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## 1.PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name : AR-201NT / AR-201T / AR-201ST (Black Toner)

**Supplier Identification**: Sharp Corporation

22-22 Nagaike-cho, Abeno-ku, Osaka, Japan

Local suppliers are listed below. Please contact the nearest supplier for additional information.

Area	(Country)	(Name and Telephone			
	U.S.A.	Sharp Electronics Corporation			
		Sharp Plaza, Mahwah, NJ			
North America		Telephone number for information	: 1-800-237-4277		
		Emergency telephone number	: 1-800-255-3924		
	Canada	Sharp Electronics of Canada Ltd.			
		Telephone number for information	: 905-890-2100		
		Emergency telephone number	: 1-800-255-3924		
	Australia	Sharp Corporation of Australia PTY. Ltd.			
Oceania		No1 Huntingwood Drive Huntingwood Blacktown N.S.W.			
		Telephone number for information	: 1300-13-50-22		
	Germany	Sharp Electronics (Europe) GMBH			
		Sonninstrasse 3, 20097 Hamburg			
		Telephone number to access MSDS	: 040-2376-2185		
		For more information	: 040-2376-2613		
	United	Sharp Electronics (U. K.) Ltd.			
	Kingdom	Telephone number for information	: 08705-274-277		
	France	Sharp Electronics France S.A.			
		Telephone number for information	: 01-49-90-34-00		
	Austria	Sharp Electronics GMBH			
Europe		Telephone number for information	: 01-727-19-0		
Luiope	Italy	Sharp Electronics (Italy) S.P.A.			
		Telephone number for information	: 02895951		
	Spain	Sharp Electronics (Espana) S.A.			
		Telephone number for information	: 93-581-97-00		
	Netherlands	Sharp Electronics Benelux B.V.			
		Telephone number for information	: 30-6359500		
	Sweden	Sharp Electronics Nordic AB			
		Telephone number for information	: 08-634-36-00		
	Switzerland	Sharp Electronics(Schweiz)AG			
		Telephone number for information	: 01-846-6111		
Middle	U.A.E.	Sharp Middle East FZE			
East		P.O.Box 17115 Jebel Ali, Dubai			
		Telephone number for information	: 04-815311		

# 2.COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance[ ]

Preparation[X]

Ingredient	CAS No.	<b>Proportion</b>	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	MAK-TWA	NOHSC-TWA
Styrene-Acrylate copolymer	29497-14-1	85 – 95%	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Carbon black	1333-86-4	5 – 10%	3.5mg/m <sup>3</sup>	3.5mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not listed	3mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Iron oxide	1309-38-2	1 – 5%	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Metal Complex dye*	109125-51-1 84179-66-8	1 – 5%	0.5mg/m <sup>3</sup>	0.5mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not listed	Not listed

\* EC No.: 400-110-2, Symbol letter: F,N, R Phrase: R11, R50/53



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### **3.HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### Most Important Hazards and Effects of the Products

Human Health Effects: There are no anticipated carcinogenic effects from exposure based on animal tests

performed using toner. When used as intended according to instructions, studies do not

indicate any symptoms of fibrosis will occur.

Environmental Effects: not toxic to aquatic organisms

Specific Hazards : Dust explosion (like most finely divided organic powders)

Directive 1999/45/EC(Europe): Not classified as dangerous

### **4.FIRST-AID MEASURES**

Route(s) of Entry: <u>Inhalation?</u> <u>Skin?</u> <u>Ingestion?</u>

Yes No Possible but very unusual.

**Inhalation**: Remove to fresh air. If symptoms occur, consult medical personnel. **Skin Contact**: Wash with soap and water for 15 minutes or until particle is removed.

If irritation does occur, consult medical personnel.

**Eye Contact**: Flush eyes immediately with water for 15 minutes. If irritation does occur, consult medical personnel.

Ingestion: Rinse with water and drink several glasses of water. If irritation or discomfort does occur, consult

medical personnel.

### **5.FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Extinguishing Media** : Water, CO<sub>2</sub>, foam and dry chemicals

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: None

Fire and Explosion Hazards : Toner material, like most finely divided organic powders, may form an explosive

mixture.

### **6.ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal Precautions : None Environmental Precautions : None

**Methods for Cleaning Up** : Wipe off with paper or cloth. Do not use vacuum cleaner when a large amount is

released. It, like most finely divided organic powders, is capable of creating a

dust explosion.

