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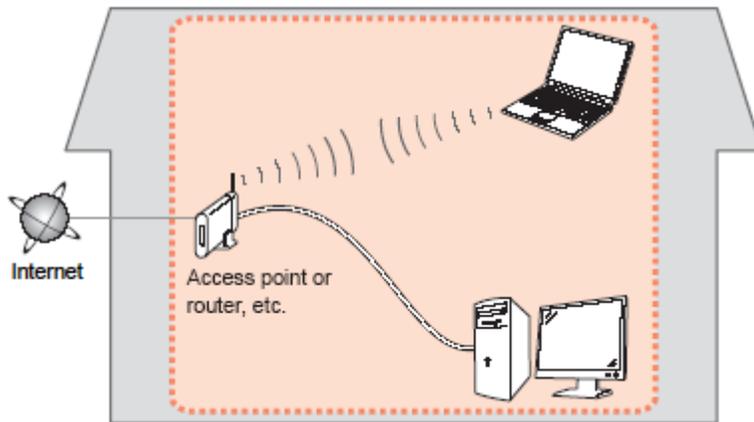
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Network Requirements

Before installing the wireless drivers and software on the computer, make sure that configuration of the computer and access point or router is complete, and that the computer is connected to the network.



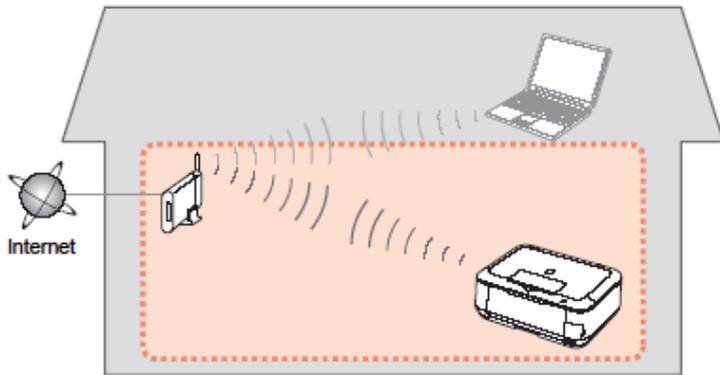
Software Installation:

If the printer is already connected to the network and the drivers and software have been installed on a computer, it can be used on additional computers on this same network. Just install the drivers, and software you wish to use, and you will be printing and scanning wirelessly. You don't need to change any settings on the printer or connect a USB cable between the computer and printer.

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An "Ad-hoc connection," which establishes a direct connection to the computer over a wireless connection without using an access point, is not supported.

Notes on Network Connection

- The configuration, router functions, setup procedures and security settings of the network device vary depending on your system environment. For details, refer to your device's instruction manual or contact its manufacturer.
- In an office setup, consult your network administrator.
- If you connect to a network that is not protected with security measures, there is a risk of disclosing data such as your personal information to a third party.
- Place the machine and computers on the same network segment.

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Installing the Driver

To use the machine by connecting it to a computer, software including the drivers need to be copied (installed) to the computer's hard disk. We recommend using the **Setup CD-ROM** for installation. If you do not have the CD-ROM or want to use drivers downloaded from our web site , [Click here for instructions.](#)

Step One

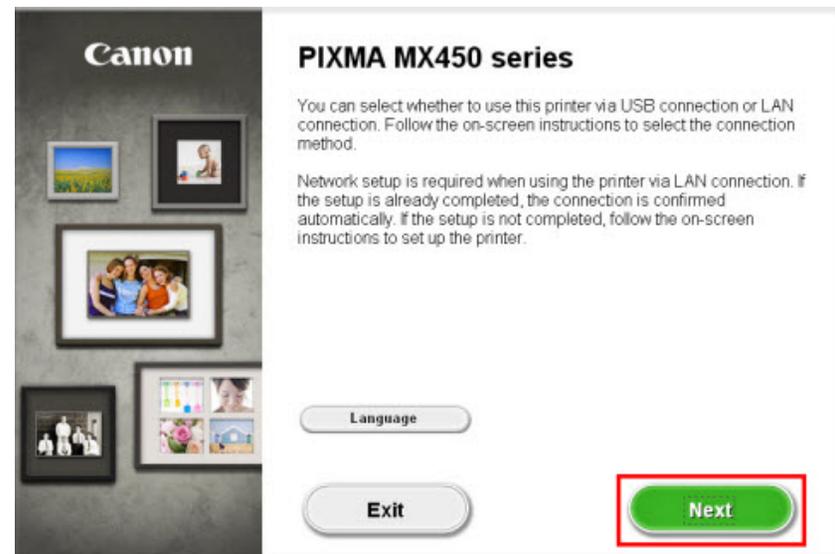
Turn on the computer, then insert the **Setup CD-ROM** into the CD-ROM drive.

