# Nanomaterials from NANOMAT — Manufacturing, Processing, and Applications



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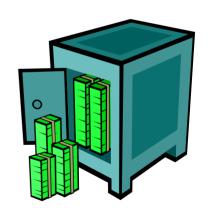
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- Mew Technologies
- M New Products
- Markets
- Financial Rewards





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#### What are Nanomaterials?

- Nanoparticles and nanostructured materials
- Grain size on the order of 10<sup>-9</sup> m or nm
- Extremely large specific surface area
- Manifest fascinating and useful properties
- Structural and non-structural applications
- Stronger, more ductile materials
- Chemically very active materials



- Benefits of Nanomaterials

  ✓ Tunable/tailorable chemical, mechanical, and physical properties due to extremely fine grain size (1-100 nm)
- ✓ Superior formability and potential superplasticity
- ✓ Possess high strength, toughness, and ductility
- ✓ Possess enhanced activity (extremely large specific surface area)
- ✓ Reduced thermal conductivity
- ✓ Dispersoids can be utilized to further increase strength
- ✓ Reduced energy costs

## Representative Applications

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- Biomedical Devices
- Drug-delivery
- Flat-panel displays
- Medical Imaging
- High-energy batteries
- Sensors
- Paints and pigments
- Automobile components
- Formable ceramics
- High-power magnets
- Smart structures

- CMP slurries
- KE penetrators/warheads
- Catalysts
- Phosphors
- Dielectrics
- Fuel cells
- Optical devices
- Cutting tools
- Cosmetics
- Aerospace components
- Proprietary Applications

## Why NANOMAT, INC.?



- Process Capabilities
- **Production Facilities**
- M Analytical Capabilities
- Wariety of Products
- M Stability and Profitability

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#### NANOMAT, INC. Core Competency



Experts at manufacturing virtually any nanomaterial by Chemical, Mechanical, Physical, and Combinations thereof

- Sol-Gel Synthesis
- Plasma Synthesis
- Polyol and other Chemical Synthesis
- Hydrothermal Synthesis
- Mechanical Alloying
- Mechanochemical Synthesis
- Other Proprietary Methods (Chemical, Mechanical, and Physical)

#### Nanomat, Inc.'s Facilities







- ▶ 45,000 ft<sup>2</sup>
- Chemical synthesis
- Mechanochemical synthesis
- Mechanical alloying
- Plasma synthesis
- Transmission electron microscope
- Scanning electron microscope with EDS
- ► FT-IR/UV-Vis Spectrometers
- Mass Spectrometers

- Metallograph
- Universal testing machine
- Mechanically-fluidized vacuum (MFV) furnaces
- **►** X-ray diffractometer
- **▶** High-Temperature S DSC/DTA/TGA
- ► 75-ton hot-press
- High-temperature atmosphere and vacuum furnaces
- Many more

#### NANOMAT, INC. Background



- Age of Company: Founded in 1995
- Number of Employees: 25, to be 28 in the next two months
- Annual Revenue: Confidential
- Approximate Revenue Breakdown:

90-95% - Commercial Sales

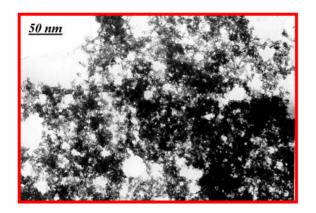
**5-10%** – Government and other R & D Contracts/Grants

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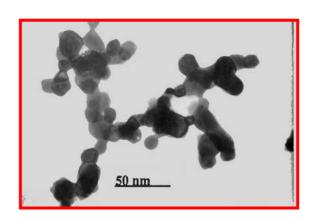
Ownership and Management

