Tool ID: 422
Tool Location: 137

Equipment Information Sheet

GCA AutoStep 200 DSW i-line Wafer Stepper

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Calls to staff phones will be automatically forwarded to their cell phones during accessible hours. At other times leave a message or send them an email.

SAFETY

- No unusual hazards during normal operation

USAGE RESTRICTIONS

- No buddy system restrictions imposed on normal operation

SCHEDULING/SIGN-UP RESTRICTIONS

Minimum Tool Time: 15 minutes

- First time runs with staff ONLY
- Maximum 2 hour block reservations during daytime
- Maximum 6 hours reserved in advance at any time per person
- No consecutive research group reservations
- Users/Groups may use any amount of unreserved time

MATERIALS COMPATIBILITY CATEGORY

Tool Category 5: Class A and B Metals and Compounds

Allowed	Not Allowed
Tool category 1/1E, 2, 3, and 4 materials	
Silicon Based Substrates and Films	
III/V compound Semiconductors	
Glass Substrates	
PECVD and ALD Films	
Cured organics and baked Photoresist	
CNF Class A, B, and Refractory metals	
Exposed Gold, Silver, Copper	
Alkali and Alkaline Compounds	
Organic/Biology Molecules prepared-w/salt buffers	
High Vapor Pressure Materials (Mg, Ca, Zn)*	* Some tool restrictions on high vapor pressure materials may apply
Soft organic materials	

High Vapor Pressure Metals and Compounds are materials that have a vapor pressure above 1e-6 Torr at 400 C.

Additional Material Restrictions and Exceptions

- Standard 100mm wafers ONLY unless specifically trained
- Back of substrate must be CLEAN - NO RESIST on back
- Mask must be CLEAN - no resist or fingerprints

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