



## LP/TLP 2844™

Desktop Thermal, On-demand Label,  
Receipt, and Tag Printers

### Leading the way in versatile and affordable desktop printing.

Direct thermal (LP) and thermal transfer (TLP) four-inch 2844 bar code label printers bring new levels of performance to the Zebra desktop family. Along with their siblings, the LP and TLP 2824, these space-saving, user-friendly printers deliver optimal performance in today's on-demand desktop labeling applications.

### Superior Printing at a Great Price

Both 2844 printers feature a new-generation printhead and enhanced controller board, motor, and power supply, enabling print speeds of up to four inches per second. OpenACCESS™ design and a clear media window make media loading and monitoring easy, and a full five-inch media roll means fewer label changes. Plus parallel, serial, and USB interfaces—and a ZebraNet® PrintServer II option—make these flexible, reliable and affordable printers a smart investment!

The LP/TLP 2844 integrate easily into a variety of low-volume printing applications including:

- Shipping/Receiving
- Warehouse shelf labeling and inventory control
- Hospitals and healthcare; medical laboratories
- Retail product marking
- Transportation/Logistics
- E-commerce postage



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# LP 2844 TLP 2844



LP and TLP 2844 printers are sturdily constructed with a double-walled ABS casing.

## MAXIMUM PRINT AREA (STANDARD MEMORY)

LP 2844	TLP 2844
Width: 4.09" /104mm	Width: 4.09" /104mm
Length in page mode: 11" / 279mm	Length in page mode: 11" / 279mm

## (OPTIONAL MEMORY)

LP 2844	TLP 2844
22" /558mm	22" /558mm
Length in line mode: unlimited	

## RESOLUTION

203dpi/8dots per mm

## MAXIMUM PRINT SPEED

4" /102mm per second

## MEMORY

Standard: 512KB Flash; 256KB SRAM  
Optional: up to 1MB Flash; 512KB SRAM

## PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

LP 2844	TLP 2844
Width: 7.9" /200mm	Width: 7.9" /200mm
Depth: 8.38" /213mm	Depth: 9.75" /248mm
Height: 6.7" /170mm	Height: 6.8" /173mm
Weight: 3lbs./1.3kg	Weight: 3.2lbs./1.4kg

## MEDIA SPECIFICATIONS

Label and liner width:  
1" /25.4mm to 4.25" /108mm

## RIBBON WIDTH (TLP 2844)

1.3" /33mm to 4.3" /110mm

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## Specifications at a Glance\*

### STANDARD FEATURES

Print methods: Direct thermal (LP) or direct thermal/thermal transfer (TLP)  
Construction: ABS double-walled casing  
512KB Flash memory; 256KB SRAM  
OpenACCESS design  
Serial, parallel, and USB interfaces  
Head-up sensor  
Windows® drivers (95, 98, Me, NT v.4.0, 2000)  
Windows printer utilities

### Programming

ASCII EPL2 programming language (Page Mode)  
Text and bar codes printed in 0°, 90°, 180°, 270°  
Variable field support (up to 100)  
Counter support (up to 10)  
Variable field addition and subtraction  
Status reporting  
Form, font and graphics storage  
Line mode support (LP 2844 only)

### OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

#### Environment

Operating Temp. 40°F/5°C to 104°F/40°C  
Storage/Transport Environ. -40°F/-40°C to 140°F/60°C  
Operating Humidity 10-90% non-condensing  
Storage Humidity 10-90% non-condensing

#### Electrical

Autoranging external power supply  
Input: 100-240VAC; 50-60Hz  
Output: 20VDC; 2.5A

#### Communication Interface Capabilities

Serial RS232 (DB9)  
1.2-38.4K bits/second  
Flow control: hardware and software  
USB

#### Parallel (centronics)

LAN/Ethernet (requires optional ZebraNet® PrintServer II)

#### Agency Approvals

UL-CUL 1950; FCC (Class B); VCCI (Class B); C-TICK; EN 500082-1; EN 55022 (Class B)/CISPR 24; EN 55024/CISPR 24; EN 60950/IEC 950; EN 61000-3-2, 3-3

### MEDIA CHARACTERISTICS

#### Labels

Max. Roll Size: 5" /127mm O.D. on a 1" /25mm or 1.5" /38mm I.D. core  
Thickness (label & liner): .003" / .08mm to .0075" / .18mm

Media Types: Gap, notch, black mark, continuous, fan-fold, tag stock

For optimum print quality and printer performance, use Genuine Zebra supplies.

#### Ribbons (TLP 2844 only)

Max. Roll Size: 1.3" /33mm O.D. on a .5" /12.7mm I.D. core  
Standard Length: 2,900" /74m capacity; provides 1:1 media roll to ribbon ratios  
Ribbon Set-up: Ribbon wound ink side out  
Ribbon is recommended to be at least as wide as media.

### FONTS/GRAPHICS/SYMBOLOLOGIES

#### Fonts and Character Sets

Standard Fonts: 5 bitmapped, expandable 8x  
Sets: International character sets supporting the following code pages:  
DOS: 437, 737, 850, 851, 855, 857, 860, 861, 862, 863, 865, 866, 869  
Windows: 1250, 1251, 1252, 1253, 1254, 1255, 1256, 1257

Asian language support (optional)

Soft font storage in Flash memory

#### Graphic Features

Line and box drawing  
PCX graphic storage

#### Bar Code Symbolologies

Linear Bar Codes: Code 39, Code 128 (A, B or C user selectable/Auto select), UCC/EAN-128, Code 93, Codabar, Interleaved 2 of 5, UPC-A, UPC-E, UPC-A with 2 and 5 add on, Plessey, POSTNET, German Post, Japanese Postnet  
2-Dimensional: PDF-417, Macro PDF-417, Maxi Code (Modes 2, 3, 4, 6), QR Code (requires Asian printer version)

### OPTIONS AND ACCESSORIES

External ZebraNet® PrintServer II (for 10Base T Ethernet connectivity)

Factory-installed internal ZebraNet PrintServer II

Expanded memory (up to 1MB Flash; 512KB SRAM)

Keyboard display unit (KDU)

Liner-free platen

Cutter

Dispenser with label taken sensor

Real time clock

External rewind

Asian language support

Windows label design software

