1 Unpack the Printer

❶ Carefully remove all items from the box.

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Photo Printer

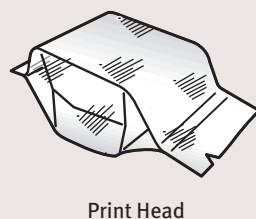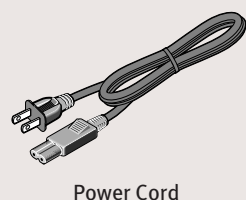Power Cord

AC Adapter

Print Head

BCI-16 Color
Ink Tanks

BCI-15 Black
Ink Tanks

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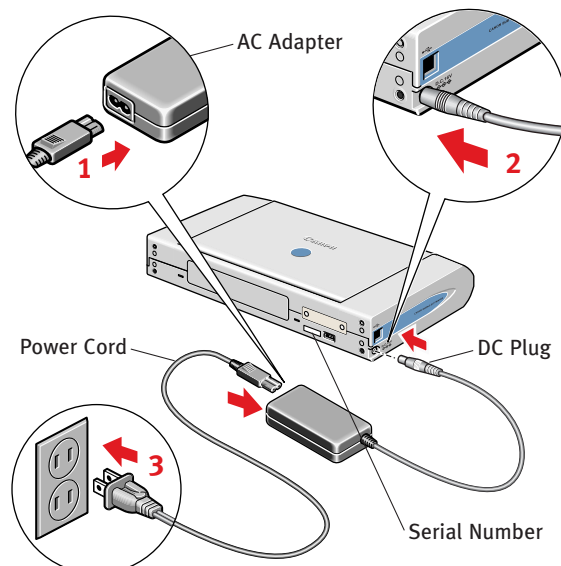Documentation and
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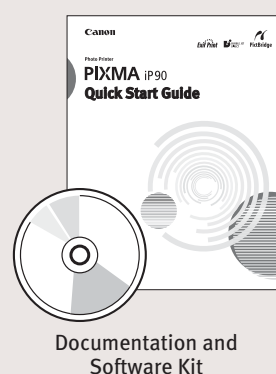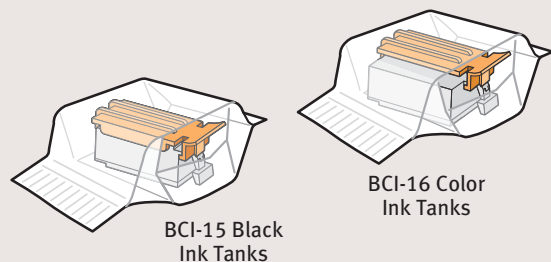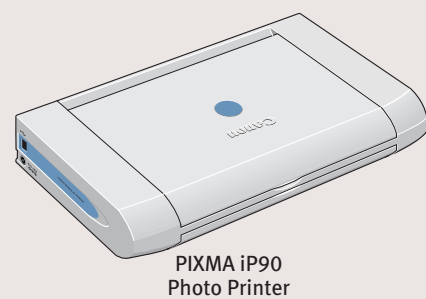
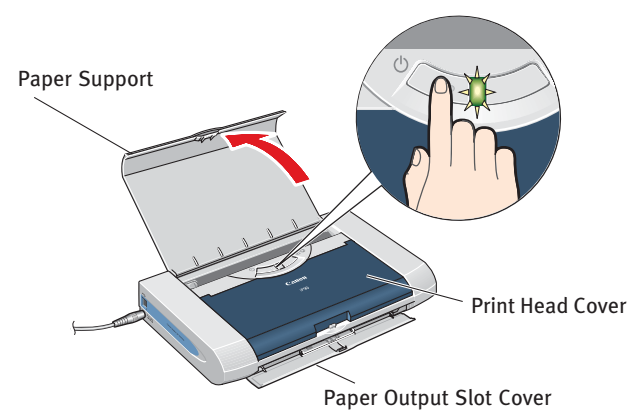## 2 Prepare the Printer

❶ Remove the shipping materials from the printer.
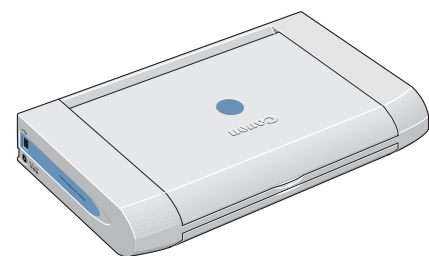
❷ Plug the Power Cord into the AC Adapter. Connect the DC plug to the printer. Plug the Power Cord into a power outlet.

