

PURCHASERS' QUESTIONNAIRE
CARBAZOLE VIOLET PIGMENT 23 FROM CHINA AND INDIA

Return completed questionnaire to:

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Office of Investigations, Room 615
500 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20436

So as to be received by the Commission by no later than September 14, 2004

The information called for in this questionnaire is for use by the United States International Trade Commission in connection with its countervailing duty and antidumping investigations concerning carbazole violet pigment 23 ("violet 23") from China and India (invs. Nos. 701-TA- 437 and 731-TA-1060 and 1061 (Final)). The information requested in the questionnaire is requested under the authority of the Tariff Act of 1930, title VII. This report is mandatory and failure to reply as directed can result in a subpoena or other order to compel the submission of records or information in your possession (19 U.S.C. § 1333(a)). Further information on this questionnaire can be obtained from Craig Thomsen (202-205-3226).

<p>Name of firm _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>City _____ State _____ Zip code _____</p> <p>World Wide Web address _____</p> <p>Has your firm purchased violet 23 (as defined in the instruction booklet) from <u>any</u> source (domestic or foreign) at any time since January 1, 2001?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NO (Sign the certification below and promptly return only this page of the questionnaire to the Commission)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES (Read the instruction booklet carefully, complete all parts of the questionnaire, sign the certification, and return the entire questionnaire to the Commission)</p>

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information herein supplied in response to this questionnaire is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and understand that the information submitted is subject to audit and verification by the Commission.

By signing this certification I also grant consent for the Commission, and its employees and contract personnel, to use the information provided in this questionnaire and throughout these investigations in any other import-injury investigations conducted by the Commission on the same or similar merchandise. (If you do not consent to such use, please note the certification accordingly.)

I acknowledge that information submitted in this questionnaire response and throughout these investigations may be used by the Commission, its employees, and contract personnel who are acting in the capacity of Commission employees, for developing or maintaining the records of these investigations or related proceedings for which this information is submitted, or in internal audits and investigations relating to the programs and operations of the Commission pursuant to 5 U.S.C. Appendix 3. I understand that all contract personnel will sign non-disclosure agreements.

Name and Title of Authorized Official

Signature of Authorized Official

Date

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Phone

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PART I.--GENERAL QUESTIONS

The questions in this questionnaire have been reviewed with market participants to ensure that issues of concern are adequately addressed and that data requests are sufficient, meaningful, and as limited as possible. Public reporting burden for this questionnaire is estimated to average 10 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering the data needed, and completing and reviewing the questionnaire. Send comments regarding the accuracy of this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20436.

I-1a. Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your firm of preparing the reply to this questionnaire and completing the form.

_____ hours _____ dollars

I-1b. We are interested in any comments you may have for improving this questionnaire in general or the clarity of specific questions. Please attach such comments to your response or send them to the above address.

I-2. Provide the name and address of establishment(s) covered by this questionnaire (see page 3 of the instruction booklet for reporting guidelines). If your firm is publicly traded, please specify the stock exchange and trading symbol.

I-3. Is your firm owned, in whole or in part, by any other firm?

No Yes--List the following information.

<u>Firm name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Extent of ownership</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

I-4. Does your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, which are engaged in importing violet 23 from China or India into the United States or which are engaged in exporting violet 23 from China or India to the United States?

No Yes--List the following information.

<u>Firm name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Affiliation</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

PART I.--GENERAL QUESTIONS--Continued

I-5. Does your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, which are engaged in the production of violet 23?

No Yes--List the following information.

<u>Firm name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Affiliation</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

PART II.--PURCHASES

II-1. Report, as indicated below, your firm's purchases (either directly or through a sales agent or broker) of violet 23 (in both crude and finished product form). Report based on delivery date, not order date.

<i>(Quantity in 1,000 pounds of 100-percent pure pigment, value in \$1,000)</i>				
Item	2001	2002	2003	Jan.-June 2004
VIOLET 23 IN CRUDE FORM:				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN CHINA:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN INDIA:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN ALL OTHER COUNTRIES:¹				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
¹ Please identify these countries: _____				

PART II.--PURCHASES--Continued

II-1.--Continued

(Quantity in 1,000 pounds of 100-percent pure pigment, value in \$1,000)				
Item	2001	2002	2003	Jan.-June 2004
VIOLET 23 IN PRESSCAKE FORM:				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN CHINA:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN INDIA:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN ALL OTHER COUNTRIES:¹				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
¹ Please identify these countries: _____				
VIOLET 23 IN DRY COLOR FORM:				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN CHINA:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN INDIA:				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
PURCHASES OF PRODUCT PRODUCED IN ALL OTHER COUNTRIES:¹				
<i>Quantity</i>				
<i>Value</i>				
¹ Please identify these countries: _____				

PART II.--PURCHASES--Continued

II-2. If the relative shares of your firm's total purchases of violet 23 from different sources (both domestic and foreign) have changed in the last three years, please list the country, state whether the relative share from that country has increased or decreased, and state the reason.

