MFC-J5845DW / MFC-J5945DW

Quick Setup Guide

Read the Product Safety Guide first, then read this Quick Setup Guide for the correct installation procedure.



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Unpack the machine and check the components

The components included in the box may differ depending on your country. Remove the protective tape or film covering the machine.



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Starter Ink Cartridges Black

- Yellow
- Magenta

Watch our FAQ Videos for help with setting up your Brother machine. support.brother.com/videos



- Cyan



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Maintenance Sheet

Telephone Line Cord



Manuals in Spanish for these model are available at support.brother.com. Manuales en Español para este modelo están disponibles en support.brother.com. Most of the illustrations in this Quick Setup Guide show the MFC-J5945DW. • Save all packing materials and the box in case you must ship your machine.

• You must purchase the correct interface cable for the interface you want to use. A USB cable is included in some countries.

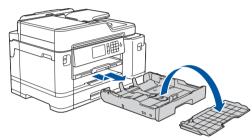
USB cable

Use a USB 2.0 cable (Type A/B) that is no more than 16 feet (5 meters) long.

Ethernet (Network) cable

Use a straight-through Category 5 (or greater) twisted-pair cable for 10BASE-T or 100BASE-TX Fast Ethernet Network.

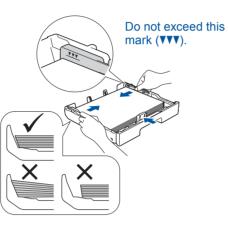
Load plain Letter/A4 paper



Pull the paper tray completely out of the machine as shown by the arrow. Take off the tray top cover.

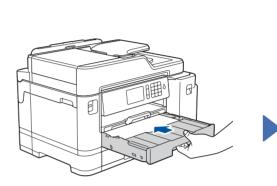


Fan the paper well.

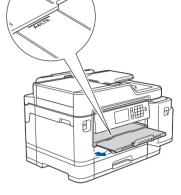


Adjust the paper guides.

Load the paper in the tray.



Put on the tray top cover, and then slowly push the paper tray completely into the machine.



Pull out the paper support until it locks into place.



Follow the touchscreen instructions to set the date and time.

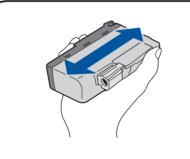


Install the starter ink cartridges

For MFC-J5845DW XL models: Insert the LC3039 Series Starter Ink Cartridges first.







Follow the touchscreen instructions to unpack and install the ink cartridges. Close the ink cartridge cover. The machine will prepare the ink tube system for printing.



NOTE You can adjust the control panel angle to read the touchscreen more easily.

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Open the ink cartridge cover.

Quickly shake just the **black** ink cartridge horizontally 15 times as shown, before inserting it into the machine.

NOTE

The first time you install the ink cartridges, the machine will use extra ink to fill the ink delivery tubes. This is a one-time process that enables high-quality printing.



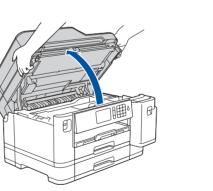


Connect the telephone line cord

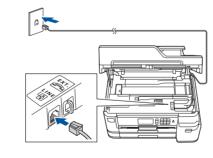
If you are not using your machine as a fax, go to 8 For more information on using the fax feature, see the Online User's Guide.

Follow the touchscreen instructions to configure the machine settings:

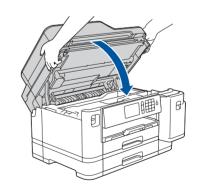
- View operation tips
- Set Brother LCD Message defaults
- Check print quality
- Configure the tray or paper size settings
- Print the installation sheet



Lift the scanner cover.



Connect the telephone line cord. Use the jack marked LINE and guide the cord out the back of the machine.



Close the scanner cover.

Select your language 8 (if needed)

- 1. Press 👔 [Settings] > [All Settings] > [Initial Setup] > [Local Language].
- 2. Press your language.
- 3. Press

Select the correct 9 **Receive Mode**

If you are not using your machine as a fax, go to 11.

