



Australian Synchrotron MX beamlines Update 2019 HDRMX Meeting

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Two Single Crystal X-ray Diffraction Beamlines: MX1 and MX2

MX1:

- Energy range: 8 keV 17.5 keV
- Beam focus size at sample: 180 μm x 150 μm (HxV)
- Flux at the sample: 3.6 e10¹¹ ph/s @ 13.000 keV
- Mini kappa geometry available
- Dectris Eiger2 9M, détector (dataset in 18 sec)

MX2:

- Energy range: 8.5 keV 17.5 keV
- Beam focus size at sample: 22 μm x 12 μm (HxV)
- Positional and intensity stability: 1 µm position stability
- Flux at the sample: 2.4 e10¹² ph/s @ 13.000 keV
- Micro collimator (7.5, 10, 20 μm)
- Dectris Eiger 16M detector (dataset in 18 sec)

Both MX1 and MX2:

- Robotic loading of samples
- Remote collection available



A little bit about infrastructure

Typical monthly use stats

Beamline	Total number of EPNs	Total data size (Tb)	Mean data per EPN	Total Robot mounted pins	Mean mounts per EPN
MX1	23	11.374	0.495	1796	78
MX2	32	33.108	1.035	3363	105

Local vrs central storage



MX3 on the way!

Beamline	Full beam size (μ)	Min collimated beam size (μ)	Full beam flux at sample (ph/s)	Key Capabilities	Science	
MX1	180x150	50x50	3.40E+11	High stability, kappa goniometer, low energy collection, high data quality, high throughput, fragment screening, MAD/SAD	CX/MX, weak anomalous data, medium sized crystals	
MX2	22x12	10x8	2.40E+12	Hot beam, small crystals, High data quality, high throughput, MAD/SAD	Weak and small CX/MX. General commercial	
MX3	8.5x1.5	1.5x1.5	1.10E+14	Microfocus, very hot beam, changeable beam size, sophisticated endstation for micro crystals, Serial crystallography via goniometer, fixed targets and injectors. In-tray screening and collection. fixed-energy	Nano MX. Weakly scattering small crystals Membrane proteins Large protein complexes	

Potential count-rate problem with larger, better diffracting samples on MX3

Eiger2 and beamline energy – MX3 design





Tuning curve for 5th 3m IVUs. U17.5 is shown in black and u18 in red. Calculated at 37m for K range of 0.5-1.41. The bottom of the 5th harmonic is 12.494 keV for u17.5 and 12.146 for u18.



Flux at 13kev, 5th harmonic by IVU period

Eiger2 pixel saturation by energy. Data provided by Dr. Cameron Kewish.

Eiger2 saturation will have a big influence on the ability to handle very high count rates

Challenges and opportunities

CX can have issues on MX lines!



Keeping up with collection – Real time processing Standard collection 360° in 36 sec, 100Hz (3600 frames)

Previously 15 min 1° collected over 1 sec. 360 frames.

Eiger - Dedicated computing nodes MX2 - **14 nodes installed** MX1 - **16 nodes installed 1920 cores, 3840 Gb RAM**





Count rate and CX

CX has more issues with count rate

- Well-ordered materials necessary for high resolution structures
- Small mosaicity, so diffraction peaks are sharper
- Stronger scatterers can cause stronger diffraction
- Small unit cell means fewer diffraction spots, so each bad pixel has a proportionally larger impact
- New tools being developed





If any subframe is overexposed, the entire frame (a single pixel) is marked as overexposed. (Source: Dectris, Ltd.)

32 bit



Count rate and CX

CX has more issues with count rate

- Issues with 100% transmission datasets and decent crystals
- New tools being developed to flag problem datasets and warn users.





Eiger2 use-cases

Chemical Crystallography (CX)

A broad user base

MX1 and MX2 cater to both the CX and PX communities

162 publications (to date) in 2018

1373 papers from the MX beamlines so far....

