



BENCHTOP EVAPORATION SYSTEM

nanoPVD-T15A

Compact thermal and low-temperature evaporation for metals, organics and sensitive thin-film materials.

4"

MAX SUBSTRATE

$<5 \times 10^{-7}$

BASE PRESSURE (MBAR)

4

LTE SOURCES (UP TO)

500°C

SUBSTRATE HEATING

Research-grade evaporation in a compact benchtop platform

The nanoPVD-T15A is a benchtop evaporation system optimised for thermal evaporation of high-melting-point metals and volatile organics onto substrates up to 4" (100 mm). It can be equipped with box-shielded TE1 resistive sources for metals and low-thermal-mass LTE sources for organics. A tall, high-aspect-ratio chamber gives high-uniformity coating, while turbomolecular pumping, recipe-based touchscreen operation and easy servicing complete the platform — as compact as an electron-microscopy coater, but with research-grade hardware.

- Thermal (TE1) and low-temperature (LTE) evaporation
- High aspect-ratio chamber for uniform coating
- Turbomolecular high-vacuum pumping
- For metals, organics, electrodes and optical films
- Recipe-driven operation via touchscreen HMI
- Lower infrastructure burden than modular systems

Why choose the nanoPVD-T15A

- ✓ **Faster evaporation cycles**
Keep evaporation of electrodes, contacts and specialist materials close to the group so early-stage changes happen quickly.
- ✓ **Ease of use for mixed teams**
A compact format, touchscreen HMI and recipe-based operation make it approachable while preserving research-grade control.
- ✓ **Research-grade flexibility**
Practical evaporation of metals, volatile organics and sensitive materials where local access and careful development matter.
- ✓ **Lower operational friction**
Useful PVD capability without the access complexity, services load and training burden of larger infrastructure.

Key features

- 🖥️ **Compact benchtop design**
Research-grade evaporation in a space-efficient format for labs, teaching spaces and cleanrooms.
- 🧪 **Thermal & LTE sources**
Box-shielded TE1 sources for metals; low-thermal-mass LTE sources for volatile organics.
- 📱 **High aspect-ratio chamber**
A tall chamber geometry supports high-uniformity coating via evaporation.
- 🌀 **High-vacuum performance**
Turbomolecular pumping for low-contamination operation below 5×10^{-7} mbar.
- 📄 **Recipe-based touchscreen control**
7" HMI with fully automatic operation and multiple saved process recipes.
- 🛡️ **Gentle on sensitive materials**
Low-temperature evaporation suits organics and films that plasma sputtering would damage.

Typical configurations

Start with a proven configuration, then tailor source, gas, stage and monitoring options around your materials and target films.

Metals deposition

Contact metals, electrodes and interfaces for device prototyping.

- Two TE1 thermal sources
- Shutters for clean deposition
- Quartz crystal sensor (rate/thickness)

Organics deposition

Volatile organics and sensitive materials needing low-temperature sources.

- Four LTE low-temperature sources
- Low thermal mass for organics
- QCM sensor and shutters

Metals + organics

Combined workflow for electrodes plus organic or interface layers.

- Two TE1 + two LTE sources
- Metals and organics in one chamber
- Shutters and QCM sensor

Technical specifications

Parameter	Specification
System type	Benchtop PVD — thermal & LTE evaporation
Base pressure	$<5 \times 10^{-7}$ mbar (turbo-pumped)
Evaporation method	Thermal (TE1) + low-temperature (LTE)
Evaporation sources	Up to 4 LTE; up to 2 TE1 (metals)
Rate / thickness	Quartz crystal sensor head (option)
Pumping	Turbomolecular high-vacuum
Chamber	Tall, high aspect-ratio for uniformity

Parameter	Specification
Max substrate size	4" (100 mm)
Substrate heating	Up to 500°C optional
Substrate cooling	Not available
Substrate handling	Rotation, Z-shift & shutters (option)
Process control	Industrial PLC + 7" HMI touchscreen
Recipe control	Recipe save / load standard
Glovebox compatible	No
Warranty	2 years

Exact specifications depend on final configuration and are confirmed at quotation.

Selected publications citing the nanoPVD range

- Enhanced photocurrent and electrically pumped quantum-dot emission from plasmonic nanoantennas — University of Cambridge
- A photolithographable electrolyte for deeply rechargeable Zn microbatteries — Chemnitz University of Technology
- Benign solution-processed Sb_2Se_3 nanowires for photovoltaic applications — Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
- High-sensitivity ethanol vapour detection using In_2O_3 @ ZnO core-shell nanomeshes — Warsaw University of Technology
- Single-molecule mid-infrared spectroscopy via vibrationally assisted luminescence — University of Cambridge
- Decoupled high-mobility graphene on $\text{Cu}(111)$ /sapphire via CVD — Italian Institute of Technology