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Workshop „Rietveld Refinement with Profex“

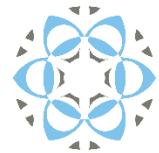
## Lesson 6: Structure and Device Files

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# Structure Files

GOALs = „Results“ in BGMN terminology

```
PHASE=Calcite // 04-008-0788
MineralName=Calcite
Formula=Ca_(CO3)
SpacegroupNo=167 HermannMauguin=R-32/c
PARAM=A=0.4991_0.4941^0.5041 PARAM=C=1.7062_1.6891^1.7233
RP=4 k1=0 k2=0 PARAM=B1=0_0^0.01 GEWICHT=SPHAR4
GOAL=GrainSize(1,1,1)
GOAL:Calcite=GEWICHT
E=CA Wyckoff=b x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.0000 TDS=0.00796938
E=C Wyckoff=a x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00757986
E=O Wyckoff=e x=0.2573 y=0.0000 z=0.2500 TDS=0.01400168
```

Direct GOALS **GOAL=<value>** writes the result and its error to the list file (\*.lst)

Indirect GOALS **GOAL:<name>=<value>** assigns <value> to the variable <name>  
and exports <name> to the control file (\*.sav)

# Structure Files: Direct GOALS

Apatite-OH.str

```
PHASE=Hydroxyapatite // 01-074-0565
MineralName=Hydroxylapatite
Formula=Ca5_(PO4)3_(OH)
SpacegroupNo=176 HermannMauguin=P6_3/m
PARAM=A=0.9424_0.9330^0.9518 PARAM=C=0.6879_0.6810^0.6948
RP=4 k1=0 k2=0 PARAM=B1=0_0^0.05 GEWICHT=SPHAR4
```

```
GOAL=GrainSize(0,0,1)
GOAL=GrainSize(1,0,0)
GOAL:Hydroxyapatite=GEWICHT
E=CA Wyckoff=f x=0.3333 y=0.6667 z=0.0015 TDS
E=CA Wyckoff=h x=0.2468 y=0.9934 z=0.2500 TDS
E=P Wyckoff=h x=0.3987 y=0.3685 z=0.2500 TDS=
E=O Wyckoff=h x=0.3284 y=0.4848 z=0.2500 TDS=
E=O Wyckoff=h x=0.5873 y=0.4651 z=0.2500 TDS=
E=O Wyckoff=i x=0.3437 y=0.2579 z=0.0702 TDS=
E=O(0.5000) Wyckoff=e x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.1
E=H(0.5000) Wyckoff=e x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.0
```

240222-01.lst

Local parameters and GOALS for phase Hydroxyapatite

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```
SpacegroupNo=176
HermannMauguin=P6_3/m
XrayDensity=3.120
Rphase=5.46%
UNIT=NM
A=0.9425500+-0.0000033
C=0.6883876+-0.0000030
GrainSize(0,0,1)=387+-15
GrainSize(1,0,0)=379+-10
```

GEWICHT=SPHAR4, MeanValue(GEWICHT)=0.161184

B1=ANISOLIN, MeanValue(B1)=0.00111181, sqrt3(det(B1))=0.00111171  
Atomic positions for phase Hydroxyapatite

```
-----
4 0.3333 0.6667 0.0015 E=(CA(1.000))
6 0.2468 0.9934 0.2500 E=(CA(1.0000))
6 0.3987 0.3685 0.2500 E=(P(1.0000))
6 0.3284 0.4848 0.2500 E=(O(1.0000))
6 0.5873 0.4651 0.2500 E=(O(1.0000))
12 0.3437 0.2579 0.0702 E=(O(1.0000))
4 0.0000 0.0000 0.1950 E=(O(0.5000))
4 0.0000 0.0000 0.0608 E=(H(0.5000))
```

Other examples:

