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Periodic Table of the Elements																																																					
1 IA 1A		2 IIA 2A												13 IIIA 3A		14 IVA 4A		15 VA 5A		16 VIA 6A		17 VIIA 7A		18 VIIIA 8A																													
1 H Hydrogen (1.008) [gas]		3 Li Lithium (6.941) [metal]		4 Be Beryllium (9.012) [metal]												5 B Boron (10.81) [metalloid]		6 C Carbon (12.011) [nonmetal]		7 N Nitrogen (14.007) [nonmetal]		8 O Oxygen (15.999) [nonmetal]		9 F Fluorine (18.998) [nonmetal]		10 Ne Neon (20.180) [noble gas]																											
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3 Na Sodium (22.990) [metal]		12 Mg Magnesium (24.305) [metal]		19 K Potassium (39.098) [metal]		20 Ca Calcium (40.078) [metal]												29 Cu Copper (63.546) [metal]		30 Zn Zinc (65.38) [metal]		31 Ga Gallium (69.723) [metal]		32 Ge Germanium (72.630) [metalloid]		33 As Arsenic (74.922) [metalloid]		34 Se Selenium (78.96 [metal]		35 Br Bromine (79.904) [nonmetal]		36 Kr Krypton (83.80 [noble gas]																					
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Material	Symbol	Purities	Density g/cm3	Melting Point (°C)	Sublimes / Decompose	Acoustic Impedance Z Ratio	Temp.(C°) for a given Vap. Press. (Torr)			E-Beam Evaporation		Thermal Evaporation				Sputter	Comments
							10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performance	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Aluminum	Al	99,9 - 99,999%	2,7	660	-	1,08	677	821	1010	Excellent	Fabmate®, Intermetallic	-	-	W	TiB2-BN, BN	DC	Alloys W/Mo/Ta, Flash evap or use BN crucible,
Aluminum Antimonide	AlSb	99,9 - 99,999%	4,3	1080	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Aluminum Arsenide	AlAs	99,9 - 99,999%	3,7	1600	-	-	-	-	~1300	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Aluminum Bromide	AlBr3	99,9 - 99,999%	2,64	97	-	-	-	-	~50	-	-	Mo	-	-	Gr	-	-
Aluminum Carbide	Al4C3	99,9 - 99,999%	2,36	~1400	D	-	-	-	~800	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Aluminum Fluoride	AlF3	99,9 - 99,999%	2,88	1291	S	-	410	490	700	Poor	Graphite, Fabmate®	Mo, W, Ta	-	-	Gr	RF	-
Aluminum Nitride	AlN	99,9 - 99,999%	3,26	>2200	S	**1,00	-	-	~1750	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	RF-R	Decomposes, Reactive evap in 10-3 T N2 with glow discharge.
Aluminum Oxide	Al2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	3,97	2072	-	0,336	-	-	1550	Excellent	Fabmate®, Tungsten	W	-	W	-	RF-R	Sapphire excellent in E-beam, forms smooth, hard films,
Aluminum Phosphide	AlP	99,9 - 99,999%	2,42	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Aluminum, 1% Copper	Al/Cu 99/1 wt%	99,9 - 99,999%	2,82	640	-	**1,00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DC	Wire feed & flash, Difficult from dual sources,
Aluminum, 1% Silicon	Al/Si 99/1 wt %	99,9 - 99,999%	2,69	640	-	**1,00	-	-	1010	-	-	-	-	-	TiB2-BN	RF, DC	Wire feed & flash, Difficult from dual sources,
Antimony	Sb	99,9 - 99,999%	6,68	630	S	0,768	279	345	425	Poor	-	Mo*** Ta***	Mo, Ta	Mo, Ta	BN, C, Al2O3	RF, DC	Evaporates well,
Antimony Oxide	Sb2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	5,2	656	S	-	-	-	~300	Good	-	-	-	-	BN, Al2O3	RF-R	Decomposes on W,
Antimony Selenide	Sb2Se3	99,9 - 99,999%	-	611	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ta	-	-	C	RF	Stoichiometry variable,
Antimony Sulfide	Sb2S3	99,9 - 99,999%	4,64	550	-	-	-	-	~200	Good	Molybdenum, Tantalum	Mo, Ta	-	Mo, Ta	Al2O3	-	No decomposition,
Antimony Telluride	Sb2Te3	99,9 - 99,999%	6,5	629	-	**1,00	-	-	600	-	-	-	-	-	C	RF	Decomposes over 750°C,
Arsenic	As	99,9 - 99,999%	5,73	817	S	-	107	150	210	Poor	Fabmate®	C	-	-	Al2O3	-	Sublimes rapidly at low temp,
Arsenic Oxide	As2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	3,74	312	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arsenic Selenide	As2Se3	99,9 - 99,999%	4,75	~360	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3, Q	RF	-
Arsenic Sulfide	As2S3	99,9 - 99,999%	3,43	300	-	-	-	-	~400	Fair	-	Mo	-	-	Al2O3, Q	RF	-
Arsenic Telluride	As2Te3	99,9 - 99,999%	6,5	362	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Flash	-	-	-	-	See JVST, 1973, 10:748
Barium	Ba	99,50%	3,51	725	-	2,1	545	627	735	Fair	-	W, Ta, Mo	W	W	Metals	RF	Wets without alloying, reacts with ceramics,
Barium Chloride	BaCl2	99,50%	3,92	963	-	-	-	-	~650	-	-	Ta, Mo	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas,
Barium Fluoride	BaF2	99,50%	4,89	0,355	S	0,793	-	-	~700	Good	Molybdenum	Mo	-	-	-	RF	-
Barium Oxide	BaO	99,50%	5,72	1918	-	-	-	-	~1300	Poor	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF, RF-R	Decomposes slightly,
Barium Sulfide	BaS	99,50%	4,25	1200	-	-	-	-	1,1	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	-
Barium Titanate	BaTiO3	99,50%	6,02	1625	D	0,464	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Gives Ba, Co-evap and Sputter OK,
Beryllium	Be	98 - 99,9%	1,85	1278	-	-	710	878	1	Excellent	Graphite, Fabmate®	W, Ta	W	W	C	DC	Wets W/Mo/Ta, Evaporates easily
Beryllium Carbide	Be2C	98 - 99,9%	1,9	>2100	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Beryllium Chloride	BeCl2	98 - 99,9%	1,9	405	-	-	-	-	~150	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Beryllium Fluoride	BeF2	98 - 99,9%	1,99	800	S	-	-	-	~200	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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								10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performance	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Beryllium Oxide	BeO	98 - 99,9%	3,01	2530	-	-	-	-	1900	Good	-	-	-	W	-	RF, RF-R	No decomposition from E-beam guns.	
