



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. Product and Company Identification

**Material name** HP Color LaserJet Q5950A Black Print Cartridge

**Use of the preparation** This product is a black toner preparation that is used in HP Color LaserJet 4700 series printers.

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## 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, eye contact and inhalation. Ingestion is not expected to be a primary route of exposure for this product under normal use conditions.

**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.

**Carcinogenicity** Carbon black is classified by the IARC as a Group 2B carcinogen (the substance is possibly carcinogenic to humans). Carbon black in this preparation, due to its bound form, does not present this carcinogenic risk.

### Other information

This product is not classified as hazardous according to OSHA CFR 1910.1200 or EU Directive 1999/45/EC, as amended.

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

Component/substance	CAS number	% by weight
Styrene acrylate copolymer	Trade Secret	< 85
Wax	Trade Secret	< 15
Carbon black	1333-86-4	< 6
Amorphous silica	7631-86-9	< 2



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## 4. First Aid Measures

### First aid procedures

<b>Eye contact</b>	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.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash affected areas thoroughly with mild soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move person to fresh air immediately. If irritation persists, consult a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth out with water. Drink one to two glasses of water. If symptoms occur, consult a physician.

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## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Flash point and method</b>	Not applicable
<b>Hazardous combustion products</b>	Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.
<b>Flammable properties</b>	Like most organic material in powder form, toner can form explosive dust-air mixtures when finely dispersed in air.
<b>Extinguishing media</b>	
<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	CO <sub>2</sub> , water, or dry chemical
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	None known.
<b>Unusual fire and explosion hazard</b>	Like most organic material in powder form, toner can form explosive dust-air mixtures when finely dispersed in air.
<b>Protection of firefighters</b>	
<b>Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	If fire occurs in the printer, treat as an electrical fire.
<b>Special firefighting procedures</b>	None established.

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## 6. Accidental Release Measures

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Minimize dust generation and accumulation.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. See also section 13 Disposal considerations.
<b>Other information</b>	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.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

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

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## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

<b>Exposure guidelines</b>	USA OSHA (TWA/PEL): 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Total Dust), 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Respirable Fraction) ACGIH (TWA/TLV): 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Inhalable Particulate), 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Respirable Particulate) Amorphous silica: USA OSHA (TWA/PEL): 20 mppcf 80 (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )/%SiO <sub>2</sub> , ACGIH (TWA/TLV): 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
<b>Personal protective equipment</b>	
<b>General</b>	No personal respiratory protective equipment required under normal conditions of use.



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## 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance	Fine powder
Color	Black
Odor	Slight plastic odor
Odor threshold	Not available.
Physical state	Not available.
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	Not available.
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 applicable
Specific gravity	1 - 1.2 (H <sub>2</sub> O = 1)
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility (water)	Negligible in water. Partially soluble in toluene and xylene.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Softening point	212 - 302 °F (100 - 150 °C)
Viscosity	Not applicable

## 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	LD <sub>50</sub> /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.
Inhalation toxicity	No information available.  Not classified for acute inhalation toxicity according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.
Eye irritation	Not classified as irritant, according to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) and EU Directive 67/548/EEC and as amended.



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<b>Sensitization</b>	Not classified as a sensitizer according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and as amended, and OSHA HCS (US).
<b>Chronic toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Carbon black is classified as a carcinogen by the IARC (possibly carcinogenic to humans, Group 2B) and by the State of California under Proposition 65. In their evaluations of carbon black, both organizations indicate that exposure to carbon black, per se, does not occur when it remains bound within a product matrix, specifically, rubber, ink, or paint. Carbon black is present only in a bound form in this preparation. None of the other ingredients in this preparation are classified as carcinogens according to ACGIH, EU, IARC, MAK, NTP or OSHA.
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	Negative, does not indicate mutagenic potential (Ames Test: Salmonella typhimurium)
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Not classified as toxic according to EU Directive 67/548/EEC and as amended, California Prop. 65, and DFG (Germany).

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## 12. Ecological Information

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	96.00 Hours, LL50 > 1000 mg/l, rainbow trout
<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	Not available.

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## 13. Disposal Considerations

<b>Disposal instructions</b>	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 <a href="http://www.hp.com/recycle">http://www.hp.com/recycle</a> .
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## 14. Transport Information

Not available.

<b>General</b>	Not a regulated article under United States DOT, IATA, ADR, IMDG, or RID.
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## 15. Regulatory Information

<b>US federal regulations</b>	US EPA TSCA Inventory: All chemical substances in this product comply with all rules or orders under TSCA.
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### CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity

None

### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

<b>Hazard categories</b>	Immediate Hazard - No Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No
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<b>Section 302 extremely hazardous substance</b>	No
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<b>Section 311 hazardous chemical</b>	No
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<b>International regulations</b>	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.
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## 16. Other Information

<b>HMIS® ratings</b>	Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0
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**NFPA ratings**

Health: 1  
Flammability: 1  
Instability: 0

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**MSDS sections updated**

Hazards Identification: Other information

**Explanation of abbreviations**

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

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