Technical Specifications for Design and Installation of Gas Distribution System

It is proposed to Design and Installs a High-Value Gas Distribution System for the delivery of Toxic, Inflammable and Inert gases (SiH₄, H₂, PH₃, CH₄, NH₃, TMB, GeH₄, General N₂, He+N₂, Ar, and CO₂) for deposition equipments like multi-chamber PECVD and sputtering system. Gas Cabinets, EP and BA SS316L tubing, Coaxial SS tubing, Coaxial Pressure Switch Assembly and Exhaust Ducting are required for the same. The design should also include SCADA and PLC based automated monitoring and control of Gas Supply with emergency shutoff procedures in case of leaks. Following installation, the gas line+connections need to be tested and validated for pressure hold test, for 24 hours, Helium leak, upto 1 X 10⁻⁹ He mBar lit sec⁻¹, trace moisture, tested upto 5 PPM impurities, trace Oxygen, tested upto 5 PPM and particles, upto 0.1 micron level. We have (previously used and certified) all gas panels, leak detectors, MFC cabinets, dividers, and PLC. We will prefer to use these existing items after the re-validation (validation charge will be paid by IIT Madras). Bidder should also quote these (gas panels, leak detectors, MFC cabinets, dividers, and PLC) as an optional item. In case, if some of the existing items do not work, bidder can change and use new ones according to the design requirement.

A brief description of requirements is given below. The floor plan with intended gas line connections is illustrated*.

Note- Quantities of the item given below are approximate, it can be less or more according to the design requirement. Bidder can come up with their own design for the gas distribution system. Actual billing would be based on actual consumed quantities. Thus, the bidder should quote a total price based on the quantity given in the table along with per unit price of these items.



*Ground floor plan with the directions of gas line connections

S.No.	Description	Specification	Quantity	
	Supply of equipment for gas delivery			
1.	Semi-automatic gas cabinets for SiH ₄ , PH ₃ , TMB, GeH ₄ , CH ₄ , NH ₃ , and H ₂	SEMI-compliant gas cabinet	No of cabinets can be chosen based on gases compatibility	

2.	Re-validation of Gas panels: (1) Silane (2 Nos) (2) Phosphene+Hydrogen (1 No), (3) Argon (4 Nos), (4) Trimethyl boron (1 No), (5) Germane (1 No), (6) Disilane (1 No), (7) Ammonia (1 No), (8) Methane (1 No), (9) Hydrogen (2 Nos), (10) Carbon Dioxide (1 No), (11) Helium(5%)+Nitrogen (1 No), (12) General Nitrogen (1 No)		17 Nos
3	Venturie/ Vacuum Generator	To attach to the gas panels externally, with fittings and spares	7 Nos
4	High pressure (150 Bar) single cylinder gas panel for gas cabinets panel pressure testing and purging	Semi-Compliant	1 Nos
5	Pressure regulators, size 1/4" NPT end	SS 316L	3 Nos
6	Diaphragm valves, 1/4" compression end	SS 316L	3 Nos
7	Ball valves, 1/4" compression end	SS 316L	3 Nos
Tube	lines for gas delivery from source to the point of use (Note- t	ube length given below is	approximate, it
	can be less or more according to the o	design requirement.)	1
8	Coaxial tube for toxic gases, size 1/2" X 1/4", the thickness of inner tube wall 0.35" for SiH ₄ , PH ₃ , GeH ₄ , NH ₃ , and TMB	SS 316L EP	90 MTR
9	Tube, size 1/2", tube wall thickness 0.49" for ultra-pure gases (Purity 99.9999%)	SS 316L EP	50 MTR
10	Tube, size 1/4", tube wall thickness 0.35" for ultra-pure gases (Purity 99.9999%)	SS 316L EP	120 MTR
11	Tube, size 1/2", tube wall thickness 0.49" for Ar, CO ₂ , and N ₂	SS 316L BA	60 MTR
12	Tube, size 1/4", tube wall thickness 0.35" for Ar, CO ₂ , and N ₂	SS 316L BA	90 MTR
13	Point of use gas sticks for high-pressure inert gases	SS 316L	8 Nos
14	Gas tube fitting, MOC (includes glands, gaskets, male and female, nuts, tee points, reducers, fitting for tubes like tee, terminators, sleeves, etc.)	SS 316L EP	1 Lot
	Safety system		
15	PLC based central control panel with PC and SCADA. We have PLC; the existing PLC can be used with PC and SCADA.	Should have Al/AO cards, SMPS and communicate with all the gas delivery equipment's, GLD's and other field instruments	1 Set
16	Re-validation of the Existing PLC		1
17	We have a gas leak detectors for SiH ₄ , PH ₃ , TMB, H ₂ , GeH ₄ , CH ₃ , and NH ₃ . We prefer to use these the existing gas leak detectors.	Should be installed in each gas cabinet, gas cabinet room, gas divider, MFC	24 Nos

