

Product Safety Information Sheet

General environmental and safety information for consumers

1. Product and Company Identification

1.1 Identification of the preparation C4812A – No. 11 magenta C4837A – No. 11 magenta

1.2 Company undertaking identification
 Hewlett-Packard Company
 1000 NE Circle Boulevard
 Corvallis OR 97330-4239
 USA

1.3 Emergency telephone number
Hewlett-Packard Health Effects Line
1-800-457-4209 (USA and Canada) or
Intl +1-503-494-7199 (all other areas)

1.4 General information telephone number 1-208-323-2551 (USA and Canada) Intl +1-208-323-2551 (all other areas)

Hazard rating	NFPA/HMIS
Health	1
Flammability	2
Instability/Reactivity	0
Special	No data

2. Composition/information on ingredients

This ink cartridge contains an aqueous ink formulation.

Component	CAS No.	% by weight	Workplace Limits (PEL, TLV)
1,5-pentanediol	112-29-5	<12	not established
2-pyrrolidone	616-45-5	<6	not established
tetraethylene glycol	112-60-7	<5	not established
succinic acid	110-15-6	<10	not established
trade secret materials	not specified	<15	not established
water	7732-18-5	balance	not established



3. Hazards Identification

3.1 *Primary Routes of Exposure* skin, eye, oral, and inhalation

3.2 Acute Health Hazards

Skin: May cause slight skin irritation characterized by redness and swelling after

prolonged contact. Indications may be masked by color of ink.

Eye: May be mildly irritating.

Oral: May cause stomach upset after ingestion.

Inhalation: Prolonged inhalation may result in irritation to the respiratory tract.

3.3 Chronic Health Hazards

None noted

3.4 Carcinogenicity

None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by ACGIH, EPA, EU, MAK, IARC or NTP.

4. First Aid Measures

4.1 Emergency First Aid Procedures

Call the HEWLETT-PACKARD HEALTH EFFECTS LINE at 1-800-457-4209 (Intl + 1-503-494-7199 outside USA and Canada).

First aid for skin

Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water. Clothing should be laundered before reuse. **Seek medical attention if skin irritation persists.**

First aid for eyes

Contact with eyes may cause mild irritation. Immediately flush with large amounts of clean, lukewarm water (low pressure) for at least 15 minutes. **Seek medical** attention if eye irritation persists.

First aid for ingestion

Ingestion of ink may cause stomach upset. Seek medical advice and then call the HEWLETT-PACKARD HEALTH EFFECTS LINE. **Seek medical attention if stomach upset persists.**

First aid for inhalation

Remove to fresh air.



5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point:	Auto-ignition temperature:
>141 °F; >61 °C	not determined
Extinguishing media:	Special fire fighting procedures:
Water, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam	none
Unusual fire and explosion hazards:	
no special hazards known	

6. Accidental release measures

Spill or Leak Procedures

No special procedures are indicated. Use absorbent towels to wipe up ink. Rinse area with damp cloth to remove remaining traces of ink.

7. Handling and storage

No special handling or storage required.

KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN

Storage temperature: store at room temperature	Shelf life: 1 year
Handling and storage precautions: do not use inkjet	Special sensitivity: none
cartridge when frozen. Ensure inkjet cartridge exterior is dry	
before inserting into printer.	

8. Exposure control / personal protection

No special eye or skin protection is needed for cleanup of spills. Standard eye and skin protection for laboratory chemical safety is required.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance: red liquid	Physical state: liquid at room temperature
Boiling point: not applicable	Specific gravity: not determined
pH: 3.8 – 4.2	Solvent content: <20%
Solubility in water: soluble	Vapor density: >1 (air = 1.0)
Odor: not applicable	Vapor pressure: not applicable



10. Stability and reactivity

Stability: stable under normal storage conditions	Thermal decomposition products: Oxides of carbon and nitrogen, water
Incompatibilities: strong oxidizers.	Hazardous polymerization: none

11. Toxicological information

Refer to sections 3. Hazards Identification and 4. First Aid Measures

12. Ecological information

No data available

13. Disposal considerations

Dispose in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local laws

14. Transport information

Not a regulated article under DOT, IATA, ADR or RID.

15. Regulatory information

For EU: According to EU Directive 88/379/EEC, this product is not classified as dangerous and therefore no hazard label is required.

For USA: All components listed on TSCA inventory.

16. Other Information

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