If the program does not start automatically, double-click the CD-ROM icon in **Computer** or **My Computer**.

When the CD-ROM contents appear, double-click **MSETUP4.EXE**.

Step Two

Ensure the printer is powered on.
On the opening screen select **Next**.



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When the printer and any additional computer are connected to the same network, the installation setup will go to **Software Installation List** window.

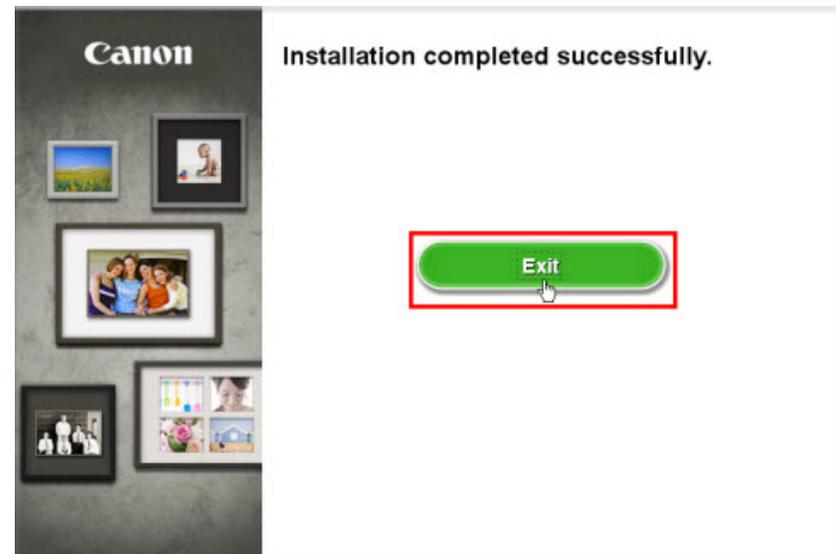
Step Three

Remove the check mark from the box beside the item you prefer not to install. Or, click **Clear All** to install just the **MP Drivers**. Then click **Next** to begin the installation.



Step Four

When installation is complete click **Exit**.



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Downloading the Driver

To use the printer on additional computers, download and install the drivers to the computer's hard disk.

Step One

[Go to the Drivers & Software for your model](#)

Step Two

On the **Drivers & Software** page, select your computer's operating system and OS version from the drop-down menus.

Drivers & Software

Select an Operating System and OS Version from the drop down menu below then view the latest supported files for your product. Click on the file description to navigate to the file. Click on "I Agree - Begin Download" to start downloading.

Windows	Windows 7
Select Language: English	Select OS Version
Show All	Windows Server 2012 (x64)
▸ Drivers	Windows 8
▸ Software	Windows 8 (x64)
▸ Utilities	Windows 7
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	Windows Vista
	Windows Vista (x64)
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Step Three

In the **Drivers** section, click the link* for the **MP Driver** download file.

***Name varies by model**



File Description	Date	Size
MX450 series MP Drivers Ver. 1.00 (Windows 8/8 ...)	01/07/13	18.70 MB
MX450 series XPS Printer Driver Ver. 5.65 (Wind...	01/07/13	14.20 MB

You can get a description of the file and its contents by clicking the plus sign (+) beside the file name to expand the view.

Step Four

On the next screen, read the information and instructions and click **I Agree - Begin Download**

Once the file has been downloaded, double-click it to begin the installation process

IMPORTANT:

- Quit all running applications before installation.
- Log on as the administrator (or a member of the Administrators group).
- Do not switch users during the installation process.
- Internet connection may be required during the installation. Connection fees apply.
- It may be necessary to restart your computer during the installation process. Follow the on-screen instructions. The installation resumes once your computer has restarted.

If the firewall function of your security software is turned on, a warning message may appear that Canon software is attempting to access the network. If such a warning message appears, set the security software to always allow access.

