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APPLICATIONS: • Atomic Force Microscopes • Scanning Electron Microscopes • Scanning Probe Microscopes • Scanning Tunneling Microscopes

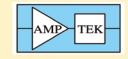
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FEATURES: Nanotechnology instrumentation including atomic force microscopes (AFM) & field emission scanning electron microscopes (FE-SEM) for materials and life sciences characterization at the nanoscale.

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# **FAST SDD Detector for SEM-EDS**

APPLICATIONS: • Detectors • Energy-Dispersive X-ray Spectrometry (EDS) • Spectrometers (X-ray) • X-ray Analysis Equipment • OEM

FEATURES: SDD detectors for EDS-XRF use with SEMs by OEMs. Low energy response of the Amptek FAST SDD™ extends down to carbon (C).

http://www.amptek.com/sem.html

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APPLICATIONS: • Specimen Preparation Equipment Scanning Electron Microscopes (SEMs) • Vacuum Equipment • SEM Accessories • Coating Systems

FEATURES: Hummer Sputtering tools have been in production for over 40 years • SEM • R&D • FA

Materials Research • Medical /Biological Research

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http://www.anatechusa.com/hummer-sputter-systems/4

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# **Topspin Experiment Framework for** (Transmission) Electron Microscopy

**APPLICATIONS: • Transmission Electron Microscopes** (TEMs) • Software for Microscopy • Electron Backscatter Diffraction • Energy-Dispersive X-Ray Spectrometry (EDS) • Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEMs)

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APPLICATIONS: • Materials Characterization • EDS • EBSD • WDS • Fully integrated EDS-EBSD-WDS OIM™ Analysis

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www.edax.com/Smart

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APPLICATIONS: • High speed EBSD data collection · Detailed microstructural characterization · Orientation precision • High indexing rates

FEATURES: Results without compromise. Highest orientation precision. Industry best sensitivity for operation at beam currents as low as 100 pA with >99% indexing success rates.

http://www.edax.com/Products/EBSD/Hikari-XP-EBSD-Camera.aspx

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APPLICATIONS: • High Quality EDS Data Acquisition SEM Microanalysis • TEAM™ EDS Software Suite

FEATURES: High speed, high quality data collection. Four models for key microanalysis applications. Smart features guarantee optimized acquisition setup and quality data.

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# Companies and their Products

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APPLICATIONS: • FIB Accessories • FIB Lift Out • TEM Grids • TEM Specimen Preparation • APT Specimen Preparation

FEATURES: EXpressLO™ allows fast and easy ex situ lift out—no carbon support film needed. No expensive FIB time required. Simple manipulation for routine backside milling reduces curtaining.

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# **GV10x DS Asher**

APPLICATIONS: • Contamination Controll • Long mfp Plasma Cleaning • New *In-Situ* Cleaning Paradigm • FIB/SEM/TEM • SIMS/XPS/Review SEM

**FEATURES:** Unique plasma source is the engine in GV10x Asher that provides high power and low pressure, long mfp plasma for cleaning chambers and specimens *in-situ*.

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## **Leica EM CPD Critical Point Dryer**



APPLICATIONS: • Life Sciences • Materials Science • Critical Point Drying • SEM Sample Preparation • High-quality Samples

FEATURES: Dries delicate biological or industrial samples in a fully automated, controlled process to preserve surface structure for subsequent treatment and analysis.

http://www.leica-microsystems.com/products/electron-microscope-sample-preparation/biological-specimens/room-temperature-techniques/drying/details/product/leica-em-cpd300/

# Leica EM VCT100 Vacuum Cryo Transfer System



APPLICATIONS: • Life Sciences • Mounts to Any Vacuum-operated SEM, FIB, SIMS, AFM, or XPS Chamber • Contamination-free Cryo Transfer

FEATURES: Samples are transferred in a well-defined environment, e.g., protective gas or high vacuum from a preparation instrument to analysis unit: can be kept at low-temperature for cryo techniques.

http://www.leica-microsystems.com/products/em-sample-preparation/biological-specimens/low-temperature-techniques/vacuum-transfer/details/product/leica-em-vct100/

