

The refurbished ID21 beamline at the ESRF, Nano-spectroscopy in the tender X-ray domain

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On behalf of the ID21 team



Li-Hill, *The power of acceleration*, 2019,
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TWO ILLUSTRATIVE CASE STUDIES: CADMIUM IN *THE SCREAM* AND IN CACAO BEANS

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synchrotron radiation spectroscopy pigments degradation paintings conservation cadmium sulfide

Maths, Physics & Chemistry

Saving the cadmium yellow pigments in *The Scream*

In situ non-invasive spectroscopic methods combined with synchrotron radiation X-ray techniques allowed us to unveil that moisture, but not light, is the main factor triggering the degradation of cadmium yellow paints in *The Scream* (ca. 1910) by Edvard Munch (Munch Museum, Oslo). The findings will contribute to preserve the masterpiece, which is rarely exhibited due to its tendency to degrade.

Credits: MOLAB - Italy (CNR, Italy)

How does CdS yellow degrade in *the Scream*?

Clima-LoCa DeSIRA PARTNERSHIPS FOR INNOVATION

Fostering low-cadmium and climate-relevant innovations to enhance the resilience and inclusiveness of the growing cacao sectors in Colombia, Ecuador and Peru

Funded by the European Union

Alliance Biodiversity CIAT CGIAR

Briefing Note No. 1

Cadmium in cacao: why it occurs, how it is regulated, and why it is a concern for producers

First Clima-LoCa briefing note on cadmium in cacao

Neil Palmer/CIAT

What is the cadmium path from the soil to the cacao beans?

acceptable concentrations of cadmium in cacao products such as chocolate and cocoa powder.

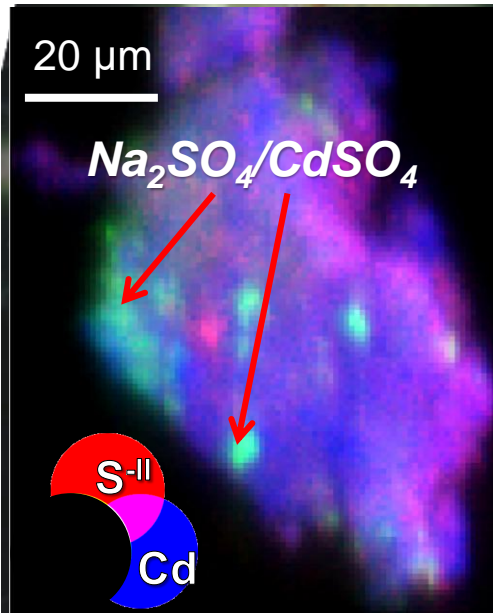
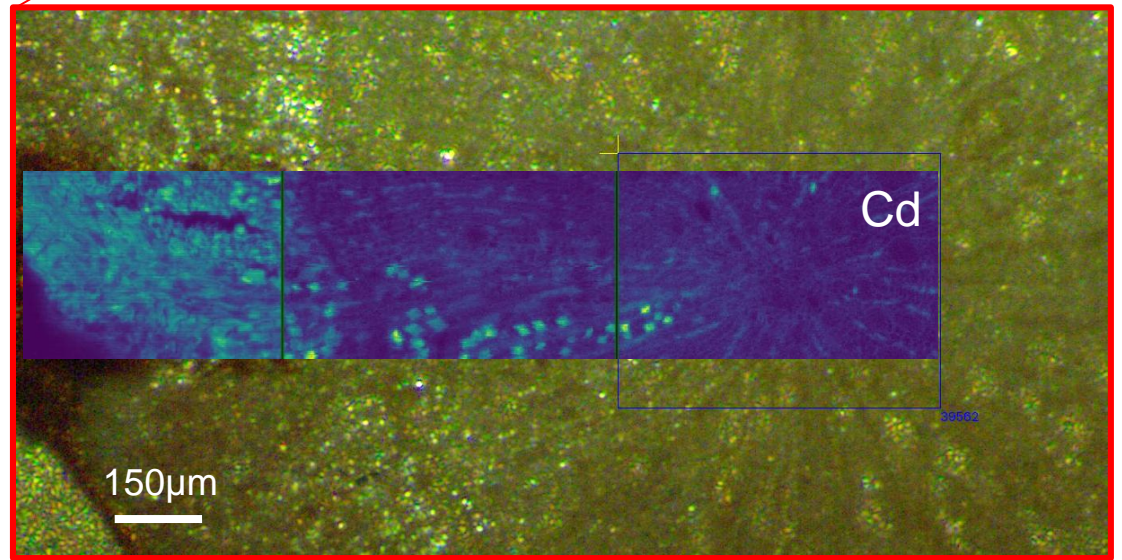
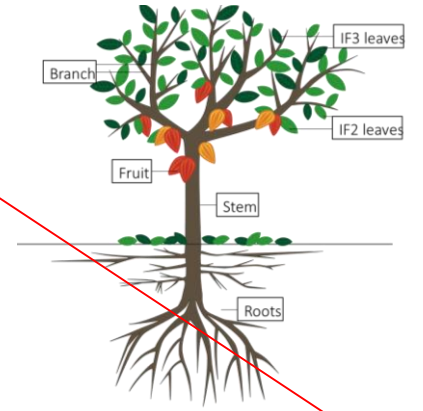
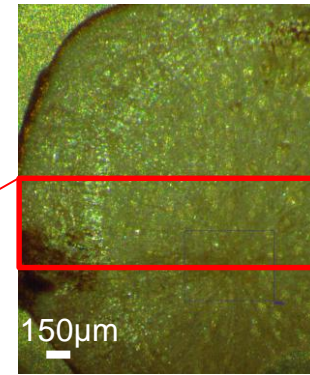
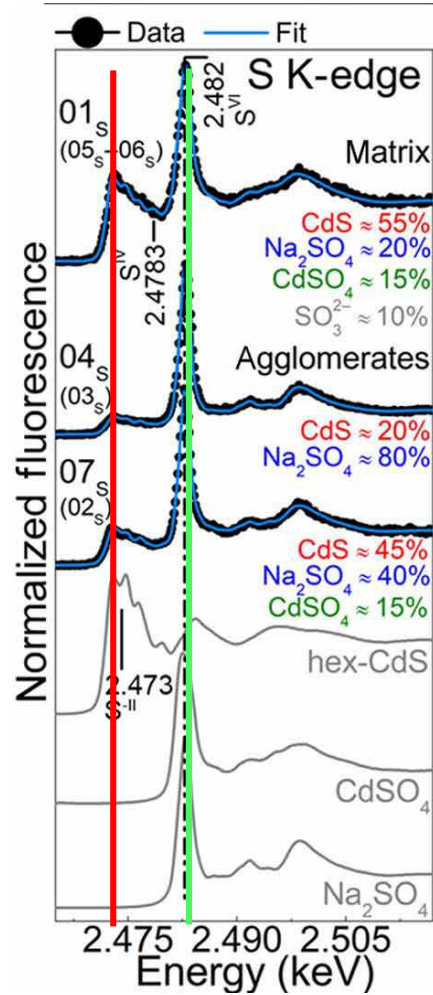
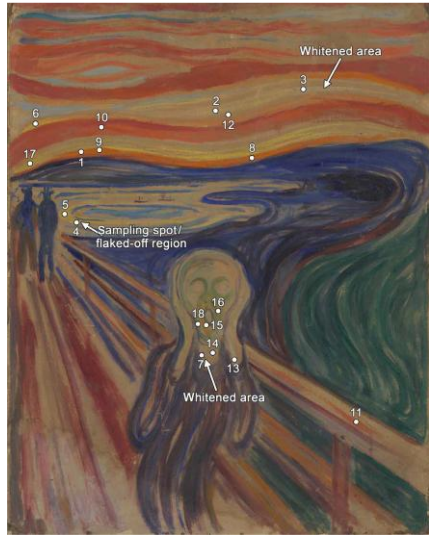
This has ramifications for the cacao sector worldwide as many farmers, particularly in Latin America and the Caribbean, may lose market access if they cannot meet these regulations.

