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Section 01 - Product Information

Identification of the company:	AZ Electronic Materials USA Corp. 70 Meister Avenue Somerville, NJ 08876 Telephone No.: 800-515-4164
Information on the substance/preparation	Product Safety: 908-429-3562
Emergency Tel. number:	800-424-9300 CHEMTREC

Trade name: AZ 300 MIF (US)

Section 02 - Composition information

Hazardous ingredients:

Chemical Name	CAS-no. (Trade secret no.)	Concentration [%]
Tetramethylammonium hydroxide	75-59-2	1.00 - 3.00

Non-hazardous ingredients:

Chemical Name	CAS-no. (Trade secret no.)	Concentration [%]
Water	7732-18-5	> 95.00

Section 03 - Hazardous identification

Emergency overview: Clear liquid with slight amine odor., Noncombustible., Causes moderate skin irritation., Causes severe eye irritation., Water soluble.

Expected route of entry

Skin contact: yes
Ingestion: no
Inhalation: yes
Eye contact: Contact with liquid and mist.
Skin absorption: yes

Health effects of exposure:



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Component information:

Eye: Causes severe eye irritation. Skin: Causes moderate skin irritation. Toxic by skin absorption. Inhalation: No hazard in normal industrial use. Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed. Reproductive and birth defects: No information. Systemic effects: No hazard in normal industrial use.

Tetramethylammonium hydroxide (75-59-2)

Tetramethylammonium hydroxide may cause severe irritation or caustic burns to eyes and mucous membranes. TMAH is caustic and corrosive to skin and eyes in concentrated form. Pure TMAH is highly toxic in animal tests by the oral and dermal routes of exposure.

Listed carcinogen: IARC: NO NTP: NO OSHA: NO

HMIS:

Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Personal protection: X

NFPA:

Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Special notice: NONE

Section 04 - First aid measures

After inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air.
Consult physician if irritation occurs.

After contact with skin: Consult physician if exposure is extensive or if irritation occurs.
Immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water.

After contact with eyes: Flush thoroughly with water for 15 minutes. Get immediate medical help.

After ingestion: If person is conscious, give water or milk to dilute stomach contents.
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Consult physician.
Do not induce vomiting.

Advice to doctor / Treatment: A component of this material causes severe acute toxicity in experimental animals by the oral or dermal route of exposure. Exposed individuals should be carefully observed and treated according to symptoms.

Section 05 - Fire fighting measures

Flash point: Water-based material with low organic content., Compatible with extinguishing agents.



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Section 06 - Accidental release measures

Steps to be taken in case of spill or leak: Wearing appropriate personal protective equipment, contain spill, collect onto inert absorbent, and place in a suitable container. Rinse residual with water.

Section 07 - Handling and Storage

Advice on safe handling:

Use only with adequate ventilation and proper protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing.

Further information for storage conditions:

Store at appropriate temperature. See label for details.
Store in original container.
Keep from freezing.

Section 08 - Exposure Control / personal protection

Respiratory protection: If airborne concentrations pose a health hazard, become irritating, or exceed recommended limits, use a NIOSH approved respirator in accordance with OSHA respiratory protection requirements under 29CFR1910.134.

Hand protection: Chemical resistant gloves.

Eye protection: Wear safety glasses with side shields, chemical splash goggles, and /or full face shield to prevent contact with eyes.

Body protection: Clothing suitable to prevent skin contact.

Additional advice on system design: Where mist is present, provide local exhaust ventilation or a respirator certified for mist by NIOSH.

Section 09 - Physical and chemical properties

Form: Liquid

Color: Clear, colorless

Odor: Slight amine odor.

pH value: 13.3

Solubility in water: Soluble

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Density: 1 g/cm³
Boiling point: 100 °C
Loss on drying: 97.6 %

Section 10 - Stability and reactivity

Hazardous reactions: Stable.

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Avoid contact with strong acids. This product is expected, by test or analogy, to slowly attack aluminum and perhaps other nonferrous metals, releasing hydrogen gas.

Section 11 - Toxicological information

Acute oral toxicity: Testing in animals shows that this material is, harmful (rat acute oral LD₅₀ between 500 and 5000mg/kg).

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50 mg/kg as chloride salt

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Acute inhalation toxicity No data.

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Acute dermal toxicity: LD₅₀ Guinea pig
25 mg/kg
not determined

Section 12 - Ecological information

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Biodegradability: Readily biodegradable.

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Fish toxicity: LC₅₀
35.1 mg/l



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Toxicity of aquatic invertebrates: EC50 0.21 mg/l

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Algae toxicity : No data available.

Section 13 - Disposal considerations

Product: Consult local, state, and federal regulations.
This product would be considered a hazardous waste under RCRA due to high pH unless neutralized prior to disposal.

Section 14 - Transport information

Land transport

- DOT: Not restricted

Sea transport

- IMDG:
UN-No: 1835
Proper technical name: TETRAMETHYLAMMONIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Class: 8
Packaging group: III
Marine pollutant:
EmS: F-A, S-B
MFAG:
Labels: 8

Air transport

- ICAO/IATA-DGR:
UN/ID No.: UN 1835
Proper technical name: Tetramethylammonium hydroxide, solution
Class: 8
Packaging group: III
Labels: 8

Section 15 - Regulatory information



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TSCA Status: All components of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

SARA (section 311/312): Reactive hazard: no
Pressure hazard: no
Fire hazard: no
Immediate/acute: yes
Delayed/chronic: no

SARA 313 information: This product is not subject to SARA Title III Section 313 reporting requirements under 40 CFR 372.

Section 16 - Other information

Further information

The tetramethylammonium ion (TMA), as TMAH, in this developer is toxic at low levels to the water flea ceriodaphnia dubia (CD) used in the whole effluent toxicity (WET) biomonitoring test. Data from the supplier suggests that continuous input of 60-100 ppm TMA to a small POTW should not cause WET toxicity. It is expected that discharges to a sizable POTW will not affect the ability to pass the WET tests. However, discharges to a small POTW or direct discharges to surface waters should be carefully reviewed. Contact AZ Electronic Materials Product Safety for additional information (908-429-3593 or 908-429-3562).

Label information

DANGER!

Alkaline solution. Contains material that may be highly toxic. May cause severe skin and eye irritation. May cause corneal damage. Dry or concentrated residue may be corrosive.

Avoid breathing mist, and avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Use only with adequate ventilation, and proper protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep container closed.

In case of contact, flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately. Flush affected skin areas with water, and wash with mild soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. If INHALED, remove individual to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If ingested, give water or milk to dilute stomach contents. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately for ingestion or breathing problems or if skin contact is extensive.

If spilled, wear protective clothing, absorb with inert material, collect and place in a chemical waste container. Rinse residue with water.

Keep sealed in original container. Avoid freezing and direct sunlight. Product should be stored > 32 F (0 C). Empty container may contain harmful residue.

The solvent in this product is not photochemically reactive per Rule 102 of the California South Coast Air Quality Management District.

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