

Tool ID: 403  
Tool Location: 125A

Equipment Information Sheet

## Class 2 Photolithography Hot Plates

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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**

- Surfaces can be hot.

**USAGE RESTRICTIONS**

- General photolithography training (online and in-person) is required to use this tool.

**SCHEDULING/SIGN-UP RESTRICTIONS**

*Minimum Tool Time: 0 minutes*

- A group may have no more than 2 hotplates in simultaneous operation.
- The three numbered Fairweather hot plates must be reserved and enabled in Nemo.

**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**

- Class 2 materials **only** (SU-8, LOR, PGMI, LOL, KMPR, OmniCoat, Polyimide).
- The backside of all substrates must be inspected and cleaned prior to baking.

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