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STEP 1

Unpack Your ColorMax8:

Remove the printer and accessories from the packaging. Store the packing material in a safe place.

Set the printer onto a stable, level surface. Use a carpenter's level to make any adjustments to the work table where the ColorMax8 will be operating. Level is very important to the proper operation of the printer. Do not move the ColorMax8 while the power is on.

==It is critical that you read and understand the ColorMax8 User Guide. Improper use can result in damage to the unit.==
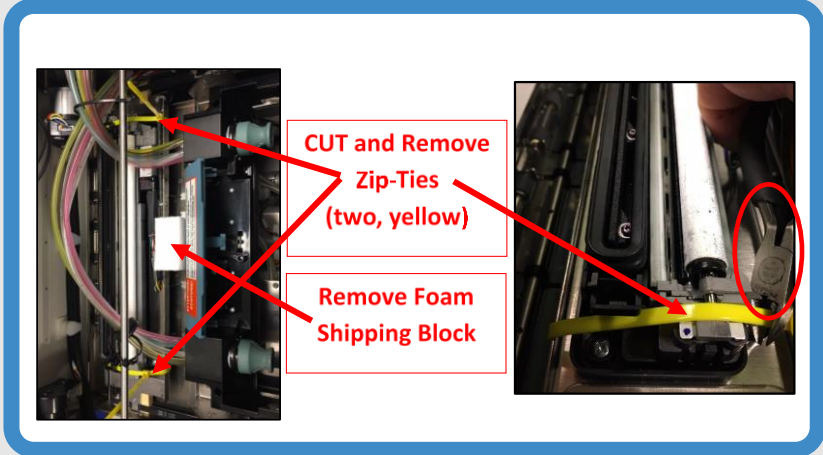
STEP 2

Remove Shipping Materials:

WARNING:
DO NOT PLUG-IN OR POWER-UP THE PRINTER UNTIL ALL SHIPPING MATERILAS HAVE BEEN REMOVED! DAMAGE TO PRINTER MAY RESULT!

Remove shipping materials as seen below. Open the Printhead Door.

Remove the Foam Shipping Block. Carefully cut, and remove the two ==yellow== zip-ties as shown below.
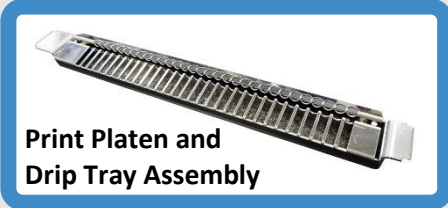
CUT and Remove Zip-Ties (two, yellow)

Remove Foam Shipping Block
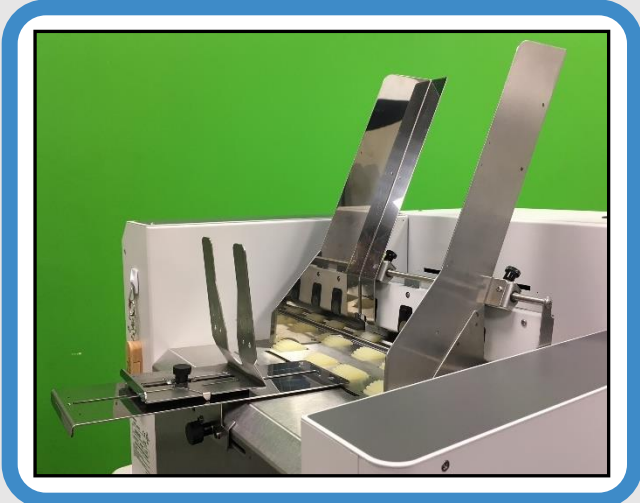
==Do NOT cut black or white zip-ties.==

STEP 3

Install Print Platen and Drip Tray Assembly & Media Guides:

Locate the Print Platens (two) and Drip Tray in the accessory box (wrapped in foam). See User Guide for selecting the appropriate Platen and installing the Print Platen and Drip Tray Assembly into printer.

Print Platen and Drip Tray Assembly

Locate the Media Side Guides and Rear Media Support Guide/Sled in the accessory box (wrapped in foam). See User Guide for installation instructions.
When complete, your machine should look like this:

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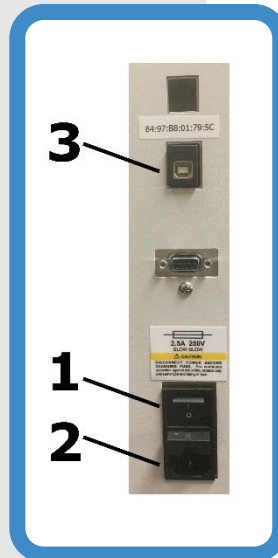
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STEP 4

Connect Power and Power-up the Printer:

Make sure that the Main Power Switch [1] is in the OFF position.