# Leica EM TIC 3X Ion Beam Slope Cutter

APPLICATIONS: • Materials Science • Triple Ion Beam Cutter • Cross-sections for SEM, Microstructure Analysis, and AFM • Sample Preparation • Milling at High Rates

FEATURES: For high-quality cross sections of materials, this instrument features three individually controlled ion beams that can cut up to three deep, broad samples in one process.

http://www.leica-microsystems.com/products/electron-microscope-sample-preparation/industrial-materials/solid-state-technology/details/product/leica-em-tic-3x/

# **Leica EM ACE Series of Coaters**



APPLICATIONS: • High vacuum coating for FE-SEM and TEM • Low vacuum coating – Sputter Coating and Carbon Thread • Sample Preparation

FEATURES: The latest advances in automated low vacuum and high vacuum coating systems – one touch coating with a small footprint.

http://www.leica-microsystems.com/products/em-sample-preparation/biological-specimens/room-temperature-techniques/coating/

# Leica EM UC7 Ultramicrotome



APPLICATIONS: • Life Sciences • Sample Preparation for TEM, SEM, AFM, and LM • Room Temperature and Cryo Sectioning • Materials Science • Semi- and Ultra-thin Sections

FEATURES: Provides easy preparation of semi- and ultra-thin sections as well as perfect, smooth surfaces of biological and industrial samples for TEM, SEM, AFM, and LM examination.

http://www.leica-microsystems.com/products/electron-microscope-sample-preparation/biological-specimens/low-temperature-techniques/ultramicrotomy/details/product/leica-em-uc7-1/

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# **Companies and their Products**

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APPLICATIONS: • Benchtop Electron Microscopes • Camera/Digital Camera Systems • Digital Microscope • Freeze Drying Equipment • Heating Stages

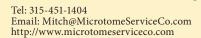
FEATURES: Widest magnification range 10x-60,000x

• No special sample prep • EDS for elemental analysis

• Images in under 3 minutes • Intuitive touchscreen Interface

http://www.benchtopsem.com/

# **Microtome Service Company**







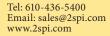
# Microtome Sales, Service, and Parts

APPLICATIONS: • Microtomes and Ultramicrotomes
• Microtome Repair • Knifemakers • Service and
Repair • Fabricate and modify lab equipment

FEATURES: Sales, service of Sorvall, DuPont, and RMC Microtomes and GKM Knife Makers. Microtome and lab accessories fabrication and modifications to meet your specific needs.

http://microtomeserviceco.com/index.php?route=information/information.id=7

# SPI Supplies/Structure Probe, Inc.







# Vacu Prep™ II

APPLICATIONS: • Materials Science • Life Science • Semiconductor • Coating Systems • Failure Analysis

FEATURES: Turbo molecular pump for fast and clean pump down times; simple automated operation for evaporation or sputtering, 60 liter/minute turbo molecular pump; interactive touch screen control pad, Rotation assembly, LN2 trap and funnel.



# Plasma Prep™ III

APPLICATIONS: • Materials Science • Life Science • Semiconductor • Asbestos • Failure Analysis

FEATURES: Solid state RF generator capable of 1 to 100W operations; low temperature asher/etcher; small footprint; 4" diameter x 6" depth Pyrex or Quartz Chamber; Optional Process Controller; Optional system for cleaning TEM Specimen Holders.

# Osmium Plasma Coaters



APPLICATIONS: • Materials Science • Life Science • Semiconductor • High Resolution SEM • Sample Preparation Equipment

FEATURES: Thin (1 nm) osmium metal coatings with no grain structure; Excellent for High Resolution FE-SEMs; Ideal for heat sensitive samples; No oxidation of coating.

### SC-1000 SEM Ion Mill



APPLICATIONS: • Materials Science • Life Science • Semiconductor • SEM • Ion Beam Milling

FEATURES: Equipped with both high- and low-energy ion sources. Rapid slope cutting with the high-energy ion gun followed by gentle surface cleaning with the low-energy ion gun provides cross-sectional SEM samples suitable for semiconductor failure analysis and other analytical purposes.