Bismuth	Bi	99,9 - 99,999%	9,8	271	-	0,79	330	410	520	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	W, Mo, Ta	W	W	Al2O3	DC	Resistivity high, Low Melting Point materials not ideal for sputtering.	
Bismuth Fluoride	BiF3	99,9 - 99,999%	5,32	727	S	-	-	-	≈300	-	-	-	-	-	Gr	RF	-	
Bismuth Oxide	Bi2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	8,55	860	-	**1,00	-	-	≈1400	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	-	
Bismuth Selenide	Bi2Se3	99,9 - 99,999%	6,82	710	D	**1,00	-	-	≈650	Good	-	-	-	-	Gr, Q	RF	Co-evap from 2 sources or sputter.	
Bismuth Sulfide	Bi2S3	99,9 - 99,999%	7,39	685	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Bismuth Telluride	Bi2Te3	99,9 - 99,999%	7,7	573	-	**1,00	-	-	≈600	-	-	W, Mo	-	-	Gr, Q	RF	Co-evap from 2 sources or sputter.	
Bismuth Titanate	Bi2Ti2O7	99,9 - 99,999%	-	870	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Sputter or co-evap from 2 sources in 10-2 Torr O2.	
Boron	B	99,9 - 99,999%	2,34	2079	-	0,389	1,278	1,548	1797	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	C	-	-	C	RF	Explodes with rapid cooling. Forms carbide with container.	
Boron Carbide	B4C	99,9 - 99,999%	2,52	2350	-	**1,00	2,5	2,58	2650	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	-	-	-	-	RF	Similar to chromium.	
Boron Nitride	BN	99,9 - 99,999%	2,25	3000	S	-	-	-	1600	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Decomposes when sputtered. Reactive preferred.	
Boron Oxide	B2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	1,81	≈450	-	-	-	-	≈1400	Good	Molybdenu m	Mo	-	-	-	-	-	
Boron Sulfide	B2S3	99,9 - 99,999%	1,55	310	-	-	-	-	800	-	-	-	-	-	Gr	RF	-	
Cadmium	Cd	99,99%	8,64	321	-	0,682	64	120	180	Poor	-	W, Mo, Ta	-	W, Mo, Ta	Al2O3, Q	DC, RF	Bad for vacuum systems, Low sticking coefficient.	
Cadmium Antimonide	Cd3Sb2	99,999%	6,92	456	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cadmium Arsenide	Cd3As2	99,999%	6,21	721	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-	
Cadmium Bromide	CdBr2	99,999%	5,19	567	-	-	-	-	≈300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cadmium Chloride	CdCl2	99,999%	4,05	568	-	-	-	-	≈400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cadmium Fluoride	CdF2	99,999%	6,64	1,1	-	-	-	-	≈500	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Cadmium Iodide	CdI2	99,999%	5,67	387	-	-	-	-	≈250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cadmium Oxide	CdO	99,999%	6,95	>1500	D	-	-	-	≈530	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF-R	Disproportionate s.	
Cadmium Selenide	CdSe	99,999%	5,81	>1350	S	**1,00	-	-	540	Good	Molybdenu m, Tantalum	Mo, Ta	-	-	Al2O3, Q	RF	Evaporates easily.	
Cadmium Sulfide	CdS	99,999%	4,82	1750	S	1,02	-	-	550	Fair	-	W, Mo, Ta	-	W	Al2O3, Q	RF	Sticking coefficient affected by substrate.	
Cadmium Telluride	CdTe	99,999%	5,85	1092	-	0,98	-	-	450	-	-	W, Mo, Ta	W	W, Ta, Mo	-	RF	Stoichiometry depends on substrate temp. n-2,6.	
Calcium	Ca	99,5%	1,54	839	S	2,62	272	357	459	Poor	-	W	W	W	Al2O3, Q	-	Corrodes in air.	
Calcium Fluoride	CaF2	99,5%	3,18	1423	-	0,775	-	-	≈1100	-	-	W, Mo, Ta	W, Mo, Ta	W, Mo, Ta	Q	RF	Rate control important. Preheat gently to outgas.	
Calcium Oxide	CaO	99,5%	≈3,3	2614	-	-	-	-	≈1700	-	-	W, Mo	-	-	ZrO2	RF-R	Forms volatile oxides with W/Mo.	
Calcium Silicate	CaSiO3	99,5%	2,91	1540	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-	
Calcium Sulfide	CaS	99,5%	2,5	2525	D	-	-	-	1100	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes.	
Calcium Titanate	CaTiO3	99,5%	4,1	1975	-	-	1490	1600	1690	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Disproportionate s except in sputtering.	
Calcium Tungstate	CaWO4	99,5%	6,06	1200	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	W	-	-	-	RF	-	
Carbon	C	99,999%	1,8-2, 1	≈3652	S	3,26	1657	1867	2137	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	-	-	-	-	PDC	E-beam preferred. Arc evaporation. Poor film adhesion.	

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							10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performa	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Cerium	Ce	99,9%	~6,70	798	-	**1,00	970	1150	1380	Good	-	W, Ta	W	W, Ta	Al2O3	DC, RF	-
Cerium (III) Oxide	Ce2O3	99,9%	6,86	1692	-	-	-	-	-	Fair	-	W	-	-	-	-	Alloys with source, Use 0,015"-0,020" W boat.
Cerium (IV) Oxide	CeO2	99,9%	7,13	~2600	-	**1,00	1890	2000	2310	Good	Tantalum, Graphite, Fabmate®	W	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Very little decomposition.
Cerium Fluoride	CeF3	99,9%	6,16	1460	-	**1,00	-	-	~900	Good	Tungsten, Tantalum, Molybdenum	W, Mo, Ta	-	Mo, Ta	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas, n=1,7.
Cesium	Cs	99,9%	1,88	28	-	-	-16	22	80	-	-	-	-	-	Q	-	-
Cesium Bromide	CsBr	99,9%	3,04	636	-	-	-	-	~400	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	-
Cesium Chloride	CsCl	99,9%	3,99	645	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	-
Cesium Fluoride	CsF	99,9%	4,12	682	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	-
Cesium Hydroxide	CsOH	99,9%	3,68	272	-	-	-	-	550	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cesium Iodide	CsI	99,9%	4,51	626	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	W	-	-	Q	RF	-
Chiolite	Na5Al3F14	99,9%	2,9	735	-	-	-	-	~800	-	-	Mo, W	-	-	-	RF	-
Chromium	Cr	99,95%	7,2	1,857	S	0,305	837	977	1157	Good	Fabmate®, Graphite, Tungsten	Cr Plated W Rods	W	W	VitC	DC	Films very adherent, High rates possible.