AC Adapter

Power Cord

DC Plug

Serial Number

📖 **NOTE:** You will need the Serial Number to register the product.

❸ Lift open the Paper Support and **TURN THE PRINTER ON**. The printer will initialize.

Paper Support

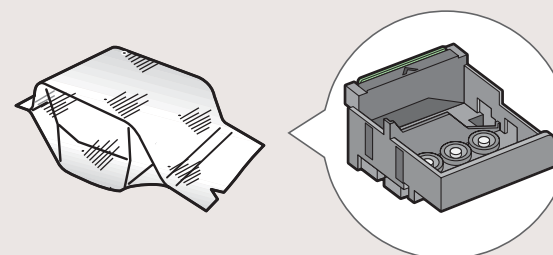Print Head Cover

Paper Output Slot Cover

⚠ **IMPORTANT:** Do not open the Print Head Cover before the printer has finished initializing. Wait until the POWER lamp remains fully lit.

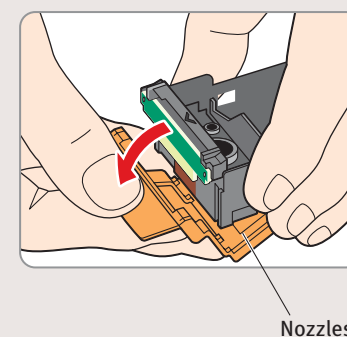❹ After the printer finishes initializing, open the Print Head Cover.
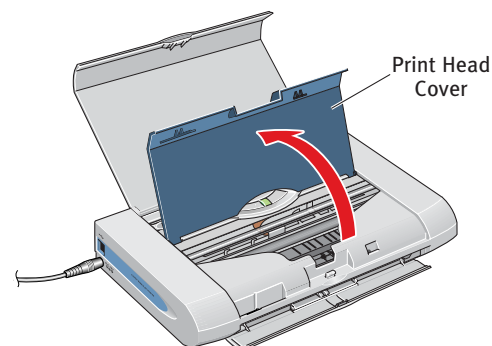
Print Head
Cover

3 Install the Print Head
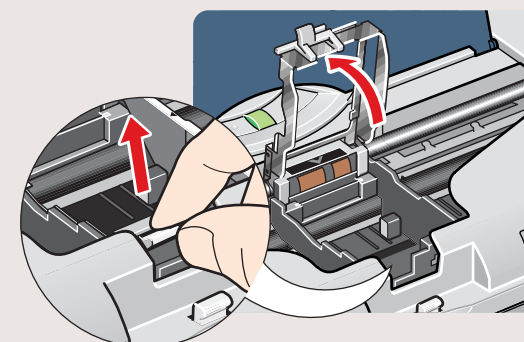
❶ Remove the Print Head from its package.

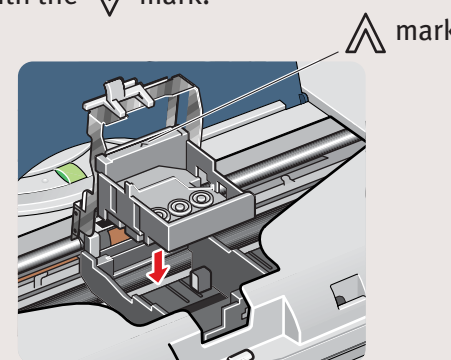❷ Remove the Protective Cap from the Print Head.
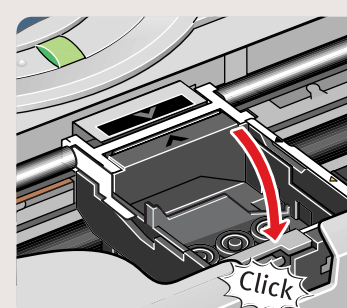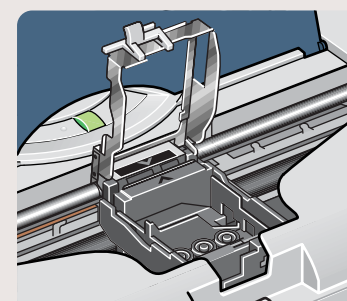
📖 **NOTE:** Do not touch the Print Head Nozzles.

