

Copystar CS 3010i

30 PPM Monochrome Device
Print • Copy • Scan • Fax



★★★★☆	Value
★★★★☆	Ease of Use
★★★★☆	Copy Productivity
★★★★☆	Print Productivity
★★★★☆	Image Quality
Lab Test Only	Reliability*
Lab Test Only	Multitasking
Lab Test Only	Utilities
Lab Test Only	Feedback to Workstations
Lab Test Only	Toner Yield

An entry-level device in Copystar's A3 monochrome lineup, the CS 3010i is a great value offering. The device is among the lowest priced models of its peers, yet its rated drum life of 600,000 impressions is far and away the highest of its competitive group, which means less waste and fewer service visits for component replacement. It's also one of the few devices in its speed band to offer an optional duplex-single-pass feeder, which scans both sides of originals in a single pass, reducing wear and tear on originals and the document feeder. With the CS 3010i, users also get a device that exhibited excellent overall image quality. In addition, the device runs at a higher percentage of its rated speed than many competitors when printing single-sided sets and when printing BLI's job stream test, which is designed to simulate typical office use over the course of a full day. In fact, due to its high print efficiency in these modes, the CS 3010i's tested running speeds were actually faster than a number of models with higher rated speeds. Also very easy to use, the unit's well designed control panel features customizable Home and Copy menus, which makes it very convenient for users to access typical copy functions and quickly program more complex workflows. And the driver's Quick Print tab allows users to conveniently save custom profiles as graphical icons to allow one-click programming of complex jobs. HyPAS (Hybrid Platform for Advanced Solutions), the embedded software platform, allows for integration with a number of third-party and OEM-

Ratings are based upon a five-star rating system where five is the best.

Testing method: The unit's copy/print capabilities were tested using a Windows XP workstation, connected via a gigabit hub with gigabit Ethernet cables, the KYOCERA print controller and the PCL and PostScript 3 drivers. (Complete specifications information for this unit is available through bliQ, at www.buyerslab.com/bliq.)

*Note: The overall rating for this machine is based only on BLI's field evaluation of value, ease of use, productivity and image quality. It is important to note that, unless a Lab Test Report has been published on a model, BLI has not evaluated its reliability, which is one of the most critical aspects of imaging device performance.