

ABSTRACT

A toner cartridge includes a casing, a feeding member and a pump. the
5 casing includes a toner accommodation chamber accommodating toner, and a
toner discharging chamber having a discharge opening for discharging the toner,
and a communication port for fluid communication between the toner
accommodation chamber and the toner discharging chamber. A part of the
feeding member is provided inside the communication port. When a minimum
10 cross-sectional area of the communication port in a plane perpendicular to a toner
feeding direction of the feeding member is $A_{\min}$, the toner discharging chamber
has a cross-sectional area B_s larger than $A_{\min}$, and the toner accommodation
chamber has a cross-sectional area C_s larger than $A_{\min}$.