



# **Resist Ashing System GIGAbatch 310 M**

- No device damage due to microwave plasma
- Photoresist removal after high-dose implant or dry etch process
- Economic model for universities, R&D labs

Plasma Systems



# Advanced Microwave Plasma Batch Ashing

The **GIGAbatch 310 M** is a compact table top system for resist removal in semiconductor applications, configured for universities and R&D labs and offered at an economic price level.

The versatile system is able to handle various substrate sizes ranging from 2" to 6" and can accommodate up to 25 wafers per run. Wafer boat support arms, custom-designed for the respective wafer carriers (quartz boats), are optionally available. The manual drawer door allows wafer loading without touching the plasma chamber, reducing loading errors and particle defects.

Microwave plasma is ideal for resist removal in modern device fabrication, since it produces a very high concentration of chemically active species along with low ion bombardment energy, guaranteeing fast ash rate and a damage-free plasma process.

## **Applications**

- Removal of photoresist after implant or dry etching
- Wafer and substrate cleaning
- Suitable for various substrate technologies like silicon, III/V-compounds, quartz, ceramic, lithium niobate, copper interconnect devices, etc.
- SU-8 removal (SU-8 package option required)

## **Technical Data**

Wafer Size up to 150 mm

Wafer Loading Manual wafer loading outside

of plasma chamber

Plasma Chamber Quartz

Diameter: 245 mm (9.6") Depth: 395 mm (15")

Volume: 18 I

Plasma Generation Microwave source (2.45 GHz),

maximum power 600 W

Process Gas Supply
Vacuum Gauge

WKS Baratron capacitance manometer
System Control

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Operating System QNX real time platform

Program Features Manual or automatic operation,

user password, multiple recipe storage (1-10 steps each), self test routines, warning and error messaging

Process Tracking Real time monitoring, on-screen display

of graphic plots, data logging,

export of process data, plasma signal

verification

Interfaces Ethernet, USB, RS232 interface

#### **Performance Data**

Uptime >95%
MTBF >500 h
MTTR <2 h
Standards CE-certified

## **Supplies**

Electricity 230 V, 50/60 Hz, 15 A

Process Gas, Vent 1-2 bar (15–30 psi), 1/4" Swagelok Compressed Air 6 mm Festo QS, 4-6 bar, (60-90 psi)

## Dimensions

W/H/D 795 x 650 x 710 mm (32" x 26" x 28")

Weight 150 kg (330 lbs)

## **Options**

Vacuum Pump Oil rotary vane pump or dry pump,

recommended pumping speed

65 m³/h or larger

SU-8 Package Incl. cooling plate, chiller, EPD, pressure

control valve and additional gas channel

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