNMR responder, LPR/LPD, Custom Raw Port/Port9100, POP3, SMTP Client, IPP/IPPS, FTP Client and Server, SNMPv1/v2c/v3, HTTP/HTTPS server, TFTP client and server, ICMP, Web Services (Print/Scan), SNTP Client, IMAP4

IPv6

NDP, RA, DNS resolver, mDNS, LLNMR responder, LPR/LPD, Custom Raw Port/Port9100, IPP/IPPS, POP3, SMTP Client, FTP Client and Server, SNMPv1/v2c/v3, HTTP/HTTPS server, TFTP client and server, ICMPv6, Web Services (Print/Scan), SNTP Client, IMAP4

IP Filter

Restrict which network users can or cannot access the device over the network (IPv4 only)

E-mail Notifications

Automatically have the device send e-mail alerts when it requires attention, such as when the toner is low or needs replacing

E-mail Reports

Receive usage reports on a regular basis via e-mail

Firmware Updates

In addition to allowing automatic update alerts to install the latest version the printer can be set to not receive older firmware versions to avoid downgrade by an unauthorised user

Cloud Secure Print

Enables password protected driverless print job release

Setting Lock

Secures access to the devices control panel by locking it

Secure Function Lock 3.0

Use a 4 digit pin or a password to identify and authenticate an individual or groups of users over a network. Allows access control for up to 100 users

Port-based Network Access Control

(IEEE 802.1x)

Brother devices are in full compliance with this standard, to allow connection to an 802.1x EAP (Extensible Authentication Protocol) protected network

Supplies and Consumables	Inbox Toner ⁷ 1 x 1,200 pages	Super High Yield Toner TN2500XXL - 5,000 pages	Drum Unit DR2500 Approx 15,000 pages at 1 page per job
	Address Book	Speed Dials ¹⁷ 200 locations for E-mail addresses and fax numbers	Group Dial ¹⁷ A combination of up to 20 groups can be stored for broadcasting
Dimensions and Weights	With Carton (WxDxH) 580 x 517 x 434mm - 14.10kg	Without Carton (WxDxH) 410 x 399 x 319mm - 10.50kg	
	Duty Cycle	Recommended Monthly Up to 2,500 pages	
Operating Environment	Power Requirement 220-240V AC 50/60Hz	Operating Environment Humidity 20 - 80 % 10°C - 32.5°C 50°F - 90.5°F	Storage Environment Humidity 35 - 85 % 0°C - 40°C 32°F - 104°F
	Environment	Approx Power Consumption ^{13,23} Copying: 490W Copying in quiet mode: 280W Printing: 470W Printing in quiet mode: 270W Ready: 43W Sleep: 4.1W Deep Sleep: 0.7W Power Off: 0.08W	TEC Value 0.40 kWh/week Sound Power ¹² Printing: 6.63B(A) Ready: Inaudible Quiet Mode: 6.12B(A) Deep Sleep: Inaudible

- 3 Scan Speeds based on ISO/IEC 17991
- 7 Approx. declared yield value in accordance with ISO/IEC 19752
- 11 Capacity calculated with 80gsm paper
- 12 Sound pressure and sound power level in accordance with ISO 7779
- 13 Power consumption power off is measured according to IEC 62301 Edition 2.0
- 15 Windows and macOS only
- 16 Windows only
- 17 Optional download
- 18 Requires an Internet connection
- 23 Power consumption is measured using ENERGY STAR Ver 3.1 test method network configuration



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