		cabinets, process	
		room, pump cabinets	
18	Signal cables for GLD's, field instruments and gas delivery equipment's		1 Lot
19	Manual call point/emergency push bottoms and alarm hooters. In addition, emergency push switch for electrical lines only		1 Lot
20	Pressure switch for all the lines with vacuum contact gauges. Signal from switches must be interlocked with PLC system to take proper shut-off action during emergency		8 Nos
21	UVIR sensor	In the SiH4 gas cabinet and VMBs or MFC cabinet	2 Nos
Scrubb	per and exhaust system (Note- size and quantity of exhaust d	lucts and dumpers are ap	proximate; it can
	be less or more according to the design	requirement)	
22	According to our floor diagram, a centralized gas scrubber should be installed to treat all toxic gases. The duct material is SS 304 from tools upto scrubber. From scrubber to outside exhaust PP FRP duct material will be used.	With a high level of safety during operations	1 Nos
23	8" exhaust duct made of 2 mm thick with elbows, tees, flanges, and other fittings	SS 304	20 RM
24	6" exhaust duct made of 2 mm thick with elbows, tees, flanges, and other fittings	SS 304	20 RM
25	4" exhaust duct made of 2 mm thick with elbows, tees, flanges, and other fittings	SS 304	20 RM
26	2"/3" exhaust duct made of 2 mm thick with elbows, tees, flanges, and other fittings	SS 304	15 RM
27	Exhaust dampers/Butterfly valves- size 2"	SS 304	4 Nos
28	Exhaust dampers/Butterfly valves- size 4"	SS 304	4 Nos
29	Exhaust dampers/Butterfly valves- size 6"	SS 304	2 Nos
30	Exhaust dampers/Butterfly valves- size 8"	SS 304	2 Nos
31	Flexible bellows for equipment isolation of respective size, 4", 3", 2", and 8"		8 Nos
32	Exhaust blower, capacity at least 3000 CFM, static pressure of 30 MM WC with exhaust stack, different pressure gauge, flow detector, and auto switch over in emergency condition.	Anti-corrosive material (one is the main exhaust and the other as the backup.)	2 Nos
33	Tube Clamps	MOC SS with PVC/PP inserts	400 Nos
34	Unistruts for the support structure	GI	1 Lot
35	Cylinder holding structure with cylinder strap	MS with powder coated	3 Nos
36	Cable tray/conduits for single cables, anchor bolts, nuts etc.	GI	1 Lot
Scope of the work			
37	Installation of all gas delivery equipment's, scrubbers		1 Lot