All employees are stockholders in the subsidiaries





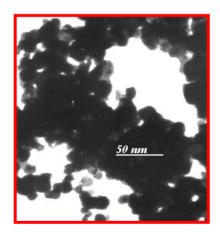
Tungstic acid gel



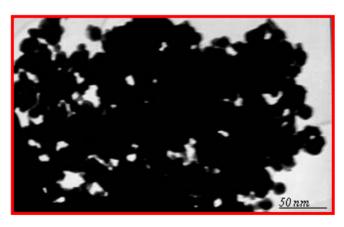
Elemental tungsten



W-Mo Solid Solution



W-Ta Solid Solution

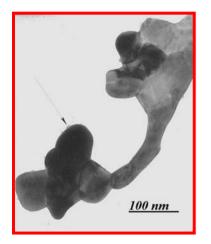


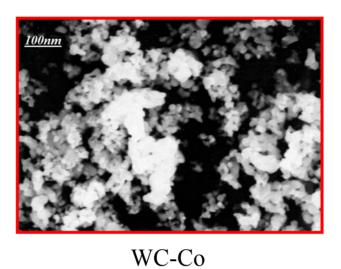
W-Re alloy

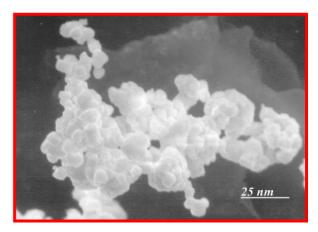


W-Ni alloy

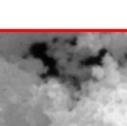








Cu-coated W



AlN

25 nm



SiC

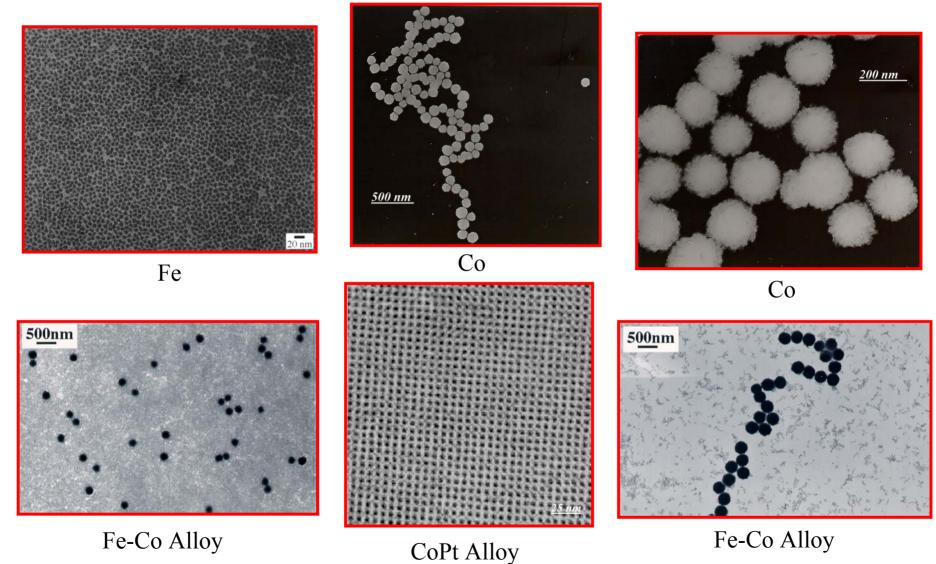
100 nm

 $B_4C$ 

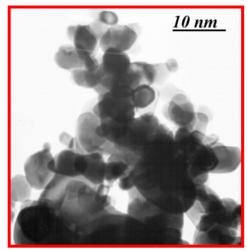
 $TiB_2$ 

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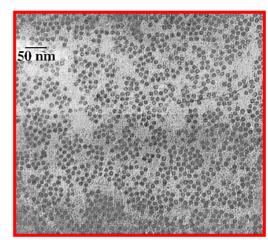




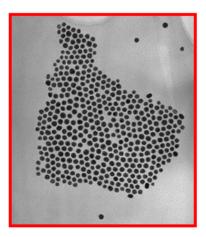
 $V_2O_5$ 



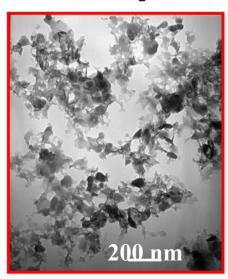
 $TiO_2$ 



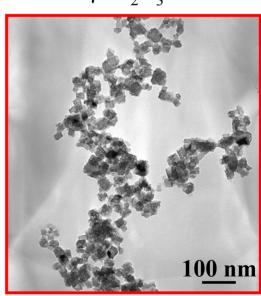
γ-Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>