Chromium Boride	CrB	99,95%	6,17	1950-2050	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Chromium (II) Bromide	CrBr2	99,95%	4,36	842	-	-	-	-	550	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Chromium Carbide	Cr3C2	99,95%	6,68	1895	-	-	-	-	~2000	Fair	-	W	-	-	-	RF	-
Chromium Chloride	CrCl2	99,95%	2,88	824	-	-	-	-	550	-	-	Fe	-	-	-	RF	-
Chromium Oxide	Cr2O3	99,95%	5,21	2266	-	**1,00	-	-	~2000	Good	-	W, Mo	-	W	-	RF, RF-R	Disproportionates to lower oxides; reoxidizes at 600°C in air.
Chromium Silicide	CrSi2	99,95%	5,5	1490	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Chromium-Silicon Monoxide	Cr-SiO	99,95%	*	-	S	-	*	*	*	Good	-	W	-	W	-	RF	Flash evaporate.
Cobalt †	Co	99,9%	8,9	1495	-	0,343	850	990	1200	Excellent	Direct in Hearth	W, Nb	-	W	Al2O3	DC	Alloys with W/Ta/Mo.
Cobalt Bromide	CoBr2	99,9%	4,91	678	D	-	-	-	400	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Cobalt Chloride	CoCl2	99,9%	3,36	724	D	-	-	-	472	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Cobalt Oxide	CoO	99,9%	6,45	1795	-	0,412	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DC-R, RF-R	Sputtering preferred.
Copper	Cu	99,99, 99,999%	8,92	1083	-	0,437	727	857	1017	Excellent	Graphite, Molybdenum	Mo	W	W	Al2O3, Mo, Ta	DC	Adhesion poor, Use interlayer (Cr). Evaporates using any source material.
Copper Chloride	CuCl	99,99, 99,999%	4,14	430	-	-	-	-	~600	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Copper Oxide	Cu2O	99,99, 99,999%	6	1235	S	**1,00	-	-	~600	Good	Graphite, Fabmate®, Tantalum	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	DC-R, RF-R	-
Copper Sulfide	Cu2S	99,99, 99,999%	5,6	1100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cryolite	Na3AlF6	99,99%	2,9	1	-	-	1020	1260	1480	Excellent	Fabmate®, Tungsten	W, Mo, Ta	-	W, Mo, Ta	VitC	RF	Large chunks reduce spitting. Little decomposition.
Dysprosium	Dy	99,9%	8,55	1412	-	0,6	625	750	900	Good	Direct in Hearth	Ta	-	-	-	DC	-
Dysprosium Fluoride	DyF3	99,9%	-	1360	S	-	-	-	~800	Good	-	Ta	-	-	-	RF	-
Dysprosium Oxide	Dy2O3	99,9%	7,81	2340	-	-	-	-	~1,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen.
Erbium	Er	99,9 - 99,999%	9,07	1529	S	0,74	650	775	930	Good	Tungsten, Tantalum	W, Ta	-	-	-	DC	-
Erbium Fluoride	ErF3	99,9 - 99,999%	7,82	1350	-	-	-	-	~750	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	See JVST, 1985; A3(6),2320.
Erbium Oxide	Er2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	8,64	2350	-	**1,00	-	-	~1600	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen.
Europium	Eu	99,9 - 99,999%	5,24	822	S	**1,00	280	360	480	Fair	-	W, Ta	-	-	Al2O3	DC	Low Ta solubility.
Europium Fluoride	EuF2	99,9 - 99,999%	6,5	1380	-	-	-	-	~950	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	-

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Europium Oxide	Eu2O3	99,9 - 99,999%	7,42	2350	-	-	-	-	~1600	Good	-	Ta, W	-	-	ThO2	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen, Films clear and hard.
Europium Sulfide	EuS	99,9 - 99,999%	5,75	-	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Gadolinium †	Gd	99,9 %	7,9	1313	-	0,67	760	900	1175	Excellent	Direct in Hearth	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	DC	High Ta solubility
Gadolinium Carbide	GdC2	99,9 %	-	-	-	-	-	-	1500	-	-	-	-	-	C	RF	Decomposes under sputtering.
Gadolinium Oxide	Gd2O3	99,9 %	7,41	2330	-	-	-	-	-	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen.
Gallium	Ga	99,9 %	5,9	30	-	-	619	742	907	Good	Fabmate®	-	-	-	Al2O3, Q	-	Alloys with W/Ta/Mo. Use E-beam gun. Low Melting Point materials not ideal for sputtering.
Gallium Antimonide	GaSb	99,9 %	5,6	710	-	-	-	-	-	Fair	-	W, Ta	-	-	-	RF	Flash evaporate.
Gallium Arsenide	GaAs	99,9 %	5,3	1238	-	-	-	-	-	Good	Graphite, Fabmate®	W, Ta	-	-	C	RF	Flash evaporate.
Gallium Nitride	GaN	99,9 %	6,1	800	S	-	-	-	~200	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF, RF-R	Evaporate Ga in 10-3 Torr N2.
Gallium Oxide	Ga2O3	99,9 %	6,44	1900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	Loses oxygen.
Gallium Phosphide	GaP	99,9 %	4,1	1540	-	-	-	770	920	-	-	W, Ta	-	W	Q	RF	Does not decompose. Rate control important.
Germanium	Ge	99,999%	5,35	937	-	0,516	812	957	1167	Excellent	Fabmate® Graphite	W, C, Ta	-	-	Q, Al2O3	DC	Excellent films from E-beam.
Germanium (II) Oxide	GeO	99,999%	-	700	S	-	-	-	500	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Germanium (III) Oxide	GeO2	99,999%	6,24	1086	-	-	-	-	~625	Good	Fabmate®, Tantalum, Molybdenum	Ta, Mo	-	W, Mo	Q, Al2O3	RF-R	Similar to SiO2; film predominantly GeO.
Germanium Nitride	Ge3N2	99,999%	5,2	450	S	-	-	-	~650	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF-R	Sputtering preferred. Evaporable alkali glass. Melt in air before evaporating.
Glass, Schott® 8329	—		2,2	1,3	-	-	-	-	-	Excellent	-	-	-	-	-	RF	
Gold	Au	99,99 - 99,999%	19,32	1064	-	0,381	807	947	1132	Excellent	Fabmate®, Tungsten	W*** Mo*** W	-	-	Al2O3, BN	DC	Films soft, not very adherent.
