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The operator panel lights mean different things, depending on their sequence. Lights that are off, on, and/or blinking indicate printer conditions such as printer status, intervention (for example, out of paper), or service.

Some light sequences prompt you to press the operator panel button to clear a printer condition. Press the operator panel button with a *brief button press* (approximately one second) to restart the printer or display an error code.

From the **special function menu**, press the operator panel with a *double-button press* (press and release twice quickly) to display additional error codes or to scroll through the Special Function menu settings.

Press the operator panel with a *long button press* (hold until all the lights come on) to reset the printer or to select a setting in the special function menu.

The following table shows the most common light sequences. Just click on the indicated page for more information on what it means and what you can do.

Common light sequences:							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
						Ready	page 11



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Common light sequences:							
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						Busy	page 13
						Busy and toner low	page 14
						Waiting	page 15
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						Flushing	page 17
						Flushing and toner low	page 18
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Common light sequences:							
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Common light sequences:							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
○	○	○	○	○	○	Reset user defaults	page 15 , “Solving print quality problems”

The Error and Press Button lights indicate a secondary error has occurred. The following table shows the secondary error codes that are displayed when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press. Just click on the indicated page for more information on what it means and what you can do.

Secondary error code light sequences							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
				○	○	Secondary error code	page 31



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Secondary error code light sequences							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
	<input checked="" type="radio"/>			<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Secondary error code and toner low	page 32
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>			<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Memory full	page 34
<input checked="" type="radio"/>				<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Complex page	page 35
<input checked="" type="radio"/>		<input checked="" type="radio"/>		<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Short paper	page 36
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>		<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Toner low intervention	page 37



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Secondary error code light sequences							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
						Resolution reduction	page 38
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The following table shows the light sequences in the **special function menu**. Just click on the indicated page for more information on what it means and what you can do.

Special function menu light sequences							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
						Restore factory defaults	page 18 , "Solving print quality problems"
						Hex Trace mode	page 19 , "Solving print quality problems"
						Print test quality print pages	page 21 , "Solving print quality problems"



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Special function menu light sequences							
Ready/ Data	Toner Low	Load Paper	Paper Jam	Error	Press Button	Printer condition:	Go to page:
						Service error	page 44
						Advanced troubleshooting mode	page 1 , "Advanced troubleshooting"



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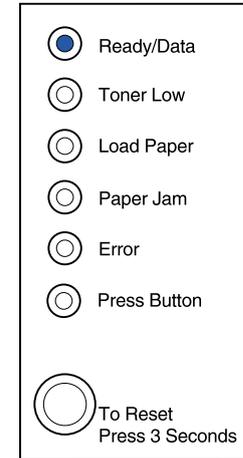
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What this light sequence means:

The printer is ready to receive and process data.

What you can do:

- Send a print job.
- Print a test page by pushing the operator panel button with a brief button press.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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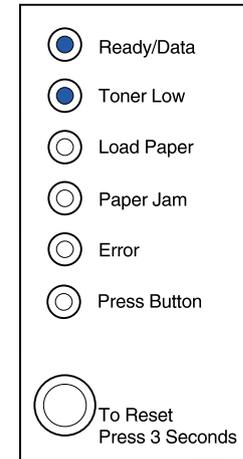
What this light sequence means:

The printer is ready to receive and process data. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Send a print job.
- Print a test page by pushing the operator panel button with a brief button press.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel until all the lights come on to reset the printer.

Note: The Toner Low light does not come on if the standard 1,500-page print cartridge is installed in the E320.



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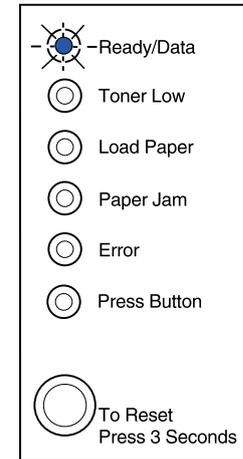
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What this light sequence means:

The printer is busy receiving or processing data, or printing a test page.

What you can do:

- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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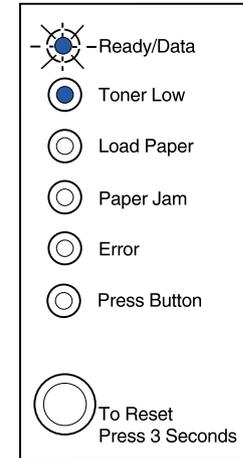
What this light sequence means:

The printer is busy receiving or processing data, or printing a test page. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.