# **Sutter Instrument**





### SmartShutter™



APPLICATIONS: Shuttering, Fluorescence Microscopy, Life Sciences, Imaging Hardware

FEATURES: • Life tested to 100 million cycles
• Complete opening time 8 msec from trigger • Select
partial opening function for neutral density capability
• "Soft" mode provides minimum vibration • Stand
alone, or use with Sutter filter wheel

# Lambda XL



APPLICATIONS: Microscope Illumination, Fluorescence Microscopy, Life Sciences, Imaging Hardware, OEM Illumination

FEATURES: • 10,000 hour expected lifetime for bulb
• No high-voltage pulse • Highly stable output (less than ±1% fluctuations) • Built-in driver for Sutter filterwheel and SmartShutter • Low light loss through bulb life

# Lambda DG-4 / DG-5 PLUS



APPLICATIONS: Fluorescence Microscopy, Ratiometric Imaging, Wavelength Switching, Imaging Hardware, Life Sciences

FEATURES: • 0.5 msec switching between filters • Integrated light source and wavelength switching excitation system • Holds four or five interference filters and one neutral density filter • Light guide output provides uniform illumination • Direct computer control via parallel or serial interface

# Lambda 10-3



APPLICATIONS: Fluorescence Microscopy, Ratiometric Imaging, Wavelength Switching, Imaging Hardware, Life Sciences

FEATURES: • As fast as 40 msec between adjacent filters (10 position wheel) • As fast as 31 msec between adjacent filters (4 position wheel) • Can control up to 3 wheels and 2 shutters, or 2 wheels and 3 shutters • Compatible with SmartShutter™ stepper-motor controlled shutter • Controls a variety of 12, 25, 32, and 50 mm filterwheels

# Companies and their Products

# **Sutter Instrument (continued)**

MPC-385 / MPC-325

APPLICATIONS: Life Sciences, Micromanipulation, Electrophysiology

FEATURES: • Single controller and ROE will run 2 stepper motor drive manipulators • User-friendly interface: single button access to all major functions • Accelerated mode for fast, manual manipulator movement • Definable 4th axis for coaxial pipette movement • Ultra-low drift, ultra-smooth movement.



### **SOM-Simple Moving Microscope**

APPLICATIONS: • Fluorescence Microscopy • In vivo microscopy • In vitro microscope • Life sciences • Photostimulation

**FEATURES:** The SOM is a small, simple microscope designed to allow a single experimental setup to be used for both *in vivo* and *in vitro* experimentation.

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# **High Resolution FE-SEM Sputter Coaters**



APPLICATIONS: Life Sciences, Materials Science, Semiconductors, SEM

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APPLICATIONS: Life Sciences, Flourescence Microscopy, TEM, Image Analysis

FEATURES: • Superior Microwave Processing Control
• Precision Sample Temperature Control • Unrivaled
Application Flexibility • Consistent Quality Results
• True ease of operation

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# PELCO easiGlow<sup>™</sup>

APPLICATIONS: Life Sciences, Materials Science, TEM, Tomography

FEATURES: • Precise and easy vacuum settings
• Short cycle times • Consistent results • Intuitive touch screen for control and display • Supports hydrophilic/hydrophobic and negative/positive modes

www.tedpella.com/easiglow\_html/91000.htm

# **PELCO® Silicon Nitride Support Films**



APPLICATIONS: TEM, STEM, Thin Film Research, Life Sciences, Material Sciences

FEATURES: • Debris free and resilient films • Available membrane thickness of 8, 15, 50, and 200 nm

- 3 mm diameter frame fits perfect in TEM holders
- EasyGrip<sup>TM</sup> edges for improved handling

www.tedpella.com/grids\_html/silicon-nitride.htm#\_21500\_10



# PELCO® Modular SEM Sample Holders

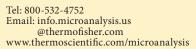
APPLICATIONS: SEM FESEM, FIB/FIB/SEM



FEATURES: • Stage adapters for all major SEM brands
• Large selection of effective and practical sample holders • Can be used on any SEM platform

www.tedpella.com/SEMmod html/SEMmod3.htm#anchor907543

# **Thermo Scientific**





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# NORAN System 7 X-ray Microanalysis System



APPLICATIONS: • Energy-Dispersive X-ray Spectroscopy (EDS) • Wavelength-Dispersive X-ray Spectroscopy (WDS) • Electron Backscatter Diffraction (EBSD) • Raman Spectroscopy/Microscopy • Surface Analysis

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# Evactron<sup>®</sup> Combiclean<sup>™</sup> System



APPLICATIONS: Combines remote plasma cleaning of SEM, FIB, and vacuum chambers with onboard cleaning for carbon removal of samples and vacuum parts.