Hafnium	Hf	99,9%	13,31	2227	-	0,36	2160	2250	3090	Good	-	-	-	-	-	DC	-
Hafnium Boride	HfB2	99,9%	10,5	3250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DC, RF	-
Hafnium Carbide	HfC	99,9%	12,2	~3890	S	***1,00	-	-	~2600	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Hafnium Nitride	HfN	99,9%	13,8	3305	-	***1,00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	-
Hafnium Oxide	HfO2	99,9%	9,68	2758	-	***1,00	-	-	~2500	Fair	Direct in Hearth	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Film HfO.
Hafnium Silicide	HfSi2	99,9%	7,2	1750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Holmium	Ho	99,9%	8,8	1474	-	0,58	650	770	950	Good	-	W, Ta	W	W	-	-	-
Holmium Fluoride	HoF3	99,9%	7,68	1143	-	-	-	-	~800	-	-	-	-	-	Q	DC, RF	-
Holmium Oxide	Ho2O3	99,9%	8,41	2370	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen.
Inconel®	Ni/Cr/Fe	99,5%	8,5	1425	-	-	-	-	-	Good	Fabmate®, Tungsten	W	W	W	-	DC	Use fine wire wrapped on W. Low rate required for smooth films.
Indium	In	99,99 - 99,999%	7,3	157	-	0,841	487	597	742	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite, Molybdenum	W, Mo	-	W	Gr, Al2O3	DC	Wets W and Cu. Use Mo liner. Low Melting Point materials not ideal for sputtering.
Indium (I) Oxide	In2O	99,99 - 99,999%	6,99	~600	S	-	-	-	650	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes under sputtering.
Indium (III) Oxide	In2O3	99,99 - 99,999%	7,18	850	-	***1,00	-	-	~1200	Good	-	W, Pt	-	-	Al2O3	-	-
Indium (I) Sulfide	In2S	99,99 - 99,999%	5,87	653	-	-	-	-	650	-	-	-	-	-	Gr	RF	-
Indium (II) Sulfide	InS	99,99 - 99,999%	5,18	692	S	-	-	-	650	-	-	-	-	-	Gr	RF	-



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Indium (II) Telluride	InTe	99,99 - 99,999%	6,29	696	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Indium (III) Telluride	In2Te3	99,99 - 99,999%	5,78	667	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Sputtering preferred; or co-evaporate from 2 sources; flash,	
Indium Antimonide	InSb	99,99 - 99,999%	5,8	535	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes Sputtering preferred; or co-evaporate,	
Indium Arsenide	InAs	99,99 - 99,999%	5,7	943	-	-	780	870	970	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	-	
Indium Nitride	InN	99,99 - 99,999%	7	1200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Indium Phosphide	InP	99,99 - 99,999%	4,8	1070	-	-	-	630	730	-	-	W, Ta	-	W, Ta	Gr	RF	Deposits are P rich,	
Indium Selenide	In2Se3	99,99 - 99,999%	5,67	890	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Sputtering preferred; or co-evaporate from 2 sources; flash,	
Indium Tin Oxide	In2O3/Sn O290/10 wt %	99,99 - 99,999%	-	1,8	S	-	-	-	-	-	Fabmate®, Graphite	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Iridium	Ir	99,90%	22,42	2410	-	0,129	1850	2080	2380	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	DC	-	
Iron †	Fe	99,9 - 99,95%	7,86	1535	-	0,349	858	998	1180	Excellent	Fabmate® ‡	W	W	W	Al2O3	DC	Attacks W, Films hard, smooth, Preheat gently to outgas,	
Iron (II) Oxide	FeO	99,9 - 99,95%	5,7	1369	-	-	-	-	-	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Decomposes; sputtering preferred,	
Iron (III) Oxide	Fe2O3	99,9 - 99,95%	5,24	1565	-	**1,00	-	-	-	Good	-	W	-	W	-	-	Disproportionate to Fe3O4 at 1,530°C,	
Iron Bromide	37288	99,9 - 99,95%	4,64	684	D	-	-	-	561	-	-	-	-	-	Fe	RF	-	
Iron Chloride	FeCl2	99,9 - 99,95%	3,16	670	S	-	-	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	Fe	RF	-	
Iron Iodide	FeI2	99,9 - 99,95%	5,32	-	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	-	-	-	Fe	RF	-	
Iron Sulfide	FeS	99,9 - 99,95%	4,74	1193	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Decomposes	
Kanthal®	FeCrAl	7,1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	W	W	-	DC	-	
Lanthanum	La	99,50%	6,15	921	-	0,92	990	1212	1388	Excellent	Tungsten, Tantalum	W, Ta	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Films will burn in air if scraped,	
Lanthanum Boride	LaB6	99,50%	2,61	2210	D	**1,00	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Lanthanum Bromide	LaBr3	99,5%	5,06	783	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ta	-	RF	Hygroscopic,	
Lanthanum Fluoride	LaF3	99,5%	~6,0	1490	S	-	-	-	900	Good	Tantalum, Molybdenum	Ta, Mo	-	-	Ta	-	RF	No decomposition, n~1,6,
Lanthanum Oxide	La2O3	99,5%	6,51	2307	-	**1,00	-	-	1400	Good	Graphite, Fabmate®, Tungsten	W, Ta	-	-	-	-	RF	Loses oxygen, n~1,73,
Lead	Pb	99,995%	11,34	328	-	1,13	342	427	497	Excellent	Fabmate®	W, Mo	W	W, Ta	Al2O3, Q	DC	-	
Lead Bromide	PbBr2	99,9%	6,66	373	-	-	-	-	~300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Lead Chloride	PbCl2	99,9%	5,85	501	-	-	-	-	~325	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Little decomposition,	
Lead Fluoride	PbF2	99,9%	8,24	855	S	-	-	-	~400	-	-	W, Mo	-	-	BeO	RF	-	
Lead Iodide	PbI2	99,9%	6,16	402	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	-	-	-	Q	-	-	
Lead Oxide	PbO	99,9%	9,53	886	-	-	-	-	~550	-	-	-	-	-	Q, Al2O3	RF-R	No decomposition, n~2,6,	
Lead Selenide	PbSe	99,9%	8,1	1065	S	-	-	-	~500	-	-	W, Mo	-	W	Gr, Al2O3	RF	-	
Lead Stannate	PbSnO3	99,9%	8,1	1115	-	-	670	780	905	Poor	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Disproportionate s,	
Lead Sulfide	PbS	99,9%	7,5	1114	S	-	-	-	500	-	-	W	-	W, Mo	Q, Al2O3	RF	Little decomposition, Deposits are Ta rich, Sputtering preferred,	
Lead Telluride	PbTe	99,9%	8,16	917	-	0,651	780	910	1050	-	-	Mo, Pt, Ta	-	-	Al2O3, Gr	RF	-	
Lead Titanate	PbTiO3	99,9%	7,52	-	-	1,16	-	-	-	-	-	Ta	-	-	-	RF	-	
Lithium	Li	99,9%	0,53	181	-	5,9	227	307	407	Good	Tantalum	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	-	Metal reacts quickly in air,	
Lithium Bromide	LiBr	99,9%	3,46	550	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	Ni	-	-	-	RF	-	
Lithium Chloride	LiCl	99,9%	2,07	605	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	Ni	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas,	

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							10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performance	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Lithium Fluoride	LiF	99,9%	2,64	845	-	0,778	875	1020	1180	Good	Tantalum, Tungsten, Molybdenum	Ni, Ta, Mo, W	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Rate control important for optical films, Preheat gently to outgas.
