

# TIPS, TRICKS AND TROUBLE SHOOTING FOR USING RECYCLED CARTRIDGES IN CANON PRINTERS

## DEACTIVATE INK LEVEL DETECTION FUNCTION

**IMPORTANT TIP:** When using a recycled or remanufactured inkjet cartridge, you must deactivate the ink level feature to allow your printer to run properly **each time a recycled cartridge is installed**. Check the following tips to fix the 'low ink' error message when the cartridge is initially replaced. The ink level data is stored in the chip memory; ink level will display correctly each time a new cartridge is installed after this deactivation process is performed. Below are methods to deactivate the ink level detection function for models indicated.

### METHOD I:

Press **RESUME/CANCEL** button once.

Related models:

**BJC series:** bjc3000, 8200, etc.

**S series:** s400, 600, 800, 6300, 9000, etc.

**i Series:** i255, 320, 350, 355, 450, 470d, 550, 560, 850, 950, 6100, 6500, 9100, etc.

**Pixma series:** ip1000, 1200, 1300, 1500, 1600, 1700, 2000, 2200, 3000, 4000, etc.

### METHOD II:

Hold down **RESUME/CANCEL** button for 5 seconds or more.

Related models:

**Latest models of Pixma series:** ip1880, 1980, 3300, 3500, 4200, 4500, 5200, 6700d, pro9000, 9500, ix4000, 5000, etc.

### METHOD III:

Press **START** button once, select **COLOR** button for color cartridge; **BLACK** button for black cartridge.

Applicable models:

**Pixma MP150, 160, 170, 180, 450, 460, 475, etc.**

### METHOD IV:

Hold down **STOP/RESET** button for 5 seconds or more.

Applicable models:

**Latest models of Pixma MP/MX series:** MP145, 228, 240, 250, 520, 800, 850, 970, MX308, 310, 318, 7600, etc.

### Receive Fax Document After Deactivating 'Ink Level Detection' Function

Related models:

**Canon Pixma MX Series** MX308, 318, 700, 7600, etc.

You can immediately copy or print received documents from the computer after deactivating the Ink Level Detection function. By default setting, printing fax documents in 'low ink' or 'ink level unknown' condition is set at OFF. This prevents the user from printing a blank page. Incoming faxed documents are received and held in memory. To print or delete the document(s), access the MEMORY REFERENCE menu by following these steps:

- Press **MENU** button until **FAX SETTING** appears.
  - Select **RX SETTING**, press Ok.
  - Auto Print RX : **ON**, press Ok.
  - Print When No Ink: **ON**, press Ok.
- Ink level detection is not activated. Cartridge can run out of ink.

### Description: Low Ink Warning / Ink Runs Out Blinking in Orange: 4 times

Related models:

**Canon bjc series:** bjc3000, 6200

**Canon s series:** s300, 400, 450, 4500, 520, 600, 820, 6300, 9000.

**Canon i series:** i250, 255, 320, 355, 450, 455, 550, 560, 6100, 6500, 850, 865, 905d, 950, 9100.

**Canon pixma series:** ip1000, 1200, 1300, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800, 1880, 2580, 3000, 3300, 3500, 4000, 4200, 4500, 5200, 6000d, 6230d, 6600d, 6700d, ix4000, 5000, pro 9000, 9500.