



# TapeCreator Pro

CUSTOM TAPE PRINTER



Offer your customers fully customised tape rolls from 1 to 66 metres in length with no minimum order quantities required. Quick and easy to set-up and use, tapes can be made in minutes while your customer waits.

- Wide range of tape widths and colour combinations.
- High quality thermal transfer printing.
- Tape design software for PC included.
- Include company logos, clipart and frames.
- Hundreds of pre-defined templates available for speedy design.
- No minimum order quantities required - print from just one roll.
- High profit margins.





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Create fully customised tapes in minutes!

With the Brother TP-M5000N TapeCreator Pro, you can create high quality adhesive packing and shipping tape or fabric ribbon, personalised with logos, photos and custom messaging on-demand. Simple to set-up and use, the high print resolution and fast print speed ensure that your customer gets quality customised rolls, without the traditional waiting time and minimum order quantities normally required.

## Features



- Control panel and backlit LCD to show currently installed consumables
- 300dpi print resolution and fast 220mm/second print speed
- USB 2.0 and 10/100 Base-TX network interfaces
- Automatic cutter to cut the tape to the correct length
- Tape window to view current status of tape window and printing



## Easy to operate

The TP-M5000N TapeCreator Pro has a front loading system to give quick access to the ink ribbon and tape roll. These are supplied on easy-to-install cartridges that simply slot-in to the machine. Integrated sensors on the cartridges ensure that there is enough tape or ink ribbon available for the length of roll requested by your customer, meaning no wasted or misprinted rolls.



## P-touch Editor tape design software

The supplied P-touch Editor tape design software has hundreds of symbols, frames and clip-art to choose from and can use any of your installed fonts to give you virtually endless design possibilities. When printed, your design simply repeats down the tape to the desired length of roll selected.

## Applications



Packaging with custom logo and address



Return address labelling



Customised gift messaging



Personalisation



Instructions/guidance marking



Safety signage

## Versatile

The TP-M5000N TapeCreator Pro can be connected by USB cable, or using the integrated 10/100 Base-TX network connection. This allows multiple users to design and print tapes as required, or gives you the flexibility to site the printer away from the PC. Various tape/ink colours and widths, along with the unlimited tape design possibilities mean that the TP-M5000N TapeCreator Pro can meet the needs of your customers.



## The simple process of creating customised rolls

1. Install the required size and colour of tape and ink cassette, along with the roll core.
2. Design your label using the supplied P-touch Editor tape design software.
3. Choose the length of tape required, and print. The tape is then automatically printed and wound onto the core.





Tape Cassette



Ink Cassette



Fabric Ribbon Roll Core

# Supplies and Accessories

## Adhesive tape roll supplies

	15mm width	38mm width	50mm width
White adhesive tape cassette	MC-ET1WH	MC-PP2WH	MC-PP3WH
Yellow adhesive tape cassette	MC-ET1YE	MC-PP2YE	MC-PP3YE
Clear adhesive tape cassette	MC-ET1CL	MC-PP2CL	MC-PP3CL
Black ink cassette	RB-ET1BK	RB-PP2BK	RB-PP3BK
Red ink cassette	RB-ET1RD	RB-PP2RD	RB-PP3RD
Blue ink cassette	RB-ET1BU	RB-PP2BU	RB-PP3BU
Roll core (36 quantity)	CR-1L	CR-2L	CR-3L

## Fabric ribbon roll supplies

	15mm width	38mm width
White fabric ribbon cassette	MC-FA1WH	MC-FA2WH
Light pink fabric ribbon cassette	MC-FA1LP	MC-FA2LP
Light blue fabric ribbon cassette	MC-FA1LB	MC-FA2LB
Black ink cassette	RB-FA1BK	RB-FA2BK
Red ink cassette	RB-FA1RD	RB-FA2RD
Blue ink cassette	RB-FA1BU	RB-FA2BU
Roll core (36 quantity)	CR-FA1S	CR-FA2S

# Features and Specifications

## Hardware

Large backlit LCD to show printer status and installed cassettes

USB 2.0 and 10/100 Base-TX network interfaces as standard

Internal auto-switching power supply (100-240V AC, 50/60HZ)

Machine dimensions: 173mm(W) x 647mm(D) x 366mm(H) ; Weight: 9.5kg

## Printing

Thermal transfer print technology

300dpi print resolution

High speed printing of up to 225mm/second

Up to 50mm tape width / 44mm print width

Print rolls up to 66 metres in length (adhesive rolls) or 25 metres (fabric ribbon)

Automatic cutter (for plastic film tapes - fabric ribbon requires manual cutting)

## Tape design

Choose from all installed true-type fonts and 12 font styles

Include images in JPG, BMP, TIFF and other popular formats

Over 80 pre-designed templates and over 120 frames

Include barcodes (21 common symbologies supported)

Full WYSIWYG editing - on-screen design will print identically

## Supplied in the box

TP-M5000N TapeCreator Pro, AC power cable, USB cable, quick set-up guide,

print head cleaning pen, CD-ROM (editing software and user guide)

## System requirements

Windows® 8 & 8.1 ; Windows® 7 ; Windows Vista® ; Windows Server 2008/2008 R2/2012/2012 R2

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