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CVI announces standard and custom coated optics in less than 2 weeks



With over 500,000 substrates in stock, CVI is proud to announce coated optic turn-around times of two weeks or better. Orders received in our Albuquerque facility can be shipped within 2 weeks after receipt of order. These rapid turnaround times apply to CVI's high laser damage threshold high reflection and anti-reflection coatings from 193 to 2300nm.

Bob Soales, VP of Sales and Marketing, says "we are pleased to be able to offer quick turnaround times for OEM and research customers. We have been able to realize a 75% reduction in manufacturing cycle times. CVI maintains the largest inventory of laser-grade optical substrates available for immediate coating in the industry. Our manufacturing processes support

over 90 wavelengths from 193nm up to 2300nm."

Serving semiconductor, biotech, industrial, commercial, aerospace and research industries, CVI combines 30 years of optics manufacturing expertise with precision machining and mechanical design to produce integrated opto-mechanical assemblies. CVI is a leading manufacturer of optical components, providing engineering, rapid prototype delivery, high volume production, and system integration for challenging optical requirements. Headquartered in Albuquerque, New Mexico, CVI operates manufacturing facilities in New Mexico, California, the Isle of Man, and South Korea with sales representatives and distributors located worldwide.

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