Lithium Iodide	LiI	99,9%	4,08	449	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	Mo, W	-	-	-	RF	-
Lithium Niobate	LiNbO3	99,9%	-	-	-	0,463	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithium Oxide	Li2O	99,9%	2,01	>1700	-	-	-	-	850	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Lutetium	Lu	99,9%	9,84	1663	-	-	-	-	1300	Excellent	Direct in Hearth	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	RF, DC	-
Lutetium Oxide	Lu2O3	99,9%	9,42	-	-	-	-	-	1400	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,
Magnesium	Mg	99,95%	1,74	649	S	1,61	185	247	327	Good	Fabmate®, Graphite, Tungsten	W, Mo, Ta, Cb	W	W	Al2O3	DC	Extremely high rates possible,
Magnesium Aluminate	MgAl2O4	99,95%	3,6	2135	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Natural spinel,
Magnesium Bromide	MgBr2	99,95%	3,72	700	-	-	-	-	~450	-	-	Ni	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,
Magnesium Chloride	MgCl2	99,95%	2,32	714	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	Ni	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,
Magnesium Fluoride	MgF2	99,95%	2,9-3, 2	1261	-	0,637	-	-	1	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite, Molybdenum	Mo, Ta	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Substrate temp and rate control important. Reacts with W, Mo OK.
Magnesium Iodide	MgI2	99,95%	4,43	<637	D	-	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Magnesium Oxide	MgO	99,95%	3,58	2852	-	0,411	-	-	1300	Good	Fabmate®, Graphite	-	-	-	C, Al2O3	RF, RF-R	Evaporates in 10-3Torr O2 for stoichiometry.
Manganese	Mn	99,90%	7,2	1244	S	0,377	507	572	647	Good	Tungsten	W, Ta, Mo	W	W	Al2O3	DC	-
Manganese (II) Oxide	MnO	99,90%	5,37	1945	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manganese (III) Oxide	Mn2O3	99,90%	4,5	1080	-	0,467	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manganese (IV) Oxide	MnO2	99,90%	5,03	535	-	-	-	-	-	Poor	-	W	-	W	-	RF-R	Loses oxygen at 535°C.
Manganese Chloride	MnCl2	99,90%	2,98	650	-	-	-	-	450	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Manganese Sulfide	MnS	99,90%	3,99	-	D	-	-	-	1300	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,
Mercury	Hg		13,55	~39	-	-	-68	-42	-6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mercury Sulfide	HgS		8,1	584	S	-	-	-	250	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Decomposes,
Molybdenum	Mo	99,95%	10,2	2617	-	0,257	1592	1822	2117	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	-	-	-	-	DC	Films smooth, hard, Careful degas required.
Molybdenum Boride	MoB2	99,95%	7,12	2100	-	-	-	-	-	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Molybdenum Carbide	Mo2C	99,95%	8,9	2687	-	**1,00	-	-	-	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Evaporation of Mo(CO)6 yields Mo2C.
Molybdenum Sulfide	MoS2	99,95%	4,8	1185	-	**1,00	-	-	~50	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Molybdenum Oxide	MoO3	99,95%	4,69	795	S	**1,00	-	-	~900	-	-	Mo	-	Mo	Al2O3, BN	RF	Slight oxygen loss.
Molybdenum Silicide	MoSi2	99,95%	6,31	2050	-	**1,00	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,
Neodymium	Nd	99,9%	7,01	1021	-	**1,00	731	871	1062	Excellent	Tantalum Tungsten, Molybdenum	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	DC	Low W solubility.
Neodymium Fluoride	NdF3	99,9%	6,5	1410	-	-	-	-	~900	Good	Tungsten, Molybdenum	Mo, W	-	Mo, Ta	Al2O3	RF	Very little decomposition,
Neodymium Oxide	Nd2O3	99,9%	7,24	~1900	-	-	-	-	~1400	Good	Tantalum, Tungsten	Ta, W	-	-	ThO2	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen; films clear, E-beam preferred.
Nichrome IV® †	Ni/Cr		8,5	1395	-	**1,00	847	987	1217	Excellent	Fabmate®	***	W	W, Ta	Al2O3	DC	Alloys with W/Ta/Mo.
Nickel †	Ni	99,7 - 99,995%	8,9	1453	-	0,331	927	1072	1262	Excellent	Fabmate® ‡	W***	-	-	Al2O3	DC	Alloys with W/Ta/Mo, Smooth adherent films.
Nickel Bromide	NiBr2	99,7 - 99,995%	5,1	963	S	-	-	-	362	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Nickel Chloride	NiCl2	99,7 - 99,995%	3,55	1001	S	-	-	-	444	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Nickel Oxide	NiO	99,7 - 99,995%	6,67	1984	-	**1,00	-	-	~1470	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF-R	Dissociates on heating.



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Material Vacuum Deposition Techniques

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							10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performance	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Nickel/Iron †	Ni/Fe	99.7 - 99.995%	-	-	-	**1,00	-	-	-	-	Fabmate® ‡	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nimendium †	Ni3%Mn		8,8	1425	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DC	-
Niobium	Nb	99,95%	8,57	2468	-	0,492	1728	1977	2287	Excellent	Fabmate®	-	-	-	-	DC	Attacks W source.
Niobium (II) Oxide	NbO	99,95%	7,3	-	-	-	-	-	1100	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Niobium (III) Oxide	Nb2O3	99,95%	7,5	1780	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	W	-	RF, RF-R	-
Niobium (V) Oxide	Nb2O5	99,95%	4,47	1485	-	**1,00	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	W	-	RF, RF-R	-
Niobium Boride	NbB2	99,95%	6,97	2900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Niobium Carbide	NbC	99,95%	7,6	3500	-	**1,00	-	-	-	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Niobium Nitride	NbN	99,95%	8,4	2573	-	**1,00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Reactive, Evaporates Nb in 10-3 Torr N2.
Niobium Telluride	NbTe2	99,95%	7,6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Composition variable.
Niobium-Tin	Nb3Sn	99,95%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Excellent	-	-	-	-	-	DC	Co-evaporate from 2 sources.