Actors across the cacao value chain, including farmers, must be informed and supported to adapt to these regulations.

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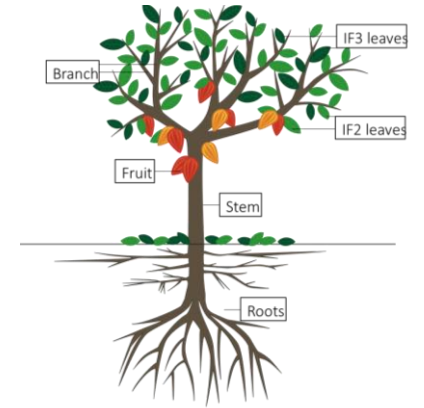
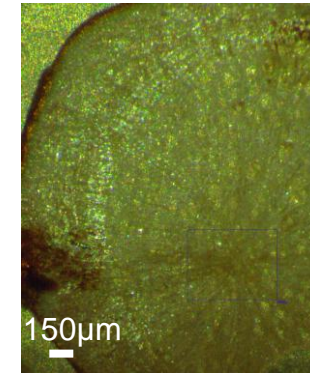
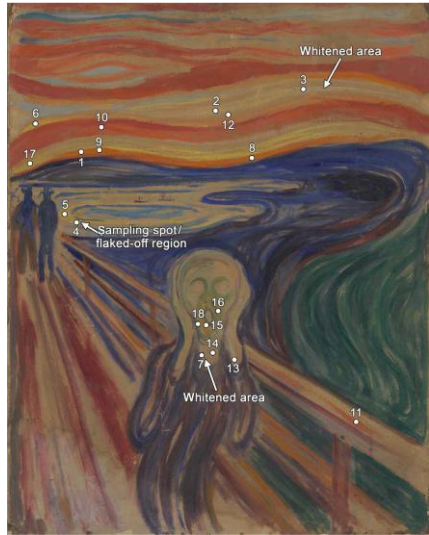


Monico, 2020

- 2D micro X-ray fluorescence maps
- Micro X-ray absorption spectra
- 2D multi-spectral mapping (same μ XRF map acquired at n energies)

Blommaert, 2024

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SCIENCE ADVANCES | RESEARCH ARTICLE

CHEMISTRY

Probing the chemistry of CdS paints in *The Scream* by in situ noninvasive spectroscopies and synchrotron radiation x-ray techniques

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Environmental and Experimental Botany

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Research Paper

Ca-oxalate crystals are involved in cadmium storage in a high Cd accumulating cultivar of cacao

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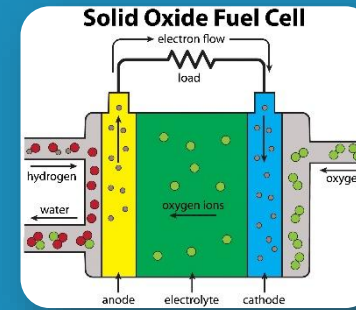
ID21: NANO X-RAY SPECTROSCOPY IN THE TENDER X-RAY DOMAIN

Cultural Heritage



- What are the masters' secrets?
- Why and how do artworks degrade?

Manufactured materials



- Efficiency and stability of manufactured materials
- Chemical reactions at boundaries in electrodes, catalysts and micro-electronics

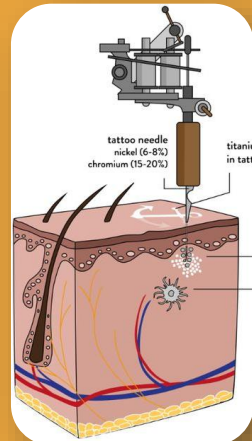
Environmental science



- Positive and negative impacts of materials in the environment
- Metal accumulation in plants

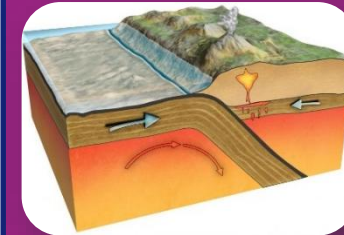
Identification and location of chemical markers in complex materials

Health



- Interactions of manufactured materials (drugs, implants, tattoos, etc.) with living systems
- Metal homeostasis disruption in diseases