Nano Gold (8-10 nm)



Talc

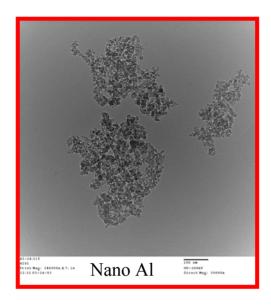


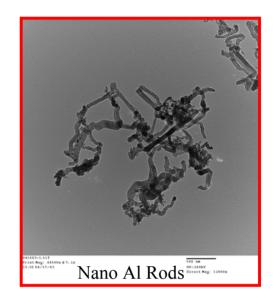
 $CaCO_3$ 

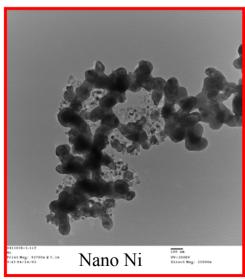
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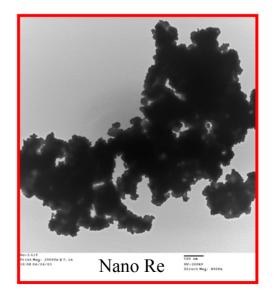
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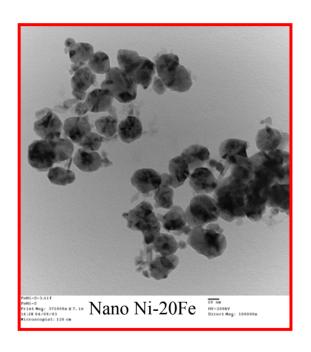