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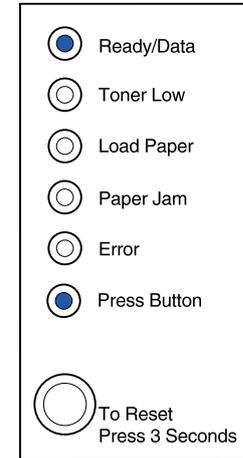
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What this light sequence means:

The printer is waiting until a print timeout occurs or until it receives additional data.

What you can do:

- Print data stored in the printer buffer by pushing the operator panel button with a brief button press.



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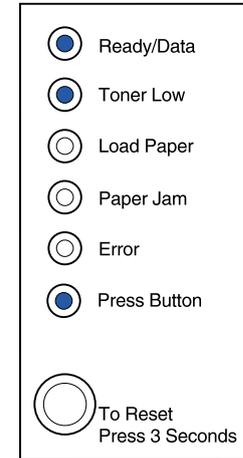
What this light sequence means:

The printer is waiting until a print timeout occurs or until it receives additional data. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Print data stored in the printer buffer by pushing the operator panel button with a brief button press or
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**

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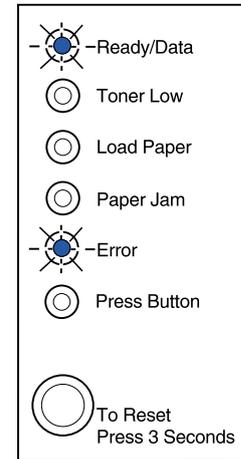
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What this light sequence means:

The printer is flushing corrupted print data.

What you can do:

- Wait until the operator panel returns to Ready/Data to print other jobs.



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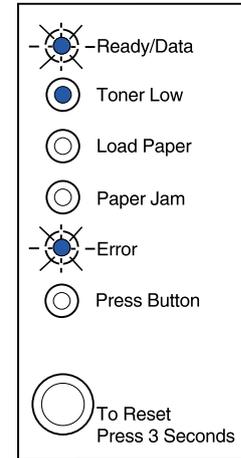
What this light sequence means:

The printer is flushing corrupted print data. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Wait until the operator panel returns to Ready/Data to print other jobs.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**

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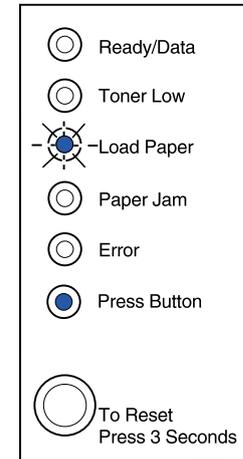
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What this light sequence means:

The printer prompts you to load a single sheet of media in the manual feed.

What you can do:

- Load media, with the side to be printed facing the front of the printer, into the manual feed.
- Push the operator panel button to resume printing.



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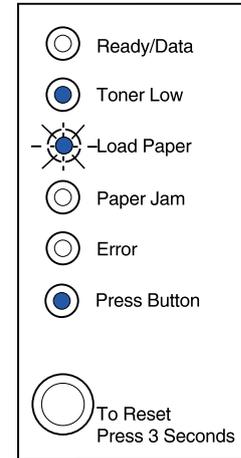
What this light sequence means:

The printer prompts you to load a single sheet of media in the manual feed. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Load media, with the side to be printed facing the front of the printer, into the manual feed.
- Push the operator panel button to resume printing.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**

Note: The Toner Low light does not come on if the standard 1,500-page print cartridge is installed in the E320.



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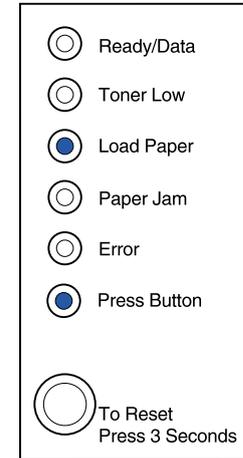
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What this light sequence means:

The printer is out of media or envelopes, or the media did not feed properly.

