

# **EPEAT**

EPEAT (Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool) is an environmental rating and ecolabel that helps purchasers in the public and private sectors evaluate, compare, and select imaging equipment based on its environmental attributes. EPEAT registered imaging products must meet an extensive list of environmental based criteria covered in the IEEE 1680.2 Standards for Environmental Assessment of Imaging Equipment.

The following information is provided as part of Brother's commitment to meeting the EPEAT requirements for imaging products and to help customers identify products with higher environmental performance. Learn more about EPEAT, including registered products by visiting the EPEAT registry.

# Materials with Special Handling 4.3.3.1

Brother provides information upon request to reuse and recycling facilities for the effective processing of materials with special handling needs. Access to the recycling information for the following models can be obtained by contacting <a href="Brother Customer Support">Brother Customer Support</a> at 1(877) 276-8437.

ADS-2200	HL-L3230CDW	HL-L9470CDN	MFC-J5830DW	MFC-L2710DW	PDS-5000
ADS-2700W	HL-L3270CDW	MFC-EX670W	MFC-J5845DW	MFC-L2717DW	PDS-6000
ADS-3100	HL-L5000D	MFC-J805DW	MFC-J5845DWXL	MFC-L2730DW	
ADS-3300W	HL-L5100DN	MFC-J805DWXL	MFC-J5855DW	MFC-L2750DW	
ADS-4300N	HL-L5200DW	MFC-J815DWXL	MFC-J5855DWXL	MFC-L2750DWXL	
ADS-4700W	HL-L5200DWT	MFC-J995DW	MFC-J5930DW	MFC-L2759DW	
ADS-4900W	HL-L6200DW	MFC-J995DWXL	MFC-J5945DW	MFC-L5700DW	
DCP-L2550DW	HL-L6200DWT	MFC-J1010DW	MFC-J5955DW	MFC-L5705DW	
DCP-L5500DN	HL-L6250DW	MFC-J1012DW	MFC-J6535DW	MFC-L5800DW	
DCP-L5600DN	HL-L6300DW	MFC-J1170DW	MFC-J6540DW	MFC-L5850DW	
DCP-L5650DN	HL-L6400DW	MFC-J1205W	MFC-J6545DW	MFC-L5900DW	
HL-2325DW	HL-L6400DWG	MFC-J1205WXL	MFC-J6545DWXL	MFC-L6700DW	
HL-EX470W	HL-L6400DWT	MFC-J1215W	MFC-J6555DW	MFC-L6750DW	
HL-L2350DW	HL-L6400DWX	MFC-J4335DW	MFC-J6555DWXL	MFC-L6800DW	
HL-L2370DW	HL-L8260CDW	MFC-J4335DWXL	MFC-J6930DW	MFC-L6900DW	
HL-L2370DWXL	HL-L8360CDW	MFC-J4345DWXL	MFC-J6935DW	MFC-L6900DWG	
HL-L2379DW	HL-L8360CDWT	MFC-J4535DW	MFC-J6940DW	MFC-L6900DWX	
HL-L2390DW	HL-L9310CDW	MFC-J4535DWXL	MFC-J6945DW	MFC-L9610CDN	
HL-L2395DW	HL-L9410CDN	MFC-J5330DW	MFC-J6955DW	MFC-L9630CDN	
HL-L3210CW	HL-L9430CDN	MFC-J5340DW	MFC-L2690DW	MFC-L9670CDN	

### End-of-Life Characterization Reports 4.3.4.1

Brother provides end-of-life characterization reports upon request to reuse and recycling facilities for the effective processing of materials identified in EU WEEE Directive 2002/96/EC, Annex II. Access to the end-of-life characterization reports can be obtained by contacting <u>Brother Customer Support</u> at 1(877) 276-8437.

#### Early Failure Process 4.4.1.1

Information to assist with troubleshooting, repair or replacement of a product is available from the support section for each <u>product</u> <u>category site</u>. General assistance is available from <u>Brother Customer Support</u> at 1(877) 276-8437.

#### Spare Parts 4.4.3.1

Spare parts for Brother printers, scanners, and multi-function devices are available for seven (7) years after product production ceases. Contact your sales representative or Brother Customer Support at 1(877) 276-8437.

