

# RIBER

## Press release –Order in France

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### Further order for a research machine in France

*Bezons, France, March 1, 2010 – 6 pm – RIBER, the global leader for molecular beam epitaxy (MBE), announces the sale of an MBE412 III-V to the CNRS Toulouse System Analysis and Architecture Laboratory (LAAS).*

This acquisition will complement the equipment base of the LAAS technology center, a member of the Basic Technological Research - RTB network, a partnership between CNRS and CEA.

The machine sold to LAAS is highly flexible and offers a unique design to process large size substrates for the highly accurate realization of III-V semi conductors.

It will contribute to increase the LAAS research capabilities in the opto-GaAs field and consolidate work carried out on photonic components and their integration into a system. It will allow the design of innovative devices devoted to nano-photonics, quantum well and box components, advanced laser sources such as surface-emitting lasers (VCSELs) and photonic crystal laser diodes

RIBER's MBE412 system, open to the community as part of the RTB network, will offer highly competitive R&D resources to face up to the challenges of micro-nanotechnologies and nanosciences.

This order from a first rate European laboratory confirms RIBER's foremost position in semi-conductor research and testifies to its significant nanotechnology expertise.

#### About RIBER:

Riber designs and produces molecular beam epitaxy (MBE) systems as well as evaporation sources and cells for the semi-conductor industry. This high-technology equipment is essential for the manufacture of compound semi-conductor materials and new materials that are used in numerous consumer applications such as new Information Technologies, OLED flat screens and the new generation of solar cells.

Riber SA's shares are listed in Compartment "C" of the Euronext Paris Stock Exchange and are a component of the CAC IT index.

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Riber has been awarded the OSEO innovation certification, enabling it to qualify for FCPIs (French high-tech mutual funds).

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