



# 06 - Properly Connecting printer Power, Ethernet, and USB Cables

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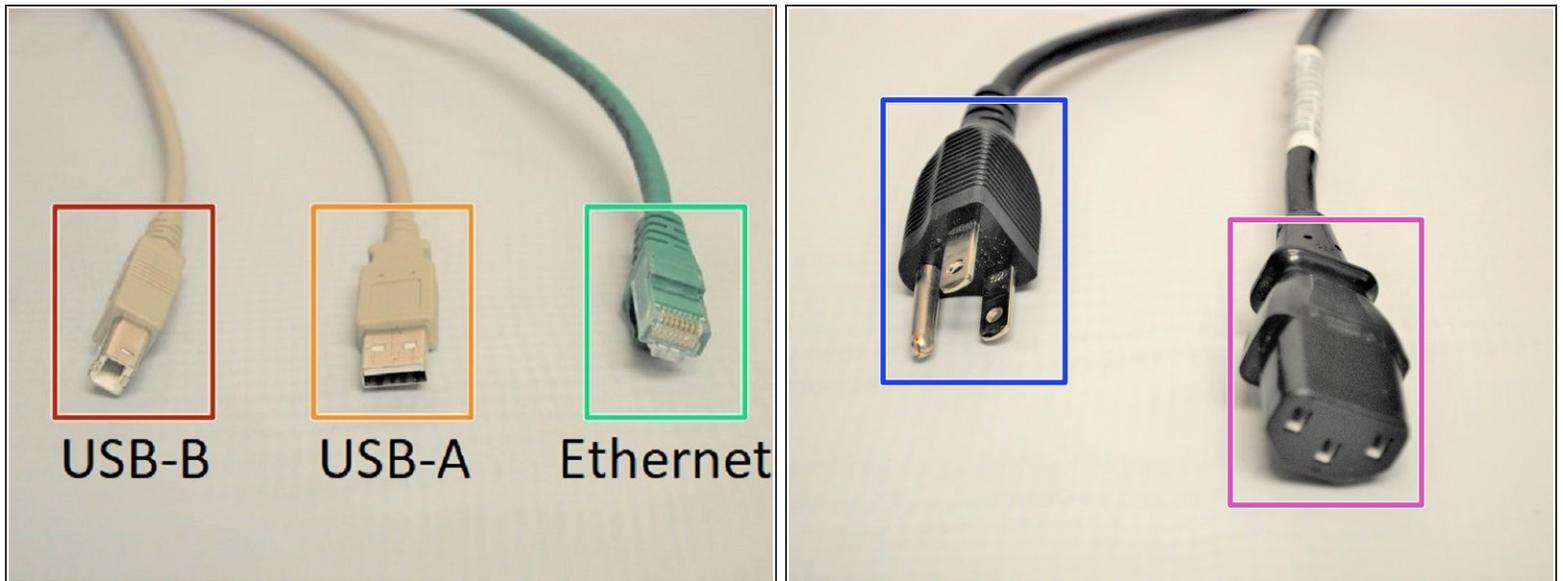
## Step 1 — Preparation



- Place the printer on a flat, stable surface.
- Take the plastic film off of the printer, and get the cables out of their packaging.

**⚠ Make sure the power switch is off.**

## Step 2 — Identifying the Cables



- USB-B

- USB-A

ⓘ The USB-B and USB-A are two ends of the same cable. The USB-B to USB-A cable is only used for initial set-up and support. It should **NOT** be used for other purposes.

- Ethernet

ⓘ This cable is double ended with an ethernet jack on both sides. This is used for wired network connection, a network type which connects devices to the Internet or other networks using cables.

- Power Outlet Plug

- Printer Power Plug

ⓘ The Power Outlet Plug and the Printer Power Plug are two ends of the same cable.

### Step 3 — USB & Ethernet Connection



- Plug the USB-B into the printer's USB interface on the back.
- Plug the USB-A into your computer/laptop's USB port.
  - ⓘ To correctly identify the USB-B from the USB-A, please refer to the last step.
- Connect one end of the ethernet cable to your printer's ethernet interface on the back.
- Connect the other end of the ethernet to your network.

### Step 4 — Power Connection



- Connect the Printer Power Cord into the back of the printer in the power cord socket.
  - ⚠ Make sure the printer is **OFF** before continuing and plugging it into the wall.
- Once the Printer Power Cord is connected and the printer is off, connect the Power Outlet Cord into a power outlet.
  - ⚠ **DO NOT** turn the printer on without the labels being loaded first. See how to load Direct Thermal labels [HERE](#) and Thermal Transfer with Ribbon [HERE](#).

