

# Quick Start

Using your SLP 440 and 450 with Windows® 2000, XP, 2003 Server 2003, Vista and Windows 7 or Mac OS® X 10.2 or later.

*Install the software before connecting the SLP printer to your computer.*

## Installing the Smart Label Program for Mac OS X

- 1 Insert the Smart Label CD. If the installer does not appear automatically, double-click the CD on your desktop or in the left pane of a new Finder window.
- 2 Double-click the file *SiISmartLabelPrinter.mpkg*. The installer will appear. Follow the on-screen instructions.
- 3 For Mac OS X 10.2: After installation is complete, open *Print Center* and select your SLP printer. Mac OS X 10.3 or 10.4 will automatically set up your printer.

## Installing the Smart Label Program for Windows

- 1 Insert the Smart Label CD. The installation wizard starts automatically on most systems. If the introductory screen doesn't appear after a few seconds, continue with the following steps.
- 2 Click the Windows *Start* button then point to *Settings* and choose *Control Panel*.
- 3 Double-click *Add/Remove Programs* then click the *Install* button. Follow the install wizard to assist with installation.

## Preparing the SLP

- 1 Install the software, then connect the printer to your PC or Mac.
  - The SLP can be connected to the USB port on your PC or Mac.

- Connect the other end of the cable into the appropriate port on the back of the SLP.

- 2 Connect the supplied AC adapter to the back of the SLP and to a power outlet.

- 3 The printer powers on automatically when connected to AC power. The status light will flash until the labels are loaded.

- 4 Lift the label cover.

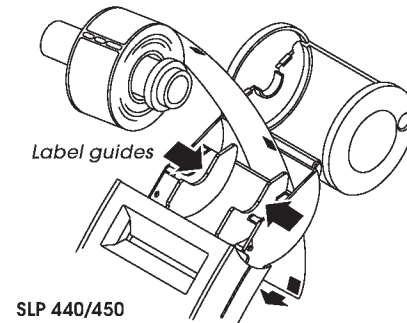
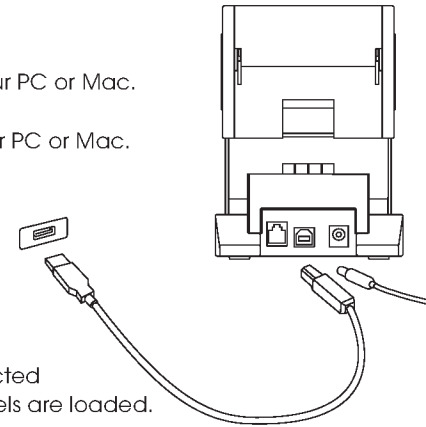
- 5 Load a roll of standard labels.

- Remove the sticker from the roll, and then place the roll on the spindle as illustrated. Adjust the label guides to fit against the roll.

- Feed the labels into the slot on the back of the printer. The labels automatically feed to the exit slot, then stop.

- Close the label cover.

- 6 Start your SLP software and begin using your new SLP. If you want to run a test label, please refer to the FAQ "Test Labels" on our website: **[www.siibusinessproducts.com](http://www.siibusinessproducts.com)**.



## Your First Address Label (Mac OS X)

- 1 Double-click the *Smart Label Printer* Application.

- 2 The default address label will appear. (Screen at right.) To clear this template, press *Delete*.

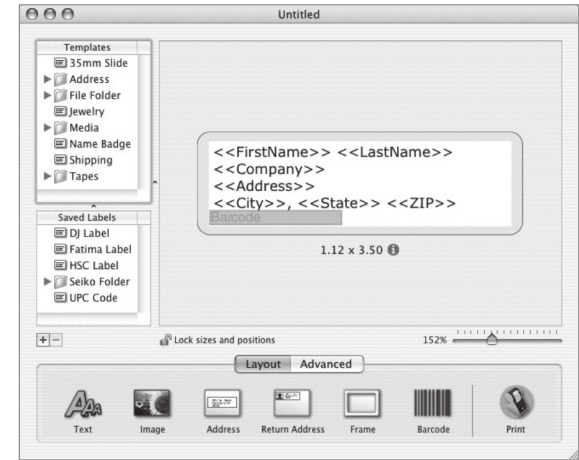
- To change your label template, select a label from the *Templates* or select *New* from the *File* menu.

- To change the font or text, select 

- To add a bar code, select 


- 3 Click  to print the label.

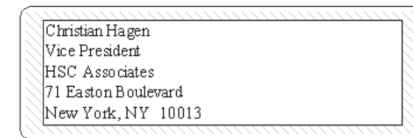
- 4 Select *Save* from the *File* menu to save the label.



## Your First Address Label (Windows)

- 1 Click the Windows *Start* button then point to *Programs* and choose the *Smart Label* program, or select the Smart Label icon on your desktop.

- 2 Click  to begin a new label.



**Note:** *The address is automatically entered into fields in the Contact information window.*

- 3 Type the address.

To customize the label, click one of the Smart Label Icons:™

- Click  to add additional information.

- 4 Click  to print the label.

- 5 Click  to Save the label.



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# Quick Tour

## Label Objects for Mac OS X





Object buttons are used to add different elements to the labels. The object buttons appear in the layout palette at the bottom of the Main Window.

- Click an object button, define its attributes in the drop down sheet and click *OK*.

- To modify an object on the label, click the  button to the right of the object.
- To change the import characteristics, double-click the object.

- Drag handles to resize the object or drag the object to move it.


- To adjust text objects, click one of the following buttons to the right of the handles:

-  Text object properties sheet will appear.
-  A pop-up menu for text alignment will appear.
-  A pop-up menu for fonts will appear.
-  A pop-up menu for font size will appear.