```
// volume of hexagonal unit cell
GOAL=sqrt(3)*A*A*C/2

// mass absorption coefficient
GOAL=10000*my/density
```

# Structure Files: Indirect GOALs

Apatite-OH.str

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MineralName=Hydroxylapatite
Formula=Ca5_(PO4)3_(OH)
SpacegroupNo=176 HermannMauguin=P6_3/m
PARAM=A=0.9424_0.9330^0.9518 PARAM=C=0.6879_0.6810^0.6948
RP=4 k1=0 k2=0 PARAM=B1=0_0^0.05 GEWICHT=SPHAR4
GOAL=GrainSize(0,0,1)
GOAL=GrainSize(1,0,0)
GOAL:Hydroxyapatite=GEWICHT
E=CA Wyckoff=f x=0.3333 y=0.6667 z=0.0015 TDS=0.00664290
E=CA Wyckoff=h x=0.2468 y=0.9934 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00567436
E=P Wyckoff=h x=0.3987 y=0.3685 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00477426
E=O Wyckoff=h x=0.3284 y=0.4848 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00953535
E=O Wyckoff=h x=0.5873 y=0.4651 z=0.2500 TDS=0.01014069
E=O Wyckoff=i x=0.3437 y=0.2579 z=0.0702 TDS=
sum=Hydroxyapatite+Calcite
E=O(0.5000) Wyckoff=e x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.1
QHydroxyapatite=Hydroxyapatite/sum
E=H(0.5000) Wyckoff=e x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.0
```

240222-01.sav

Other examples:

```
// volume of hexagonal unit cell
GOAL:VolApatite=sqrt(3)*A*A*C/2

// mass absorption coefficient
GOAL:MacApatite=10000*my/density
```

```
GOAL[1]=QHydroxyapatite
GOAL[2]=QCalcite
```

„VolApatite“ and „MacApatite“ are new global variables  
that can be accessed in the \*.sav file.

## Structure Files: GOALs

Summary of GOAL implementations:

Code	Accessible in STR file	Written to LST file	Accessible in SAV file
<code>VolApatite=sqrt(3)*A*A*C/2</code>	Yes	No	No
<code>GOAL=sqrt(3)*A*A*C/2</code>	No	Yes	No
<code>GOAL:VolApatite=sqrt(3)*A*A*C/2</code>	Yes	No	Yes
<code>GOAL:VolApatite=sqrt(3)*A*A*C/2</code> <code>GOAL=VolApatite</code>	Yes	Yes	Yes



## Structure Files: Site Occupancy Factors and Substitutions

## Apatite-OH.str

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E=O Wyckoff=i x=0.3437 y=0.2579 z=0.0702 TDS=0.01499127
E=O(0.5000) Wyckoff=e x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.1950 TDS=0.00000000
E=H(0.5000) Wyckoff=e x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.0608 TDS=0.02947459
```

Scheme: **E=<scattering factor>(occupancy)**

Examples:	<b>E=CA</b>	is equivalent to	<b>E=CA(1.0)</b>	(fully occupied)
	<b>E=SI(0.5)</b>			(partially occupied)
	<b>E=SI+4(0.5)</b>			(ionic scat. fact. partially occupied)
	<b>E=(SI(0.75),AL(0.25))</b>			(substitution)

# Structure Files: Site Occupancy Factors and Substitutions

## Refining Substitutions:

`E=(SI(0.75),AL(0.25))`



`E=(SI(p),AL(1-p)) PARAM=p=0.75_0^1`

Calcite.str

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Formula=Ca_(CO3)
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RP=4 k1=0 k2=0 PARAM=B1=0_0^0.01 GEWICHT=SPHAR4
```

```
GOAL=GrainSize(1,1,1)
GOAL:Calcite=GEWICHT
```

`E=(CA(p),MG(1-p)) PARAM=p=1_0^1` Wyckoff=b x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.0000 TDS=0.00796938

E=C Wyckoff=a x=0.0000 y=0.0000 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00757986

E=O Wyckoff=e x=0.2573 y=0.0000 z=0.25

240222-01.lst

Atomic positions for phase Calcite

-----  
6 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 E=(CA(0.9441),MG(0.0559))  
**p=0.9441+-0.0055**

6 0.0000 0.0000 0.2500 E=(C(1.0000))  
18 0.2573 0.0000 0.2500 E=(O(1.0000))

