



### Classes 1, 1M, 2 & 2M

	Class 1	Class 1M	Class 2	Class 2M
Examples	Laser printers, DVD devices, Laboratory Analytical equipment, Optical disk drives		Laser pointers, Barcode scanners, Range finding equipment	
Type	Very low power or encapsulated	Very low power; collimated with large beam diameter or highly divergent	Visible, low power	Visible, low power; collimated with large beam diameter or highly divergent
Caution/Warning	None	Do not view directly with optical instruments	Do not stare into beam	Do not stare into beam or expose users of telescopic optics
Eye/Skin Hazards	None	Safe for unaided exposure unless using an optical instrument	Safe for unintentional exposure less than ¼ of a second	Safe for unaided unintentional exposure less than ¼ of a second; may be hazardous when using an optical instrument

### Safety Tips:

- Before turning on the laser, always be sure that it is pointed away from yourself and others.
- Never look directly into a laser.
- Never direct a laser at another person.
- Follow the same rules for direct reflections of laser light from reflective surfaces.

Laser Safety Training is available on Learning Central.

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