Nozzles

❸ Press in on the Lock Button and raise the gray Lock Lever.

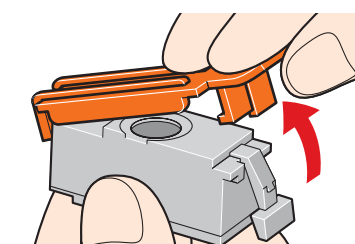❹ Place the Print Head into the holder by aligning the ∧ mark with the ∨ mark.

∧ mark

❺ Lower the Lock Lever until it clicks into place.

Click

4 Install the Ink Tanks

❶ Remove the Black Ink Tank(BCI-15 Black) from its package, and pull off the Protective Cap.

📖 **NOTE:** To avoid spilling ink, do not touch the bottom of the tank once you have removed the Protective Cap.

❷ Insert the Black Ink Tank into the back slot aligning the ▶ mark with the ◀ mark.
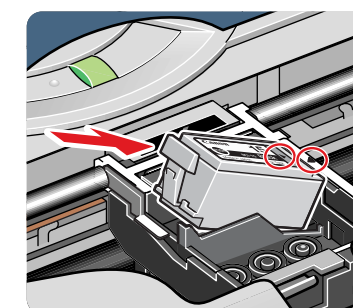
❸ Press on the PUSH until the Ink Tank clicks into place.

⚠ **IMPORTANT:** For correct printer operation, make sure ink tanks are secure in slots.

Click
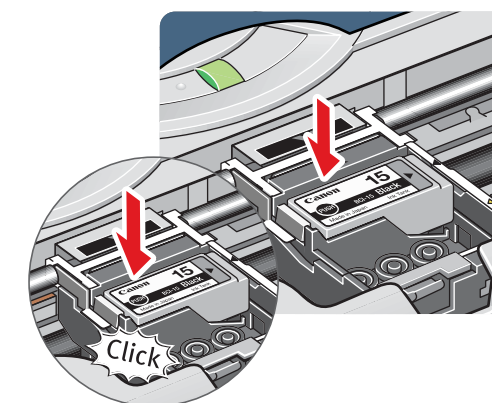
❹ Repeat the procedure for the Color Ink Tank(BCI-16 Color), inserting it into the front slot.

❺ Close the Print Head Cover.
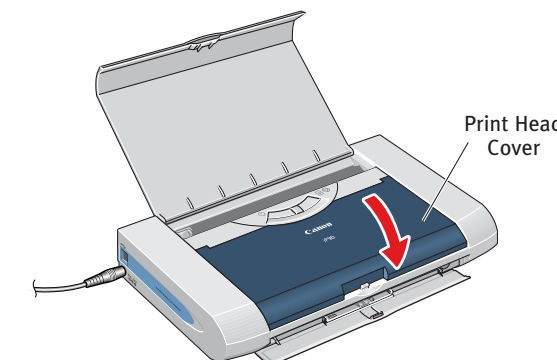
Print Head
Cover

📖 **NOTE:** The printer will perform a Print Head cleaning after the cover is closed. Wait until the process is complete before proceeding.

Windows

1 **TURN THE PRINTER OFF.**

2 Turn the computer on and start Windows.

📖 **NOTE:**
· For Windows® XP or Windows 2000, log on to Windows as a member of Administrator's group before continuing.
· Close any open software applications including anti-virus, computer security and other software.
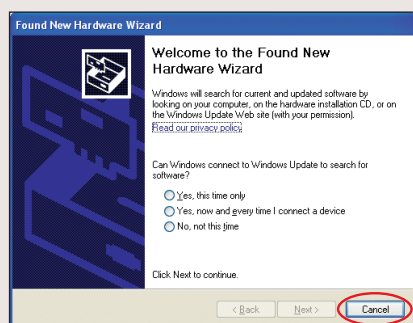
⚠ **IMPORTANT:** If you see the Found New Hardware Wizard, click **Cancel.**

3 Insert the "Setup Software & User's Guide" CD-ROM. The setup program should run automatically.

📖 **NOTE:** If the setup program does not run automatically, Click **Start**, then **Run**, then type **D:/Msetup4.exe**, where D is your CD-ROM drive.