# Structure Files: Coupling Parameters

Assumption: Na<sup>+</sup> substitutes Ca<sup>2+</sup>

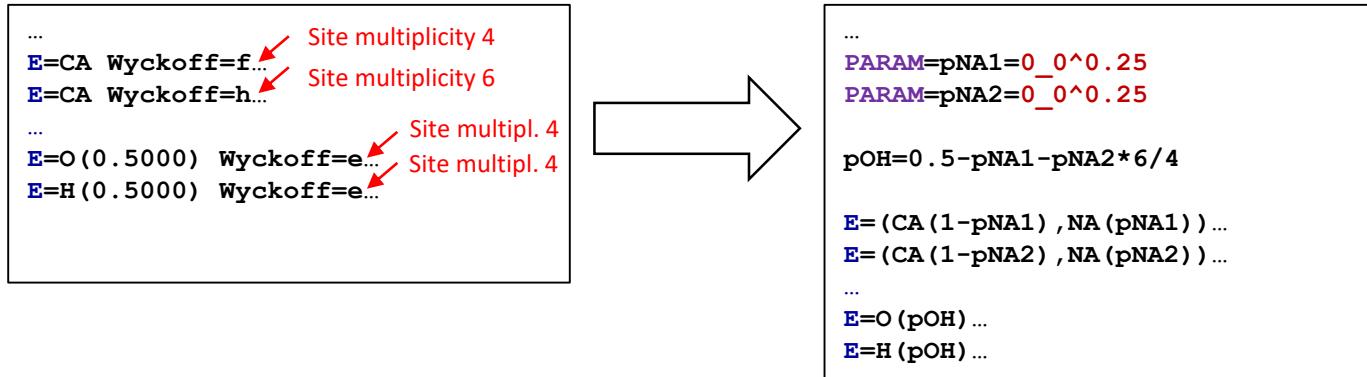
To maintain charge balance, OH<sup>-</sup> is reduced accordingly

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MineralName=Hydroxylapatite
Formula=Ca5_(PO4)3_(OH)
SpacegroupNo=176 HermannMauguin=P6_3/m
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RP=4 k1=0 k2=0 PARAM=B1=0_0^0.05 GEWICHT=SPHAR4
GOAL=GrainSize(0,0,1)
GOAL=GrainSize(1,0,0)
GOAL:Hydroxyapatite=GEWICHT
E=(CA(1-p),NA(p)) PARAM=p=0_0^1 Wyckoff=f x=0.3333 y=0.6667 z=0.0015 TDS=0.00664290
E=(CA(1-p),NA(p)) PARAM=p=0_0^1 Wyckoff=h x=0.2468 y=0.9934 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00567436
E=P Wyckoff=h x=0.3987 y=0.3685 z=0.2500 TDS=0.00477426
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```

# Structure Files: Coupling Parameters

Assumption:  $\text{Na}^+$  substitutes  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$

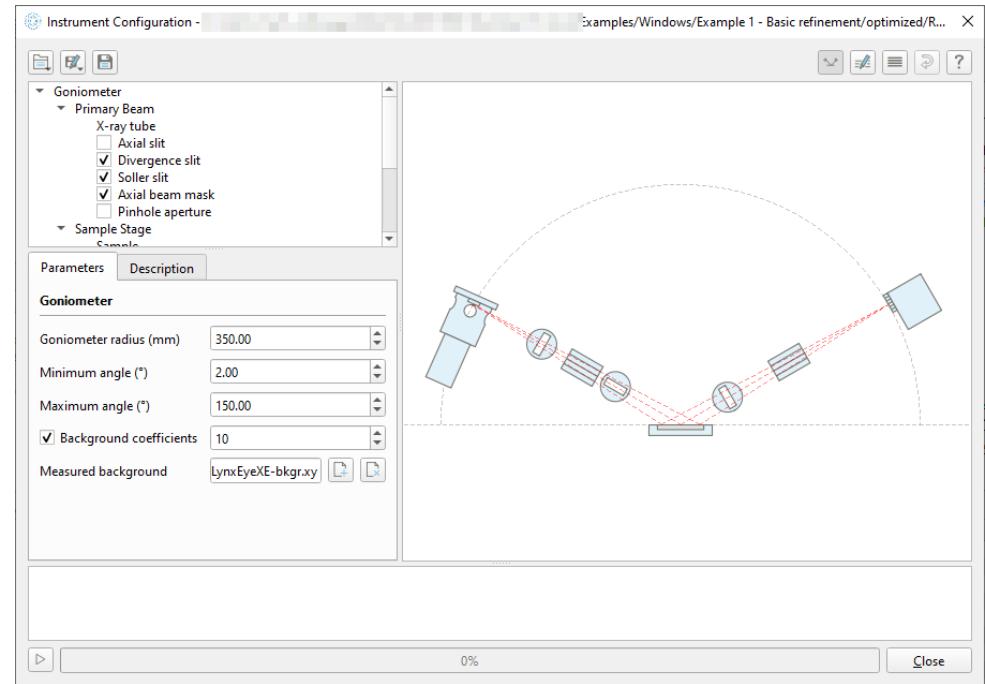
To maintain charge balance,  $\text{OH}^-$  is reduced accordingly