FEATURES: • Switchable cleaning solutions • Integrated vacuum chamber • External Plasma Radical Source (PRS) for *in-situ* cleaning • Internal memory • Simple operation • Microprocessor regulates timer, RF power, and chamber pressure • Uses air for plasma • Backstreaming suppression for clean vacuum storage

http://evactron.com/combiclean

# **XEI Scientific Inc. (continued)**

# Evactron® 25Z De-Contaminator



APPLICATIONS: SEM, FIB, and vacuum chamber remote plasma cleaner; carbon removal from vacuum chamber

FEATURES: • Uses air to make oxygen radicals • Preset cleaning recipes • Available computer interface • Simple operation • Table top controller • Fast Zephyr mode cleaning at <20 mTorr.

http://evactron.com/evactron25



### Evactron® SoftClean™ Chamber

APPLICATIONS: Desktop plasma cleaning of specimens; uses one PRS for SEM and specimen cleaning; cleaning without sputter etching.

FEATURES: • 3 ports for TEM stage holders • Top opening chamber lid for SEM samples • RF shield built into lid • Includes vacuum cutoff valve • Uses air for cleaning gas

http://evactron.com/softclean

# **Evactron® 45Z and 40Z De-Contaminators**



APPLICATIONS: SEM, FIB, and vacuum chamber remote plasma cleaners; carbon removal from vacuum chamber.

FEATURES: • Use air • Preset cleaning recipes
• Available computer interfaces • Simple operation
• Rack mounted controllers • Fast Zephyr mode cleaning at <20 mTorr

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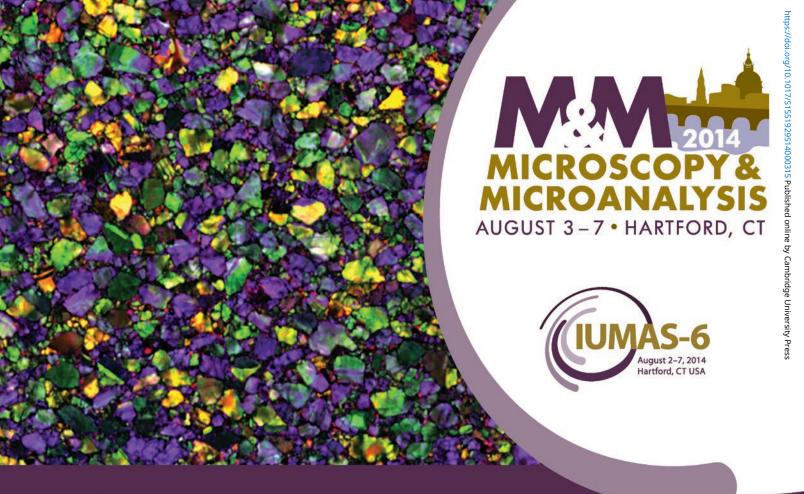


APPLICATIONS: Make oxygen radicals from air or oxygen gas; make hydrogen radicals from H2; plasma light sources.

FEATURES: • A variety of size and appearance options
• Built-in pressure measurement • Built-in gas flow control • Compact size • Easy mounting

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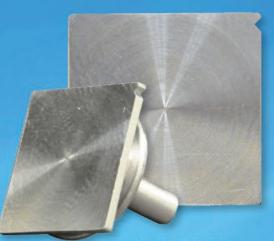
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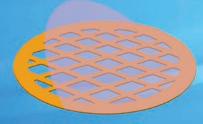


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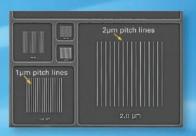


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