## How To's

**Create a New Label.** Click a Smart Label Icon in the *Templates* list or create a new format by adding objects. Click  to add an address or  to add a picture, for instance.

**Save Labels in Folders.** Click in the *Saved Labels* list. Click the  button and name the folder. Drag saved labels to this folder.

**Save a Template.** Choose *Save Template...* from the *File* menu. Name the template and click *OK*.

**Edit a Saved Label.** Click the label in the the *Saved Labels* list and edit as shown above.

**Print Saved Labels.** Click the label in the the *Saved Labels* list then click the  button.

**Print Labels from Another Application.** Click on *Advanced* button located near the bottom of the window. Choose the program from which to print the labels. Select the labels from the list and click *OK*.

## Label Objects for Windows

Object buttons are used to add different elements to the labels. Choose from six different elements: Smart Text, Format Text, Picture, Bar Code, Return Address, Frame.

To use the object buttons:

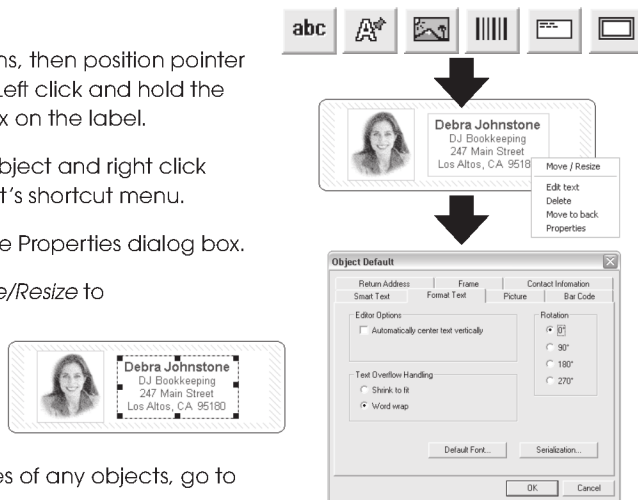
- Click one of the object buttons, then position pointer at desired location on label. Left click and hold the mouse to draw the object box on the label.

- Position the pointer over an object and right click the mouse to open the object's shortcut menu.

- Choose *Properties* to open the Properties dialog box.

- For text objects, choose *Move/Resize* to adjust the object.

- Drag handles to resize the object or drag the object to move it.

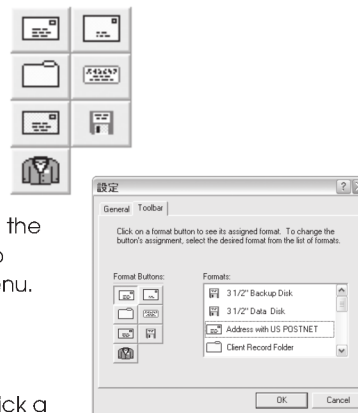


To change the default properties of any objects, go to *Options* then *Object Defaults*.

## Smart Label Icons

Smart label icons are shortcuts to popular label templates. Twelve preset template can be used for the seven icons.

- To use a icon, simply click on the icon and the label template will be changed.
- To customize your icons, go to *Options, Settings*. Click on the *Toolbar* tab. Click on the *Format* button you would like to change, and click the desired icon from the *Formats* menu.





## How To's


**Create a New Label.** Click . To change the format, click a smart label icon or select *New* from the *Label* menu.

**Save Labels in Categories.** Select the category when you save the label. To add new categories or modify the existing names, choose *Library* then *Define category names* from the *Label* menu.


**Print Saved Labels.** Choose *Print selected...* from the *Label* menu and select the label you want to print.

**Open a Saved Label.** Click  and select the label that you want to open. The label may be edited and printed. To access or change the contact information (e.g., add phone numbers, etc.) click .

**Save Changes to the Label Format.** From the *Format* menu, select *Save Format*. The *Save Format Wizard* appears where you can assign a name and icon to the format.

**Capturing Addresses and Copying Text.** Click on the *SmartCapture™* icon  in the notification area of the Windows Taskbar to capture addresses or *SmartCopy™* selected text from other programs. Some programs may require you to highlight the text to be captured and then click on the *SmartCapture* icon.

## Changing Labels

- Tear off any printed labels so the labels are flush with the exit slot. Press and hold the  button to reverse the labels out the back of the printer. **DO NOT** pull the labels out of the printer. Load the new roll as described on the front of this card.

- To select a different label type in the Smart Label program:  
**Windows:** Choose *Properties* from the *Label* menu or select the label type from the pull-down list at the bottom of the window.  
**Mac:** Choose the label from *Templates* menu

- The print margins can be adjusted if the printing isn't positioned properly when the label is printed, particularly on small labels. To adjust the margins, choose *Print* from the *Label* menu then click the *Setup* button. Click the *Advanced* tab to adjust the print margins.

## About Your Labels

- The SLP 420, 430, 440 and 450 can use any of the *SmartLabels™* provided by Seiko Instruments. The SLP 410 can use labels up to 1-1/8 inches (28mm) wide. The default settings for the Smart Label Icons provide examples of how you might use the different label types.

**Important:** For best results we recommend the use of Seiko Instruments SmartLabels. Other brands may not be engineered to provide optimum, trouble-free results, they may not work with your SLP or they may damage it and void your warranty.

- SmartLabels are available from your local Seiko Instruments dealer or they may be ordered from Seiko Instruments. For information call:

(800) 688-0817 in USA and Canada

Or visit our website at [www.siibusinessproducts.com](http://www.siibusinessproducts.com)

## What to do if...

Refer to your *Smart Label Printer User Guide* or the on-line help if you have a problem or need additional information when using your SLP.

To access on-line help, choose *Help Topics* from the *Help* menu.