Parameters used for several atomic sites must be declared **above** the  $E=$  lines.

Parameters declared **within** an atomic site ( $E=$  line) can only be accessed **within** the site.

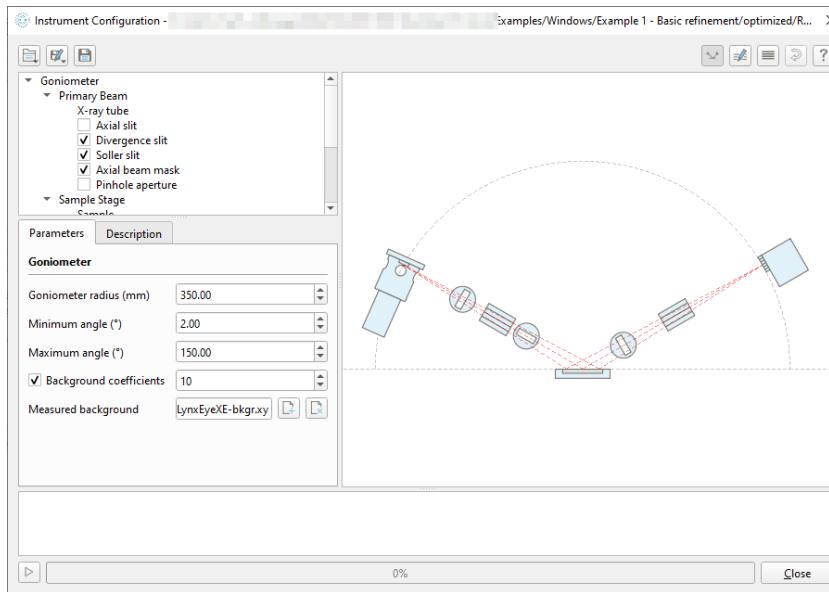
# Instrument Configuration Files



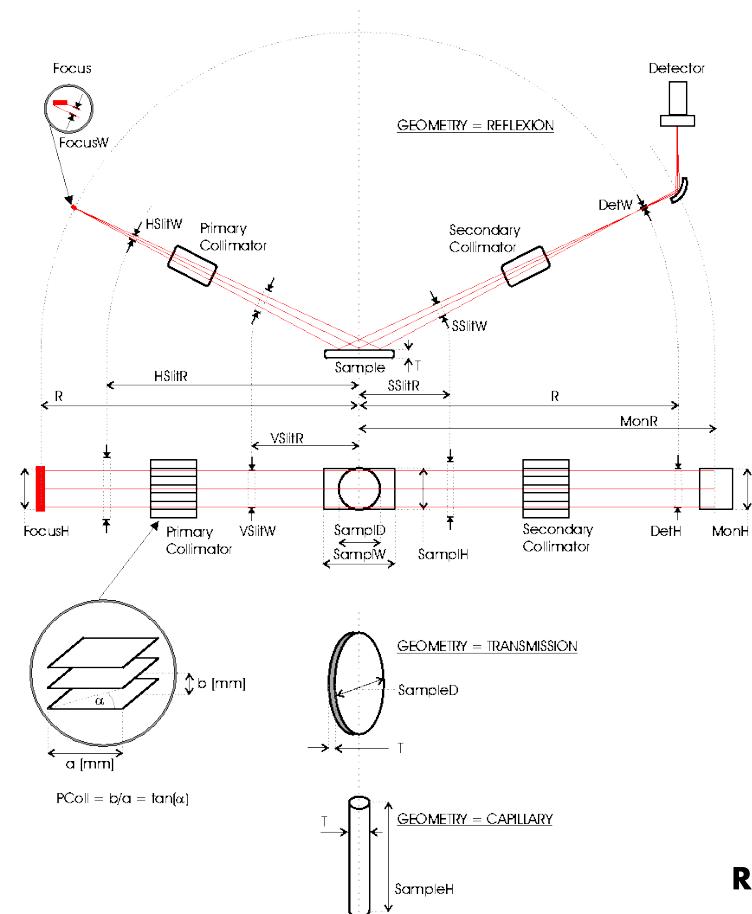
# Instrument Configuration Files

- Instrument configuration files must **precisely** describe the hardware setup used to measure a dataset.
- Profex includes 70 configurations
- Often customization is necessary

Profex: Instrument → Edit current FPA configuration



<http://www.bgmn.de/raytracing.html>



# Instrument Configuration Files

Toggle between text editor and graphical editor

The screenshot shows a software interface for instrument configuration. On the left is a graphical editor window displaying a 3D schematic of an X-ray diffractometer. The schematic includes an X-ray tube at the top left, a sample stage in the center, and a detector at the bottom right. Dashed lines represent the X-ray beam path through various slits and apertures. On the right is a text editor window showing the corresponding configuration file code. A red arrow points to a toolbar button at the top of the graphical editor window, which is used to toggle between the two views. The text editor window has a status bar at the bottom indicating '0%'.

