Help File for the Canon BJ-130e Printer Driver (CANONBJ.DRV)

Dip Switch Settings

Dip Switch SW2-1 controls consecutive dot placement for graphics. Normally, you may want to have this switch off (as it comes from the factory) to use less ink when printing. However, if you print graphics with 360×360 Print Quality, you may notice things missing from your output. If so, change this switch to the ON position. This will force the printer to print every dot.

When printing envelopes, please be sure to follow the directions in the Canon User's Guide. Incorrect results may result otherwise.

Halftoned Graphics

This printer offers an option called halftoning. You'll see this in the "Print Quality" section of the printer setup dialog box--one option will say "Halftoned" after it. Halftoning is a way of creating different levels of gray when printing in black and white. Halftoned graphics generally photocopy better than the normal graphics. Print Quality options not marked "Halftoned" use an alternate method of gray scaling called dithering. You may want to print some black and white graphics to get a feel for the difference between these options.

Paper Source

In the Printer Setup dialog box there is a box for "Paper Source" options. Use "Auto" for cut sheet paper, and use "Tractor" for tractor feed (also known as continuous feed) paper. The top and bottom margins are different for these paper sources, and if you mismatch them, your printing will not at all match the length of your pages. Certain printers offer additional options. Be sure to select the right Paper Source option for the method you use to feed paper into your printer.

Note that on the Canon Bubble-Jet 130, in order to use tractor feed, you must also change a dip switch on the printer. Switch SW2-3 should be ON for tractor feed, and OFF for cut sheet paper. See the Canon user's manual for additional information.