

WIC Food Instrument Printers

The following printer brands and models have been tested and approved for WIC Local Agencies to use as Food Instrument (FI) Printers.

CURRENT 'CERTIFIED' PRINTERS	WEIGHT	SPEED
Epson DFX-9000	75 lbs	1550 cps
Epson FX-890	16.8 lbs	680 cps
Epson LX-350 (sole-source; requires vendor modification for WIC FI Printing)	9.04 lbs	347 cps
Tally-Dascom T2365 (same as TallyGenicom and Visara in different shell/case)	42 lbs	840 cps
Lexmark 2300 Series	17.6 lbs	348 cps
Lexmark 2400 Series	17.6 lbs	438 cps
Lexmark 2500 Series	17.6 lbs	580 cps
Lexmark 4227 Plus	36.3 lbs	720 cps
TallyGenicom T2265/2285 (same as Visara 1365+, in a different case)	42 lbs	900 cps

The following printer brands and models are in use by WIC Local Agencies, but have not been tested by ITSD and are not supported by ITSD for use as Food Instrument Printers.

** ADDITIONAL FI PRINTERS USED BY LOCAL AGENCIES	WEIGHT	SPEED
Epson LQ-590	15.6 lbs	529 cps
Okidata Microline 420	16.6 lbs	570 cps
Okidata Microline 8810/8811	44 lbs	720 cps

** Note: These FI Printers are 'Non-Certified' since they have not been tested by ITSD and are not supported by the WIC/ITSD Technical Support Help Desk.

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Printer Models Soon to be Obsolete

The printers listed below on the upper tier are still in use by local WIC agencies, but eventually will need to be replaced. Many agencies continue to use older models such as the L2300 and L2400 as 'backup' printers after new models are installed. Although service level maintenance agreements might still be available for these, replacement printers are no longer available.

BRAND & MODEL	Service Level Maintenance Support Available	Scheduled For 'Obsolescence'
Lexmark 2300	Limited	Yes
Lexmark 2400	Limited	Yes
Lexmark 4227 Plus	Limited	Yes
TallyGenicom 2265	Yes	Yes
Epson FX-580 (obsolete)	Limited	Yes