Normally the text editor is not needed

```
1 %*****  
2 %  
3 % BGMM Device Configuration File for Bruker D8  
4 %-----  
5 %  
6 % Created by Nicola Doebelin, RMS Foundation, Switzerland  
7 % December 11, 2014  
8 %  
9 % Device Configuration:  
10 % - Detector: LynxEYE XE  
11 % - Radiation: CuKa  
12 % - Soller Slits: 2.5i1/2  
13 % - Divergence Slit: Automatic 15mm  
14 % - Anti-Scatter Slit: 9mm  
15 % - Goniometer Radius: 350 mm  
16 %  
17 %-----  
18 %  
19 SAVE=N  
20 %-----  
21 %  
22 % Output files for Geomet and MakeGeq  
23 %-----  
24 %  
25 VERZERR=RMS-D8-ADS-15-LynxEYE.ger  
26 GEQ=RMS-D8-ADS-15-LynxEYE.geq  
27 %-----  
28 %
```

# Instrument Configuration Files

Enable/disable modules

Configure modules

Preview

Goniometer

- Primary Beam
  - X-ray tube
  - Axial slit
  - Divergence slit**
  - Soller slit
  - Axial beam mask
  - Pinhole aperture
- Sample Stage

Parameters   Description

**Divergence slit**

Mode	Variable
Distance from sample (mm)	250.00
Irradiated length (mm)	15.00

0% **Close**

# Instrument Configuration Files

Each configuration page has a „Description“ page with detailed information

Screenshot of the RMS software interface showing the configuration of a Goniometer's Primary Beam. The 'Soller slit' option is selected and highlighted with a blue selection bar.