# Product take-back and end-of-life processing requirements 4.6.1.1, 4.6.1.2, 4.6.2.1

Brother is committed to reducing landfill waste by reusing parts, recycling materials, and conserving energy. All devices collected through Brother's take-back programs at the end-of-life are sent to our certified recyclers with nothing going to landfill. For more information, view Brother's <a href="Product Recycling">Product Recycling</a>. Information to responsibly recycle empty ink and toner cartridges is available by viewing Brother's <a href="Inha">Inha</a> & <a href="Toner Recycling">Toner Recycling</a>.

Volume Collected (Lbs.)	2021	2022	2023
Mandated Programs	8,143,012	8,116,885	6,032,216
Voluntary Programs	0	0	0
TOTAL	8,143,012	8,116,885	6,032,216



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#### Public disclosure of key environmental aspects 4.7.2.1

Brother helps society achieve sustainable development by positively and continuously considering the environmental impact in all aspects of our business operations. Environmental impacts (including resource consumption, CO2 emissions, water related data, and waste generated) associated with the business operations are quantitatively monitored and summarized to reduce environmental impacts. Learn more about Brother's contributions by viewing <a href="mailto:Brother's ESG data">Brother's ESG data</a>.

### Public disclosure of supply chain toxins 4.7.2.2

View <u>Public Disclosure of Supply Chain Toxins</u> to obtain information collected from suppliers for the following parts/components contained within EPEAT registered products:

Unpopulated printed circuit board

Motor

Integrated circuit/semiconductor

# Non-fiber-based packaging take-back 4.8.4.1

Brother is pleased to offer take-back services of non-fiber-based packaging for all Brother products to institutional purchasers. We strongly encourage recycling of plastic packaging locally to eliminate additional greenhouse gas emissions associated with transportation to our recycling facility. To return non-fiber-based packaging, repackage materials in a sturdy shipping box and ship to the address below:

Brother International Corporation Attn: Institutional Packaging Recycling 7905 North Brother Boulevard Bartlett, TN 38133-2755

#### Use of recycled and chlorine-free paper 4.9.1.1

Brother printers and muti-function devices are designed to work with paper made with renewable, recycled and chlorine-free content. Using paper made with these contents will not void the Brother warranty.

#### Non-OEM consumables 4.9.2.1

Brother printers and multi-function devices are not designed to prevent the use of non-Brother cartridges and non-Brother containers. However, while Brother devices are flexible in the cartridges and containers they accept, Brother genuine cartridges, containers and supplies are strongly recommended for optimal performance, quality, and reliability.

#### Take-back and end-of-life management for cartridges, toner material and plastics 4.9.3.1, 4.9.3.2, 4.9.3.3

Brother is committed to reducing landfill waste by reusing parts, recycling materials, and conserving energy. All supplies collected through Brother's ink & toner take-back program at the end-of-life are reused or recycled with nothing going to landfill. For more information, view Brother's <a href="Information">Information</a> to responsibly recycle devices is available by viewing Brother's Product Recycling.

Toner & Ink Cartridges 4.9.3.1 (Metric Tons)	2021	2022	2023
Total Cartridges Collected	1161	945	695
Reuse/Recycling of Cartridges	688	628	570
Waste-to-Energy (WtE)	473	318	21
In-storage materials, pending processing	296	300	290
Incineration	0	0	0
Landfill	0	0	0
Percentage of Reuse/Recycling	59.28%	66.38%	82.08%

Toner Material 4.9.3.2 (Metric Tons)	2023
Total Toner Collected	77
Reuse/Recycling of Toner	68
Waste-to-Energy (WtE)	9
In-storage materials, pending processing	0
Incineration	0
Landfill	0
Percentage of Reuse/Recycling	88.50%

Plastics 4.9.3.3 (Metric Tons)	2023
Total Plastics Collected	154
Reuse/Recycling of Plastics	143
Waste-to-Energy (WtE)	12
In-storage materials, pending processing	0
Incineration	0
Landfill	0
Percentage of Reuse/Recycling	92.44%

# Non-inhibiting reuse or recycling of cartridges or containers 4.9.4.1

Brother does not prevent refilling or remanufacturing of its ink or toner cartridges and ink or toner tanks/containers. However, while Brother devices are flexible in the cartridges and containers they accept, Brother genuine cartridges, containers and supplies are strongly recommended for optimal performance, quality, and reliability.