What you can do:

- Load media into tray 1 or the optional tray 2 and push the operator panel button to resume printing.
- Check that the media is loaded correctly in tray 1 or the optional tray 2.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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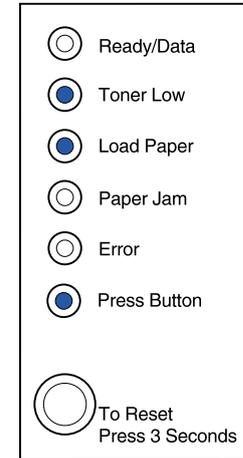
What this light sequence means:

The printer is out of media or envelopes, or the media did not feed properly. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Load media into tray 1 or the optional tray 2 and push the operator panel button to resume printing.
- Check that the media is loaded correctly in tray 1 or the optional tray 2.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**

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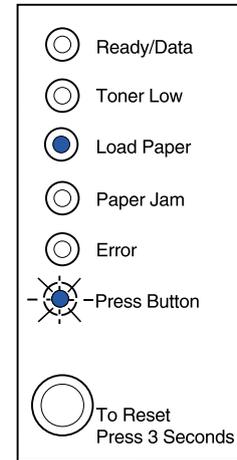
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What this light sequence means:

Print the other side of your duplex print job.

What you can do:

- Re-insert your print job in tray 1 using the instructions in the driver pop-up menu to orient the pages correctly.



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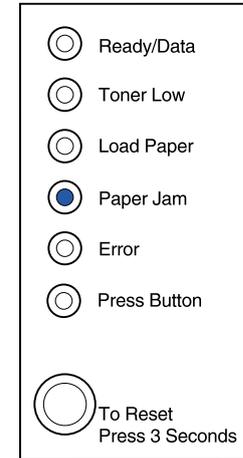
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What this light sequence means:

The printer detects a paper jam.

What you can do:

- Open the printer cover, clear all media from the paper path and close the cover to resume printing.
- See **Clearing jams** for more information.



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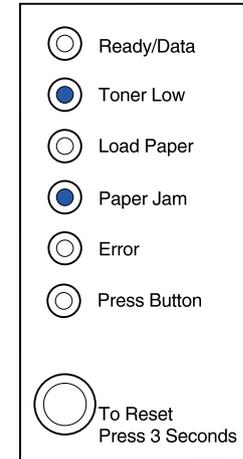
What this light sequence means:

The printer detects a paper jam. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Open the printer cover, clear all media from the paper path and close the cover to resume printing.
- See **Clearing jams** for more information.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**

Note: The Toner Low light does not come on if the standard 1,500-page print cartridge is installed in the E320.



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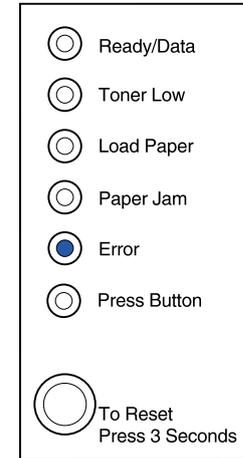
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What this light sequence means:

The printer top cover is open or the print cartridge is not installed.

What you can do:

- Close the cover to display the light sequence that appeared before the cover was opened.
- Install the print cartridge.



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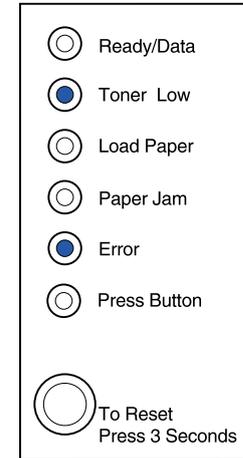
What this light sequence means:

The printer top cover is open or the print cartridge is not installed. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Close the cover to display the light sequence that appeared before the cover was opened.
- Install the print cartridge.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**

Note: The Toner Low light does not come on if the standard 1,500-page print cartridge is installed in the E320.



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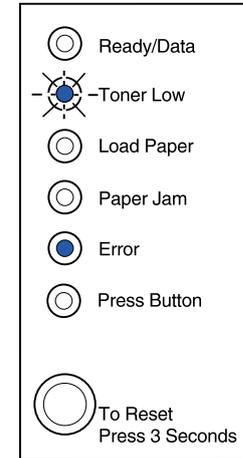
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What this light sequence means:

- The print cartridge is not installed or the printer detects a print cartridge error. Replace it.

What you can do:

- If the print cartridge is not installed, install it.
- If the print cartridge is installed, remove it and install a new print cartridge (**see Replacing a print cartridge**).



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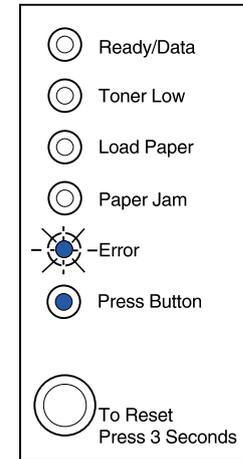
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What this light sequence means:

The printer flash memory is full.