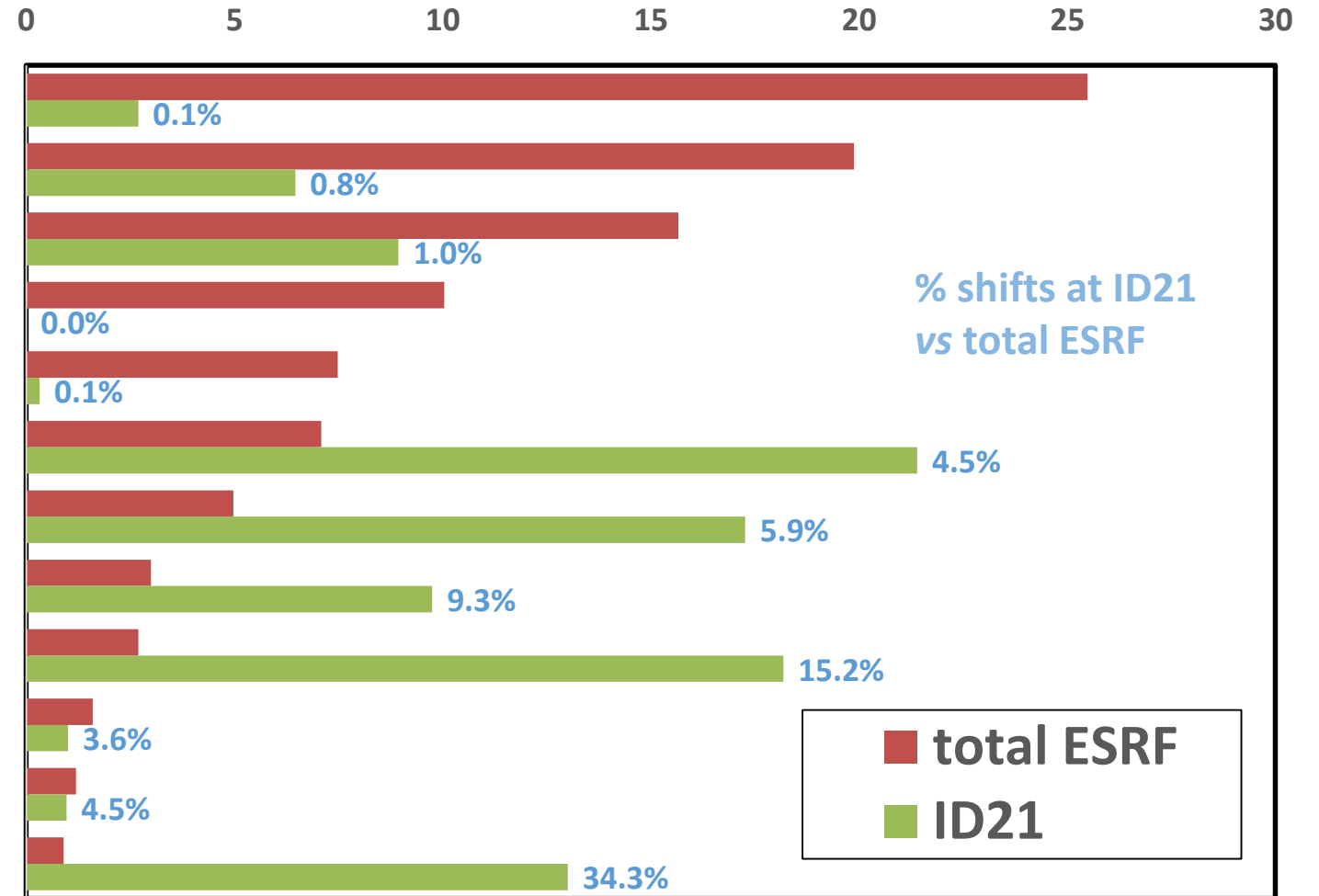
Earth and planetary sciences



- Chemical signature (element composition, trace elements, speciation) of geological processes
- Paleoclimate

ID21 WELCOMES SCIENTIFIC MINORITIES!

Number of shifts requested 2016-2022 (in %)



- **HC** Hard Condensed Matter Science
 - **MA** Applied Material Science
 - **CH** Chemistry
 - **MX** Structural Biology
- **SC** Soft Condensed Matter Science
 - **ES** Earth Science
 - **LS** Life Sciences
 - **MD** Medicine
 - **EV** Environment
- **MI** Methods and Instrumentation
 - **ME** Engineering
 - **HG** Cultural Heritage

Distribution of proposals per scientific field

DIFFERENT SCIENTIFIC FIELDS BUT COMMON ANALYTICAL CHALLENGES

Graphical interfaces
for navigation and
data collection

XRF and XANES

Under vacuum
Energy from 2.1 to 10keV

Mapping capabilities
In-line optical microscope
Focused X-ray beam

- Expert users, but also often first time users who aim at
- **identifying and localizing various species** (major, minor and trace; crystallized and amorphous),
- containing both **low Z elements and metals**
- in **complex and heterogeneous** (often biological) matrices,
- with **sub-micrometric resolution** and **sub-millimetric 2D field of view**

Automation
Workflows

High detection limits
(down to ppm)

Cryo preservation
Expertise, instruments and
assistance for sample
preparation
Sample stage +
control for fast
scanning

METALS IN BIOLOGICAL SYSTEMS: TECHNICAL CHALLENGES DRIVING THE ID21 REFURBISHMENT

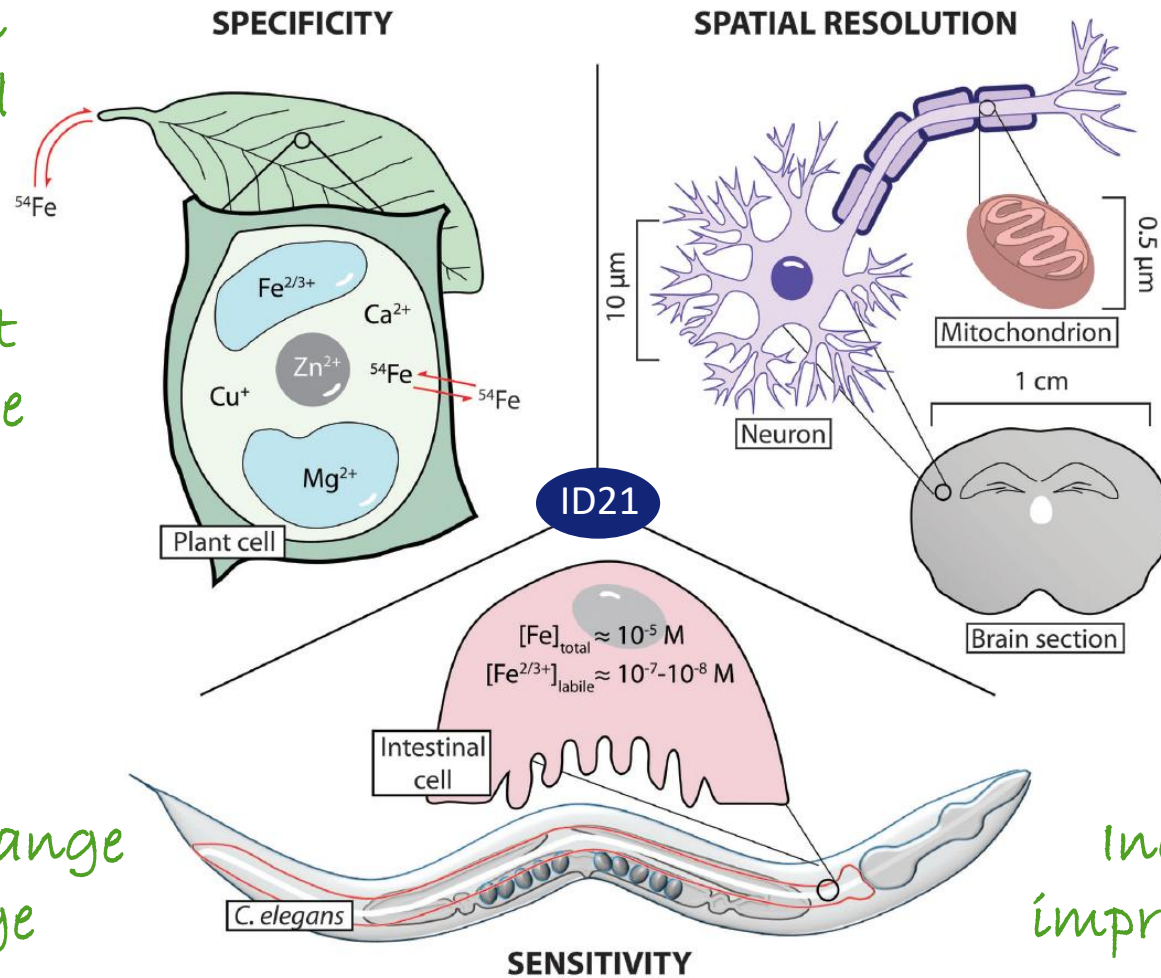
- Imaging of metals and nano-materials in biology is a balance of sensitivity, selectivity and spatial resolution.
- Disruption of the native chemical environment, during sample preparation and analysis, should be minimised.

