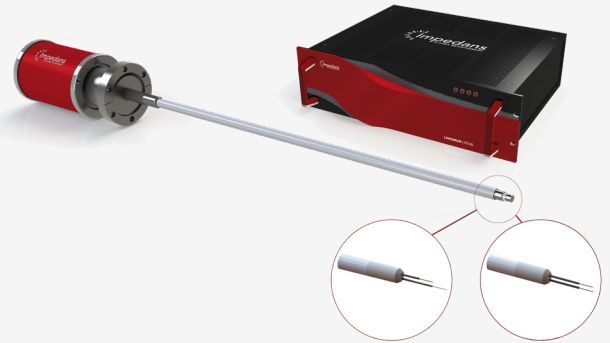


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The Impedans' Langmuir Probe system is used by academia and industry globally for plasma characterisation. Below is a list of publications with their plasma sources, process gases, pressures and applications.



Plasma Source	Density (m ⁻³)	Gas	Pressure(mTorr)	Published Paper
2.45 GHz MW	10 ¹¹ -> 10 ¹⁵	N ₂ , N ₂ O ₂	6000	Electrical characterization of the flowing afterglow of N2 and N2/O2 microwave plasmas at reduced pressure
CCP	10 ¹⁴ -> 10 ¹⁵	Ar+C	11.3	Suppression of a spontaneous dust density wave by a modulation of ion streaming
CCP	10 ¹⁵ -> 10 ¹⁶	Ar	60 -> 400	Plasma parameters of RF capacitively coupled discharge comparative study between a plane cathode and a large hole
CCP	10 ¹⁶	-	<75	Analysis of double-probe characteristics in low-frequency gas discharges and its improvement
CCP	10 ¹⁵	N ₂	100 -> 1000	Capacitively coupled radio frequency nitrogen plasma generated at two different exciting frequencies of 13.56 MHz and 40 MHz analyzed using Langmuir probe along with optical emission
CCP	10 ¹⁶ -> 10 ¹⁷	Ar	200 -> 500	Plasma parameters in 40 MHz Argon discharge
Hall Thruster	10 ¹⁵ -> 10 ¹⁸	Xe	13.5 -> 45	Anode geometry influence on LaB6 cathode discharge characteristics
Hall Thruster	10 ¹⁵ -> 10 ¹⁶	Ar	30	Measurement of plasma parameters in the far-field plume of a Hall effect thruster
Hall Thruster	10 ¹⁶ -> 10 ¹⁷	Xe	0.0015	Electron flow properties in the far-field plume of a Hall thruster
Hall Thruster	10 ¹⁵ -> 10 ¹⁶	Xe,Kr	0.0225	Time-resolved measurement of plasma parameters in the far-field plume of a low-power Hall effect thruster
Hall Thruster	10 ¹⁶	Xe	0.015	The time-varying electron energy distribution function in the plume of a Hall thruster
Hall Thruster	10 ¹⁶ -> 10 ¹⁸	Xe	0.015	Electron energy distribution function in a low-power Hall thruster discharge and near-field plume
Helicon	10 ¹⁶ -> 10 ¹⁷	Ar	2.6	Two density peaks in low magnetic field helicon plasma
Helicon	10 ¹⁵ -> 10 ¹⁶	Ar	2.62	Modulation of absorption manner in helicon discharges by changing profile of low axial magnetic field*
HiPIMS	10 ¹⁶ -> 10 ¹⁷	Ar,Cr	0.5 -> 20	Spectroscopic investigation on the near-substrate plasma characteristics of chromium HiPIMS in low density discharge mode
HiPIMS	10 ¹³ -> 10 ¹⁷	Ar,O ₂ ,Ti	6.98	The behaviour of negative oxygen ions in the afterglow of a reactive HiPIMS discharge
HiPIMS	10 ¹⁶ -> 10 ¹⁸	Ar,O ₂ ,Ti	5.63	Design of magnetic field configuration for controlled discharge properties in highly ionized plasma
HiPIMS	10 ¹⁵ -> 10 ¹⁶	Ar,O ₂ ,Al	1.5	Investigating the plasma parameters and discharge asymmetry in dual magnetron reactive high power impulse magnetron sputtering discharge with Al in Ar/O2 mixture