Plug the AC Power Cord into a 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz grounded outlet. The use of a power protection device is highly recommend.
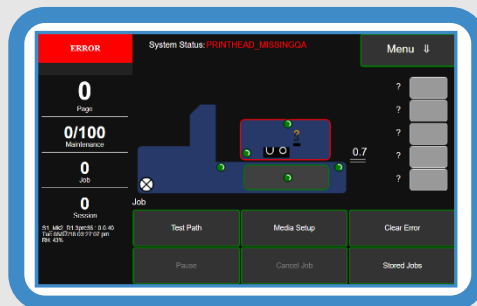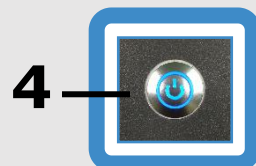
Plug the other end of the AC Power Cord into the receptacle [2] on the printer.

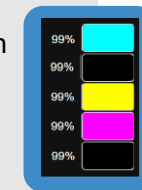USB Port [3] – Identified for Step 6

Power-up the Printer.
Turn ON the Main Power Switch [1] and then press the Soft-Power Button [4]. Button will illuminate with blue light. After Soft-Power Button is pressed, it will take about 30 seconds before information will appear in the Touchscreen Display. Clamshell section will raise fully to recalibrate position, and then lower to the current Media Thickness setting.

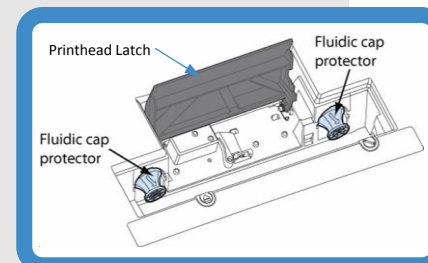## STEP 5

Install Ink Tanks & Printhead:

Install Ink Tanks: Open the Ink Tank Door and release the Ink Tank Latches. Insert the five Ink Tanks, label side up, into their appropriate color slots (latches are marked). Pull Tanks back about an inch then re-insert to make a good connection. Close latches ensuring both sides, at bottom of latch, snap into place. Check the Touchscreen to verify all Ink Tanks are recognized.
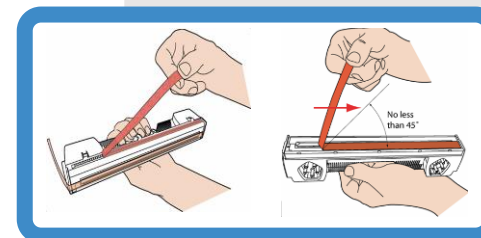
Install Printhead: Open the Printhead Door and verify that the Printhead Latch is open. If not, release the Printhead Latch using the Touchscreen (Menu, Setup, Release Printhead). Fully open the Printhead Latch and Remove the Fluidic Cap Protectors.

WARNING!
Never attempt to open the Printhead Latch manually when in the closed/locked position. Severe damage will result. Use the Printhead Release button from the Touchscreen.

Remove the Printhead from its packaging.

Gently remove the two pieces of protective tape. Wet a lint-free cloth with distilled water and wipe the Printhead nozzles. Be careful; don't wet the electrical contacts.

Insert the cartridge on an angle so the ink ports face the ink couplings and click it forward into place. Once the cartridge is installed, slowly close the Printhead Latch. Close the Printhead Door to start the Printhead priming process. All doors must remain shut during this process. This process will take a few minutes. When finished, Touchscreen will display the ONLINE condition.

STEP 6

Load ColorMax8 Software:

The following process is for connecting the printer via USB. If you plan to connect via Ethernet (Network), please see the User Guide for instructions.

Locate the USB Flash Drive, included with the Operator Manual.

Connect the USB Flash Drive to your computer. Browse the USB Flash Drive. Locate and open the folder labeled "Driver".

Locate and RUN "WinSetup.exe" to Launch the Installer. Select "Install Printer Software".

Select "Configure to print using USB" and follow the instructions on screen.

When the installer program says to connect the printer to the computer, plug the USB cable into the printer's USB port (item 3 in Step 4) and then to your computer. Continue to follow the prompts and accept any messages from Windows asking if you wish to continue the installation. If your firewall asks for permission, grant access to the software. Once complete, you will see the "S Series Driver" in your list of available printers.

The "Toolbox" is also installed during this process. It provides monitoring and advanced control of your ColorMax8 from your computer.

Look for "S Series Driver Toolbox" located within the "Memjet" folder from the computer's Start Menu.

Refer to the User Guide for Operating Printer.