	etc.		
38	Installation of ultra-high pressure gas lines using orbital welding technology		1 Lot
39	Installation of gas leak detectors, complete safety system with cable, cable trays, and control panel		1 Lot
40	Installation of electrical cables and cable connection to equipment's		1 Lot
41	Installation of exhaust duct and blower with support structure and clamps		1 Lot
42	Pressure hold test for gas lines and gas delivery equipment is at the site (gas cylinders to MFC cabinets and process pumps to scrubber outlet)	Certified upto 1.5 times of the working pressure by keeping the system under pressure using ultra- high pure N ₂ for 24 hours without a drop in pressure	15 Loops
43	He leak test for the gas line (gas cylinders to MFC cabinets and process pumps to scrubber outlet)	Certified upto the leak rate of 1×10^{-9} He mBar lit sec ⁻¹ .	13 Loops
44	Trace oxygen analysis inside the gas delivery tube lines (gas cylinders to MFC cabinets and process pumps to scrubber outlet)	Certified upto 5 PPM level of impurity	13 Loops
45	Trace moisture analysis inside the gas delivery tube lines (gas cylinders to MFC cabinets and process pumps to scrubber outlet)	Certified upto 5 PPM level of impurity	13 Loops
46	Particle count analysis inside gas delivery tube lines (gas cylinders to MFC cabinets and process pumps to scrubber outlet)	Certified upto the particle size of 0.1 micron	13 Loops
47	The exhaust connection should be from tools to process pumps and pumps to scrubber and exhaust	3000 CFM	
48	Radiography test of orbital welding joints to coaxial tubes	Certificates of testing must be given	5 joints

Optional items (Bidder should give quote these as optional items)

S.No.	Description	Specification
1	Gas panels for SiH ₄ , PH ₃ , TMB, GeH ₄ , CH ₄ , NH ₃ , (5% He+95%	Semi Compliant
	N_2), H_2 , CO_2 , Ar , and H_2	
2	3 outlet stick, manual valve manifold boxes (VMB) for SiH ₄	Semi-Compliant
3	PLC for central control panels	
4	Gas leak detector for SiH ₄ , PH ₃ , TMB, H ₂ , GeH ₄ , CH ₃ , and	Should be installed in each gas cabinet,
	NH ₃	gas cabinet room, gas divider, MFC
		cabinets, process room, pump cabinets
5	Re-validation of existing MFC cabinets	2
6	Testing and Validation from MFC cabinets to process	He leak test <1.10 ⁻⁶ mbar l/s
	chambers	
7	Revalidation of the existing gas detectors: (i) Hydride type	19 (EIT make), 5 (COMPURE make)

(ii) Ammonia, (iii) Hydrogen

Specifications of Major Items:

The bidder must include all required information in the Technical Bid.