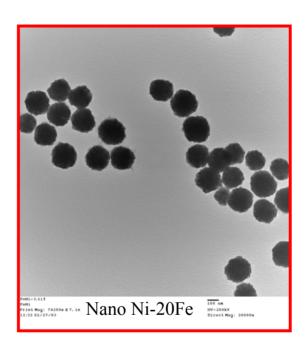


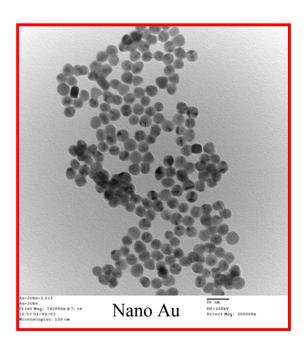




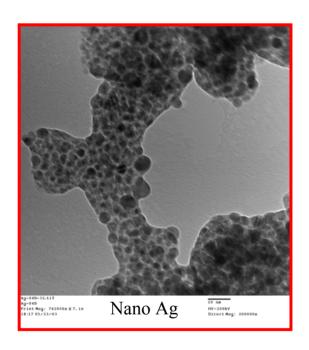


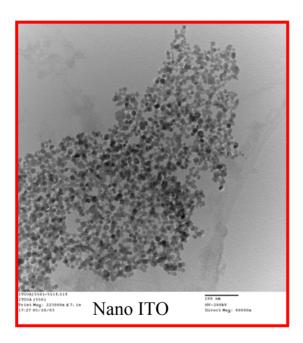


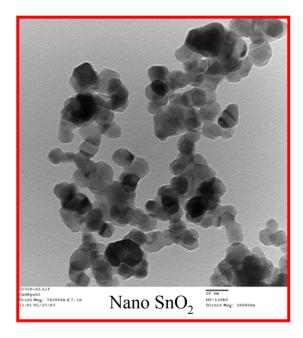




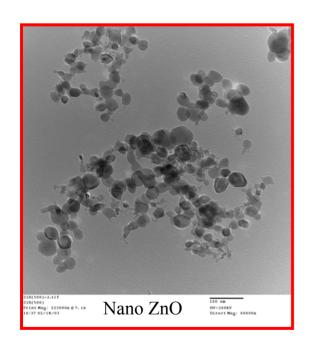


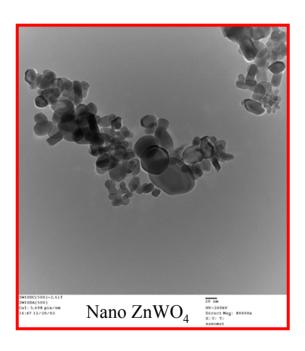


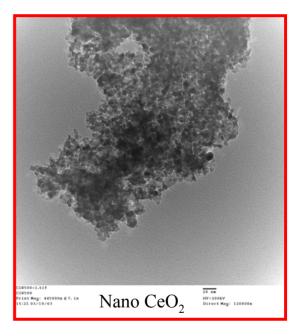




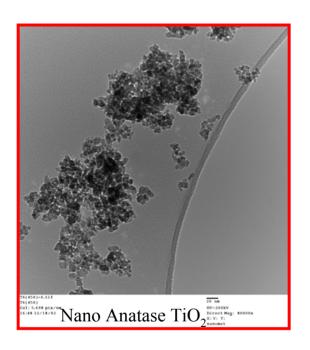


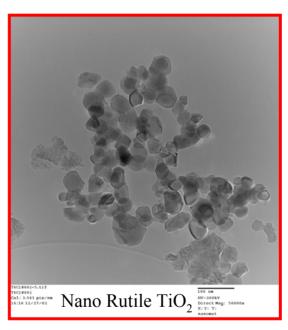


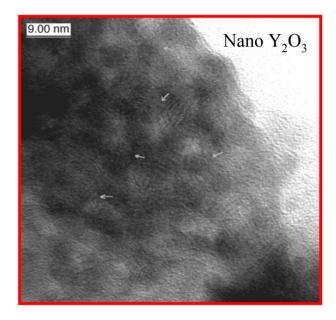






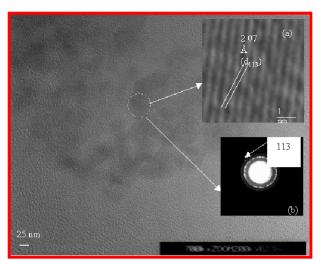




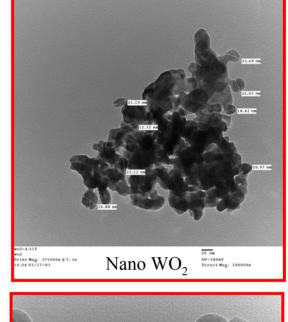


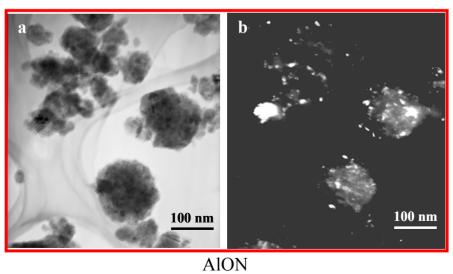
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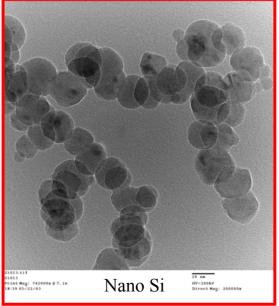


Nano Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>





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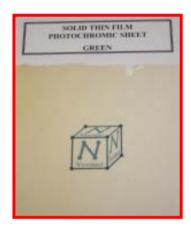


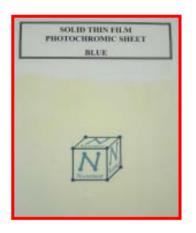
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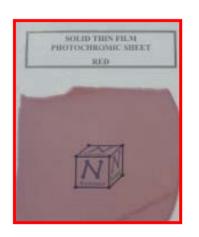
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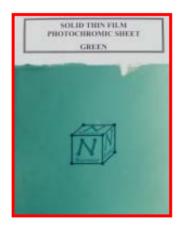