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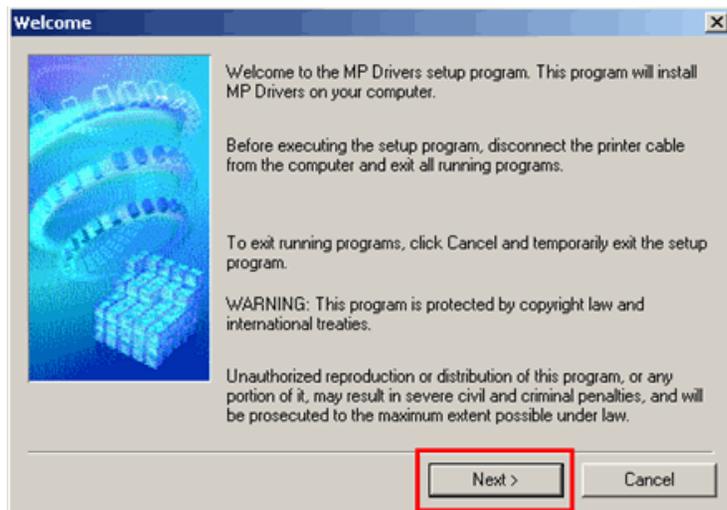
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NOTE: If a **User Account Control** screen appears, click **Continue** or **Yes** (depending on Windows version) to continue.

NOTE: If the same screen reappears in subsequent steps, click **Continue** or **Yes**.

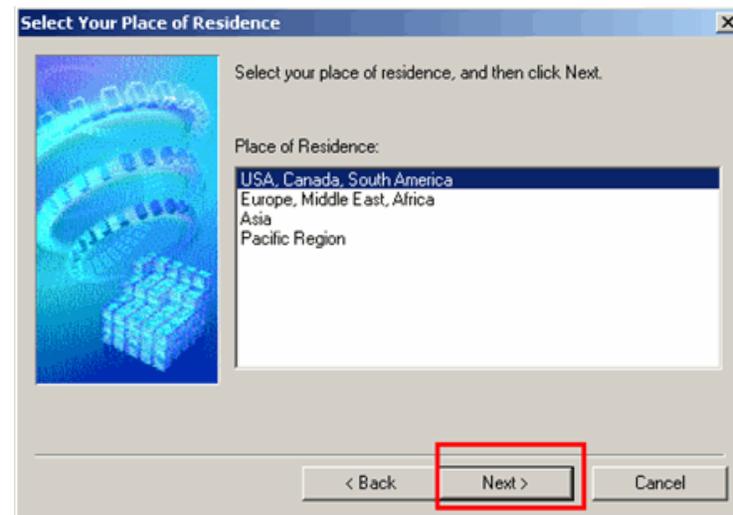
Step One

Click **Next** on the **Welcome** screen.



Step Two

Select your place of residence and click **Next**.



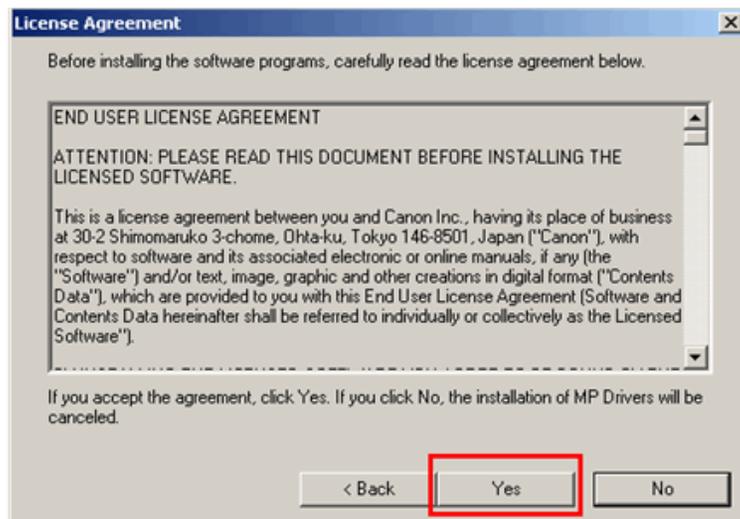
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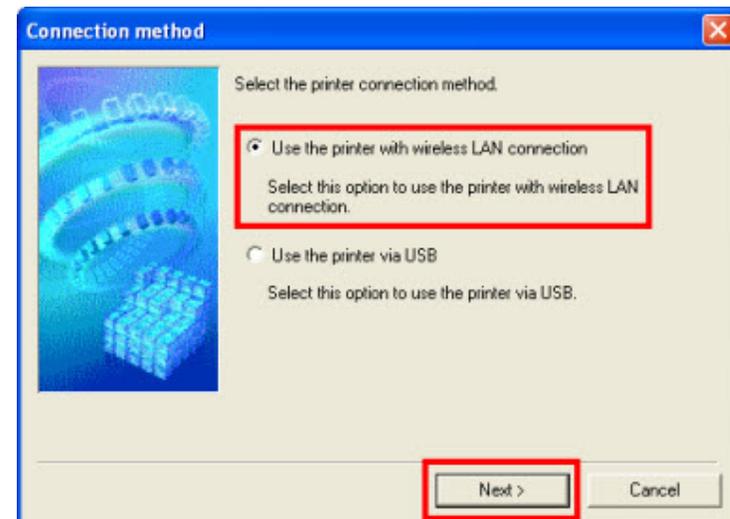
Step Three

Click **Yes** for the License Agreement.