S. No	Details		
1	Safety and Automation:		
	 The primary focus of this project should be on the Safety aspects. 		
	• The safety interlocks, auto-shut off systems etc. should be of the highest standard, and		
	should be specified in the P&ID of the design.		
	 The design should also include modification of SCADA and modification of PLC based 		
	automated monitoring and control of Gas Supply with automated emergency shutoff		
	procedures.		
	 The PLC Cause-Effect logic should be provided for the entire system. 		
2	Gas Leak Detectors for Toxic, Corrosive, Flammable gases:		
	 Gas leak detectors should take continuous reading of the gas level. 		
	• The output will have Visual Alarm, Power and Fault lights as well as back lit LCD with all gas		
	readings and events.		
	 For new ones, the cartridge will come with calibration certificate. 		
3	Testing and Validation should be from cylinders to MFC cabinets and pump to scrubber outlet		
	It is required to do the complete testing and validation of the installed system. The system should be		
	tested and validated for the following.		
	 Pressure – 24 hrs hold test. The entire installation should be validated for Pressure Decay 		
	test as per ASME standards.		
	 Helium Leak – minimum 1x10⁻⁹ mbar He Lit sec⁻¹. Helium leak testing should be carried out 		
	with dry vacuum pump having leak detection capability up to 1 X 10 ⁻¹¹ mbar He Lit sec ⁻¹ .		
	 Trace Moisture – Less than 5 PPM of impurity. This will be conducted at all hook-up points 		
	using analytical equipment having capability to measure as low as 500 ppb moisture. Bidder		
	to provide evidence of having done these tests in the previous installations. Test certificates		
	and data sheet of analytical instruments used for the same should be provided along with		
	latest calibration certificate.		
	 Trace Oxygen – Less than 5 PPM of impurity. This will be conducted at all hook-up points 		
	using analytical equipment having capability to measure as low as 500 ppb Oxygen. Bidder to		
	provide evidence of having done these tests in the previous installations. Test certificates		
	and data sheet of analytical instruments used for the same should be provided along with		
	latest calibration certificate.		
	 Particles – 0.1 micron and above. Post Trace Oxygen and Trace Moisture analysis, all the Gas lines will be tested for particle contamination before charging the Dreeses Cos. Derticle 		
	ines will be tested for particle contamination before charging the Process Gas. Particle		
	Counter should have capability of measuring particle size as low as 0.1 micron using High Pressure Diffusion Device, Bidder to provide evidence of having done these tests in the		
	previous installations. Test certificates and data shoet of analytical instruments used for the		
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	 Bidder must demonstrate the quality of orbital welding by radiography checks of 5 orbital 		
	welding joints to coaxial tubes. The cost of the radiography test per each welding must be		
	provided by the hidder		
	 Bidder must have own or rented Analysers to carry out the above tests and validations. A 		
	third narty can be used for the testing and validation of the system at the hidder's expense		
	provided they satisfy the above criterion		
	Technical Specifications for Semi-Automatic Gas Cabinet		
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In present tender, we intend to use Gas Cabinet for Gases which are Toxic, Corrosive and Pyrophoric.
 Gas Cabinet must be 12 Gauge cold rolled steel powder coated with fire resistance for 90 minutes
 Must have self-latching windows (having view glass) and self-latching doors. This will provide better safety for the operator during manual operation of the gas cabinet.
• There must be key operated to provide authorised access.
 Must have Georgian wire safety view glass.
Metallic cylinder support brackets.
Inlet air filter for louvers
Cabinet must have wax coated or temperature dependent sprinklers.
• The gas cabinet must come equipped with UVIR sensors for SiH ₄ , ROR sensor, water sprinkler as per the description is given in gas leak detection unit which will shut-down the gas cabinet in case of emergency. There is provision for attachment of electrochemical sensors for gases
• Exhaust safety monitor unit to be placed, so that gas cabinet will auto shut down during failure of the exhaust.
 Cabinet must have HMI screen to monitor locally and have Hooter, alarm system. This should be integrated with PLC and SCADA.
• Gas Cabinet HMI must have following functions incorporated Leak detector, UVIR, ROR,
Cylinder weighing scale, excess flow switch, high pressure and low-pressure indication and readings, empty cylinder notification.

Bid Evaluation Criteria

The bidder must include their statement and proof of compliance for the below in the Technical Bid.

S.No	Details		
1.	Should have installed gas distribution system involving Toxic and Hazardous gases like Silane,		
	methane, Germane, Ammonia, and Hydrogen using co-axial SS 316L EP tubing for IITs/similar		
	institutes/universities or reputed Government R&D centers or Private Industries.		
2.	Must have own or rented analyzers to measure trace oxygen (min 10 ppb), trace moisture (min 10		
	ppb) and sub-micron particles (minimum 0.1 micron) before commissioning the pipe lines.		
3.	Must have stainless steel clean room compatible tools for handling components in the project.		
4.	Vendor must have high radius benders approved for semiconductor gas piping.		
5.	Must have used Ultra High Purity Argon purifier with impurities of oxygen less than 100 ppb,		
	moisture less than 100 ppb, total hydrocarbons less than 100 ppb. During installation vendor must		
	use purifiers to achieve the purity level of welding gas.		
6.	People must be trained to do the validation.		
7.	Should have experience and demonstrated design capability for safe Gas Distribution System.		
8.	Should be well versed to use instruments like pressure switch, gas leak detectors, pressure		
	transducers and vacuum venturis.		
9.	The vendor should have understanding of JSA (Job Safety Analysis), MAPP (Major Accident		
	Prevention Plan) and PSR (Pre Start up safety review) for effective project implementation.		
10.	The vendor must have done 3 similar projects in nature for customers in semiconductor		
	manufacturing involving gases like SiH ₄ , PH ₃ , GeH ₄ , NH ₃		
11.	Vendor must have implemented SCADA/Gas Management software involving emergency responses		
	and shut down procedures using Cause Effect Logic duly approved by Safety Engineer.		
12.	Bidder to submit the cause effect matrix for the proposed equipment's in line with Gas Hazard.		

