

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The invention is prevent drawbacks resulting from the bubble generated at the downstream side of the filter, while minimizing the waste in the ink.

5 The recording head 201 has a sub tank 201b for storing ink supplied from the exterior, and a liquid chamber 201f storing the ink supplied from the sub tank 201b and supplying ink directly to a nozzle 201g for ink discharge. A filter 201c is provided between
10 the sub tank 201b and the liquid chamber 201f. The liquid chamber 201f holds ink of a predetermined amount in such a manner that the ink therein is separated by gas from the filter 201c.