## 7.HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Handling

Technical Measures : None Precautions : None

Safe Handling Advice : Use of a dust mask is recommended when handling a large quantity of toner or during long

term exposure, as with any non-toxic dust. Try not to disperse the particles.

Storage

Technical Measures : None

Storage Conditions : Keep container closed and Store in a cool and dry place.

Keep out of the reach of children.

Incompatible Products: None

### **8.EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

## **Engineering Measures**

Ventilation : Not required under intended use.



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**Exposure Limit Values** 

OSHA-PEL(USA) : 15mg/m³ (Total Dust), 5mg/m³ (Respirable Dust) ACGIH-TLV(USA) : 10mg/m³ (Total Dust), 3mg/m³ (Respirable Dust)

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

Respiratory Protection : Not required under intended use.
Hand Protection : Not required under intended use.
Eye Protection : Not required under intended use.
Skin Protection : Not required under intended use.

Other Protective Equipment : Use of a dust mask and goggles are recommended when handling a large

quantity of toner or during long term exposure, as with any non-toxic dust.

### 9.PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance** 

Physical State: Solid Form: Powder Color: Black Odor: odorless

Ph : Not applicable
Boiling / Melting Point : Not applicable
Softening Point(°C) : 100 - 130
Flash Point(°C) : Not applicable

Ignition Point(°C) : > 350
Explosion Properties : No data

Density(g/cm³) : 1.1 (bulk density : 0.35)

Solubility in Water : Negligible

## **10.STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability : Stable

**Hazardous Reactions**: Dust explosion, like most finely divided organic powders.

**Conditions to Avoid** : Electric discharge, throwing into fire.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Materials to Avoid} & : Oxidizing Materials \\ \textbf{Hazardous Decomposition Products} & : CO, CO_2 \ and \ NO_X \\ \end{tabular}$ 

Further Information : None

# 11.TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute Toxicity** 

Ingestion(oral) :  $LD_{50} > 2000 \text{mg/kg}$  (Rats)

Inhalation : No Data

Eye irritation : Not an irritant (Rabbits)
Skin irritation : Not an irritant (Rabbits)

Skin sensitizer : No sensitization **Mutagenicity** : Negative (Ames Test)

Carcinogenicity: In 1996 the IARC reevaluated carbon black as a Group 2B carcinogen (possible human

carcinogen). This classification is given to chemicals for which there is inadequate human evidence, but sufficient animal evidence on which to base an opinion of carcinogenicity. The classification is based upon the development of lung tumors in rats receiving chronic inhalation exposures to free carbon black at levels that induce particle overload of the lung. Studies performed in animal models other than rats did not show any association between carbon black and lung tumors. Moreover, a two-year cancer bioassay using a typical toner preparation containing carbon black demonstrated no association between toner exposure and tumor

development in rats.

**Chronic Effect**: In a study in rats of chronic inhalation exposure to a typical toner, a mild to moderate degree of



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lung fibrosis was observed in 92% of the rats in the high concentration (16mg/m³) exposure group, and a minimal to mild degree of fibrosis was noted in 22% of the animals in the middle (4mg/m³) exposure group, but no pulmonary change was reported in the lowest (1mg/m³) exposure group, the most relevant level to potential human exposures.

#### 12.ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity**: On available data, toner is not harmful to aquatic organisms

### **13.DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste from Residues: Waste material may be dumped or incinerated under conditions which meet all federal,

state and local environmental regulations.

Contaminated Packaging: Waste may be disposed or incinerated under conditions which meet all federal, state

and local environmental regulations.

### **14.TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

UN Classification : None Not classified as hazardous for transport.

### 15.REGULATORY INFORMATION

**US** Information

TSCA(Toxic Substances Control Act):

All chemical substances in this product comply with all applicable rules or order under TSCA.

SARA(Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act) Title III

302 Extreme Hazardous Substance : None 311/312 Hazard Classification : None

**EU** Information

1999/45/EC and 67/548/EEC

Symbol & Indication : Not required R-Phrase : Not required

76/769/EEC : All chemical substances in this product comply with all applicable rules or

order under 76/769/EEC.

## **16.OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Rating (USA) : Health=1 Flammability=1 Reactivity=0 WHMIS Legislation (Canada) : This product is not a controlled product.

List of R phrases : R11 : Highly flammable

R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in

the aquatic environment.

References

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The information on this data sheet represents our current data and best opinion as to the proper use in handling of this product under normal conditions. However, all materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. Although certain hazards are described herein, we do not guarantee that these are the only hazards which exist.