Country/Product type (e.g. crude, presscake, dry color)	Increase/ decrease	Reason

II-3. If your firm has purchased violet 23 from only one country, please explain the reasons for doing so.

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION REFER TO VIOLET 23 IN BOTH CRUDE AND FINISHED FORMS. IF THE ANSWERS TO THE QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION DIFFER BY FORM OR TYPE OF VIOLET 23 (I.E., CRUDE PIGMENT FORM, PRESSCAKE FORM, OR DRY COLOR FORM), OR IF YOUR ANSWERS DIFFER BY END USE (I.E., TEXTILES, PRINTING INKS, ETC.), PLEASE NOTE THIS IN YOUR RESPONSE.

III-1. Which of the following best describes your firm as a purchaser of violet 23 (check all that apply, noting the specific end uses if known)?

- Converter of crude to finished violet 23 (_____)
- END USER, textiles (_____)
- END USER, printing ink (_____)
- END USER, coatings (_____)
- END USER, plastics (_____)
- END USER, other (_____)
- DISTRIBUTOR (_____)
- Other (_____)

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES--Continued

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III-2. (a) If your firm is a distributor or reseller of violet 23, what are the major types of consumers to which you sell violet 23? Please specify if your answer depends on the contry source of the violet 23 (United States, China, India, all other countries).

(b) Do you compete for sales to your customers with the manufacturers or importers from which you purchase violet 23? Please specify if your answer depends on the contry source of the violet 23 (United States, China, India, all other countries).

III-3. Are you aware of the development of any new applications for violet 23 since January 1, 2001?

No Yes--Please explain, also indicating the extent, if any, to which violet 23 from China and/or India has created new uses for the product.

III-4. (a) If your firm is an end user of violet 23, list in order of quantity of violet 23 consumed, the top 5 products for which your firm purchases violet 23 as a component part or input. Please indicate what percentage of the total cost of the final product is accounted for by the cost of the violet 23. Please specify if your answer depends on the contry source of the violet 23 (United States, China, India, all other countries).

<u>Product you produce</u>	<u>Percent of cost accounted for by violet 23</u>
1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____
3. _____	3. _____
4. _____	4. _____
5. _____	5. _____

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES--Continued

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(b) Do your firm's purchase prices of violet 23 vary for the above mentioned end-use categories?

No Yes--Please estimate the percentage difference in purchase prices based on final end use, and describe what factors contribute to differences in purchase prices based on final end use. Please specify if your answer depends on the contry source of the violet 23 (United States, China, India, all other countries).

III-5. (a) If your firm is an end user of violet 23, has the demand for your firm's final products incorporating violet 23 changed since January 1, 2001?

Increased Unchanged Decreased

(b) Has this had any effect on your firm's demand for violet 23?

III-6. (a) Please list in order of importance any products that may be substituted for violet 23.

(1) _____ (2) _____ (3) _____

(b) For each possible substitute product, please give examples of applications and end uses for which they are substitutes.

(c) Have changes in the prices of these products affected the price for violet 23?

No Yes--Please explain.

III-7. Are you aware whether the violet 23 you are purchasing is U.S.-produced or imported?

Always Usually Sometimes Never

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES--Continued

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III-8. Do you know the manufacturer of the violet 23 that you purchase?

- Always
- Usually
- Sometimes
- Never

III-9. To your knowledge, are your buyers aware of and/or interested in the country of origin of the goods you supply them?

- Always
- Usually
- Sometimes
- Never

III-10. Have you made significant changes in your purchasing patterns (e.g., frequency) in the last three years?

- No
- Yes--Please explain.

III-11. How many suppliers do you generally contact before making a purchase?

III-12. Have you changed suppliers since January 1, 2001?

- No
- Yes--Please list the suppliers, indicate whether each firm was added or dropped as a supplier, and give the reasons for the change.