Osmium	Os		22,48	3045	-	-	2170	2430	2760	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	DC	-
Osmium Oxide	Os2O3		-	-	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Deposits Os in 10-3 Torr O2.
Palladium	Pd	99,95%	12,02	1554	S	0,357	842	992	1192	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite, Tungsten	W***	W	W	Al2O3	DC	Alloys with refractory metals.
Palladium Oxide	PdO	99,95%	9,7	870	-	-	-	-	575	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF-R	Decomposes.
Parylene	C8H8		1,1	300-400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Vapor-depositable plastic.
Permalloy® †	Ni/Fe/Mo/Mn	99,90%	8,7	1395	-	**1,00	947	1047	1307	Good	Fabmate® ‡	W	-	-	Al2O3	DC	Film low in Ni.
Phosphorus	P		1,82	44,1	-	-	327	361	402	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	-	Material reacts violently in air.
Phosphorus Nitride	P3N5		2,51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	-
Platinum	Pt	99,99%	21,45	1772	-	0,245	1292	1492	1747	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	W	W	W	C	DC	Alloys with metals. Films soft, poor adhesion.
Platinum Oxide	PtO2	99,99%	10,2	450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF-R	E-beam preferred for evaporation.
Plutonium	Pu		19,84	641	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	-	-	-	-
Polonium	Po		9,4	254	-	-	117	170	244	-	-	-	-	-	Q	-	-
Potassium	K		0,86	63	-	-	23	60	125	-	-	Mo	-	-	Q	-	Metal reacts rapidly in air, Preheat gently to outgas.
Potassium Bromide	KBr		2,75	734	-	-	-	-	~450	-	-	Ta, Mo	-	-	Q	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Potassium Chloride	KCl		1,98	770	S	-	-	-	510	Good	Tantalum	Ta, Ni	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Potassium Fluoride	KF		2,48	858	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Potassium Hydroxide	KOH		2,04	360	-	-	-	-	~400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Preheat gently to outgas.
Potassium Iodide	KI		3,13	681	-	-	-	-	~500	-	-	Ta	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Praseodymium	Pr	99,9%	6,77	931	-	**1,00	800	950	1150	Good	-	Ta	-	-	-	DC	-
Praseodymium Oxide	Pr2O3	99,9%	7,07	-	D	-	-	-	1400	Good	-	-	-	-	ThO2	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen.
PTFE	PTFE		2,9	330	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	Baffled source, Film structure doubtful.
Radium	Ra		5 (?)	700	-	-	246	320	416	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rhenium	Re	99,9%	20,53	3180	-	0,15	1928	2207	2571	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	DC	-
Rhenium Oxide	ReO3	99,9%	~7	-	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Evaporate Re in 10-3 Torr O2.
Rhodium	Rh	99,8%	12,4	1966	-	0,21	1277	1472	1707	Good	Fabmate®, Tungsten	W	W	W	ThO2, VitC	DC	E-beam gun preferred.
Rubidium	Rb	99,8%	1,48	39	-	-	-3	37	111	-	-	-	-	-	Q	-	-
Rubidium Chloride	RbCl	99,8%	2,09	718	-	-	-	-	~550	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Rubidium Iodide	RbI	99,8%	3,55	647	-	-	-	-	~400	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Ruthenium	Ru	99,9%	12,3	2310	-	0,182	1780	1990	2260	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	DC	-
Samarium	Sm	99,9%	7,52	1074	-	0,89	373	460	573	Good	-	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	DC	-
Samarium Oxide	Sm2O3	99,9%	8,35	2350	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	ThO2	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen, Films smooth, clear.
Samarium Sulfide	Sm2S3	99,9%	5,73	1900	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scandium	Sc	99,9%	2,99	1541	-	0,91	714	837	1002	Excellent	Tungsten, Molybdenum	W	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Alloys with Ta.

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Selenium	Se	99,99 - 99,999%	4,81	217	-	0,864	89	125	170	Good	Fabmate®, Tungsten, Molybdenum	W, Mo	W, Mo	W, Mo	Al2O3	-	Bad for vacuum systems. High V.P. Low Melting Point materials not ideal for sputtering.
Silicon	Si	99,999%	2,32	1410	-	0,712	992	1147	1337	Fair	Fabmate® ‡, Tantalum	-	-	-	-	RF	Alloys with W; use heavy W boat. SiO produced.
Silicon (II) Oxide	SiO	99,999%	2,13	>1702	S	0,87	-	-	850	Fair	Fabmate®, Tungsten, Tantalum	Ta	W	W	Ta	RF, RF-R	For resistance evaporation, use baffle box and low rate.
Silicon (IV) Oxide	SiO2	99,999%	~2,65	1610	-	**1,00	*	*	1025*	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite, Tantalum	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Quartz excellent in E-beam.
Silicon (N-type)	Si (N-type)	99,999%	2,32	1410	-	0,712	992	1147	1337	Fair	Fabmate® ‡, Tantalum	-	-	-	-	DC, RF	-
Silicon (P-type)	Si (P-type)	99,999%	2,32	1410	-	0,712	992	1147	1337	Fair	Fabmate® ‡, Tantalum	-	-	-	-	DC, RF	-
Silicon Boride	SiB6	99,999%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Silicon Carbide	SiC	99,999%	3,22	~2700	S, D	**1,00	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Sputtering preferred.
Silicon Nitride	Si3N4	99,999%	3,44	1900	-	**1,00	-	-	~800	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	-
Silicon Selenide	SiSe	99,999%	-	-	-	-	-	-	550	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Silicon Sulfide	SiS	99,999%	1,85	940	S	-	-	-	450	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Silicon Telluride	SiTe2	99,999%	4,39	-	-	-	-	-	550	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Silver	Ag	99,99%	10,5	962	-	0,529	847	958	1105	Excellent	Fabmate®, Tungsten, Molybdenum, Tantalum	W	Mo	Ta, Mo	Al2O3, W	DC	-
Silver Bromide	AgBr	99,99%	6,47	432	D	-	-	-	~380	-	-	Ta	-	-	Q	RF	-
Silver Chloride	AgCl	99,99%	5,56	455	-	-	-	-	~520	-	-	Mo	-	Mo	Q	RF	-
Sodium	Na	99,9%	0,97	98	-	-	74	124	192	-	-	Ta	-	-	Q	-	Preheat gently to outgas. Metal reacts quickly in air.
Sodium Bromide	NaBr	99,9%	3,2	747	-	-	-	-	~400	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Sodium Chloride	NaCl	99,9%	2,17	801	-	-	-	-	530	Good	-	Ta, W, Mo	-	-	Q	RF	Copper oven; little decomposition. Preheat gently to outgas.
