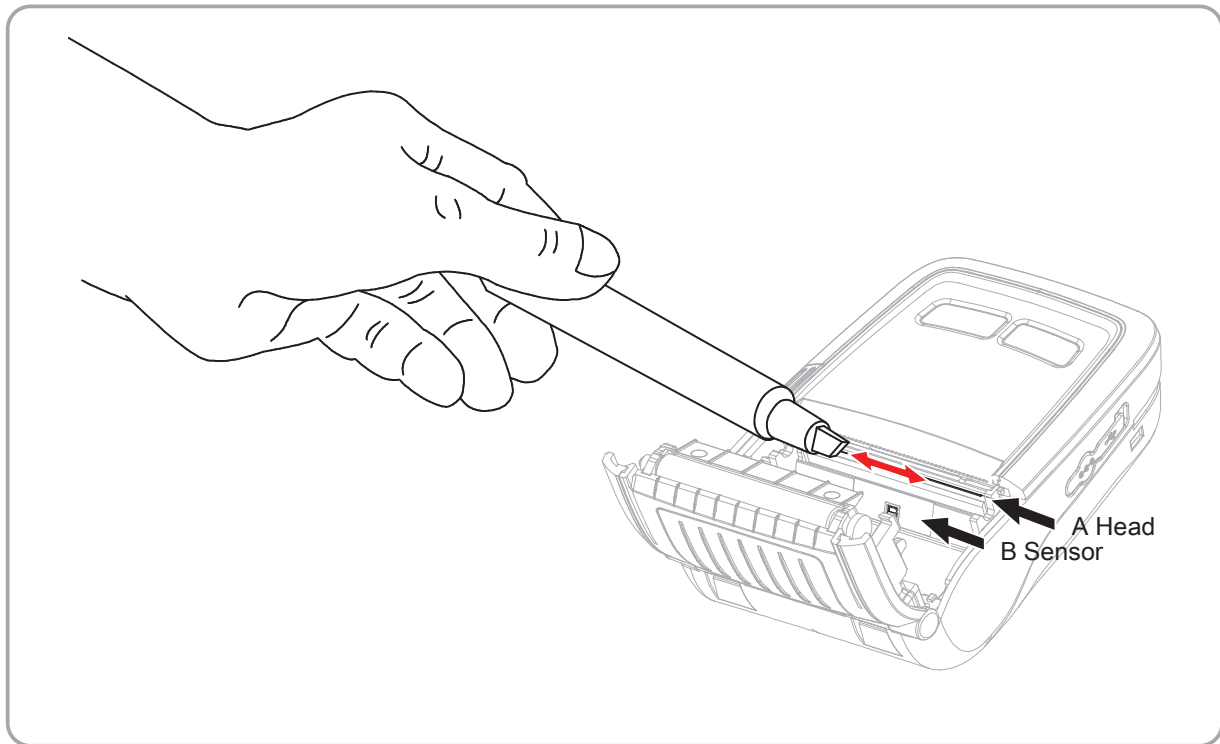


8. Printer Cleaning

If the interior of the printer is dusty, print quality can decline. In such a case, follow the instructions below to clean the printer.



- 1) Open the media cover and remove the paper, if present.
- 2) Clean the printhead (A) using a Zebra cleaning pen. Apply the cleaning pen from the center to the edge of the printhead (A) for cleaning.
- 3) Using the cleaning pen, remove the paper dust from the paper detection sensor (B) .
- 4) Do not use the printer for one to two minutes after cleaning the printhead (A) until the cleaning agent (from the cleaning pen) has completely evaporated and dried.
- 5) Insert the paper and close the media cover.

⚠ Caution

- Make sure the printer power is turned off before cleaning.
- Wait for two to three minutes after power-off before printhead cleaning because it may be very hot.
- Do not touch the heating region of the printhead with your hand while cleaning it.
- The printhead may be damaged by static electricity.
- Avoid scratching the printhead.
- Clean the printhead periodically if linerless paper is used. Recommended cleaning period is after consuming twenty rolls of linerless paper (100 meters), or approximately once a week. Print quality may be degraded or printhead life may be shortened if it is not cleaned periodically.

⚠ Warning

- Use only linerless paper that is provided by Zebra. Use of other paper voids product warranty.
- Use a Zebra Cleaning Pen; part number. 105950-035 (12 pack).