


Fax guide

Sending a fax using the touch screen

- 1 Load an original document facedown into the ADF or on the scanner glass.
Note: Do not load postcards, photos, small items, transparencies, photo paper, or thin media (such as magazine clippings) into the ADF. Place these items on the scanner glass.
- 2 If you are loading a document into the ADF, then adjust the paper guides.
- 3 On the home screen, touch **Fax**.
- 4 Enter the fax number or a shortcut using the touch screen or keypad.
To add recipients, touch **Next Number** and then enter the recipient's telephone number or shortcut number, or search the address book.
Note: To place a dial pause within a fax number, press . The dial pause appears as a comma in the "Fax to" box. Use this feature if you need to dial an outside line first.
- 5 Touch **Fax It**.

Sending a fax using the computer

For Windows users

- 1 With a document open, click **File > Print**.
- 2 Select the printer, and then click **Properties, Preferences, Options, or Setup**.
- 3 Click **Fax > Enable fax**, and then enter the recipient fax number or numbers.
- 4 If necessary, configure other fax settings.
- 5 Apply the changes, and then send the fax job.

Notes:


- The fax option is available only with the PostScript driver or the Universal Fax Driver. For more information, go to <http://support.lexmark.com>.
- To use the fax option with the PostScript driver, configure and enable it in the Configuration tab.

For Macintosh users

- 1 With a document open, choose **File > Print**.
- 2 Select the printer.
- 3 Enter the recipient fax number, and then configure other fax settings, if necessary.
- 4 Send the fax job.

Sending a fax using shortcuts


Fax shortcuts are just like the speed dial numbers on a telephone or fax machine. A shortcut number (1–99999) can contain a single recipient or multiple recipients.

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- 3 Press , and then enter the shortcut number using the keypad.
- 4 Touch **Fax It**.

Sending a fax using the address book

The address book enables you to search for bookmarks and network directory servers.

Note: If the address book feature is not enabled, then contact your system support person.

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- 2 If you are loading a document into the ADF, then adjust the paper guides.
- 3 From the home screen, navigate to:
Fax >  > **Search**
- 4 Using the virtual keyboard, type the name or part of the name of the person whose fax number you want to find.
Note: Do not attempt to search for multiple names at the same time.
- 5 Touch **Done** > **Fax It**.

Sending a fax at a scheduled time

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- 2 If you are loading a document into the ADF, then adjust the paper guides.
- 3 From the home screen, navigate to:
Fax > enter the fax number > **Options** > **Delayed Send**
Note: If Fax Mode is set to Fax Server, then the Delayed Send button will not appear. Faxes waiting for transmission are listed in the Fax Queue.
- 4 Touch the arrows to adjust the time the fax will be transmitted.
The time is increased or decreased in increments of 30 minutes. If the current time is shown, then the left arrow is unavailable.
- 5 Touch **Fax It**.
Note: The document is scanned, and then faxed at the scheduled time.

Understanding the fax options

Resolution

This option lets you adjust the quality of the fax output. Increasing the image resolution increases the file size and the time needed to scan your original document. Decreasing the image resolution reduces the file size.

Select one of the following:

- **Standard**—Use this when faxing most documents.
- **Fine 200 dpi**—Use this when faxing documents with small prints.
- **Super fine 300 dpi**—Use this when faxing documents with fine details.
- **Ultra fine 600 dpi**—Use this when faxing documents with pictures or photos.

Darkness

This option lets you adjust how light or dark the faxes are in relation to the original document.

Page Setup

This option lets you change the following settings:

- **Sides (Duplex)**—This specifies if the original document is printed on one side or on both sides of the page (duplex). This also identifies what needs to be scanned for inclusion in the fax.
- **Orientation**—This specifies the orientation of the original document, and then changes the Sides (Duplex) and Binding settings to match the orientation.
- **Binding**—This specifies if the original document is bound on the long-edge or short-edge side.

Content

This option lets you specify the content type and source of the original document.

Select from the following content types:

- **Graphics**—The original document is mostly business-type graphics, such as pie charts, bar charts, and animations.
- **Photo**—The original document is mostly a photo or an image.
- **Text**—The content of the original document is mostly text or line art.
- **Text/Photo**—The original document is a mixture of text, graphics, and photos.

Select from the following content sources:

- **Black/White Laser**—The original document was printed using a mono laser printer.
- **Color Laser**—The original document was printed using a color laser printer.
- **Inkjet**—The original document was printed using an inkjet printer.
- **Magazine**—The original document is from a magazine.
- **Newspaper**—The original document is from a newspaper.
- **Other**—The original document was printed using an alternate or unknown printer.
- **Photo/Film**—The original document is a photo from film.
- **Press**—The original document was printed using a printing press.

Delayed Send

This option lets you send a fax at a later time or date.

Scan Preview

This option displays the first page of the image before it is included in the fax. When the first page is scanned, the scanning is paused and a preview image appears.

Using the advanced options

Select from the following settings:

- **Adjust ADF Skew**—This straightens scanned images that are slightly skewed when received from the ADF tray.
- **Advanced Imaging**—This adjusts the Background Removal, Color Balance, Color Dropout, Contrast, Mirror Image, Negative Image, Scan Edge to Edge, Shadow Detail, Sharpness, and Temperature settings before you fax the document.
- **Custom Job**—This combines multiple scanning jobs into a single job.
- **Edge Erase**—This removes smudges or marks around the edges of a document. You can choose to remove an equal area around all four sides of the paper, or pick a particular edge.
- **Transmission Log**—This prints the transmission log or transmission error log.
- **Multifeed Sensor**—This detects when the ADF picks more than one sheet of paper at a time, and then shows an error message.