~ 30% of publications are from CX community

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Total
Total	7	34	62	102	118	153	171	182	208	174	162	1373
СХ	1	9	19	34	44	52	67	73	69	75	48	491
PX	6	25	43	68	74	101	104	109	139	99	114	882
% CX	14.3%	26.5%	30.6%	33.3%	37.3%	34.0%	39.2%	40.1%	33.2%	43.1%	29.6%	35.8%

Publications - Chemical vs Biological

A broad CX user base

Diversity of sample and experiment types in CX

Research Areas

Supramolecular assemblies of light elements. MOFS – Metal Organic Frameworks (Coordination polymers) Minerals **Inorganic Materials** Supramolecular Chemistry Spin cross over phase transitions Actinides Structure Determination for Magnetic properties (Lanthanide SMM) SCXRD – overlap with PD Solid State Photochemistry High pressure cells Absolute Structure Determination

FIG. 1. Intergrown crystals of camerolaite from Padern. Field of view 2 mm across. Georges Favreau specimen, Pierre Clolus photograph.

Bendable crystals

- Assoc. Prof. Jack Clegg (UQ)
- 2018 Malcolm McIntosh Prize for Physical Scientist of the year
- Crystals of copper(II) acetylacetonate
- Repeatably, reversibly bent
- Full data collection on MX1
- Mapping studies on MX2 using the 7.5 micron micro collimator

Worthy et al. 2018. Nature Chemistry 10 (1), 65-69

MX2-Structural mapping using micro X-ray diffraction

 X-ray beam with a FWHM of 7.5 x 11.25 µm (green dot)

University of Queensland

- Dr Arnaud Grosjean
- Dr Jack Clegg
- Dr Michael Pfrunder

QUT A/Prof. John McMurtrie Anna Worthy

100 µm

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Structural Changes Across a Bent Crystal Using MX2 Micro-Focused Synchrotron Radiation

But this study was done by manually moving the beam and refining each structure individually

Worthy, A.; Grosjean, A.; Pfrunder, M. C.; Xu, Y.; Yan, C.; Edwards, G.; Clegg, J. K.; McMurtrie, J. C., Nat Chem 2018, 10 (1), 65-69.

Automation Upgrades

Each experiment requires 20-40+ datasets

- One full experiment on the upgraded Dectris Eiger X 16M Detector provides
 > 20 GB raw data in < 1 hour
- Automated rastering for collection and programmed analysis greatly increases throughput and efficiency for these types of experiments

Investigation of an abrupt phase transition

0.0

180

170

210

190

т / к 250

230 240 260 270 280 300

290

Uses all of the tools developed.

- Monoclinic system
- Strategy

- Temperature ramp
 - Change temperature, equilibrate and collect
 - Ramp temperature and trigger collect at temperature.
- Heat 5K for every minutes
- Collect every 2 mins (10K), 30 full data collections in 60 minutes
- 240° sweep, 12 s, 200Hz

MX - Australian Synchrotron

The Australian Synchrotron MX Team

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MX Team

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Mark Clift (Controls Engineering)

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Thank you

Questions?

J. Am. Chem. Soc. 1992, 114, 5197-5203

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Crystal and Molecular Structures of $[Ru(bpy)_3](PF_6)_3$ and $[Ru(bpy)_3](PF_6)_2$ at 105 K

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Figure 1. Temperature dependence of the normalized intensities of one main and three superstructure reflections during heating (filled symbols) and cooling (empty symbols). For clarity three of the four curves are shown shifted vertically ("symbol (*hkl*), shift" are given): \blacksquare , \square (-8 7 2), 0.45; \blacktriangle , \triangle (2 3 3), 0.3; \blacklozenge , \diamondsuit (0 5 6), 0.15; \blacklozenge , \bigcirc (3 4 -7), 0.

Figure 5. Comparison of the unit cells in the high (a) and low temperature (b) structure of $[Ru(bpy)_3](PF_6)_2$ (arrows in b show direction of displacements relative to the room temperature structure).

c (Å)	<u>16.344(3)</u>	16.237(3)
V (Å ³)	<u>1611.6</u>	4748.82

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160K