4 When the main menu appears, click **Easy Install** and follow the on-screen instructions.
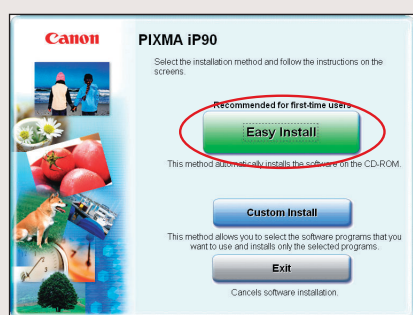

📖 **NOTE:** Select **Easy Install** in order to install application software, electronic manual, utility and printer drivers. Select **Custom Install** in order to choose the options you would like to install.

5 When the "Easy Install" window appears, click **Install**.
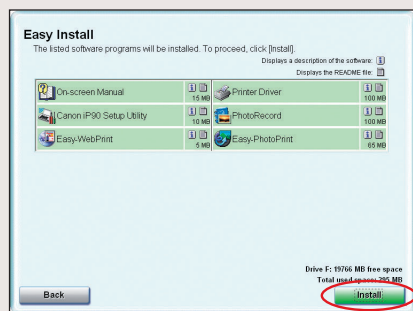
6 Read the License Agreement, then click **Yes** to continue. Installation of the printer driver and on-screen manuals will begin.

7 When the "Printer Connection" window appears, connect the USB cable to the computer and the other end to the printer.
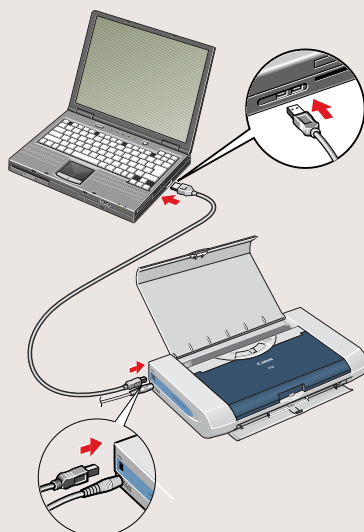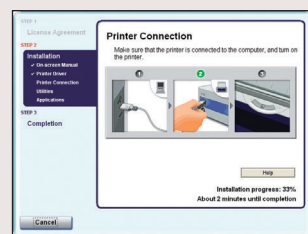

📖 **NOTE:** When performing infrared communication, make the IrDA port of each other's device stand opposite to each other. Distance between the IrDA ports should be 31.5 inch (80 cm) or less.

8 **TURN THE PRINTER ON.**

⚠ **IMPORTANT:** If your computer cannot detect a computer port, refer to "Troubleshooting" instructions in the *Quick Start Guide*.

9 Follow the on-screen instructions to install the remaining software. When the "Installation Results" window appears, click **OK**.
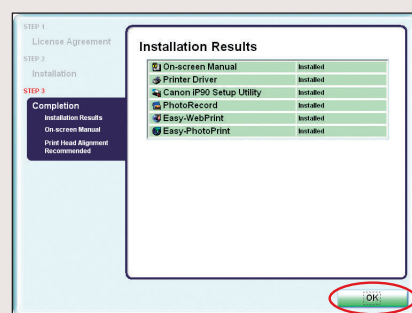
10 Follow the on-screen instructions to register your product.

11 When the "Installation completed successfully" window appears, click **Exit**.

📖 **NOTE:** If a message prompting you to restart the computer appears, check the check box and click **Restart**.


📖 **NOTE:** If print quality is not satisfactory after installing the printer, you may need to align the Print Head. Refer to "Aligning the Print Head" instructions in the *Quick Start Guide*.