Better combination of spectroscopy and mapping

Better management of radiation damage

Better data management

Increased energy range up to Zn K-edge



Down to 100nm
But preserving the field of view and sample corpus

More stable beam during XANES scans

Increased flux and improved XRF detection



THE ID21 REFURBISHMENT

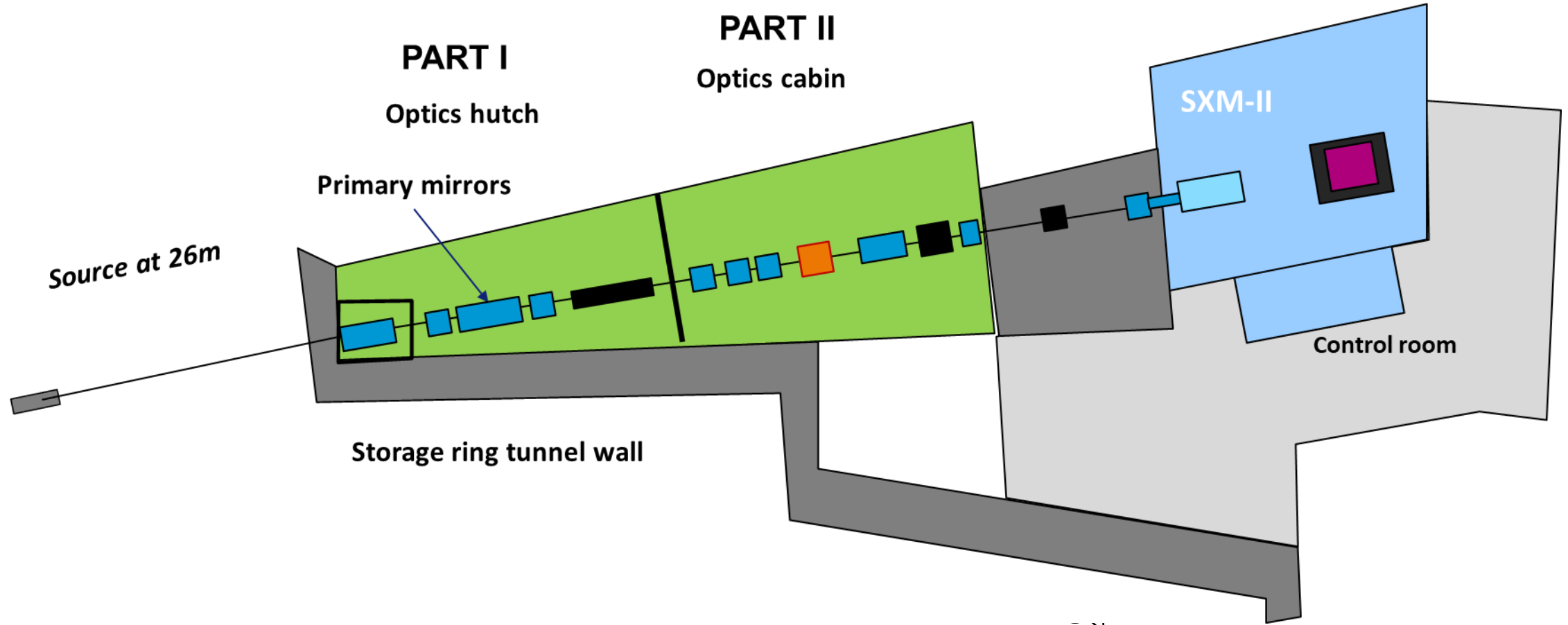
2016-2024

Part I: primary double mirrors and optics hutch, 2015-2018, coordinated by Murielle Salomé

Part II: new DCM and optics cabins, 2017-2023, coordinated by Bob Baker (for DCM) and Keith Martel (for ID21)

Part III: new nanoscope and experimental hutch, 2018-2024, coordinated by Hiram Castillo

EVOLUTION OF ID21 INSTRUMENTS, 2016-2024



shutdowns

USM

09/2018: installation of the new primary mirrors
11/2018: Installation of the new DCM
29/01/20: First EBS beam
10/2020: First EBS users (remote, BLISS, Daiquiri)

2016 2017 2018 2019 EBS 2020 2021 2022 2023

Measuring the oxidation state of mantle-derived magmas to assess the role of plate tectonics in atmospheric oxygenation