III-13. Are you aware of any new suppliers, either foreign or domestic, that have entered the market in the last 3 years?

- No
- Yes--Please identify the firms.

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES--Continued

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III-14. Do you require your suppliers to become certified or prequalified with respect to the quality, chemistry, strength, or other performance characteristic of the violet 23 they sell to your firm?

- No
- Yes— ___ percent of purchases in 2003
- Yes—all purchases

Please provide a general description of the certification or qualification process and the time required. *(Note: If your qualification process differs depending on the end use application, please report separately for each end use application.)*

III-15. Briefly describe the factors that you consider when qualifying a new supplier (e.g., quality of product, reliability of supplier, etc.) and estimate the time it takes to certify or qualify a new supplier.

III-16. Please identify which domestic and foreign producers are qualified to sell their violet 23 to your firm, and note the end use applications for which each producers' violet 23 is qualified.

III-17. Since January 1, 2001, have any domestic or foreign producers failed in their attempts to certify or qualify their violet 23 with your firm or have any producers lost their approved status?

- No
- Yes--Please identify these firms, the countries where they are located, and the reasons why they failed the certification/qualification process.

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES--Continued

III-18. (a) For the factors listed below, please rate each in terms of its importance in your purchase decision for violet 23.

	VERY IMPORTANT	SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT
Availability in crude form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Availability in dry color form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Availability in presscake form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Delivery terms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Delivery time	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Discounts offered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Extension of credit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Price	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Minimum qty requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Packaging	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Product consistency	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality meets industry standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality exceeds industry standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Product range	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reliability of supply	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Technical support/service	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
U.S. transportation costs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (specify):			
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

PART III.--MARKET CHARACTERISTICS AND PURCHASING PRACTICES--Continued

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III-18. (b) Please list, in order of their importance, the three major factors generally considered by your firm in deciding from whom to purchase violet 23 for any one order (examples include current availability, extension of credit, prearranged contracts, price, quality exceeding specifications or industry standards, range of supplier's product line, traditional supplier, etc.).

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

Other factors or comments: _____

III-19. What characteristics does your firm consider when determining the quality of violet 23?

III-20. How often does your firm purchase the violet 23 that is offered at the lowest price?

- Always
 Usually
 Sometimes
 Never

III-21. Please list the names of any firms you considered price leaders in the violet 23 market during January 2001-June 2004. A price leader is defined as (1) one or more firms that initiate a price change, either upward or downward, that is followed by other firms, or (2) one or more firms that have a significant impact on prices. A price leader does not necessarily have to be the lowest priced supplier. For those firms identified as a price leader, please specify the time period in which a price change was communicated, whether the price change was upward or downward, and whether it covered a specific geographic region or a specific product type.

III-22. Please describe how the above firm(s) exhibited price leadership.

III-23. Does your firm purchase violet 23 over the internet?

- No
 Yes--Please describe, noting the estimated percentage of your firm's total purchases of violet 23 in 2003 accounted for by internet purchases.

PART IV.--COMPARISONS BETWEEN IMPORTED AND U.S.-PRODUCED PRODUCT--Continued

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IV-3. Do you or your customers ever specifically order violet 23 from one country in particular over other possible sources of supply?

No Yes--Please identify all relevant countries (including the United States and both subject and nonsubject foreign countries) from which you or your customers prefer to order, and indicate why violet 23 from these countries is preferred over product from other countries (please note the specific product in your response).

IV-4. Are certain shades or strengths of violet 23 available only from certain sources (domestic or foreign, including both subject and nonsubject countries)?

No Yes--Please identify the source, the type of violet 23, and the end use.

IV-5. If you purchased violet 23 from one source although a comparable product was available from another source at a lower price, please explain your reasons for doing so (please specify by country, including the United States and both subject and nonsubject foreign countries). Possibilities might include transaction characteristics such as length of time to fill orders, minimum order size, reliability of supply, etc.

PART IV.--COMPARISONS BETWEEN IMPORTED AND U.S.-PRODUCED PRODUCT--Continued

IV-6. For the factors listed below, please rate how violet 23 produced in each country you identified in your response to the first question in Part IV compares with violet 23 produced in each of the other countries you identified (including the United States and both subject and nonsubject foreign countries). Copy this page as necessary to cover all possible country combinations and please attach any comments you care to make concerning your responses, especially in comparisons where you rate product from one country superior or inferior to product from another.

