



# MODEL 1064 ChipMill

A fully integrated solution for millimeter-scale delayering of both logic and memory semiconductor devices. The ChipMill integrates signals from multiple detectors via an artificial intelligence feedback control algorithm to adjust milling parameters in real time. The result is the precise removal of device layers and a highly planar surface.

## Model 1064 ChipMill specifications

### Ion source

Type: Hot filament electron impact

Beam energy: 100 eV to 10 keV; continuously adjustable in 5 eV increments

Beam diameter: 0.5 to 2 mm; adjustable, dependent upon energy level

Maximum current: 10  $\mu$ A

Current density: 5 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> (10  $\mu$ A in 0.5 mm beam)

Working distance: 25 to 100 mm

Raster range: 10 mm

Beam control: X-Y electrostatic deflection

Filament lifetime: 200 hours

Filament serviceability: Easy to change

Cooling: Air

### Load lock

Pump down time: < 60 seconds

Venting time: < 20 seconds

### Milling uniformity

For a 10 mm diameter milling area: surface planarity is better than 50 nm

### User interface

User-friendly interface for the setup of milling parameters and display of images and analytical data

A touchscreen located near the load lock facilitates sample exchange

Stack light indicator allows the determination of milling operation status from a distance

Remote operation

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**Automatic termination** Milling operations can be terminated by time, chip structure, or chemical composition

**Sample stage** Milling plane: Established by automatic height detection  
Milling angle range: 0 to 10°  
Rotation: 360° continuous  
Rocking: 0 to 179°; adjustable in 1° increments  
Sample size: 15 x 15 mm, 3 mm or less thickness  
Milling area: 10 mm diameter

**Sample image acquisition** Camera  
Field of view: 1 cm  
Electron beam column

- Accelerating voltage range: 0.5 to 10 kV
- Resolution: 100 nm
- Working distance: 16 mm

**Detectors** Secondary electron detector (SED)  
Backscatter electron (BSE) detector  
Energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) detector  
Secondary ion mass spectrometry (SIMS) detector

**Process gas** Type: Argon  
Purity: ≥ 99.995%  
Flow rate: Adjustable ~0.1 sccm  
Nominal pressure: 15 to 30 psi

**Control gas** Type: Argon, dry N<sub>2</sub>, or clean dry air  
Nominal pressure: 55 psi, ±5 psi

**Vacuum system** Two-stage pumping: Oil-free diaphragm pump and turbo-molecular pump  
Vacuum detector: Pirani and cold cathode full-range gauge

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| <b>Enclosure</b> | <b>Width:</b> 112 cm [44.1 in.]    |
|                  | <b>Height:</b> 180.6 cm [71.1 in.] |
|                  | <b>Depth:</b> 52.4 cm [20.6 in.]   |
|                  | <b>Weight:</b> 287 kg [632 lb.]    |
| <b>Power</b>     | 220/240 V, 50/60 Hz, 1500 W        |
| <b>Warranty</b>  | One year                           |



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