Proposal

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Beamline

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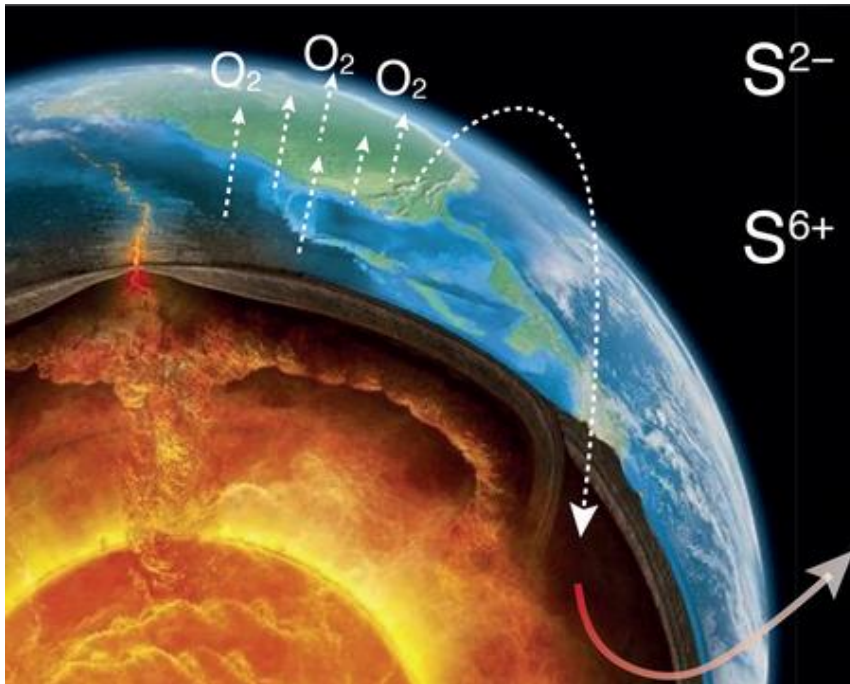
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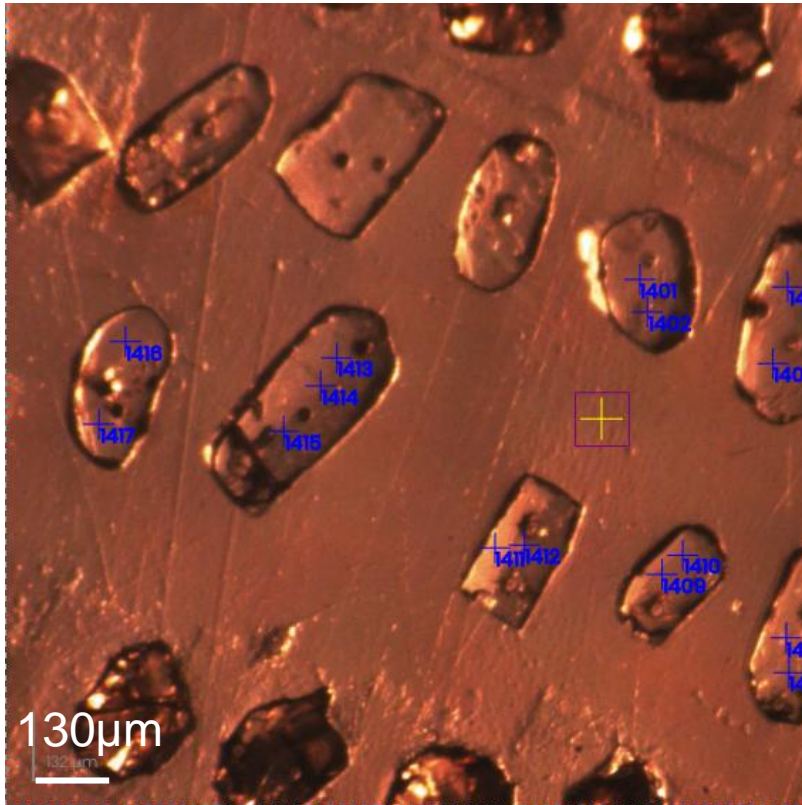
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FIRST USERS POST EBS (H. MOREIRA ET AL.), ENJOYING BLISS AND DAIQUIRI (SEPT 2020)!

Apatite inclusions hosted in 2.4–2.1-billion-year-old igneous zircons from the Mineiro Belt, Brazil.



The screenshot displays the Daiquiri web-based user interface. The main window shows a micrograph of a sample with a red box highlighting a region of interest. Below the micrograph is a color-coded map. The interface includes a top navigation bar with buttons for 'King Current', 'From End', 'Full protocol', 'Absorber', and 'Recorder'. A right-hand panel contains a table of data collections and maps. The 'Data Collections' table lists various data points with columns for ID, Start, Took, Status, and Type. The 'Maps' table lists various maps with columns for ID, DC, ROI, Px, and Py. The bottom of the interface features a series of control panels for different components, including 'samy', 'zoom_MF', 'samy', 'vms', 'recdita', and 'sample_stage_MF'.

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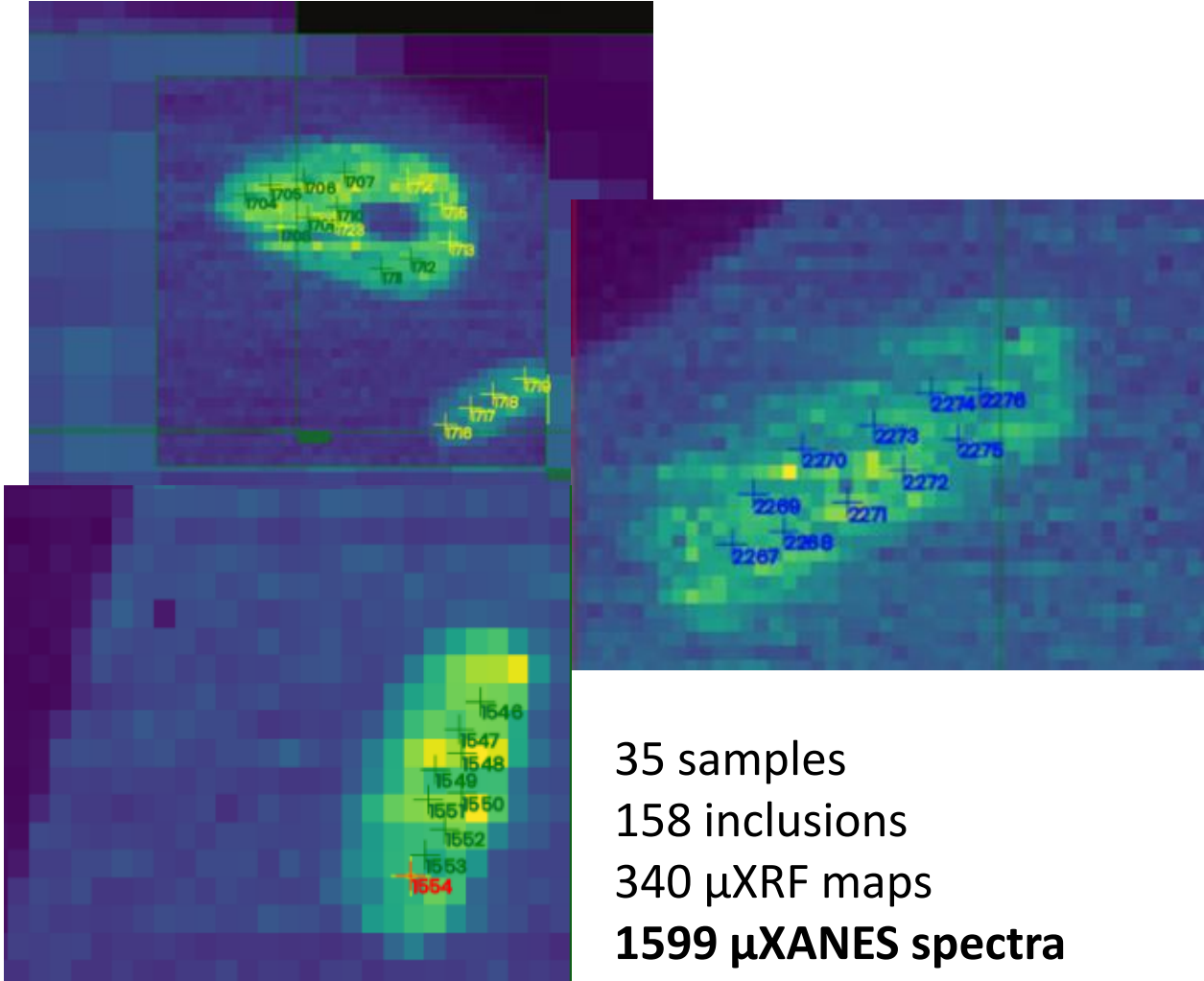
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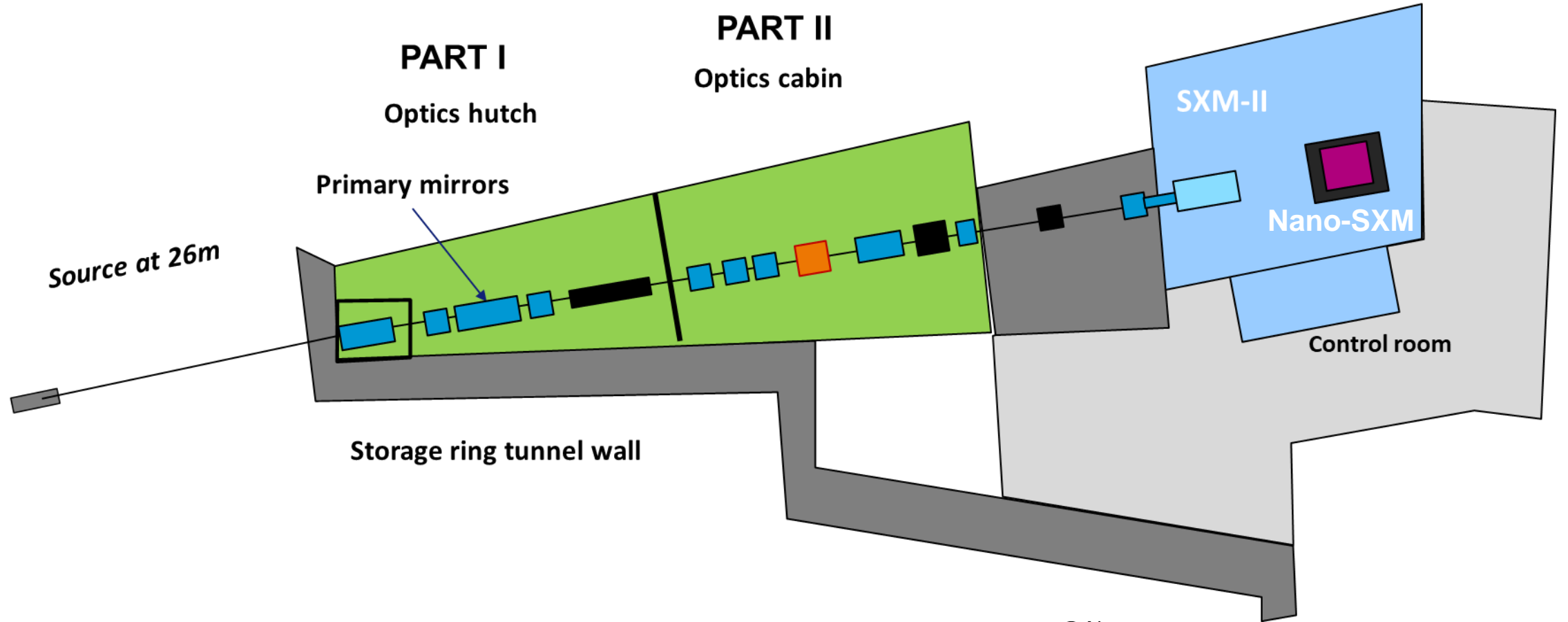
computer programs



