

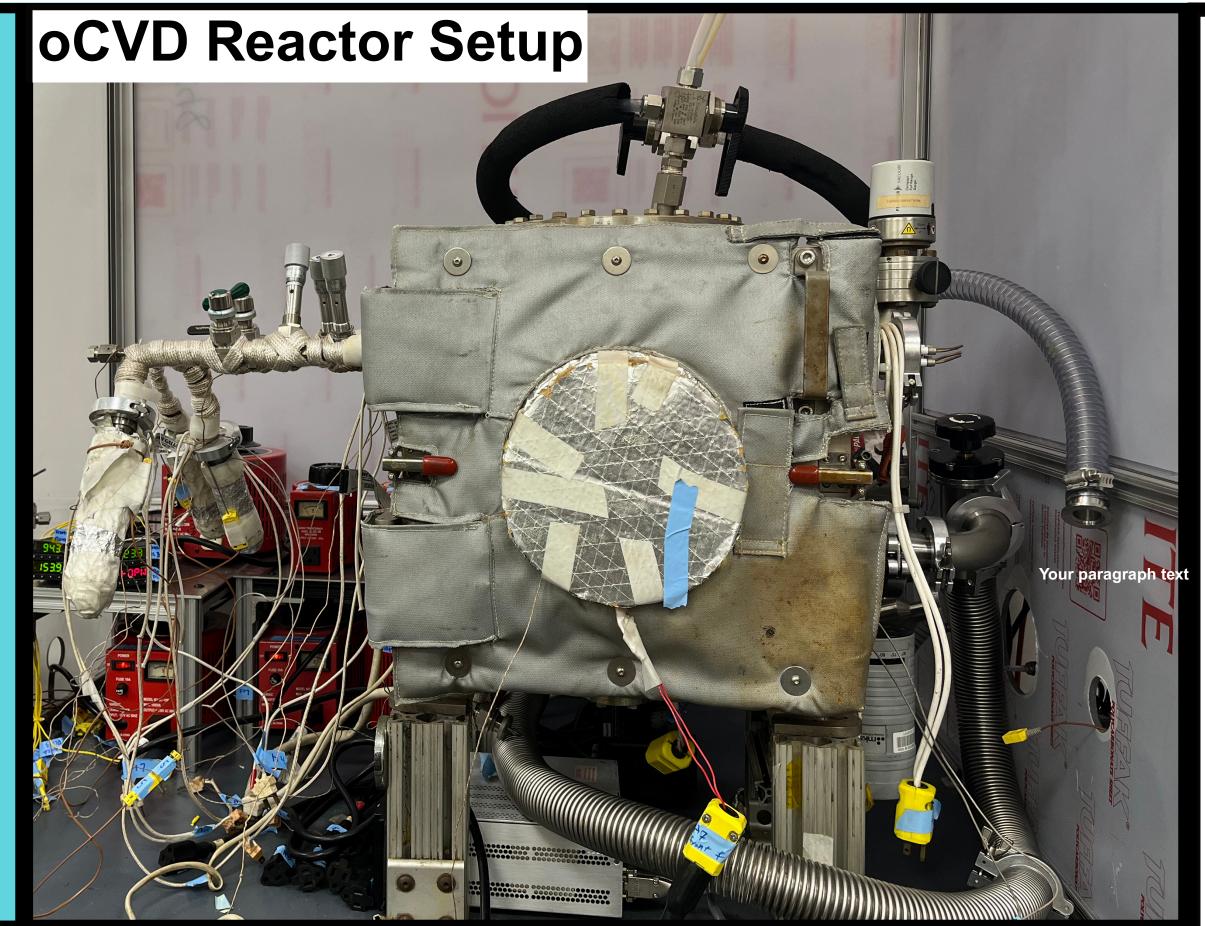
Assembly of the oCVD Reactor

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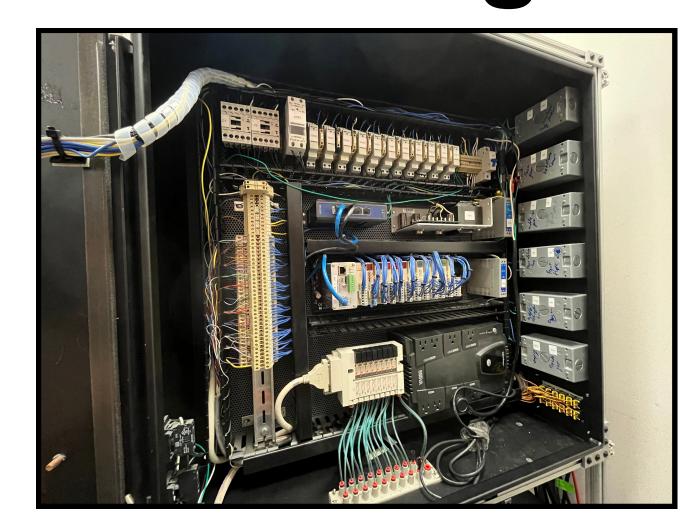
AMED Lab Advanced Manufacturing for Energy Devices

Project Overview

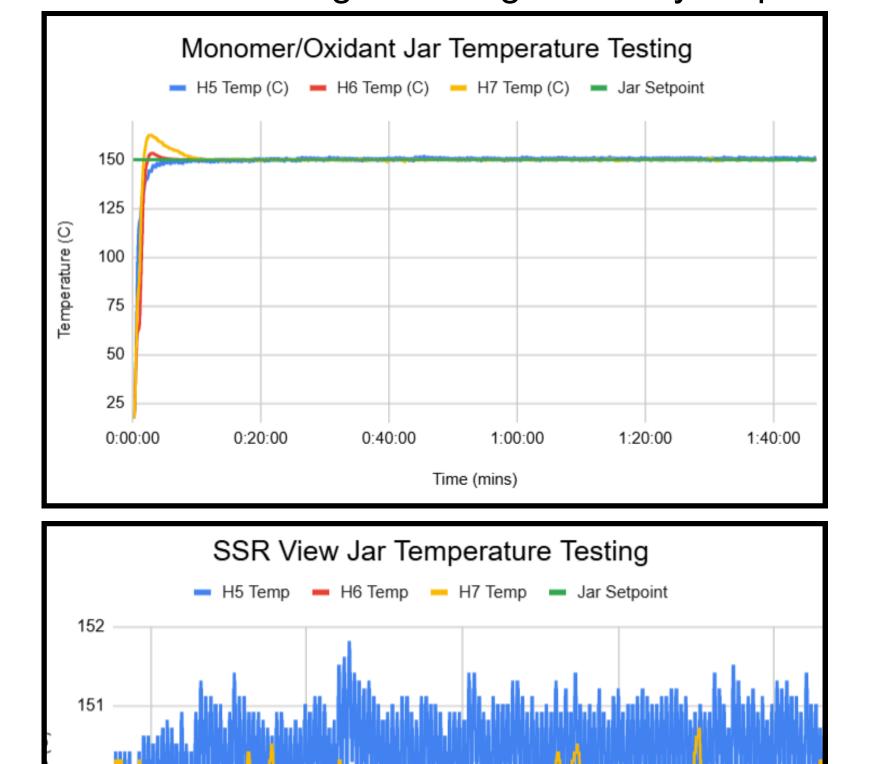
- oCVD reactor produces semiconducting polymers for energy devices.
- Project goal: Assemble a complete reactor system.
- Reactants are vaporized by heating, then sent to a chamber at 200 °C and 15 mTorr.
- PID controller regulates pressure and temperature via valves and relay.
- Once stable, vapor reactants polymerize on the substrate to form conductive films.



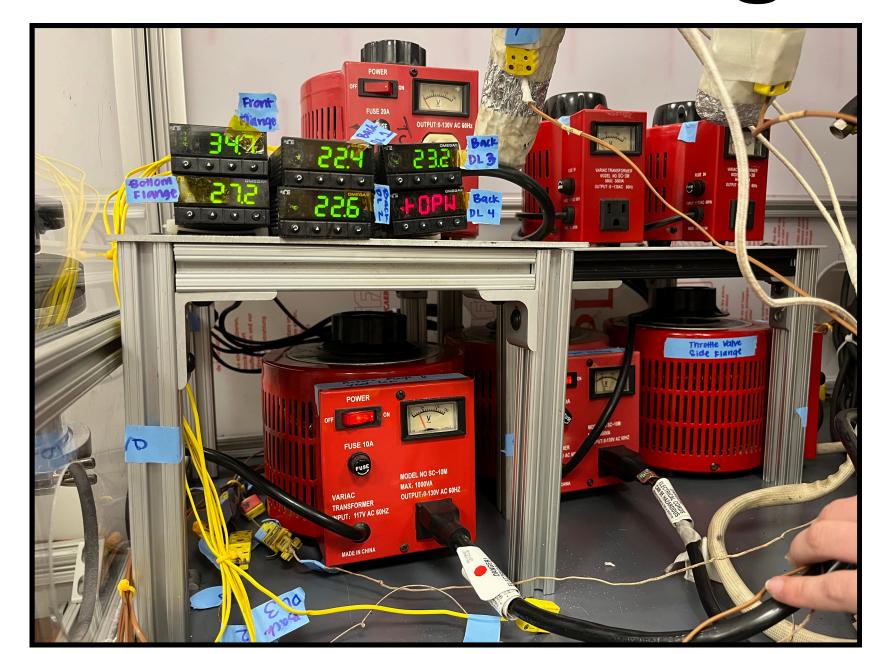
Testing



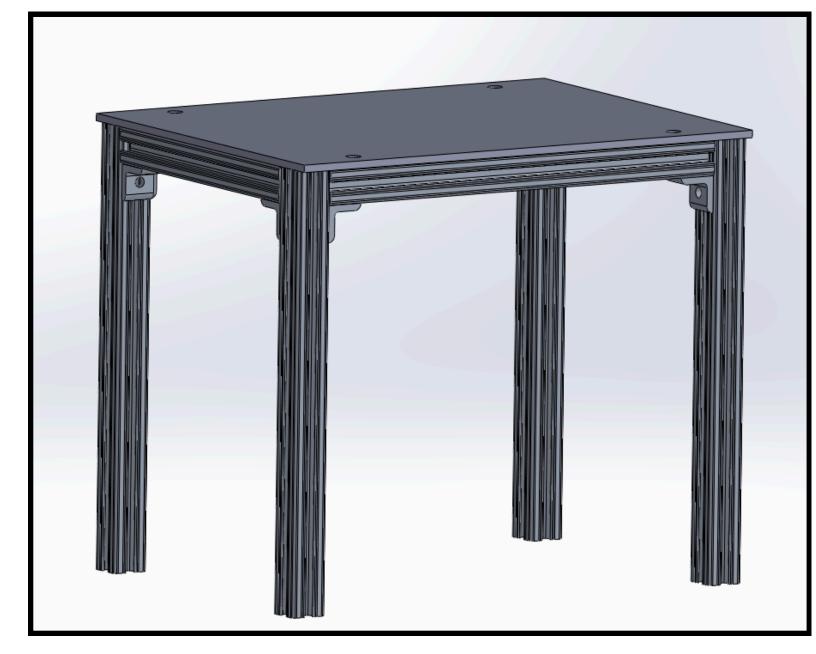
- PAC Display monitored and controlled temperature.
- Control box managed testing and relay response.



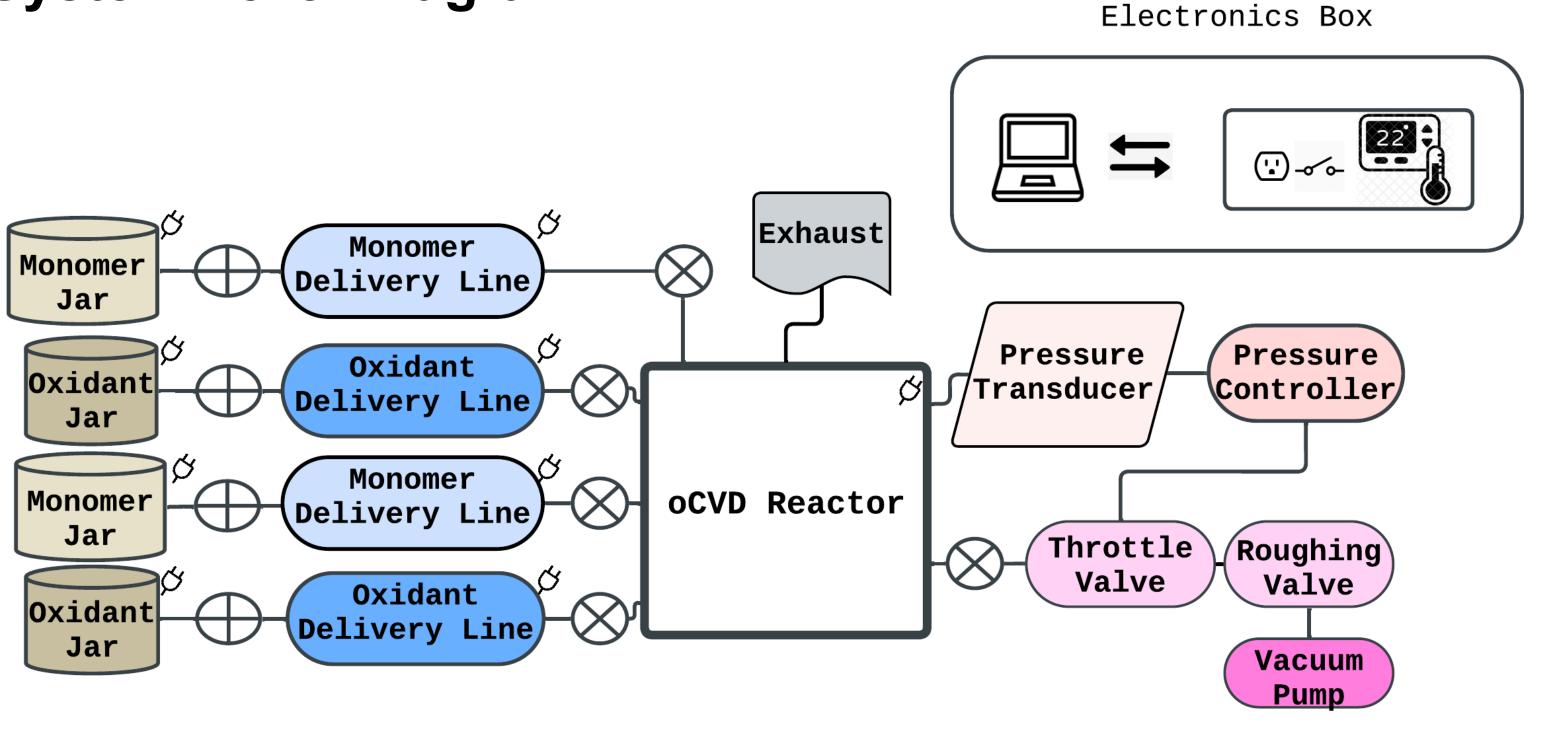
Manufacturing



- Table stands built for equipment organization.
 - Made from T-slot bars and sheet metal.
- Water-jet and bandsaw used for fabrication.
- Hold Variac transformers and temperature readers.



System Level Diagram



Legend

- CF Flange Connection
- H KF Flange Connection
- Y Heating Element & Thermocouple Reading
- Heating Element
 Outlet
- Switch to power heating, SSR
- Temperature
 Controller
- Computer Interface

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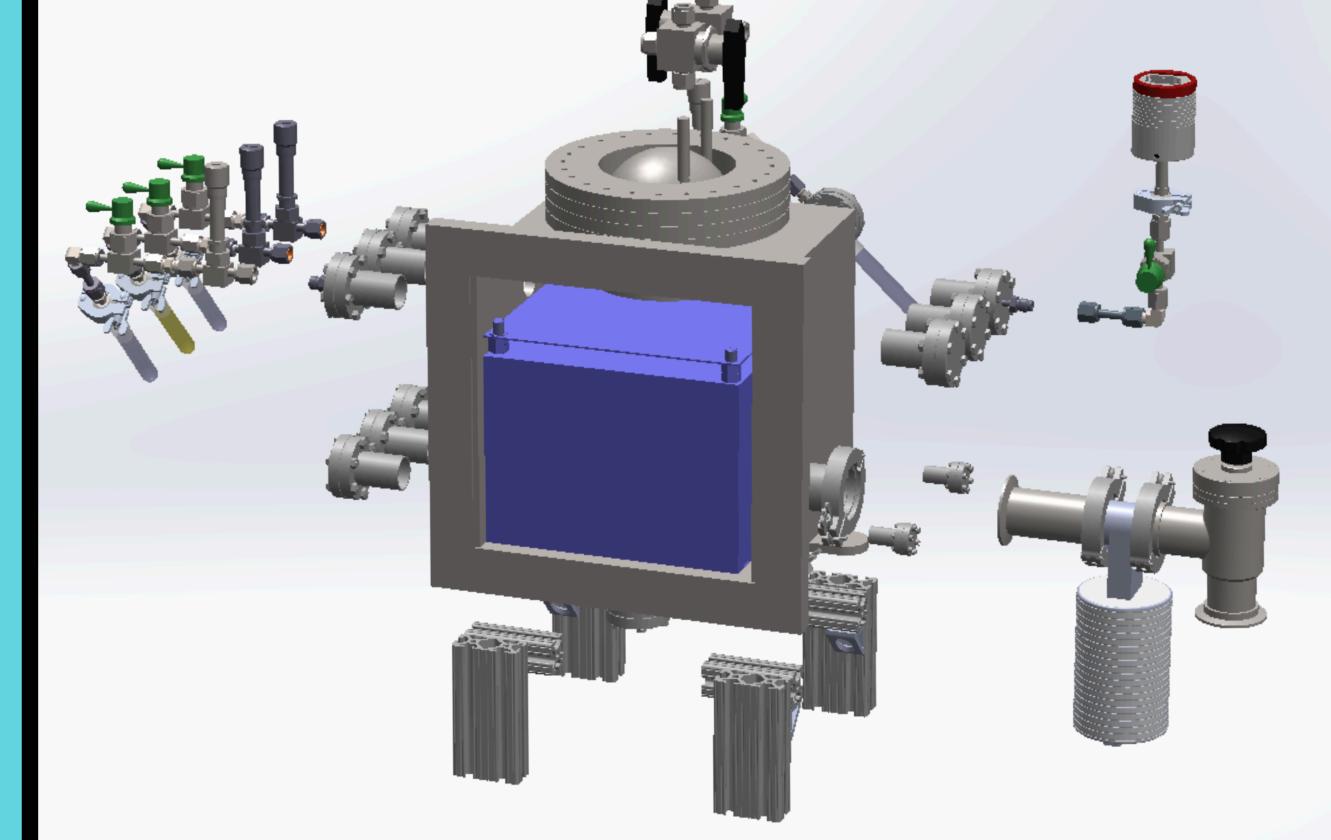
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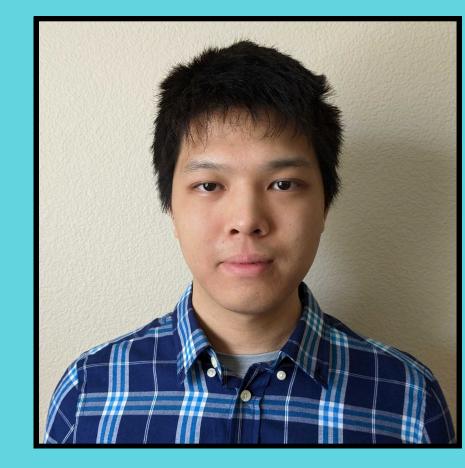
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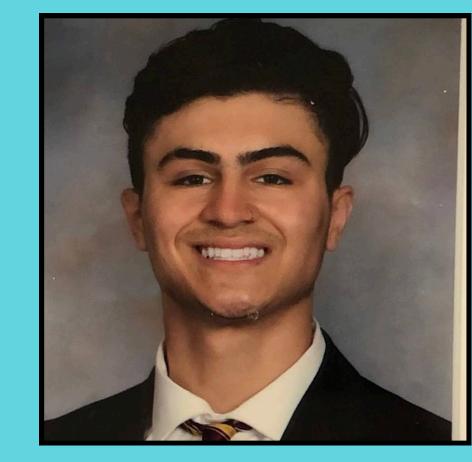
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