

Muratec MFX-2570

Outstanding Achievement in Energy Efficiency



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The Muratec MFX-2570, a small workgroup monochrome A4 MFP, proved worthy of an “Outstanding Achievement” award by consuming the least amount of energy of competitive devices tested, not only in the majority of running modes, but also non-running modes, resulting in a significantly lower than average projected annual energy cost. The MFX-2570 also meets requirements for ENERGY STAR, Germany Blue Angel and EU Directive RoHS.

“With this being the first Muratec device to be energy tested by BLI, I was happy to see superior energy efficiency right from the start,” said Lisa Reider, BLI’s senior product editor for environmental testing. “And I hope this marks only the beginning of Muratec’s energy-saving accomplishments.” The MFX-2570 also performed flawlessly when running BLI’s recycled paper tests, exceeded its rated toner yields and offers a higher than average impressions-per-gram yield than the competition. Furthermore, Muratec’s cartridge return program allows customers to send depleted cartridges to the manufacturer via a prepaid label, which helps divert waste from landfills. The unit’s toner-save and job review modes, and automatic duplexing, also help to reduce waste.

“Muratec America, Inc. is extremely honored to receive the ‘Outstanding Achievement’ award for ‘Energy Efficiency’ from Buyers Laboratory,” said Jim D’Emidio, Muratec America’s president. “This recognition validates the efforts of our engineering team that dedicated significant resources throughout the development process to reducing the environmental impact of the MFX-2570. Due to these efforts the MFX-2570 can assist businesses in reducing both the environmental impact and operating costs of their office equipment.”

BLI’s environmental test reports measure the energy consumed by document imaging products in all operating modes as well as in energy-save, idle and sleep modes. In addition to reporting on a range of environment-related features, such as runnability with various grades of recycled paper and toner yield, the reports include projected annual energy consumption and cost based on real-world usage scenarios for each product category.

About BLI's Picks

Twice a year with its "Pick" awards, BLI gives special recognition in each category to those products that provided the most outstanding performances in BLI's exhaustive lab tests. Its "Outstanding Achievement" awards acknowledge products or capabilities that stand out for attributes such as innovation, usefulness, energy efficiency or value.

BLI's awards stand alone in that they are based on a rigorous battery of lab tests that takes approximately two months to complete. The evaluation includes an extensive durability test, during a portion of which each unit is run at the manufacturer's maximum duty cycle. BLI's durability test is unique among office product evaluations and uniquely qualifies BLI to assess reliability, a critical factor for buyers and IT directors.

Other performance attributes evaluated include ease of use, media handling, productivity and value, among others. Each product that successfully passes BLI's lab test earns BLI's "Recommended" or "Highly Recommended" seal and a BLI "Certificate of Reliability" and qualifies as a "Pick" award contender. Consequently, BLI "Pick" awards are hard-earned awards that buyers and IT directors can trust to better guide them in their acquisition decisions.

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