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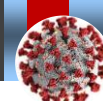
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THE REFURBISHMENT PART III: IMPLEMENTATION OF A NEW NANOSCOPE

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SUCCESS STORY
InnovaXN PhDs address global challenges

DISAPPEARING PLASTIC
Enzyme-embedded polymer goes to compost

30 YEARS
Users celebrate past and future science

FIRST IMPRESSIONS
A new era with EBS for new director general

CONNECTED
Nano X-ray imaging unravels the mysteries of the brain

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Murielle Salomé, engineer and Hiram Castillo-Michel, ID21 scientist, at work on the beamline.

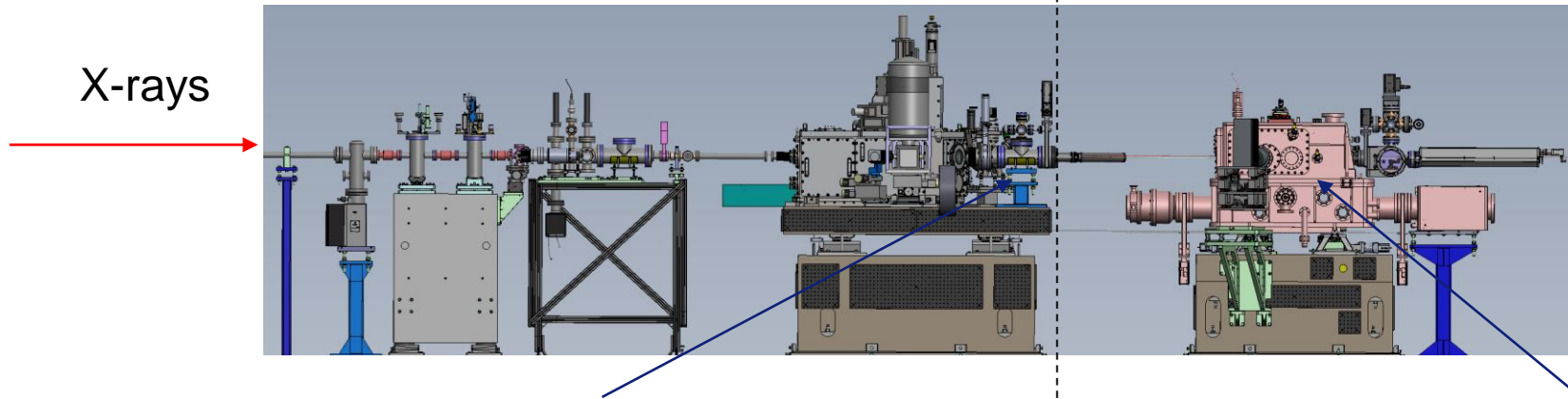
Nanoscope opens to users

Users have taken data on the ID21 nanoscope for the first time, revealing a potential to trace nanoparticles with unprecedented speed and precision. Visiting from the University of Bordeaux in France, the users have been familiarising themselves with

"The spatial resolution of the new ID21 has been paramount for the success of our experiment"

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Scanning X-ray microscope (“old”)

Scanning X-ray nanoscope (new)

2-10.5keV

Micro/ Nano X-ray fluorescence

Micro/ Nano X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy

Multi-energy maps

Under vacuum; Cryo / Room temperature

- Unfocussed beam (100-300 μm)
or focussed beam (0.3(V) \times 0.7(H) μm^2)
- Ni coated KB => no access to Ni XANES
- 1 single element XRF detector

- Only focussed beam: expected beam size down to 0.1(V) \times 0.1(H) μm^2 (**now 150 \times 150nm 2 above 6keV**)
- 2 KBs (one Ni, one Pt coating) giving high flux up to 10keV
- Two 5-element XRF detectors (to be delivered soon)