HiPIMS	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar,O ₂ ,Ti	7.5	Angular dependence of plasma parameters and film properties during high power impulse magnetron sputtering for deposition of Ti and TiO ₂ layers
HiPIMS	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar,O ₂ ,Ti	5.63	Enhanced oxidation of TiO ₂ films prepared by high power impulse magnetron sputtering running in metallic mode
HiPIMS - ECWR	$< 10^{18}$	Ar,O ₂ ,Ti	0.6 -> 75	Deposition of rutile (TiO ₂) with preferred orientation by assisted high power impulse magnetron sputtering
HiPIMS - ECWR	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar,Ti	0.375	Plasma diagnostics of low pressure high power impulse magnetron sputtering assisted by electron cyclotron wave resonance plasma
Hot Cathode Magnetic Filter	$10^{11} \rightarrow 10^{12}$	Ar,SF ₆	0.165	Sheath characteristics in a magnetically filtered low density low temperature multicomponent plasma with negative ions
Hot Cathode Plasma	10^{13}	Ar	0.8	Matched dipole probe for magnetized low electron density laboratory plasma diagnostics
Hot Cathode Plasma	$10^{12} \rightarrow 10^{13}$	Ar	0.15	Ion and electron sheath characteristics in a low density and low temperature plasma
Hybrid – Dual- HiPIMS	$10^{17} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar,Ti,Cu	3 -> 30	Time-resolved Langmuir probe investigation of hybrid high power impulse magnetron sputtering discharges
ICP	10^{17}	H	3.75 -> 22.5	Investigation of the power transfer efficiency in a radio-frequency driven negative hydrogen ion source
ICP	$10^{17} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar	3.75 -> 75	Nonlocal electron kinetics and spatial transport in radio-frequency two-chamber inductively coupled plasmas with argon discharges
ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar,	10 -> 50	A hybrid model of radio frequency biased inductively coupled plasma discharges: description of model and experimental validation in argon
ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar,O ₂	10 -> 50	Experimental and numerical investigations on time-resolved characteristics of pulsed inductively coupled O ₂ /Ar plasmas
ICP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	H,Ar	2 -> 150	Investigation of a Magnetically Enhanced Inductively Coupled Negative Ion Plasma Source
Magnetic Mirror	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	N ₂	0.2 -> 4	Signatures of ring currents in a magnetic mirror plasma experiment
Magnetron	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar,Cu	0.75 -> 37.5	The erosion groove effects on RF planar magnetron sputtering
Magnetron	$2 \rightarrow 70 \text{ A/m}^2$	Ar,N ₂ ,Al	3.75	Tunable ion flux density and its impact on AlN thin films deposited in a confocal DC magnetron sputtering system
MAGPIE	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar	1.4 -> 3	Plasma parameters and electron energy distribution functions in a magnetically focused plasma.
MAGPIE	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	H	5 -> 10	Negative hydrogen ion production in a helicon plasma source
MAGPIE	$< 10^{19}$	H	10	Ion flux dependence of atomic hydrogen loss probabilities on tungsten and carbon surfaces
MW	10^{14}	Ar	150 -> 200	Apparatus for generating quasi-free-space microwave-driven plasmas
NExET	10^{18}	Xe	-	Anode position influence on discharge modes of a LaB ₆ cathode in diode configuration
PEGASES Thruster	10^{18}	SF ₆ ,Ar,Xe,He,O ₂ ,N ₂	0.75	Plasma drift in a low-pressure magnetized radio frequency discharge
Proton Linear Accelerator	$10^{18} \rightarrow 10^{19}$	H	1.125 -> 5	Plasma characterization of the superconducting proton linear accelerator plasma generator using a 2 MHz compensated Langmuir probe
Pulsed Laser Deposition	10^{16}	O ₂ ,WO ₃	7.5	Optimization of substrate-target distance for pulsed laser deposition of tungsten oxide thin films using Langmuir probe
Pulsed Laser Deposition	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	O ₂ ,CeO ₂	7.5	Plasma plume behavior of laser ablated cerium oxide: Effect of oxygen partial pressure
PULVA reactor	10^{15}	Ar,C ₂ H ₂	15 -> 30	Metastable argon atom density in complex argon/acetylene plasmas determined by means of optical absorption and emission spectroscopy
VHF Multi-tile Push-Pull	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	N ₂	5 -> 25	Nitriding process for next-generation semiconductor devices by VHF (162 MHz) multi-tile push-pull plasma source

