

Important Security Information

Factory Default Enabled Network Interfaces and Services

Network Interfaces

- Ethernet: Network communication starts when a cable is connected.

Network Services

Service	Protocol	Description
Web server	HTTPS	The web server is used for viewing and changing the machine's information and settings through Web Based Management and Brother's management tools. It also supports printing, scanning, and faxing using AirPrint, Mopria™, and Web Services.
SNMP	SNMP v1/v2c	SNMP is used for viewing and changing the machine's information through Brother's management tools. In the factory default settings, only viewing is enabled.
LPD	LPD	LPD is primarily used for printing. It also supports the PC Fax Send function through Brother's applications.
Port 9100 (Raw Port)	Port 9100	Port 9100 is primarily used for printing. It also supports viewing and changing the machine's information through Brother's management tools. In the factory default settings, only viewing is enabled.
Network Scan	(Brother-original)	Network Scan is used for scanning through Brother's applications.
PC Fax Receive	(Brother-original)	PC Fax Receive is used for the PC Fax Receive function through Brother's applications.

- The above services may be disabled by default on some models.
- You can disable these services in the left navigation bar on the Web Based Management page by selecting **Network** > **Network** > **Protocol**. If your model has the **Network** tab at the top of the screen, click this tab and select the **Protocol** option.

Product and Data Security

Product Installation

Unauthorized users may physically access or remotely manipulate the product through the network. Make sure you install the product in a secure location.

Network Connection Precautions

To ensure safe use of the product, please change the default password immediately after purchase. When attempting to modify network connection settings via Web Based Management, a warning message will appear if the change may pose a security risk. Before enabling such settings, please ensure that your network is protected from unauthorized eavesdropping or tampering.

Firmware Updates

For improved safety and functionality, we recommend that you always update your product to the latest firmware. If you do not update the firmware, there may be security risks or some functions may be restricted. Please note that we cannot take responsibility for any accidents or problems caused by not updating the firmware.

Secure Storage on Removable Media

If USB memory is selected as the destination for secure printing, the print data will be encrypted before being saved. However, when using the scan function to save data to a USB memory or memory card, the scanned data will be saved without encryption. If your model supports it, we recommend saving scanned data as password-protected PDF files for added security.

Personal Information

The personal information stored in the product may vary depending on the product - for example, it may include print data, scan data, fax data, phone numbers, email addresses, and NFC card numbers. Changing the product's settings may increase the risk of unauthorized access to the personal information. Make sure you review the content and impact of the settings before making any changes.

Precautions When Disposing of the Product

When disposing of the product or transferring it to a third party, any remaining data may pose a risk of unauthorized use. To ensure safety, we recommend erasing all internal data beforehand. You can perform initialization by selecting the reset option in the product's settings menu to restore it to factory default settings.

Using Telnet and TFTP

This product supports access to administrator information via Telnet and TFTP, but these protocols do not guarantee secure network communications and are disabled by default. Make sure your network environment is protected against unauthorized access before enabling these protocols.

About Setting Lock and Secure Function Lock Features

The Setting Lock and Secure Function Lock features are disabled by default when you purchase the product. For instructions on how to enable them, see your product's Online User's Guide.

Other Information

Important

The available features depend on your model. For more information, see your model's Online User's Guide.

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