Sodium Cyanide	NaCN	99,9%	-	564	-	-	-	-	~550	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Sodium Fluoride	NaF	99,9%	2,56	993	-	-	-	-	~1000	Good	Tungsten, Fabmate®	Mo, Ta, W	-	-	BeO	RF	Preheat gently to outgas. No decomposition.
Sodium Hydroxide	NaOH	99,9%	2,13	318	-	-	-	-	~470	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Preheat gently to outgas.
Spinel	MgAl2O4		8	-	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Strontium	Sr	99,9%	2,6	769	-	**1,00	239	309	403	Poor	-	W, Ta, Mo	W	W	VitC	RF	Wets but does not alloy with W/Ta/Mo. May react in air.
Strontium Chloride	SrCl2	99,9%	3,05	875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Strontium Fluoride	SrF2	99,9%	4,24	1473	-	-	-	-	~1000	-	-	-	-	-	Al2O3	RF	-
Strontium Oxide	SrO	99,9%	4,7	2430	S	-	-	-	1500	-	-	Mo	-	-	Al2O3	RF	Reacts with W/Mo.
Strontium Sulfide	SrS	99,9%	3,7	>2000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes.
Strontium Titanate	SrTiO3	99,9%	-	-	-	0,31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sulfur	S	99,999%	2,07	113	-	-	13	19	57	Poor	-	W	-	W	Q	-	Bad for vacuum systems.
Superalloy® †	Ni/Fe/Mo		8,9	1410	-	-	-	-	-	Good	Fabmate® ‡,	-	-	-	-	DC	Sputtering preferred; or co-evaporate from 2 sources-Ni/Fe and Mo.
Tantalum	Ta	99,95%	16,6	2996	-	0,262	1960	2240	2590	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite	-	-	-	-	DC	Forms good films.
Tantalum Boride	TaB2	99,95%	11,15	>3000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Tantalum Carbide	TaC	99,95%	13,9	3880	-	**1,00	-	-	~2500	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-

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Material Vacuum Deposition Techniques

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							10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performance	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Tantalum Pentoxide	Ta2O5	99,95%	8,2	1872	-	0,3	1550	1780	1920	Good	Fabmate®, Tantalum	Ta	W	W	VitC	RF, RF-R	Slight decomposition, Evaporate Ta in 10-3 Torr O2.
Tantalum Sulfide	TaS2	99,95%	-	>1300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Technetium	Tc	99,95%	11,5	2200	-	-	1570	1800	2090	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tellurium	Te	99,999%	6,25	449	-	0,9	157	207	277	Poor	Fabmate®	W, Ta	W	W, Ta	Al2O3, Q	RF	Wets without alloying.
Terbium	Tb	99,9%	8,23	1356	-	0,66	800	950	1150	Excellent	Graphite, Fabmate®, Tantalum	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	RF	-
Terbium Fluoride	TbF3	100	-	1172	-	-	-	-	~800	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Terbium Oxide	Tb2O3	100	7,87	2387	-	-	-	-	1300	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Partially decomposes.
Terbium Peroxide	Tb4O7	100	-	-	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ta	-	-	-	RF	Films TiO2.
Thallium	Tl	99,9 - 99,999%	11,85	304	-	-	280	360	470	Poor	Fabmate®	W, Ta	-	W	Al2O3, Q	DC	Wets freely.
Thallium Bromide	TlBr	99,9 - 99,999%	7,56	480	S	-	-	-	~250	-	-	Ta	-	-	Q	RF	-
Thallium Chloride	TlCl	99,9 - 99,999%	7	430	S	-	-	-	~150	-	-	Ta	-	-	Q	RF	-
Thallium Iodide	TlI	99,9 - 99,999%	7,1	440	S	-	-	-	~250	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Thallium Oxide	Tl2O2	99,9 - 99,999%	10,19	717	-	-	-	-	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Disproportionate s at 850°C to Tl2O.
Thorium	Th	99,9%	11,7	1,75	-	-	1430	1660	1925	Excellent	Molybdenum, Tantalum, Tungsten	W, Ta, Mo	W	W	-	-	-
Thorium Bromide	ThBr4	99,9%	5,67	610	S	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	-	-
Thorium Carbide	ThC2	99,9%	8,96	2655	-	-	-	-	~2300	-	-	-	-	-	C	RF	-
Thorium Fluoride	ThF4	99,9%	6,32	>900	-	-	-	-	~750	Fair	-	Mo	-	W	VitC	RF	-
Thorium Oxide	ThO2	99,9%	9,86	3220	-	-	-	-	~2100	Good	Tungsten	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	-
Thorium Oxyfluoride	ThOF2	99,9%	9,1	900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mo, Ta	-	-	-	-	-
Thorium Sulfide	ThS2	99,9%	7,3	1925	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Sputtering preferred: or co-evaporate
Thulium	Tm	99,9%	9,32	1545	S	-	461	554	680	Good	-	Ta	-	-	Al2O3	DC	-
Thulium Oxide	Tm2O3	99,9%	8,9	-	-	-	-	-	1500	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes, Wets Mo low sputter power, Use Ta liner in E-beam guns, Low Melting Point materials not ideal for sputtering. Films from W are oxygen deficient, oxidize in air.
Tin	Sn	99,99%	7,28	232	-	0,724	682	807	997	Excellent	Fabmate®, Tantalum	Mo	W	W	Al2O3	DC	-
Tin Oxide	SnO2	99,99%	6,95	1630	S	**1,00	-	-	~1000	Excellent	-	W	W	W	Q, Al2O3	RF, RF-R	-
Tin Selenide	SnSe	99,99%	6,18	861	-	-	-	-	~400	Good	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Tin Sulfide	SnS	99,99%	5,22	882	-	-	-	-	~450	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Tin Telluride	SnTe	99,99%	6,48	780	D	-	-	-	~450	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-
Titanium	Ti	99,7 - 99,995%	4,5	1660	-	0,628	1067	1235	1453	Excellent	Fabmate®	W	-	-	TiC	DC	Alloys with W/Ta/Mo: evolves gas on first heating.
Titanium (II) Oxide	TiO	99,7 - 99,995%	4,93	1750	-	**1,00	-	-	~1500	Good	Fabmate®, Tantalum	W, Mo	-	-	VitC	RF	Preheat gently to outgas.
Titanium (III) Oxide	Ti2O3	99,7 - 99,995%	4,6	2130	D	-	-	-	-	Good	Fabmate®, Tantalum	W	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes.
Titanium (IV) Oxide	TiO2	99,7 - 99,995%	4,26	1830	-	0,4	-	-	~1300	Fair	Fabmate®, Tantalum	W, Mo	-	W	-	RF, RF-R	Suboxide, must be reoxidized to rutile. Ta reduces TiO2 to TiO and Ti.