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ICP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	H, Ar	2 -> 150	Investigation of a Magnetically Enhanced Inductively Coupled Negative Ion Plasma Source
Hollow Cathode	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	O ₂	450 -> 825	Characterization and application of hollow cathode oxygen plasma
ICP	10^{17}	H	2.25	Development of RF Driver Used in Negative Ion Source at HUST
CCP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar	525 -> 862	The Study of plasma parameters and the effect of experiment set up modification by using modelling software
ICP	10^{16}	H	45	Study on the RF Power Necessary to Ignite Plasma for the ICP Test Facility at HUST
ECR	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	Ar, Air	3 -> 75	2.45 GHz ECR coaxial plasma source: characterization in single and multi-sources configuration
Helicon	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar	2.25	The Evolution of Discharge Mode Transition in Helicon Plasma Through ICCD Images
Dual-Hybrid HiPIMS	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar, Cu, Ti	2.25	Deposition of nanostructured Cu-Ti based films by advanced magnetron sputtering methods
CCP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	Ar, N ₂	100 -> 1000	Synthesis and characterization of fluorene-type and hydrogenated amorphous carbon thin films in RF and DC glow
Dual CCP	$10^{12} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	N ₂	100 -> 1000	Surface modification of unsized pan-based carbon fiber by using high frequency single and dual RF discharge system
Dual CCP	$10^{13} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	N ₂	100 -> 700	Investigation of Single and Dual RF Capacitively Coupled Nitrogen Plasma Discharges Using Optical Emission
PEGASES Thruster	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar, Xe	0.75	Investigation of Magnetized radio frequency plasma courses for electric space propulsion
ICP	10^{15}	Ar	2 -> 10	Comparison of plasma parameters determined with a Langmuir probe and with a retarding field energy analyzer
Hollow Cathode	10^{16}	Ar, Air	375 -> 750	Probe Diagnostics of Plasma Parameters in a Large-Volume Glow Discharge With Coaxial Gridded Hollow Electrodes
Hollow Cathode	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	Ar	187.5	Numerical and Experimental Diagnostics of Dusty Plasma in a Coaxial Gridded Hollow Cathode Discharge
CCP	10^{15}	He, O ₂	40 ml/min - 80 ml/min	An investigation on optical properties of capacitive coupled radio-frequency mixture plasma with Langmuir probe
Hollow Cathode	10^{16}	Ar	187.5	Investigation of Low-Pressure Glow Discharge in a Coaxial Gridded Hollow Cathode
CCP	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	Ar, H ₂	75 -> 240	Comments on the Langmuir probe measurements of radio-frequency capacitive argon-hydrogen mixture discharge at low pressure

