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Device classifications

DEVICE	FUNCTION	NOTE
Keyboard	Input	Sends characters and commands.
Mouse	Input	Points, clicks and drags.
Microphone	Input	Captures sound.
Webcam	Input	Captures video.
Scanner	Input	Turns a paper page into a digital image.
Monitor	Output	Displays text and images.
Printer	Output	Produces a paper copy.
Speaker	Output	Produces sound.
USB flash drive	Storage	Portable storage; no moving parts.
External hard drive	Storage	Large capacity; contains moving parts.

Deliberate complications: a touchscreen is input and output; a USB drive is storage but becomes input or output when read or written. Accept any answer that names the context.