**Primary-beam Soller slit**

Opening angle (radians)

Opening angle (°)

**Important: Read description!**

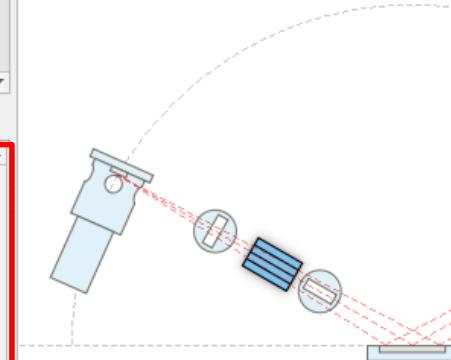
Screenshot of the RMS software interface showing the configuration of a Goniometer's Primary Beam. The 'Soller slit' option is selected and highlighted with a blue selection bar.

**Primary-beam Soller slit**

- **Opening angle (radians):** If selected, the opening angle of the collimator must be given in radians.
- **Opening angle (degrees):** If selected, the opening angle of the collimator must be given in degrees. It will be converted to radians automatically for the configuration file.

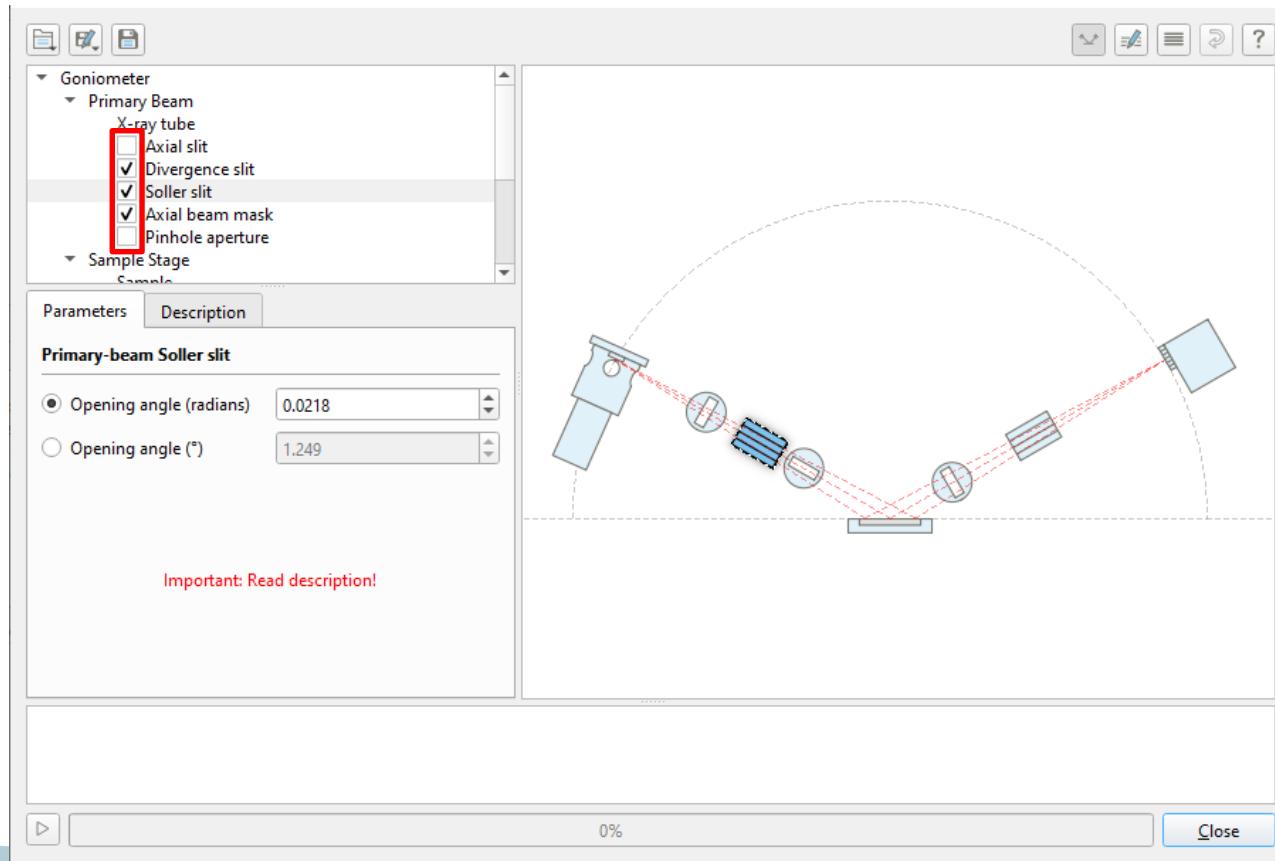
Some manufacturers specify the full axial divergence angle on the collimator module, others specify half of the full angle, i.e. the divergence angle from a straight beam. Here we must provide the half angle. As a rule of thumb:

