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Model: L6260

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for setting up, operating, and maintaining your Epson EcoTank L6260 All-in-One Ink Tank Printer. The L6260 is designed for efficient printing, scanning, and copying, featuring integrated ink tanks for spill-free refilling and auto-duplex printing capabilities. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the lifespan of your device.



Figure 1: Front view of the Epson EcoTank L6260 printer in operation, displaying its compact design and integrated ink tanks.

SETUP

1. Unpacking and Placement

Carefully remove the printer from its packaging. Ensure all protective tapes and packing materials are removed from the exterior and interior of the printer. Place the printer on a stable, flat surface with adequate space around it for ventilation and access to cables.



Figure 2: Top view of the Epson EcoTank L6260 printer with the scanner lid raised, illustrating its design for easy access.

2. Filling the Ink Tanks

The EcoTank L6260 uses integrated ink tanks. Follow these steps to fill them:

1. Open the ink tank unit cover on the right side of the printer.
2. Uncap the ink bottle for the corresponding color (Black, Cyan, Magenta, Yellow). The bottles are designed with unique nozzles to prevent incorrect filling.
3. Insert the ink bottle into the correct tank opening. The ink will automatically flow into the tank. Do not squeeze the bottle.
4. Once the tank is full, remove the bottle and recap it. Close the ink tank unit cover.



Figure 3: Close-up view of the ink refilling process for the Epson EcoTank L6260, demonstrating the spill-free design.

3. Power Connection

Connect the power cord to the printer and then to a wall outlet. Press the power button to turn on the printer. The initial setup process may take a few minutes as the printer prepares the ink system.

4. Software Installation and Network Connection

Insert the software CD-ROM into your computer's drive or download the latest drivers and software from the official Epson support website. Follow the on-screen instructions to install the necessary software. During installation, you will be prompted to connect the printer to your computer via USB or to a network via Wi-Fi or Ethernet.

- **Wi-Fi Connection:** Select Wi-Fi setup on the printer's control panel or through the software. Follow the prompts to connect to your wireless network.
- **Ethernet Connection:** Connect an Ethernet cable from the printer's LAN port to your router or network hub.
- **USB Connection:** Connect a USB cable from the printer to your computer.

For mobile printing, download the Epson Smart Panel app from your device's app store. The printer also supports Apple AirPrint™ and Mopria™ Print Service for direct printing from compatible smartphones and tablets.

OPERATING THE PRINTER

1. Loading Paper

Open the paper support and pull out the output tray. Load paper into the rear paper feeder, ensuring it is aligned correctly with the edge guides. The printer supports various paper types and sizes up to A4.



Figure 4: Side view of the Epson EcoTank L6260 printer with paper loaded in the input tray, demonstrating its readiness for printing tasks.

2. Printing Documents and Photos

From your computer or mobile device, open the document or photo you wish to print. Select "Print" from the application's menu. In the print dialog box, select your Epson EcoTank L6260 printer. Adjust settings such as paper size, print quality, and color options as needed. Click "Print" to start the printing process.

3. Scanning Documents

Place the document face-down on the scanner glass or use the Automatic Document Feeder (ADF) if available. On the printer's control panel, select "Scan" or initiate the scan from your computer using the Epson Scan software. Choose your scan destination (e.g., computer, cloud service, email) and desired settings (e.g., resolution, color mode). Press the scan button.

4. Copying Documents

Place the document face-down on the scanner glass. On the printer's control panel, select "Copy". Adjust settings such as number of copies, paper size, and quality. Press the copy button to begin.

5. Auto-Duplex Printing

The L6260 supports automatic two-sided printing. When printing from your computer, select the duplex printing option in the printer driver settings. This feature helps save paper and is ideal for reports and documents.

MAINTENANCE

1. Checking and Refilling Ink Levels

Regularly check the ink levels through the transparent ink tanks on the front of the printer or via the Epson Smart Panel app/printer status monitor on your computer. Refill ink tanks when levels are low to prevent air from entering the ink tubes, which can affect print quality.

2. Print Head Cleaning

If print quality declines (e.g., missing lines, faded colors), perform a print head cleaning. This can be done from the printer's control panel under "Maintenance" or through the printer utility software on your computer. This process clears clogged nozzles.

3. Nozzle Check

Before performing a head cleaning, run a nozzle check to confirm if cleaning is necessary. This prints a pattern that shows if all nozzles are firing correctly.

4. Paper Path Cleaning

If you experience smudges or streaks on your prints, the paper path may need cleaning. Refer to the printer's on-screen menu or software for options to clean the paper rollers.

5. Firmware Updates

Periodically check the Epson support website for firmware updates. Firmware updates can improve printer performance, add new features, or resolve known issues. Follow the instructions provided by Epson carefully when performing an update.

TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your Epson EcoTank L6260 printer.

Printer Not Connecting to Wi-Fi

- Ensure your Wi-Fi router is on and functioning correctly.
- Verify the Wi-Fi password entered on the printer is correct.
- Move the printer closer to the router to improve signal strength.
- Restart both the printer and your Wi-Fi router.

Poor Print Quality (Streaks, Fading, Incorrect Colors)

- Perform a nozzle check to identify clogged nozzles.
- Run a print head cleaning cycle. You may need to perform this several times.
- Check ink levels and refill any low tanks.
- Ensure you are using genuine Epson ink.
- Verify that the paper type setting in your print driver matches the paper loaded.

Paper Jams

- Turn off the printer and unplug it.
- Carefully remove any jammed paper from the input tray, output tray, or inside the printer. Pull paper slowly to avoid tearing.
- Ensure paper is loaded correctly and not overloaded.
- Check for any foreign objects inside the printer.

Printer is Slow or Not Responding

- Check the printer's status on your computer.
- Ensure the printer is not in an error state (e.g., out of paper, ink).
- Restart the printer and the computer.
- If connected via USB, try a different USB port or cable.
- If connected via network, verify network connectivity.

For more detailed troubleshooting, refer to the Epson support website or contact customer service.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	Epson EcoTank L6260
Functions	Print, Scan, Copy
Printing Technology	Inkjet
Maximum Print Resolution	4800 x 1200 dpi
Print Speed (ISO, Black)	Up to 15 ppm
Print Speed (ISO, Color)	Up to 8 ppm
Duplex Printing	Automatic (A4)
Scanner Type	Flatbed
Scanning Optical Resolution	1200 x 2400 dpi
Connectivity	Wi-Fi, Wi-Fi Direct, Ethernet, USB 2.0
Mobile Printing	Apple AirPrint™, Mopria™ Print Service, Epson Smart Panel
Compatible Ink	Epson 001 Ink Bottles
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	35D x 38W x 19H cm
Item Weight	5.7 Kilograms

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Epson provides a limited warranty for the EcoTank L6260 printer. The terms and duration of the warranty may vary by region. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Customer Support

For technical assistance, driver downloads, FAQs, and additional support resources, please visit the official Epson support website. You can typically find support contact information (phone, email, chat) on their website.

Note: Always refer to the latest information available on the official Epson website for the most up-to-date drivers, software, and support details.