What you can do:

- Print data without saving it in flash memory by pushing the operator panel button with a brief button press.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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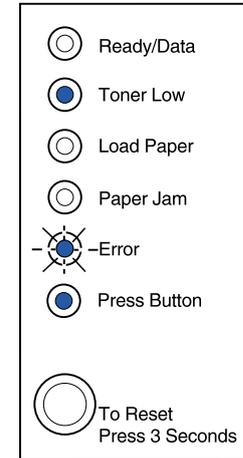
What this light sequence means:

The printer flash memory is full. In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

What you can do:

- Print data without saving it in flash memory by pushing the operator panel button with a brief button press.
- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.

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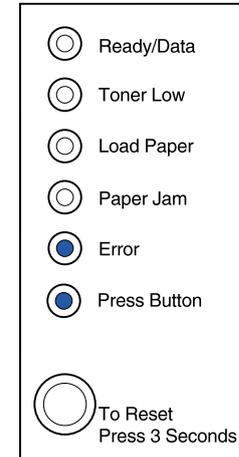
What this light sequence means:

The printer has one of the following errors:

- Memory is full
- Received a page that is too complex to print
- Received a page that is shorter than the page set
- Reduces the resolution of a formatted page to 300 dpi before printing
- Has a PPDS font error
- Doesn't have enough memory to save what is in the buffer
- Doesn't have enough memory to defragment flash memory
- Cannot communicate with the host computer

What you can do:

From the **special function menu**, press the operator panel button with a double-button press to display the specific error.



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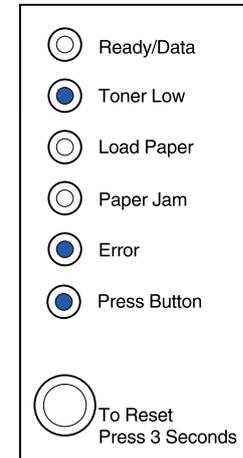
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In addition, the toner in the print cartridge is getting low.

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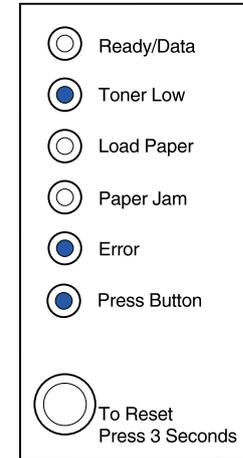
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What you can do:

From the **special function menu**, press the operator panel button with a double-button press to display the specific error.

- **Remove the print cartridge** and shake it to extend the life of the cartridge.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**



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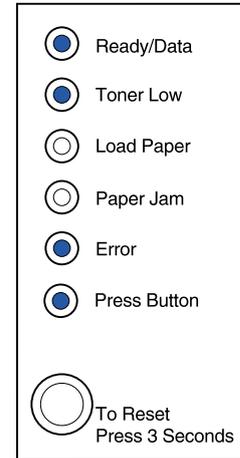
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the special function menu:

The printer memory is full.

What you can do:

- Reduce the complexity of the job and/or the resolution.
- Press the operator panel button with a brief button press to resume printing.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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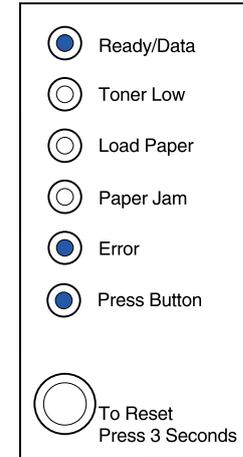
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the special function menu:

The printer has received a page that is too complex to print.

What you can do:

- Reduce the complexity of the job and/or the resolution.
- Press the operator panel button with a brief button press to resume printing.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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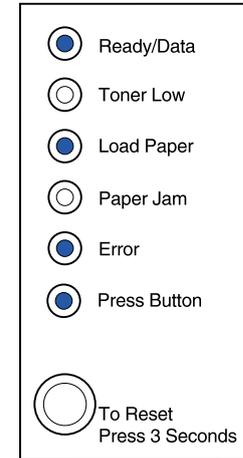
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the **special function menu**:

The paper length is too short to print the formatted data. This occurs when the printer does not know the media size loaded in the tray, or there is a problem feeding the media.