Titanium Boride	TiB2	99,7 - 99,995%	4,5	2900	-	**1,00	-	-	-	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Titanium Carbide	TiC	99,7 - 99,995%	4,93	3140	-	**1,00	-	-	~2300	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-
Titanium Nitride	TiN	99,7 - 99,995%	5,22	2930	-	**1,00	-	-	-	Good	Molybdenum	Mo	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Sputtering preferred, Decomposes with thermal evaporation.
Tungsten	W	99,95%	19,35	3410	-	0,163	2117	2407	2757	Good	Direct in Hearth	-	-	-	-	DC	Forms volatile oxides, Films hard and adherent

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								10-8	10-6	10-4	E-Beam Performance	Liner Material	Boat	Coil	Basket	Crucible		
Tungsten Boride	WB2	99,95%	10,77	~2900	-	-	-	-	-	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Tungsten Carbide	WC	99,95%	17,15	2860	-	0,151	1480	1720	2120	Excellent	Graphite, Fabmate®	C	-	-	-	RF	-	
Tungsten Disulfide	WS2	99,95%	7,5	1250	D	**1,00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Tungsten Oxide	WO3	99,95%	7,16	1473	S	**1,00	-	-	980	Good	Tungsten	W	-	-	-	RF-R	Preheat gently to outgas, W reduces oxide slightly,	
Tungsten Selenide	WSe2	99,95%	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Tungsten Silicide	WSi2	99,95%	9,4	>900	-	**1,00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Tungsten Telluride	WTe2	99,95%	9,49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-	
Uranium	U		19,05	1132	-	-	1132	1327	1582	Good	-	Mo, W	W	W	-	-	Films oxidize,	
Uranium (II) Sulfide	US		10,87	>2000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Uranium (III) Oxide	U2O3		8,3	1300	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	W	-	RF-R	Disproportionate s at 1,300°C to UO2,	
Uranium (IV) Oxide	UO2		10,96	2878	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	W	-	RF	Ta causes decomposition,	
Uranium (IV) Sulfide	US2		7,96	>1100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	-	-	-	RF	Slight decomposition,	
Uranium Carbide	UC2		11,28	2350	-	-	-	-	2100	-	-	-	-	-	C	RF	Decomposes,	
Uranium Fluoride	UF4		6,7	960	-	-	-	-	300	-	-	Ni	-	-	-	RF	-	
Uranium Phosphide	UP2		8,57	-	-	-	-	-	1200	-	-	Ta	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,	
Vanadium	V	99,9%	5,96	1890	-	0,53	1162	1332	1547	Excellent	Tungsten	W, Mo	-	-	-	DC	Wets Mo, E-beam-evapor ated films preferred,	
Vanadium (IV) Oxide	VO2	99,9%	4,34	1967	S	-	-	-	~575	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Sputtering preferred,	
Vanadium (V) Oxide	V2O5	99,9%	3,36	690	D	**1,00	-	-	~500	-	-	-	-	-	Q	RF	-	
Vanadium Boride	VB2	99,9%	5,1	2400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Vanadium Carbide	VC	99,9%	5,77	2810	-	**1,00	-	-	~1800	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Vanadium Nitride	VN	99,9%	6,13	2320	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	-	
Vanadium Silicide	VSi2	99,9%	4,42	1700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Ytterbium Fluoride	YbF3	99,9%	-	1157	-	-	-	-	~800	-	Tantalum, Molybdenum	Mo	-	-	-	RF	-	
Ytterbium Oxide	Yb2O3	99,9%	9,17	2346	S	**1,00	-	-	~1500	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen,	
Yttrium	Y	99,9%	4,47	1522	-	0,835	830	973	1157	Excellent	Tungsten	W, Ta	W	W	Al2O3	RF, DC	High Ta solubility,	
Yttrium Aluminum Oxide	Y3Al5O12	99,9%	-	1990	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	W	W	-	RF	Films not ferroelectric,	
Yttrium Fluoride	YF3	99,9%	4,01	1387	-	-	-	-	-	-	Tantalum, Molybdenum	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Yttrium Oxide	Y2O3	99,9%	5,01	2410	-	**1,00	-	-	~2000	Good	Fabmate®, Graphite, Tungsten	W	-	-	C	RF, RF-R	Loses oxygen; films smooth and clear,	
Zinc	Zn	99,99 - 99,995%	7,14	420	-	0,514	127	177	250	Excellent	Fabmate®, Graphite, Tungsten	Mo, W, Ta	W	W	Al2O3, Q	DC	Evaporates well under wide range of conditions,	
Zinc Antimonide	Zn3Sb2	99,99 - 99,995%	6,33	570	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Zinc Bromide	ZnBr2	99,99 - 99,995%	4,2	394	-	-	-	-	~300	-	-	W	-	-	C	RF	Decomposes,	
Zinc Fluoride	ZnF2	99,99 - 99,995%	4,95	872	-	-	-	-	~800	-	-	Ta	-	-	Q	RF	-	
Zinc Nitride	Zn3N2	99,99 - 99,995%	6,22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mo	-	-	-	RF	Decomposes,	
Zinc Oxide	ZnO	99,99 - 99,995%	5,61	1975	-	0,556	-	-	~1800	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	RF-R	-	
Zinc Selenide	ZnSe	99,99 - 99,995%	5,42	>1100	-	0,722	-	-	660	-	Tantalum, Molybdenum	Ta, W, Mo	W, Mo	W, Mo	Q	RF	Preheat gently to outgas, Evaporates well,	
Zinc Sulfide	ZnS	99,99 - 99,995%	3,98	1700	S	0,775	-	-	~800	Good	Tantalum, Molybdenum	Ta, Mo	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas, Films partially decompose, n=2,356,	
Zinc Telluride	ZnTe	99,99 - 99,995%	6,34	1239	-	0,77	-	-	~600	-	-	Mo, Ta	-	-	-	RF	Preheat gently to outgas,	
Zirconium	Zr	99,7%	6,49	1852	-	0,6	1477	1702	1987	Excellent	-	W	-	-	-	DC	Alloys with W, Films oxidize readily,	
Zirconium Boride	ZrB2	99,7%	6,09	~3200	-	-	-	-	-	Good	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	
Zirconium Carbide	ZrC	99,7%	6,73	3540	-	0,264	-	-	~2500	-	-	-	-	-	-	RF	-	

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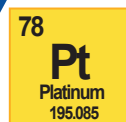
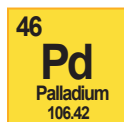
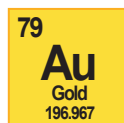
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