



Compact, Wireless Mono Laser Printer

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HL-L1232W



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The ideal device for your home and small office. The compact HL-L1232W is designed to fit seamlessly into your space with flexible connectivity options making it simple to set up and simple to use.



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Key features:

- Print up to 20 pages per minute
- 2.4GHz and 5GHz WiFi and USB
- 64MB Memory Capacity
- Wireless Connectivity / Wi-Fi Direct
- Mobile Connect
- 150 Sheet paper tray
- 1,500 page inbox toner
- Free 3-year Carry-in Warranty
- Super small footprint

Super compact

Save valuable desk space with this stylish printer. The compact footprint makes this device an ideal fit for your home workspace.

Simple to use

Enjoy a hassle-free experience. Set up and use your device with ease with Brother Mobile Connect and a range of flexible connectivity options including 5GHz WiFi and USB.

Connect for more control

Set up and print on the go with Brother Mobile Connect. Control all your Brother printers from your fingertips. Easily check supplies and personalise your frequently used features.



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 HL-L1232W uses triple-layer security at a device, network and document level, offering added peace of mind, guaranteeing that the integrity of your data is maintained at every step.

General

Technology

Electrophotographic Laser

Memory

64MB

Control panel

Keys

Local Interface

Hi-Speed USB 2.0

Wireless Network

2.4GHz and 5GHz Support

Carton Contents

Device, Inbox Toner, Drum, Power Supply Cord, Quick Set-Up Guide

Print

Print Speed (A4)

1-Sided: 20ppm Mono

FPOT

(First Print Out Time)

Up to 10.0 Seconds Mono

Resolution

Up to 2400 x 600dpi

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 manual 2-sided print

Print Profiles

Store your favourite driver settings as profiles to easily recall them

Manual 2-Sided Print

Yes

Reverse Print

Rotate the content of a printed document by 180°

Print Complete Notice

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

Printer Drivers

Windows

Windows 11
(32 and 64 bit editions)
and more

macOS

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

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

Linux

CUPS, LPD/LPRng
(x86/x64 environment)

ChromeOS

Supports native
ChromeOS printing

Paper Handling¹¹

Paper Input
Standard Tray
150 Sheets

Paper Output
50 Sheets A4

Media Sizes
Standard Tray
A4, Letter, Legal, Folio, A5, A5 (Long Edge), B5 (JIS), B5 (ISO), Executive, 16K (195 x 270mm)

Media Type and Weights
Standard Tray
Plain Paper, Recycled Paper
65 - 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, scan to, preview copies 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 an Android devices without a dedicated App

Mopria™¹⁷
Print most common file types from Mopria™ supported Android devices

Fleet Management Tools

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

Status Monitor¹⁶
Monitor the status of your machine from your computer

Software

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

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

Connectivity

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

Wireless Setup Support
Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS)

Wireless Applications
Vertical Pairing

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

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

Local Interface
Hi-Speed USB 2.0

Security Features

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

SMTP-AUTH, SSL/TLS (SMTP, HTTP, IPP), SNMP v3

IPv4

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

IPv6

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

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

Automatic Intrusion Detection

All Brother Print devices are secure by design. Devices automatically recognise security attacks and take preventative measures, including rebooting where necessary, to ensure the device remains secure

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

Firmware Encryption

During update firmware is transferred over a trusted HTTPS encrypted connection

Digitally-signed Firmware

The firmware for Brother print and scan devices is digitally signed and secure

Certificate Management

Use the default standard self-signed, create a custom self-signed certificate, certificate signing request (CSR), or external public certificate & private key for protected network communication

Syslog

Allows IT Admin to access a single application (SIEM tool) to get device status updates for audit purposes over Syslog

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

Restrict network protocols

The Protocol Control feature allows an administrator to restrict communication protocols (e.g. FTP, Telnet) as required

Supplies and Consumables

Inbox Toner ⁷

1 x 1,500 pages (BK)

Standard Yield Toner ⁷

TN-114 - 1,500 pages

Drum Unit

DR-114 Approx. 10,000 pages at 1 page per job

Dimensions and Weights

With Carton (WxDxH)

415 x 303 x 324mm - 5.60kg

Without Carton (WxDxH)

340 x 238 x 189mm - 4.60kg

Duty Cycle	Recommended Monthly Up to 2,000 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 20 - 80% 0°C - 40°C 32°F - 104°F

Environment	Approx Power Consumption ^{13,23} Printing: 380W Ready: 40W Sleep: 2.4W Deep Sleep: 1.2W Power Off: 0.28W	TEC Value 0.31 kWh/week	Sound Power ¹² Printing: 6.66B(A) Ready: 4.80B(A) Deep Sleep: 4.73B(A) Sound Pressure ¹² PC Printing (Mono): 51.0dB(A) Ready: 18.0dB(A)
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Warranty

Brother 3-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 3-year* warranty commitment. YOU DO NOT NEED TO REGISTER 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 3-year* warranty.

*Effective 1 September 2025. Valid only for products purchased in South Africa.



- 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
- 23 Power consumption is measures using ENERGY star ver 3.1 test method network configuration



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