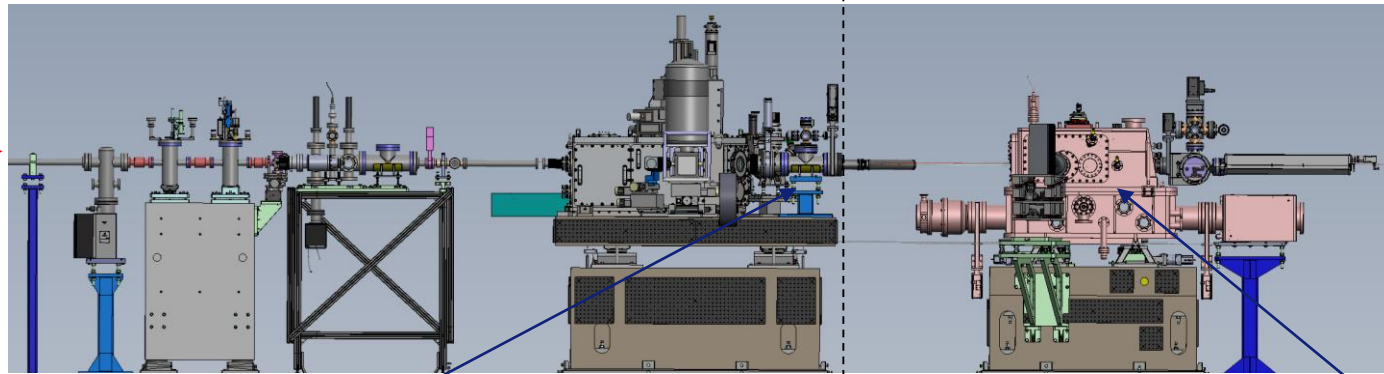
ID21 ENERGY RANGE: 2.1-10.5KEV

Identification of elements by X-ray fluorescence (coloured)
 Identification of species by X-ray absorption spectroscopy (underlined)

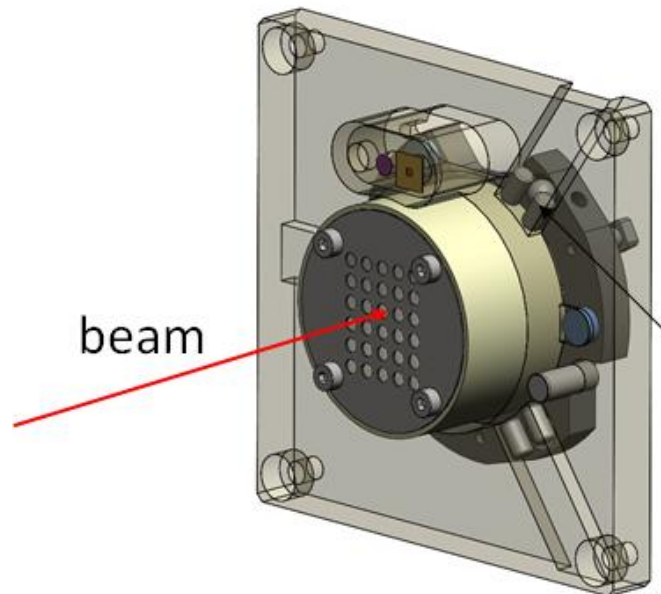
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THE OLD MICROSCOPE AND THE NEW NANSCOPE

X-rays

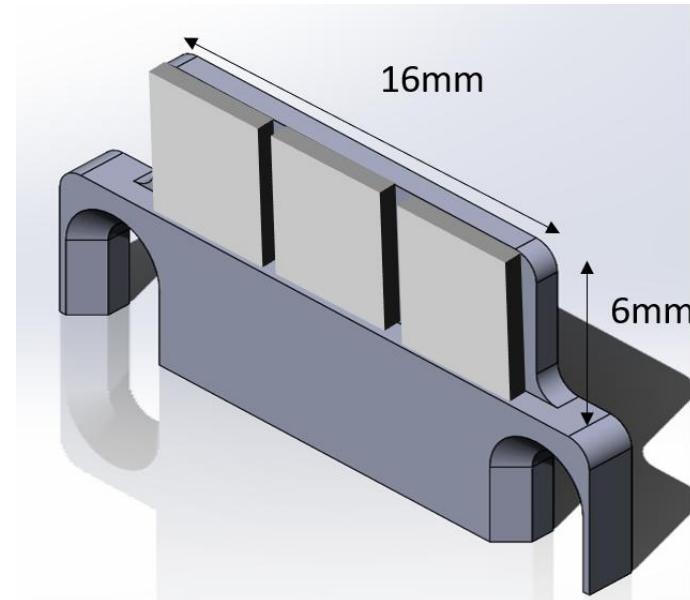


Scanning X-ray microscope ("old")



Samples: max 25mm diameter

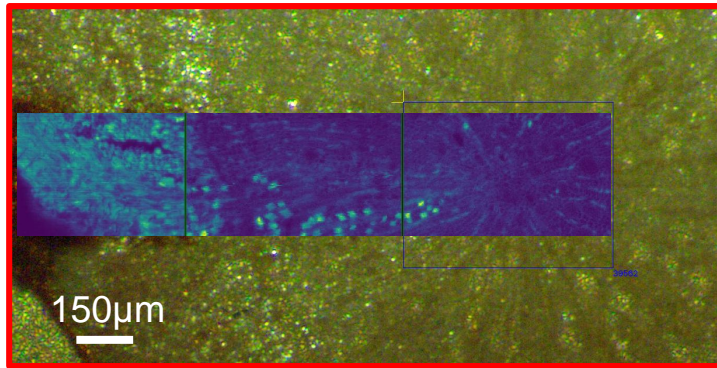
Scanning X-ray nanoscope (new)



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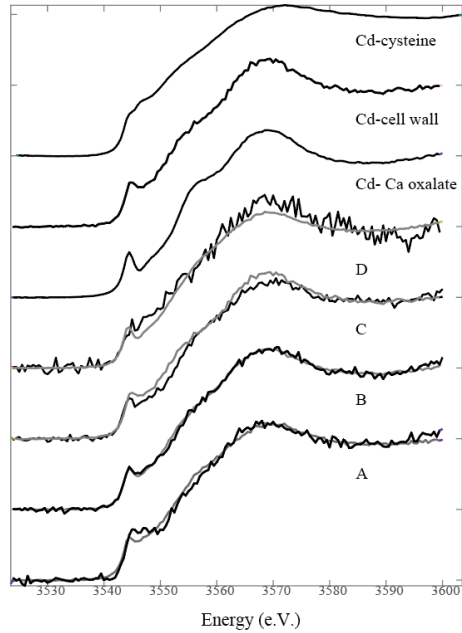
NANO-XANES ON BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES IMPROVED THANKS TO EBS AND TO THE REFURBISHMENT

