



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Product and Company Identification

Identification of the preparation	HP Color LaserJet Q3972A Yellow Print Cartridge
Product use	This product is a yellow toner preparation that is used in HP Color LaserJet 2550/2820/2840 series printers.
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Company identification	Hewlett-Packard Company 3000 Hanover Street Palo Alto, CA 94304-1185 United States Telephone 650-857-1501 Hewlett-Packard health effects line (Toll-free within the US) 1-800-457-4209 (Direct) 1-503-494-7199 HP Customer Care Line (Toll-free within the US) 1-800-474-6836 (Direct) 1-208-323-2551 Email: hpcustomer.inquiries@hp.com

2. Hazards Identification

Acute health effects

Skin contact	Unlikely to cause skin irritation.
Eye contact	May cause transient slight irritation
Inhalation	Minimal respiratory tract irritation may occur with exposure to large amounts of toner dust.
Ingestion	Low acute toxicity. Ingestion is a minor route of entry for intended use of this product.

Potential health effects

Routes of exposure	Potential routes of exposure under normal use conditions are skin and eye contact; and inhalation Ingestion is not expected to be a primary route of exposure for this product under normal use conditions.
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Chronic health effects	Prolonged inhalation of excessive amounts of any dust may cause lung damage. Use of this product as intended does not result in inhalation of excessive amounts of dust.
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Carcinogenicity	None of the ingredients have been classified as carcinogens according to EU, IARC, MAK, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.
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Other information	This product is not classified as hazardous according to OSHA CFR 1910.1200 or EU Directive 1999/45/EC, as amended.
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This preparation contains no component classified as Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) or very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) as defined under Regulation (EC) 1907/2006.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Components	CAS #	Percent
Styrene acrylate copolymer	Trade Secret	< 85
Wax	Trade Secret	< 10
Pigment	Trade Secret	< 5
Amorphous silica	7631-86-9	< 2

4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures

Eye contact	Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush with large amounts of clean, warm water (low pressure) for at least 15 minutes or until particles are removed. If irritation persists, consult a physician.
Skin contact	Wash affected areas thoroughly with mild soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Inhalation	Move person to fresh air immediately. If irritation persists, consult a physician.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth out with water. Drink one to two glasses of water. If symptoms occur, consult a physician.

General advice No additional information

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable properties Like most organic material in powder form, toner can form explosive dust-air mixtures when finely dispersed in air.

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media CO₂, water, or dry chemical

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

Protection of firefighters

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters If fire occurs in the printer, treat as an electrical fire.

Specific methods None established.

Hazardous combustion products Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions Minimize dust generation and accumulation.

Environmental precautions Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. See also section 13 Disposal considerations.

Other information Slowly vacuum or sweep the material into a bag or other sealed container. Clean remainder with a damp cloth or vacuum cleaner. If a vacuum is used, the motor must be rated as dust explosion-proof. Fine powder can form explosive dust-air mixtures. Dispose of in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling Keep out of the reach of children. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use with adequate ventilation. Keep away from excessive heat, sparks, and open flames.

Storage Keep out of the reach of children. Store at room temperature. Store away from strong oxidizers. Keep tightly closed and dry.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure guidelines USA OSHA (TWA/PEL): 15 mg/m³ (Total Dust), 5 mg/m³ (Respirable Fraction)

ACGIH (TWA/TLV): 10 mg/m³ (Inhalable Particulate), 3 mg/m³ (Respirable Particulate)

Amorphous silica: USA OSHA (TWA/PEL): 20 mppcf 80 (mg/m³)/%SiO₂, ACGIH (TWA/TLV): 10 mg/m³

Engineering controls Use in a well ventilated area.