MW	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	He	525	Microwave technology used for plasma diagnostic in complicated situations
Dual-Hybrid HiPIMS	$10^{17} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar,Cu,Ti	3 \rightarrow 30	Time-resolved Langmuir probe investigation of hybrid high power impulse magnetron sputtering discharges
Hollow Cathode	10^{16}	He	112.5	Diagnostics of large volume coaxial gridded hollow cathode DC discharge
Hollow Cathode	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	He	112.5 \rightarrow 562.5	Broadband microwave propagation in a novel large coaxial gridded hollow cathode helium plasma
Pulsed ICP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	CH ₄ ,O ₂ ,Ar	0.975	Nanometer-scale etching of CoFeB thin films using pulse-modulated high density plasma
CCP	10^{15}	Ar	30 \rightarrow 500	An investigation of the spectral lines of argon discharge with Low electron density
2.45 GHz MW	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	He,Ar,O ₂ ,Air	10 \rightarrow 90	Characterization of a low-pressure microwave collisional-type coaxial plasma source used for decontamination in food
CCP/ICP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar	60 \rightarrow 600	Optical emission spectroscopy and collisional-radiative modeling for low temperature Ar plasmas
Pulsed ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar, CF ₄	1 \rightarrow 80	Complex transients of input power and electron density in pulsed inductively coupled discharges
Hollow Cathode	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	O ₂	450 \rightarrow 787.5	Micro-grooving into thick CVD diamond films via hollow-cathode oxygen plasma etching
ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	H ₂	2.25 \rightarrow 22.5	A global model study of the population dynamics of molecular hydrogen and the generation of negative hydrogen ions in low-pressure ICP discharge with an expansion region: effects of EEPF
MAGPIE	10^{18}	Ar	3	Wave modeling in a cylindrical non-uniform helicon discharge
ICP	10^{15}	Ar,H ₂	40	Absolute density measurement of hydrogen atom in inductively coupled Ar/H ₂ plasmas using vacuum ultraviolet absorption
CCP	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	Ar	50	Experimental and numerical investigations of the phase-shift effect in capacitively coupled discharges
Magnetron	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar, Ne Kr, Xe	5	Measurements of sputtered neutrals and ions and investigation of their roles on the plasma properties during rf magnetron sputtering of Zn and ZnO targets
CCP (Plasmalab System 100)	0.1 \rightarrow 2 Am ⁻²	Ar	2	Ion energy distribution measurements in rf and pulsed dc plasma discharges
Hollow Cathode	10^{16}	Ar	112.5 \rightarrow 412.5	Broadband microwave characteristics of a novel coaxial gridded hollow cathode argon plasma
Glow Discharge	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	He	112.5 \rightarrow 562.5	Properties of a large volume glow discharge helium plasma by measuring the broadband microwave phase shift in different pressures
CCP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	H ₂ ,Ar	112.5 \rightarrow 1725	Electrical Characteristics of Capacitive Coupled Radio Frequency Discharges in Argon and Hydrogen
CCP	10^{15}	Ar,H ₂	585 \rightarrow 825	Optical and electrical properties of capacitive coupled radio frequency Ar-H ₂ mixture discharge at the low pressure
CCP	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	He	120 \rightarrow 180	Room temperature photoluminescence in plasma treated rutile TiO ₂ (110) single crystals
2.45GHz ECR	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	Air	7.5	Investigation of bacterial spore inactivation using a 2.45 GHz coaxial plasma source
CCP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar	0.45	Collisional radiative modeling on optical emission spectroscopy for Ar plasma
CCP	$10^{15} \rightarrow 10^{16}$	He,Ar,O ₂	225 \rightarrow 375	Evolution of plasma parameters in capacitively coupled He-O ₂ /Ar mixture plasma generated at low pressure using 13.56 MHz generator
Hollow Cathode	10^{16}	Ar	150	Absolute continuum intensity diagnostics of a novel large coaxial gridded hollow cathode argon plasma
ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	He	0.5 \rightarrow 2	Spatial distributions of plasma parameters in inductively coupled hydrogen discharges with an expansion region
CCP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	He	750	Density, temperature and magnetic field measurements in low density plasmas

MW	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar, O ₂	75 -> 225	Heating power at the substrate, electron temperature, and electron density in 2.45 GHz low-pressure microwave plasma
ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	H ₂	0.75 -> 37.5	Experimental and numerical investigations of electron characteristics in 2 MHz and 13.56 MHz inductively coupled hydrogen plasmas with an expansion region
CCP	$10^{17} \rightarrow 10^{18}$	Ar	1500	In-Flight Size Focusing of Aerosols by a Low Temperature Plasma
CCP	10^{18}	Ga, Ar, N ₂	4200	Nonequilibrium plasma aerotaxy of size controlled GaN nanocrystals
ICP	N/a	CO ₂ , Ar, N ₂	37.5 -> 1312	Tuning of Conversion and Optical Emission by Electron Temperature in Inductively Coupled CO ₂ Plasma
CCP	$10^{14} \rightarrow 10^{15}$	Ar, C	7.5	Observation of self-excited dust acoustic wave in dusty plasma with nanometer size dust grains
CCP	10^{16}	He, Air	915	The smooth effect of fast electron detection in the positive column in DC glow discharge
HiPIMS (PLATTIT π)	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar, Ti	4.9	Microstructure-driven strengthening of TiB ₂ coatings deposited by pulsed magnetron sputtering
CCP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	Ar	20	Control of ion energy distributions using phase shifting in multi-frequency capacitively coupled plasmas
MAGPIE	$10^{17} \rightarrow 10^{19}$	Ar, H ₂	3.1	Design and characterization of the Magnetized Plasma Interaction Experiment (MAGPIE): a new source for plasma-
MAGPIE	10^{16}	H ₂ , N ₂	10	A volume-averaged model of nitrogen-hydrogen plasma chemistry to investigate ammonia production in a plasma-
ICP	$10^{16} \rightarrow 10^{17}$	N ₂	2.25	The discharge characteristics in nitrogen helicon plasma

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Plasma Source	Electron Temperature (eV)	Gases	Pressure	Published Paper
Ion Beam Assisted-CVD	2-4.5	Ar	0.24 - 1	Ion beam assisted chemical vapor deposition of hybrid coatings—Process diagnostics and mechanisms

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