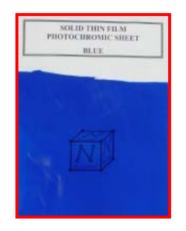




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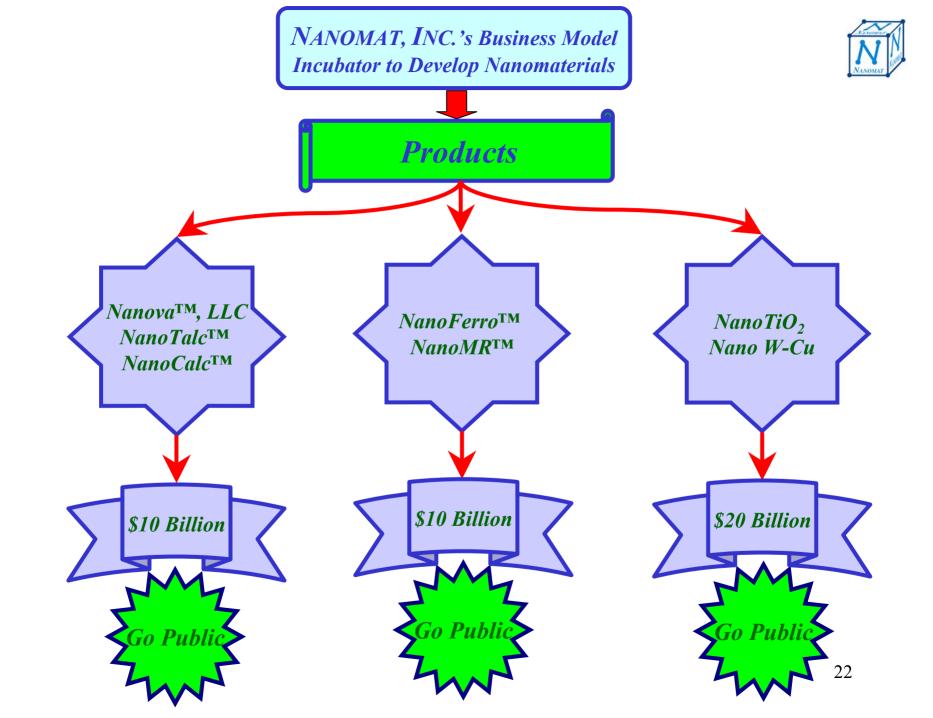




#### NANOMAT, INC. IP Strategy



- Trade Secrets and Know-how
- **U. S.** and International Patents
- M Provisional Patents
- **Trademarks**



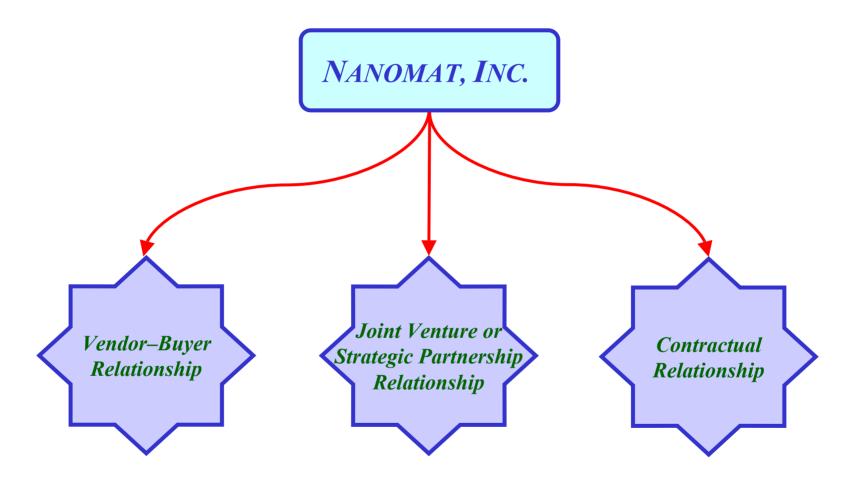
# Why You?



- Diversity of Products
- M Applications Development
- Manufacturing Capabilities
- Sales and Distribution Channels
- Financial Resources

#### What is in it for you?





# Soaring Profits





- NANOMAT currently possesses the technologies to deliver nanomaterials to the marketplace.
- NANOMAT is currently selling numerous nanomaterials for a wide variety of proprietary developmental applications.
- NANOMAT is currently in discussions with domestic and international investors for spinning off certain technologies into separate companies.

# Further Information

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