Personal protective equipment

General No personal respiratory protective equipment required under normal conditions of use.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance Fine powder

Color Yellow

Odor Slight plastic odor

Odor threshold	Not available.
Physical state	Solid
Form	solid
pH	Not applicable
Melting point	Not available.
Freezing point	Not available.
Boiling point	Not applicable
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	Not applicable
Flammability limits in air, upper, % by volume	Not available.
Flammability limits in air, lower, % by volume	Not flammable
Vapor pressure	Not applicable
Vapor density	Not available.
Specific gravity	1 - 1.2 (H ₂ O = 1)
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility (water)	Negligible in water. Partially soluble in toluene and xylene.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Softening point	212 - 302 °F (100 - 150 °C)
Viscosity	Not applicable
Percent volatile	0 % estimated
VOC	Not available.
Other information	Decomposition temperature: > 200 °C

10. Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information

Chemical stability	Stable under normal storage conditions.
Conditions to avoid	Imaging Drum: Exposure to light
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizers
Hazardous decomposition products	Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Will not occur.

11. Toxicological Information

Oral toxicity	LD50/oral/rat >2000 mg/kg; (OECD 401); Not harmful.. Not classified for acute oral toxicity according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.
Carcinogenicity	Not a known or suspected carcinogen according to any IARC Monograph, NTP, OSHA Regulations (USA), EU Directive, or Proposition 65 (California).
Inhalation toxicity	No information available. Not classified for acute inhalation toxicity according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Not classified as irritant, according to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) and EU Directive 67/548/EEC and as amended.
Chronic toxicity	No information available.
Sensitization	Not classified as a sensitizer according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and as amended, and OSHA HCS (US).
Mutagenicity	Negative, does not indicate mutagenic potential (Ames Test: Salmonella typhimurium)
Reproductivity	Not classified as toxic according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and as amended, California Prop. 65, and DFG (Germany).
Further information	Complete toxicity data are not available for this specific formulation Refer to Section 2 for potential health effects and Section 4 for first aid measures.

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity LL50: > 1000 mg/l, Rainbow Trout, 96.00 Hours

Persistence and degradability Not available.

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal instructions Do not shred toner cartridge, unless dust-explosion prevention measures are taken. Finely dispersed particles may form explosive mixtures in air. Dispose of in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations.

HP's Planet Partners (trademark) supplies recycling program enables simple, convenient recycling of HP original inkjet and LaserJet supplies. For more information and to determine if this service is available in your location, please visit <http://www.hp.com/recycle>.

14. Transport Information

Further information Not a dangerous good under DOT, IATA, ADR, IMDG, or RID.

15. Regulatory Information

US federal regulations US EPA TSCA Inventory: All chemical substances in this product comply with all rules or orders under TSCA.

DEA Exempt Chemical Mixtures Code Number

Not regulated.

Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). List 1 & 2 Exempt Chemical Mixtures (21 CFR 1310.12(c))

Not regulated.

Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). List 2, Essential Chemicals (21 CFR 1310.02(b) and 1310.04(f)(2) and Chemical Code Number

Not listed.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity

None

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

29 CFR 1910.1200 hazardous chemical No

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - No
Delayed Hazard - No
Fire Hazard - No
Pressure Hazard - No
Reactivity Hazard - No

Section 302 extremely hazardous substance No

Section 311 hazardous chemical No

State regulations

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Not regulated.

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Not regulated.

US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

Not regulated.

US. Rhode Island RTK

Not regulated.

Regulatory information

All chemical substances in this HP product have been notified or are exempt from notification under chemical substances notification laws in the following countries: US (TSCA), EU (EINECS/ELINCS), Switzerland, Canada (DSL/NDL), Australia, Japan, Philippines, South Korea, New Zealand, and China.

16. Other Information

Other information	This MSDS was prepared in accordance with USA OSHA Hazard Communications regulation (29 CFR 1910.1200).
HMIS® ratings	Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0
NFPA ratings	Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Instability: 0
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Explanation of abbreviations	

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
COC	Cleveland Open Cup
DOT	Department of Transportation
EPCRA	Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (aka SARA)
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NTP	National Toxicology Program
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
REC	Recommended
REL	Recommended Exposure Limit
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986
STEL	Short-Term Exposure Limit
TCLP	Toxicity Characteristics Leaching Procedure
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds