

ProtoFlex reports a successful business year in 2011 with the introduction of the Flex Series of thin-film deposition tools. In 2011, ProtoFlex delivered systems in the US and to international customers. The *Flex1000* model was shipped to CEERI in Pilani, India and another to Ningbo Institute of Material Technology & Engineering in Ningbo, China. The *Flex3000* model was shipped to IBM in Yorktown Heights, New York. Currently, the firm is manufacturing the *Flex3000*, which includes 3 PECVD, 2 Sputtering with a central robot and a load lock module for Ningbo Institute of Material Technology & Engineering in Ningbo, China. This system is due to ship in February of 2012. Test tools manufactured in 2011 included QESIL (250 nm to 1100 nm). QE systems were delivered to Tekno in Turkey and Ampulse in Golden, Colorado.