- **Bruker:** Divide the value printed on the soller slit module by 2



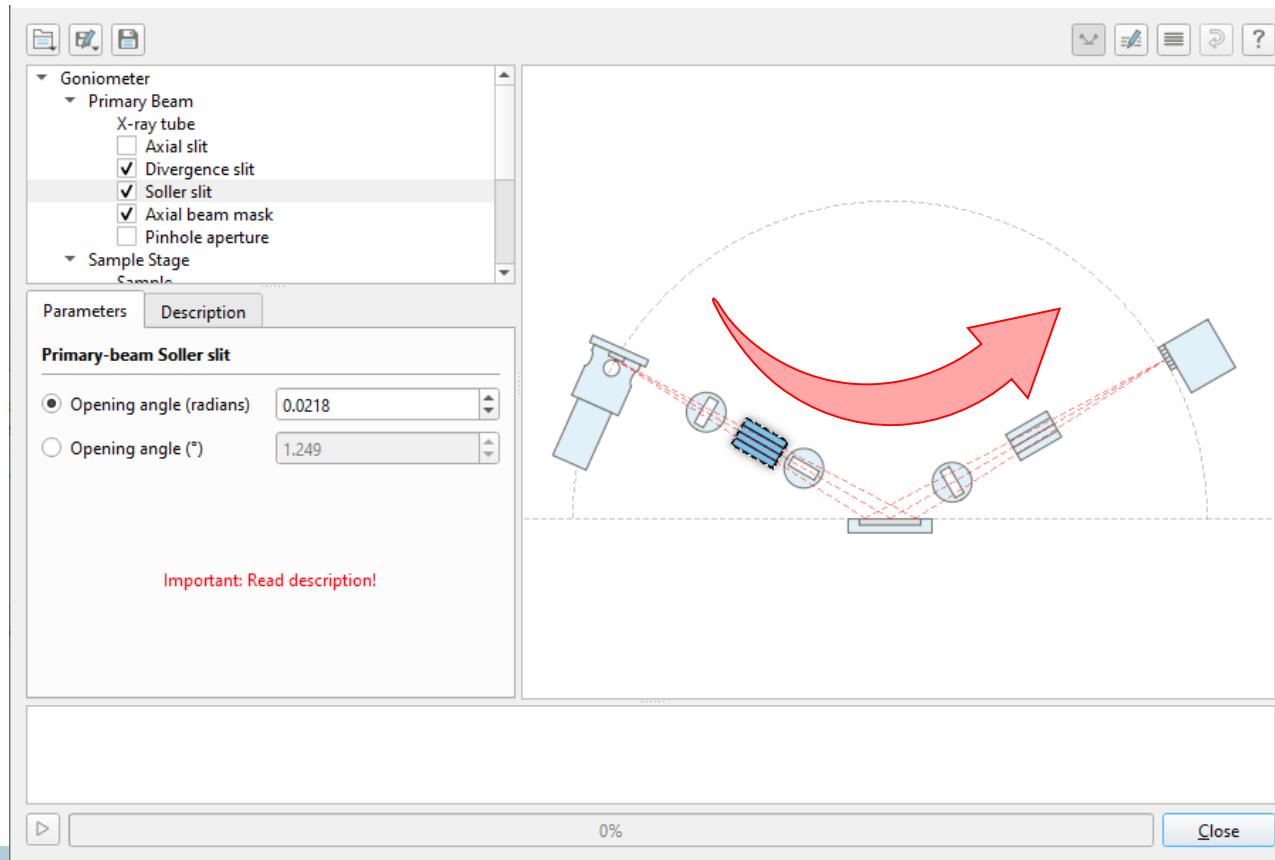
# Instrument Configuration Files: Recommended Workflow