Step Four

On the **Connection method** screen select **Use the printer with wireless LAN connection**, then click **Next**.



If the **Please Allow All Install Wizard Processes** screen appears, click **Next**.

Installation starts. Follow any on-screen instructions to install the software.

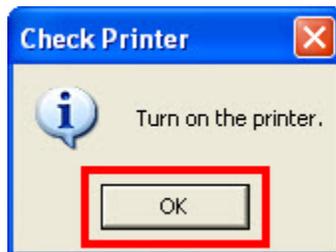
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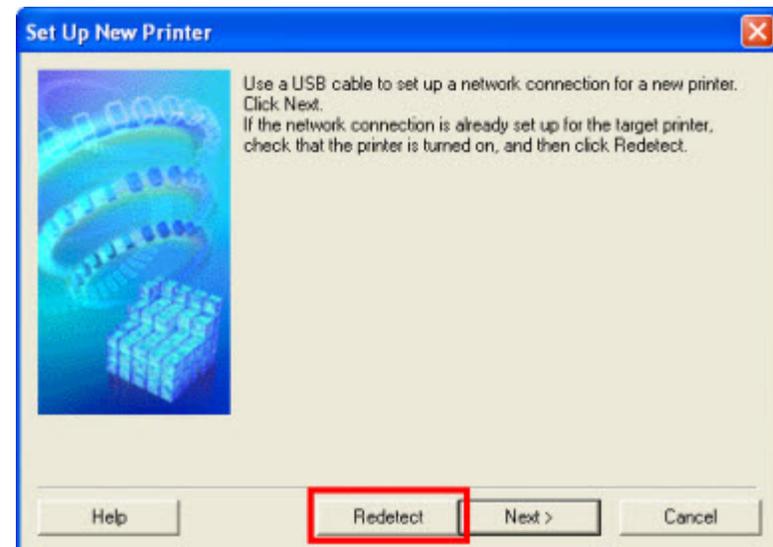
Step Five

Ensure the printer is powered on.
If it is not powered on, press the **ON** button so that its light is illuminated.
Then click **OK**.



Note:

If the below window appears and the printer is connected to the same network as the computer, click **Redetect**.



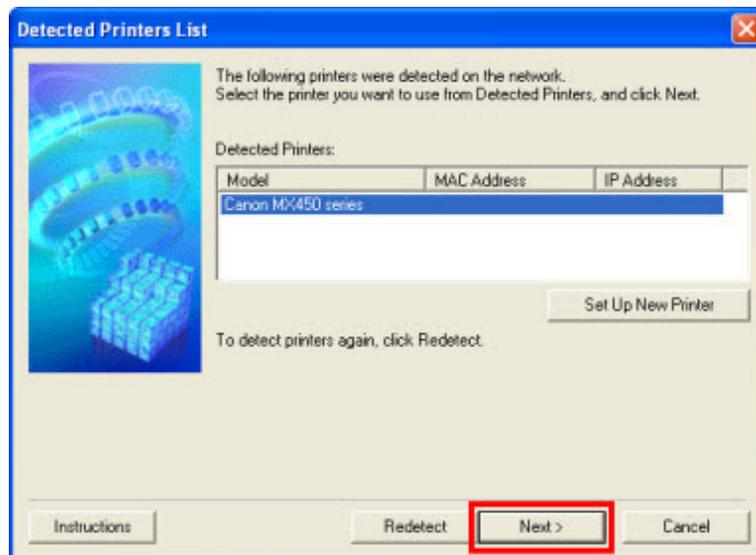
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Step Six

At **Detected Printers List** window, select the printer and then click **Next**.



Completion

You will now be able to print and scan wirelessly.

If you need scan software, download and install My Image Garden.

Continue on to the next page for instructions to download this software.

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In order to take advantage of your machine's scanning capabilities, you must have scanning software installed on your computer. Canon's **My Image Garden** will not only allow you to print photos saved on your computer, but it will also scan images directly into it. The latest version of this software can be downloaded from our web site.

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Select Language: English

Show All

- Drivers
- Software
- Utilities
- Firmware

Select OS Version

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Step Three

In the **Software** section, click the link for **My Image Garden** download file.

My Image Garden Ver. 1.1.0 (Windows 8/8 x64/7/7... 01/07/13 290.19 MB

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Step Five

Follow any instructions that appear on the screen