What you can do:

- Make sure the print media you loaded is large enough.
- Open the printer cover, clear the paper path and close the cover to resume printing (see **Clearing jams**).
- Press the operator panel button with a brief button press to resume printing.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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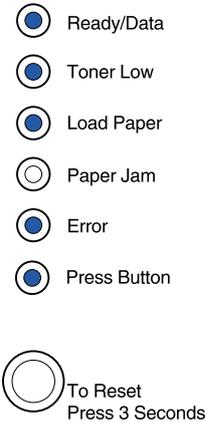
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the **special function menu:**

The toner is low and the toner alarm is set to on.

What you can do:

- Press the operator panel button with a brief button press to resume printing.
- **Replace the print cartridge.**
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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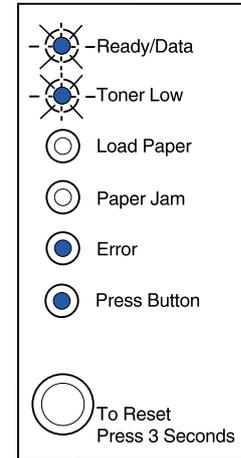
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the special function menu:

The printer has run out of memory while formatting a page and is forced to reduce the resolution to 300 dpi before printing it.

What you can do:

- Push the operator panel button to resume printing.
- Install additional memory.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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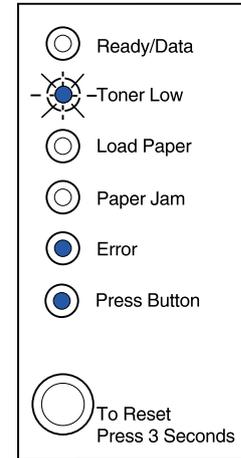
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the **special function menu:**

The printer has received a request for a PPDS font which is not installed.

What you can do:

- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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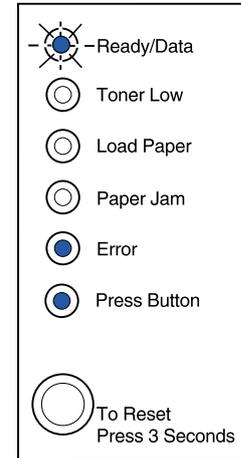
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the **special function menu:**

The printer doesn't have enough memory to save the data in the buffer.

What you can do:

- Install additional memory.
- Push the operator panel button with a brief button press to resume printing.
- Cancel the job. Push the operator panel button until all the lights come on to reset the printer.



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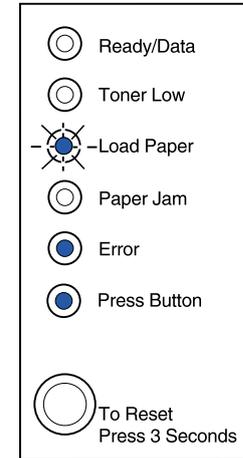
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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the **special function menu:**

The printer has insufficient memory to free up unused space in flash memory.

What you can do:

- Delete fonts, macros, and other data in RAM.
- Install additional printer memory and then issue a PJI command to free up unused space in flash memory.



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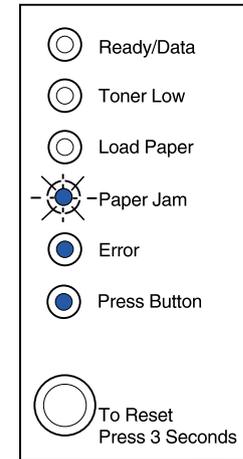
What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the special function menu:

The printer has an error communicating with the host computer.

This light sequence is displayed if:

- Your printer is connected to the network, but it can't detect the print server when you first turn the printer on.
- The computer attempts to communicate with the printer through the parallel port, but the port setting has been disabled in advanced troubleshooting mode.
- The computer attempts to communicate with the printer through the USB port, but the port has been disabled in advanced troubleshooting mode.

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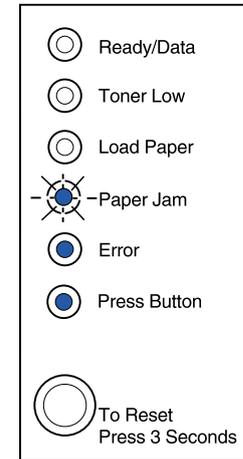
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What you can do:

- Check that the Ethernet cable is still plugged into the printer.
- Print a test page to verify that the parallel buffer setting or USB buffer setting is disabled (see **Parallel port enabled** or **USB port enabled** in Advanced Troubleshooting).



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What this light sequence means when you press the operator panel button with a double-button press from the **special function menu:**

The printer has a service error and printing has stopped.

What you can do:

- Turn the printer off and back on. If the lights are still blinking, contact the place where you bought your printer. ▲

