# WANG OFFICE SYSTEMS

## Model 6581W Daisy Printer

## Data Sheet

The Model 6581W is a bidirectional, daisy wheel, impact printer that is designed for any typing application performed on the Wang Word Processor Systems 20, 25, and 30 and all Wang Office Information Systems. It can print up to a 132-character line (10-pitch), a 158-character line (12-pitch), or a 13-inch line (proportionally spaced characters) at an average rate of 30-35 characters per second. Up to six-part paper can be used with this printer. Typewriter-quality print, high speed, selectable pitch, and an attractive price make the Model 6581W an important peripheral.

The Model 6581W Printer provides high-quality output and has interchangeable print wheels containing 96 usable characters. Additional characters may be generated by overstriking. Uppercase and lowercase letters, numerals, special characters, and symbols can be printed. Printer operation is rapid and quiet. Standard features of the printer include a removable print wheel for various pitch and style, a removable ribbon cartridge, an audible tone to alert an operator of printer activity, an adjustable forms feeder, and print intensity and copy-control adjustments. POWER, MALFUNC-TION, CHANGE DAISY, CHANGE RIBBON, and CHANGE PAPER lamps, and TOP OF PAGE and SELECT buttons are standard on the printer to facilitate printer operations.

Through the system's Print Document menu, various format and printout options are available; they include:

- Printing specific pages within a document
- Variable paper lengths
- The number of original printed copies desired
- Left margin specification
- Selectable pitch
- Justified or unjustified printout
- Type of paper (continuous or single sheets)
- Draft or final copy
- Printing of Document Summary
- Automatically deleting the document after printing

The 30-35-cps Daisy Printer contains its own microprocessor and can print at the same time that work station input is being keyed, thus freeing the operator from constant printer monitoring. The printer can be conveniently located on any desk or table top. Each printer can be located up to 2,000 feet from the master unit. A forms feeder for continuous-form paper is a standard feature of the printer, while a Twin Sheet Feeder for single sheets and an Envelope Feeder for standard business envelopes are available options.



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FEATURES	FUNCTIONS	BENEFITS
Removable daisy wheel	User can easily select type style and pitch desired for any given project, or change type styles within a document.	Versatile printing capability.
Print Document Menu	Format and printout are specified by the operator through the work station.	Very easy to learn and use.
Full 96-character print wheels	Uppercase and lowercase letters, numerals, symbols, plus charac- ters created by overstriking are available.	A wide variety of applications can be supported.
10-pitch, 12-pitch, or propor- tionally spaced format	Character density is selectable for 10- or 12-pitch or proportional spacing by simply mounting the proper print wheel and making the appropriate selection in the Print Document menu.	Obtain the output desired.
Typewriter-quality print output	Characters are highly readable.	Quality is not sacrificed for speed.
TOP OF PAGE button	Positions the paper to the top of the next page and also allows an uncompleted page to be reprinted.	Convenient and easy to use.
Copy-control Lever	Operator can vary distance be- tween platen and print wheel to compensate for paper thickness.	Various thicknesses of paper can be accommodated without sacri- ficing proper clarity or quality of the print image.
Impression Control Switch	Three print intensity positions are provided to accommodate print wheel variations, as well as multi- ple-copy printing.	Clarity and quality of the charac- ters are assured on single-part to six-part paper.
Removable cartridge ribbon	Snap-on cartridge ribbon is easy to insert and remove.	Provides fast, easy, and clean rib- bon change.
Deselection without loss of text	Paper, cartridge ribbon, or print wheel can be replaced or adjusted without loss of text.	Little or no retyping of informa- tion necessary.
Quiet operation	Printer construction results in a noise level that does not exceed office requirements.	Enables the printer to be placed in a working environment.
Status lights	Printer status is constantly dis- played.	Operators are constantly aware of printer operations.
Bidirectional printing	Fast printer output.	More throughput than single- direction printing.
Printer microprocessor	Allows for simultaneous input/	Frees operator from constant

printer monitoring.

output.

#### SPECIFICATIONS

#### **Printer Size**

 Height
 9 in. (22.9 cm)

 Height with Forms Feeder
 12.5 in. (31.7 cm)

 Depth
 19.5 in. (49.5 cm)

 Width
 25 in. (63.5 cm)

 Approximate Net Weight
 70 lb (31.5 kg)

 Speed
 30-35 characters per second average, bidirectional

 Pitch/Line Length
 10-pitch

 10-pitch
 132 characters

12-pitch — 158 characters Proportional spacing – 13 in. (33 cm)

## Paper Specifications

 Minimum Width
 3.5 in. (8.9 cm)

 Maximum Width
 15 in. (38.1 cm)

### Paper Thickness

.027 in. (.069 cm) (5 copies, plus original)

### Character Set

96 characters, plus additional characters created by overstriking

#### Buttons

TOP OF PAGE, SELECT

#### Lamps

POWER, MALFUNCTION, CHANGE DAISY, CHANGE RIBBON, CHANGE PAPER, SELECT

## **Ribbon Cartridges**

Carbon and fabric

#### Print Wheels 10-Pitch

10-Pitch	12-Pitch	Proportional Spacing
Canadian Courier	Canadian	Bold Cubic
Courier	Courier	Madeleine (10/12)
Delegate	Elite	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Narrator	Fraction	
OCR-A	Letter Gothic	
OCR-B	Prestige Elite	
Pica	Portuguese	
Prestige Pica	Prestige Elite	
Symbol	Scientific Gothic	
Tile	Symbol Tile	

#### Cabling

25 ft (7.6 m) - printer to CPU **Power Requirements** 115 or 230 VAC + 10% 50 to 60 Hz ± 1 Hz 300 watts **Fuses** 3.0A (SB) for 115 VAC 3.0A (SB) for 230 VAC **Operating Environment** 50°F to 90°F (10°C to 32°C) 20% to 80% relative humidity, noncondensing (recommended 35% to 65%) **Available Accessories** Work station table Additional cable lengths up to 2,000 ft (609.6 m) **Twin Sheet Feeder** 

**Bidirectional Forms Tractor** 

**Envelope Feeder** 

#### **ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS**

A high-speed, final-copy printer providing alphanumeric printing capabilities for Wang Word Processor Systems 20, 25, and 30 and all Wang Office Information Systems. Must print bidirectionally at an average rate of 30-35 characters per second, using an impact printing technique which can generate up to five carbon copies, plus the original. Must print 96 characters, plus additional overstrike characters, including uppercase and lowercase letters, numerals, special characters, and symbols on lines up to 158 characters (12-pitch) in length. Must support a daisy print wheel and contain the following lamps and buttons: POWER, MALFUNCTION, CHANGE DAISY, CHANGE RIBBON, CHANGE PAPER, TOP OF PAGE, and SELECT. The printer must accommodate paper up to 15 inches wide (printing line of 13 inches) and include an adjustable forms feeder for continuousform paper.

Standard Warranty Applies

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