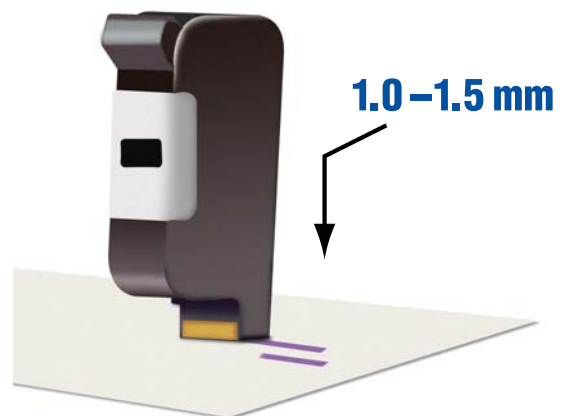




## Nozzle-to-paper distance

For best print-quality results, maintain 1.0 mm to 1.5 mm printhead nozzle-to-paper distance.



## Printhead cleaning

To maintain good print quality, wipe excess ink from the printhead.

1. Use a lint-free cloth, moistened with deionized water.
- 2–3. Wipe slowly and lightly across tip of the long edge with the printhead facing down as shown.

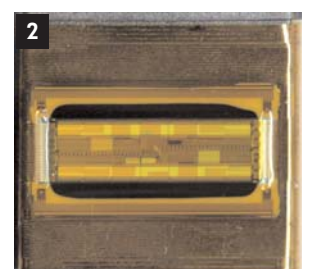
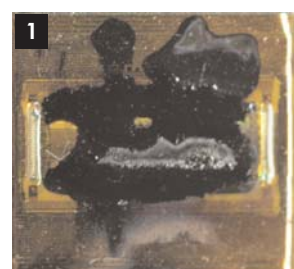
### Important notes

- Do not use force or a dry cloth to avoid scratching the nozzles.
- Do not use a cloth with lint to avoid clogging the nozzles.



## Does your print cartridge need cleaning?

1. This dirty printhead requires wiping.
2. This is how your printhead should look after cleaning.



## Purge the nozzles

If your print cartridge sits inactive for a period of time, you should purge the nozzles by following these steps.

- Wipe the print cartridge as show in the Printhead Cleaning section above.
- Print a few lines of high-resolution text (600 dpi or higher).
  - Higher resolutions exercise more nozzles and push out more ink.

### Important note

- Do not shake the cartridge as ink pressure will damage the nozzles.



## Short- and long-term storage procedures

### If stored for less than two days

- Leave print cartridge in the machine, capped or uncapped.
- Wipe and purge the print cartridge next time it is used.

### If stored for more than three days

- Leave print cartridge capped if the printing system has a capping station.
- To prevent print cartridge from drying out, place it in an airtight container with a damp cloth or sponge.
- Close the container tightly.
- Wipe and purge the print cartridge next time it is used.



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