Tracking trace elements

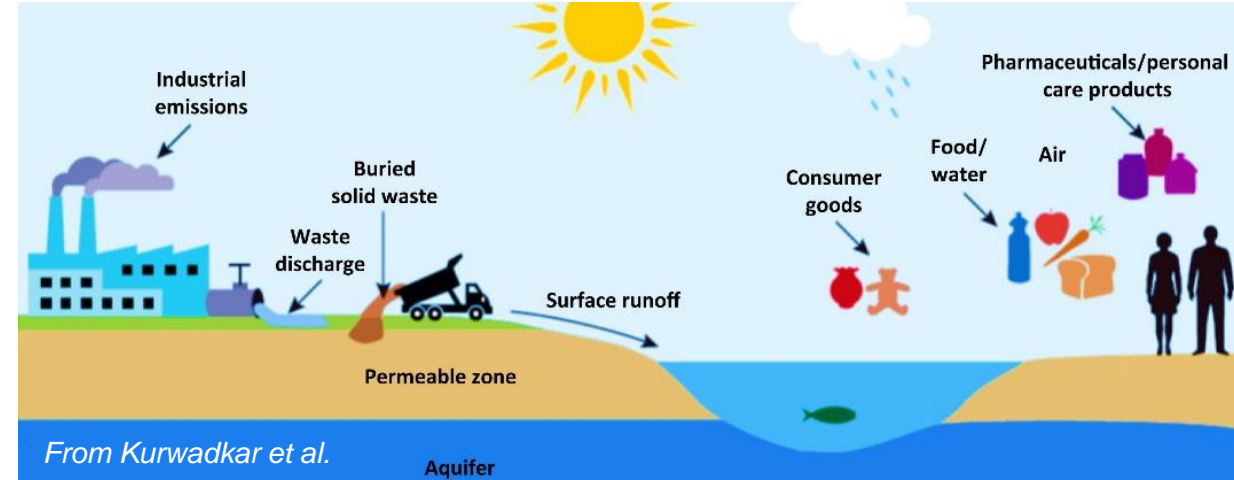


Cd concentration in the ppm level.

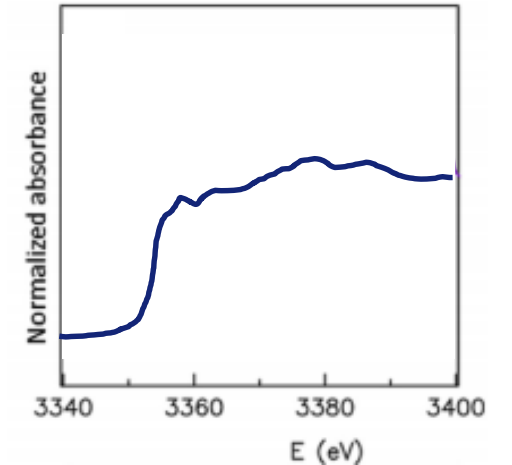
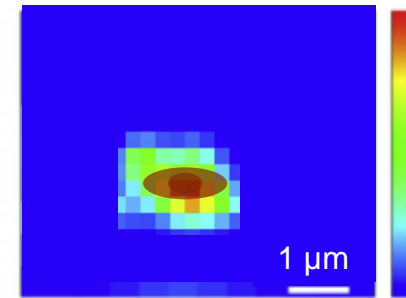
μ XRF maps and μ XANES only feasible thanks to **EBS flux**.



XANES on nanoparticles



With the new introduction of the new nano microscope



Copper speciation in lustre layers

Proposal

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Beamline

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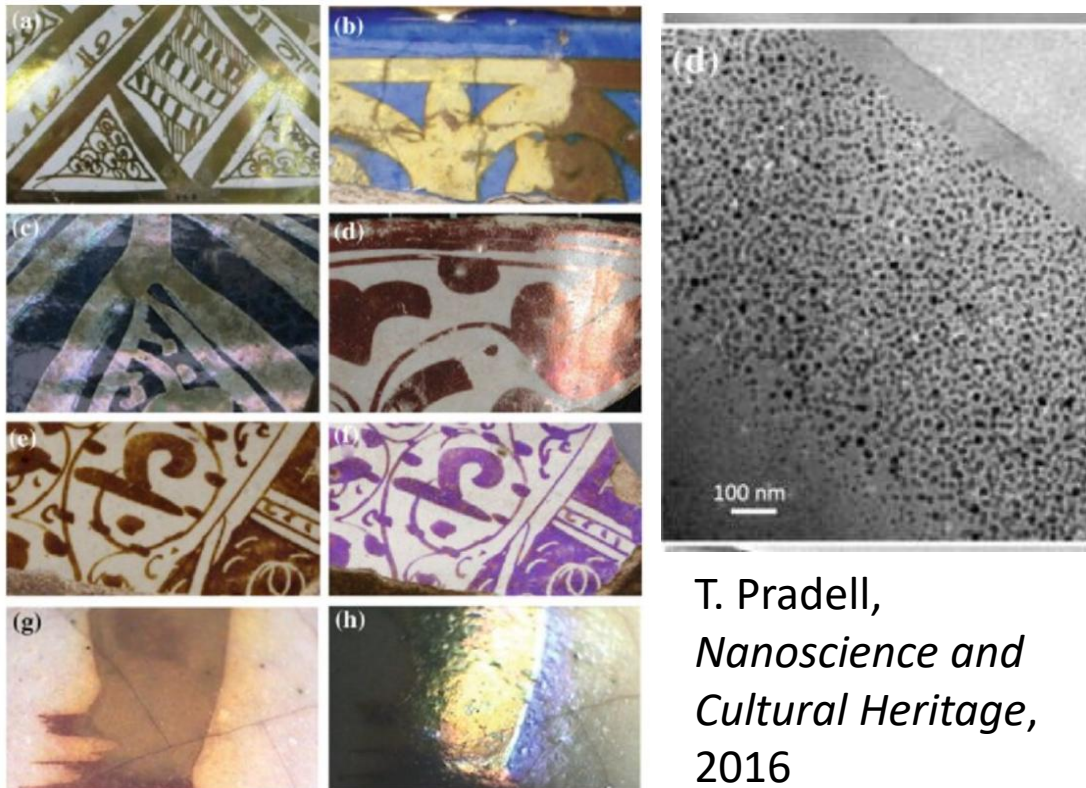
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ID21:

- Techniques: 2D XRF mapping, XAS (mainly XANES), hyperspectral mapping
- Under vacuum: very good detection of low Z elements
- Cryo-preservation available
- Beam size:
 - microscope from $0.3 \times 0.7 \mu\text{m}^2$ to $0.3 \times 0.3 \text{mm}^2$,
 - nanoscope down to $<150 \text{nm}^2$
- Energy range 2-11keV (K-edge from P to Zn; access to Ag, Cd, Sb... through L-lines)

Thank you for attending
the webinar!

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Thanks to the ID21 team

Join us for great experiments at ID21!

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