- 1. Press 🎁 [Settings] > [All Settings] > [Fax] > [Setup Receive] > [Receive Mode].
- 2. Press your preferred Receive Mode.
- 3. Press

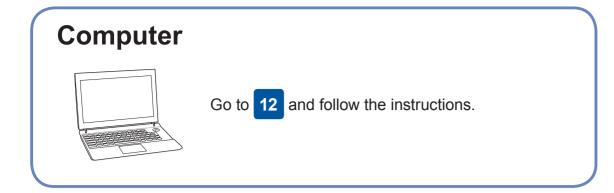


Store your name and fax number so the machine prints it on all outgoing fax pages.

- 1. Press 👔 [Settings] > [All Settings] > [Initial Setup] > [Station ID] > [Fax].
- 2. Enter your fax number (up to 20 digits) on the touchscreen, and then press [OK].
- 3. Press [Name].
- 4. Enter your name (up to 20 characters) using the touchscreen, and then press [OK].
- 5. Press



1 Select a device to connect to your machine





Brother regularly updates firmware to add features and apply bug fixes.

To check for the latest firmware, visit support.brother.com/up7.

2 Connect your computer



Put the installation disc into your CD/DVD drive, or download the Full Driver & Software Package at:

For Windows[®]: <u>support.brother.com/windows</u> For Mac: <u>support.brother.com/mac</u>

If you are using a recently released operating system on your computer, visit the above websites for updated driver and software information.

Follow the on-screen instructions and prompts.

For Windows[®]:

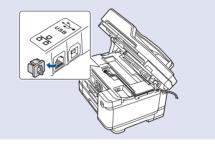
If the Brother screen does not appear automatically, go to **Computer** (**My Computer/This PC**). Double-click the CD/DVD-ROM icon, and then double-click **start.exe**.

For Mac:

For full driver functionality, we recommend choosing the **CUPS driver** when adding a printer.

For Wired Network Connection and USB Connection:

Locate the correct port (based on the cable you are using) inside the machine as shown.



Finished



Can't Connect? Check the following:

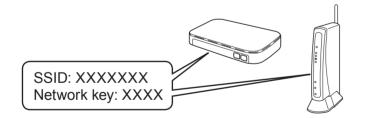




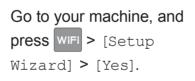
your device and your machine directly. For additional wireless network support, go to <u>support.brother.com/wireless-support</u>.

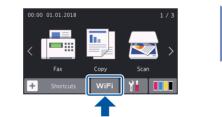
Find your SSID (Network Name) and Network Key (Password) on your wireless access point/router and write them in the table provided below.

SSID (Network Name)	
Network Key (Password)	



If you cannot find this information, ask your network administrator or wireless access point/router manufacturer.

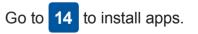




Select the SSID (Network Name) for your access point/router and enter the Network Key (Password).

When the wireless setup is successful, the touchscreen displays [Connected].

If setup is not successful, restart your Brother machine and your wireless access point/router, and repeat 13. For Computer
Go to 12 to install software.
For Mobile Device



Print or scan using your mobile device

Your mobile device must be connected to the same wireless network as your Brother machine.



AirPrint is available for all supported iOS devices including iPhone, iPad, and iPod touch. You do not need to download any software to use AirPrint. For more information, see the *Online User's Guide*.

Download and install the Mopria[®] Print Service app from Google Play[™] using your Android[™] device.



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Download and install our free application **Brother iPrint&Scan** from a mobile application store, such as the App Store, Google Play[™] or Microsoft[®] Store using your mobile device.

Brother SupportCenter is a mobile app that provides the latest support information for your Brother product. Visit the App Store or Google Play[™] to download.



<u>Optional apps</u>

You can print from and scan to your mobile device using various apps. For instructions, see the *Online User's Guide*.

(USA only) For more information on apps, visit <u>www.brother-usa.com/connect</u>.



Additional Wireless Support: <u>support.brother.com/wireless-support</u>

For FAQs, Troubleshooting, and to download software and manuals, visit <u>support.brother.com</u>. For product specifications, see the Online User's Guide.