_____	compared to	_____	
(specify country)		(specify country)	
	SUPERIOR	COMPARABLE	INFERIOR
Availability in crude form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Availability in dry color form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Availability in presscake form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Delivery terms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Delivery time	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Discounts offered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Extension of credit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lack of environmental defects ¹	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lower price	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Minimum qty requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Packaging	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Performance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Product consistency	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality meets industry standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality exceeds industry standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Product color or shade	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Product range	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reliability of supply	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Technical support/service	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lower U.S. transportation costs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

¹ Note specific environmental defects (e.g., presence of PCBs).

PART IV.--COMPARISONS BETWEEN IMPORTED AND U.S.-PRODUCED PRODUCT--Continued

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IV-7. (a) How often does domestically produced violet 23 meet minimum quality specifications for your uses or your customers' uses?

- Always
- Usually
- Sometimes
- Rarely or never

(b) How often does imported subject violet 23 from China meet minimum quality specifications for your uses or your customers' uses?

- Always
- Usually
- Sometimes
- Rarely or never

(c) How often does imported subject violet 23 from India meet minimum quality specifications for your uses or your customers' uses?

- Always
- Usually
- Sometimes
- Rarely or never

(d) How often does imported nonsubject violet 23 from sources other than the United States, China, or India meet minimum quality specifications for your uses or your customers' uses?

Country _____ Always Usually Sometimes Rarely or never

Country _____ Always Usually Sometimes Rarely or never

Country _____ Always Usually Sometimes Rarely or never

PART V.--PURCHASE PRICES

This section requests quarterly price and quantity data concerning your firm's purchases of the following U.S.-produced and imported products from China and/or India during January 2002-June 2004:

Product 1.—Carbazole violet pigment 23 in crude pigment form (see definition in instruction booklet)

Product 2.—Carbazole violet pigment 23 in presscake form (see definition in instruction booklet)

Product 3.—Carbazole violet pigment 23 in dry powder pigment (dry color) form (see definition in instruction booklet)

Please note that total dollar values should be delivered to your facility and should include any U.S.-inland transportation costs. Total dollar values should reflect the FINAL NET amount paid by you (i.e., should be net of all deductions for discounts or rebates). See instruction booklet.

V.-1 Do different shades of violet 23 (e.g., redder, bluer) command different prices?

No Yes--Please explain.

PART V.--PURCHASE PRICES--Continued

COPY PAGES AS NECESSARY. Complete a separate page for each of the specified products purchased by your firm. Indicate in the space provided the product for which pricing is reported.

PURCHASES FROM U.S. PRODUCERS

Product 1 Product 2 Product 3

(Quantity in pounds of 100-percent pure pigment, value in dollars)		
Period of shipment	Quantity	Delivered value
2001:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2002:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2003:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2004:		
January-March		
April-June		
¹ If your product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your product: <hr/> <hr/>		

PART V.--PURCHASE PRICES--Continued

PURCHASES FROM U.S. IMPORTERS

PRODUCT PRODUCED IN CHINA INDIA

Product 1 Product 2 Product 3

<i>(Quantity in pounds of 100-percent pure pigment, value in dollars)</i>		
Period of shipment	Quantity	Delivered value
2001:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2002:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2003:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2004:		
January-March		
April-June		
¹ If your product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your product: <hr/> <hr/>		

PART V.--PURCHASE PRICES--Continued

PURCHASES FROM FOREIGN SUPPLIERS²

PRODUCT PRODUCED IN CHINA INDIA

Product 1 Product 2 Product 3

(Quantity in pounds of 100-percent pure pigment, value in dollars)		
Period of shipment	Quantity	Delivered value
2001:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2002:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2003:		
January-March		
April-June		
July-September		
October-December		
2004:		
January-March		
April-June		
¹ If your product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your product: _____ _____ _____		
² Report data on this page only if your firm purchased imported violet 23 <u>directly</u> from suppliers in China or India.		

PART VI.--SUPPLIER IDENTIFICATION

Please provide the names and addresses of your firm's five largest suppliers of violet 23 purchased during January 2001-June 2004. Please also provide the name and telephone number of a contact person and the share of the quantity of your firm's total purchases of violet 23 that each of these suppliers accounted for in 2003.

No.	Supplier's name	Street address (not P.O. box), city, state, and zip code	Contact person	Area code and telephone number	Share of 2003 purchases (%)
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					