**Title:** High Temperature Materials Processing Science

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**Abstract:**

The equipment authorized under this Equipment Grant has been purchased by Cornell University. The equipment consists of (a) Differential Thermal Analyzer and (b) Hot-Isostatic-Press. Equipment (a) has been installed and is being actively used. Equipment (b) is in the process of being installed.
June 29, 1987

Dr. A. H. Rosenstein  
Director, Electronic and Solid State Sciences  
Air Force Office of Scientific Research  
Bolling Air Force Base  
Building 410  
Washington, D.C. 20332

RE: Final Report for the Equipment Grant AFOSR-85-0062  
entitled "High Temperature Materials Processing Science"

Dear Dr. Rosenstein:

The above Grant provided for the acquisition for two pieces of equipment: (a) Differential Thermal Analyzer with temperature capability up to 1600°C, and (b) Hot-Isostatic-Press with a hot zone size of 4" dia x 5" high and with a pressure and temperature capability of 30,000 psi and 2000°C. Both pieces of equipment have been purchased by Cornell University. Quotations for the equipment were obtained from Theta Industries Inc., Netzsch Incorporated, ASEA Pressure Systems Incorporated, and Autoclave Engineers, Inc. The DTA/TGA system was purchased from Netzsch and the HIP from Autoclave Engineers. The specifications for both systems are described by the quotations which were used to fill the orders. Copies of these quotations are attached.

Both pieces of equipment have arrived at Cornell University. The DTA/TGA is already being extensively used in powder processing applications. The HIP is in the process of being installed. Our technician has received factory training for the operation of the equipment and space has been assigned for the installation of the equipment. Currently utilities are being brought to the HIP for power and water hook up. The equipment has made a significant difference in the facilities available for doing high temperature processing research at Cornell University.

We appreciate AFOSR sponsorship of this grant at Cornell University.

Yours sincerely,

Rishi Raj

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Dr. R. Raj  
Dept. of Materials Science & Engineering  
Cornell University  
Ithaca, NY 14853  

Model STA 409/3/410 Thermal Analysis System  

A. Measuring Part, composed of:  

6.223.3-01 Balance with 20 g capacity;  
housing is vacuum-tight to 10^{-4} torr;  
inlet and outlet valves and all gas tubing  
is stainless steel for operating under  
corrosive or non-corrosive gas atmospheres  

6.225.3-22 Single furnace hoisting device  

6.225.3-03 Furnace - Temperature Range 25\degree to 1550\degree C.  
with regulating thermocouple, Type S, and  
vacuum-tight protective tube  

6.225.3-56 STA Measuring Head, Type S thermocouple,  
with radiation shield  
Temperature Range 25\degree to 1600\degree C.  

345 024 Water Circulatory System, thermostatically controlled  

B. Control Cabinet  

Temperature Controller and Amplifiers are housed in a  
standard 19\" cabinet, 615 mm high  

6.803.0 TG Amplifier with the following ranges:  
0 - 12.5, - 25, - 50, - 125 mg/250 mm chart width  
with variable zero displacement, and ranges  
0 - 250, - 500, and - 1000 mg/250 mm chart width  
with fixed zero
B. Control Cabinet (cont.)

6.812.3 DTA Amplifier (with automatic zero suppression)
Measuring Ranges: 0 - 25, - 50, - 100, - 200, - 500,
- 1000, - 2000 μV/250 mm chart width

6.820.3 Temperature Amplifier
with Type S thermocouple

1.101.1 Microprocessor Temperature Programmer 410
Temperature Range -200 to +1800° C.
Heating Rates 0.1 - 99.9 K/min in 0.1 K/min increments;
Isothermal times from 0 - 99 h 59 min in 1 min intervals;
Maximum of 20 program segments.

1.102.1 Supplied with Proportional-Integral Controller 410
with Type S thermocouple module

6.699.11 Silicon-controlled Rectifier and
348 178 Output Transformer
Power Requirements: 220 V, 60 Cycles, single phase

PRICE for Complete System F.O.B. Destination $26,000.00

DELIVERY: 14 Weeks after receipt of purchase order

VALIDITY: June 30, 1985

NETZSCH INCORPORATED

John E. Kelly III
Manager

JEK:cq
July 5, 1985

Cornell University
120 Maple Avenue
Ithica, New York 14850

Attention: Mr. Dave Chatterton
Purchasing Department

Subject: Hot Isostatic Press
AE Proposal #M10-2513-86F

Gentlemen:

In response to your request for quotation, we are pleased to submit the following for your review and consideration.

Our proposal consists of four sections all of which form an integral part of this proposal:

1. Executive Summary & Pricing
2. Technical Specification
3. Spare Parts List
4. General Information

All of the terms and conditions set forth on attached Form GTCS-5177 (Rev. 12/82) apply to this proposal.

If you have further questions or if we can be of additional assistance, please contact me. Your reference to our proposal number in all correspondence concerning this inquiry will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Edward C. Barthelmes
Engineering Product Specialist
Engineered Product Operations

ECB/leb
Attachments

cc: Dr. Raj - Cornell University
    F. X. Zimmerman, D. F. Heubel
ITEM #1

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY & PRICING

Model: 30M 3.2-5.5 GU 200 Y-EHC-O

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<th>Specification</th>
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<td>Temperature Rating Maximum:</td>
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<td>Hot Zone Size:</td>
<td>4&quot; Diameter x 5.5&quot; Convection</td>
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<td>3.2&quot; Diameter x 5.5&quot; Radiation</td>
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<td>Compressor:</td>
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<td>Power Requirements:</td>
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<td>Process Gas Consumption:</td>
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SHIPMENT: 18-20 weeks after receipt of an order.

F.O.B.: Erie, PA

Options

1. Check-Out & Start-Up at Site: $680.00/Day + Expenses
2. Consumable Spare Parts (Mechanical & Electrical) $2,000.00
3. O₂ Monitor for Safety: $3,500.00
4. Turnkey Installation @ Site: $6,180.00
5. Heating Element - 2 Zones: $1,700.00
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