Macintosh

📖 **NOTE:** The screens below refer to Mac OS X v. 10. 3. x installation. Screens may differ depending on the operating system you are using.

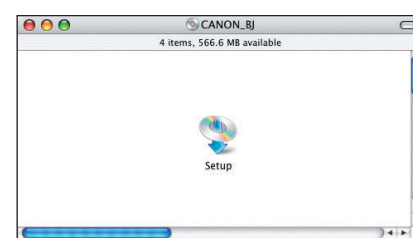**1** Connect the end of the USB cable to the computer, the other to the printer.
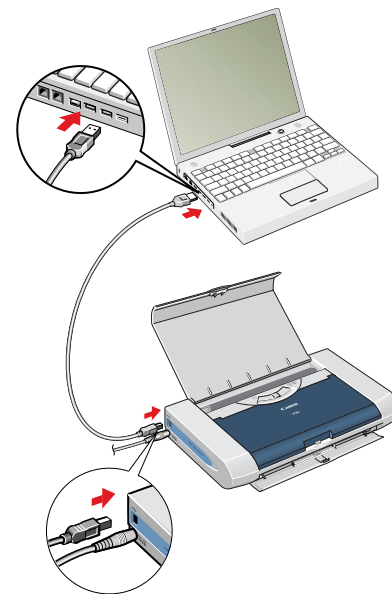
2 Turn on your Mac.

3 Insert the "Setup Software & User's Guide" CD-ROM.

📖 **NOTE:** If the CD-ROM folder does not open automatically, double-click the CD-ROM icon on the desktop.
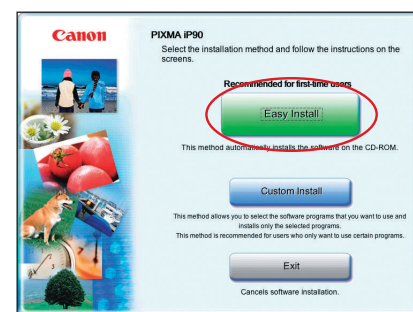
4 Double-click the **Setup** icon.

5 When the "Authenticate" screen appears, enter your administrator name and password.
If you do not know your administrator name or password, click ❓, then follow the on-screen instructions.

6 When the main menu appears, click **Easy Install** and follow on-screen instructions.

📖 **NOTE:** Select **Easy Install** in order to install application software, electronic manual, utility and printer drivers. Select **Custom Install** in order to choose the options you would like to install.

**7** When the "Easy Install" screen appears, click **Install**.
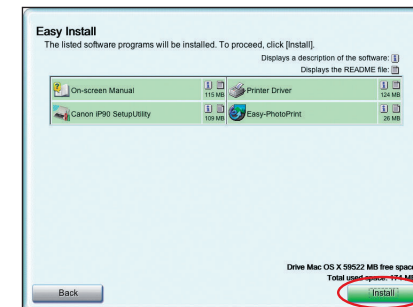
8 Read the License Agreement, then click **Yes** to continue. Installation of the printer driver and on-screen manuals will begin.

9 Follow the on-screen instructions to install the remaining software.

10 Follow the on-screen instructions to register your product.

11 When the "Installation completed successfully" screen appears, click **Restart**.
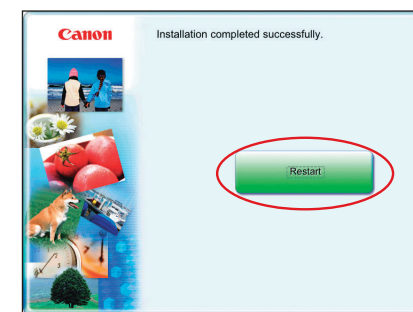
12 After restarting the computer, start Printer Setup Utility (start "Print Center" when you use Mac OS X V10.2.x) and then check that the name of the printer you want to use is shown in "Printer List". If the printer name is not displayed, press the **Add** button to add the printer.
For more detailed instructions, refer to the Mac on-line Help.

📖 **NOTE:** If print quality is not satisfactory after installing the printer, you may need to align the Print Head. Refer to "Aligning the Print Head" instructions in the *Quick Start Guide*.