13.	Vendor must have trained team to service trouble shoot Gas Cabinet, VMB, PLC programming and associated equipment. Necessary evidence from existing customers in India for having supported Gas Cabinets Maintenance and Troubleshooting should be enclosed.
	Vendor must submit letter from customers confirming that similar gas cabinets (similar makes of gas cabinets) are installed by vendor and the system is running successfully since last 3 years minimum and satisfactory service support is been provided by vendor.
14.	Vendor should demonstrate capability and experience of installation of Gas cabinet, VMB, Abatement equipment, VMP for Ultra High Purity gases with references from at-least 3 customers
15.	Must provide training to operate gas cabinets and other equipment to run the facility safely. Training must be provided by OEM only.
16.	Vendor must provide authorization certificate from the Principal.
17.	Customer feedback letters indicating the quality of work and satisfactorily working of gas cabinets from at least 3 customers in India
18.	List of customers, projects done with contact address, phone number, and email etc., Necessary site visit to any of the projects mentioned in your reference may be conducted at our discretion and accordingly Technical capability rating will be given to bidders.

List of approved OEM's for various components, equipment's required in the Project

S. No	Description of Components / Equipment	Makes (or equivalent, Semi-compliant gas cabinet)
		1. Air Products
		2. Ceres
		3. KAS Tech
1.	Gas Cabinets	4. Applied Energy
		5. Norcimbus
		6. Air Liquide
		7. AGEM
	Valve Manifold Box (VMBs)	1. Air Products
		2. KAS Tech
		3. Ceres Technologies Inc.
2		4. Matheson Gas
۷.		5. Applied Energy
		6. Norcimbus
		7. Air Liquide
		8. AGEM
	SS 316L Gas panels	1. Air Products
		2. Ceres
		3. KAS Tech
3.		4. Applied Energy
		5. Norcimbus
		6. Air Liquide
		7. AGEM

	Inert Gases and Flammable Gases	
4.	POU Gas Stick	 Air Products KAS Tech Ceres Applied Energy Norcimbus Air Liquide AGEM
5.	SS316L Valves and fittings	 Parker USA Daja Swagelok USA Carten Gas Arc Dhruva
6.	Regulators	 Tescom AP-Tech Veriflo TFK Drastar
7.	Tubes (BA and EP)	 Valex USA Dockweiler Germany Sandvik Sweden
8.	Gas Detection System	
	Gas Leak Detectors (SIL 2 certified)	 Honeywell Draeger Bionics Cosmos Riken Keiki
	PLC & SCADA	 Honeywell Bionics Draeger Cosmos Allenbradley Siemens ABB Moviecon Wonderware
	3 Core Flexible shielded Cable	 Polycab LAPP ManCab Varsha Finolex
	100 mm GI Cable Tray	1. Reputed Indian Make
9.	Dry Scrubber	1. KAS Tech

		2. Edwards Systems
		3 CS Clean Germany
		A Centrotherm
		4. Centrotherm
		6. AGEM
		7. DAS
		1. Alpha Projects
10.	Exhaust Blower	2. Pilani Enviro Tech
		Any Reputed Indian Company
		1. AKI
11.	Exhaust Ducting and Dampers	2. SE Products
		3. Any reputed Indian Company
		1. Wika
		2. Waree
		3 Tescom
12	Pressure Switch and Gauges	
12.	Fressure Switch and Gauges	
		5. IE
		6. I2N
		7. Baumer
13	Elash Back Arrestor	1. Super flash
		2. Witt
		1. Entergis
14	Doint of Use (DOU) filter	2. Pall
14.		3. Saes Getters
		4. AGEM
15.	Support System	
		1. RSSIPL
		2. Divine
	Unistrut Channel	3. DKNV
		4. Hilti
	Tie Rods 8 mm	1. Reputed Indian Make
		1. AKI
		2 Stauff
	Tube Clamps	3 AGEM
		A Any reputed Indian Company
		4. Any reputed mulan Company
	Anchor Fasteners	
		2. Any reputed Indian Company
	Unistrut Support System Hardware and	1. Hilti
	accessories (Nuts, Bolts, L plates, Straight	2 Reputed Indian Make
	Plates. All GI items)	