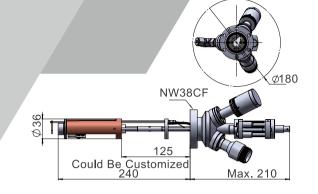
E-Beam Evaporator





Effusion Cells with different configurations have proven their capability in evaporating most elements in a controllable and stable manner. However, there is still limit on the effusion cells, with the wired filament design, the highest temperature one could achieve is around 2000°C which has pushed the tungsten filament to the limit. This is still below the evaporating point of many refractory metal such as Ta/ Mo et al.

The e-beam evaporator pushed the highest working temperature to around 3400°C by electron bombardment from the surrounding filament to a road form material or crucibles.

The heated zone is enclosed in a water-cooled copper shroud which keeps the degassing in a very low level. By tuning the input power from 0 to 300W max, flux control from < 0.1A/ min to > 50A/min is achieved for many materials. A 50mm stroke linear translator is fitted with the evaporator to support the movement of rod material and guarantee the rod tip always in the optimized position.