## 1. Enable / disable the modules according to the instrument setup



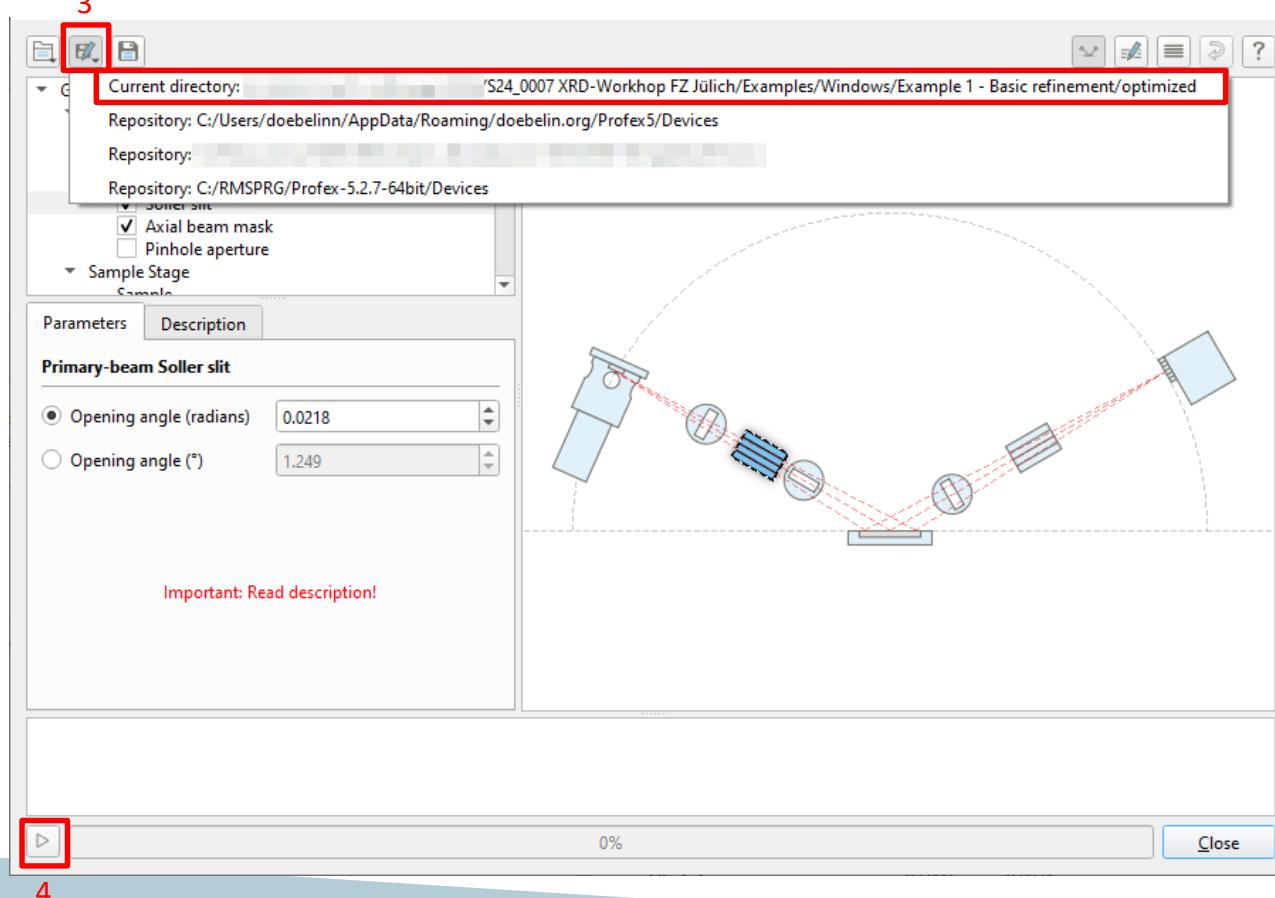
# Instrument Configuration Files: Recommended Workflow

2. Go through all modules from Tube to Detector and enter the correct settings



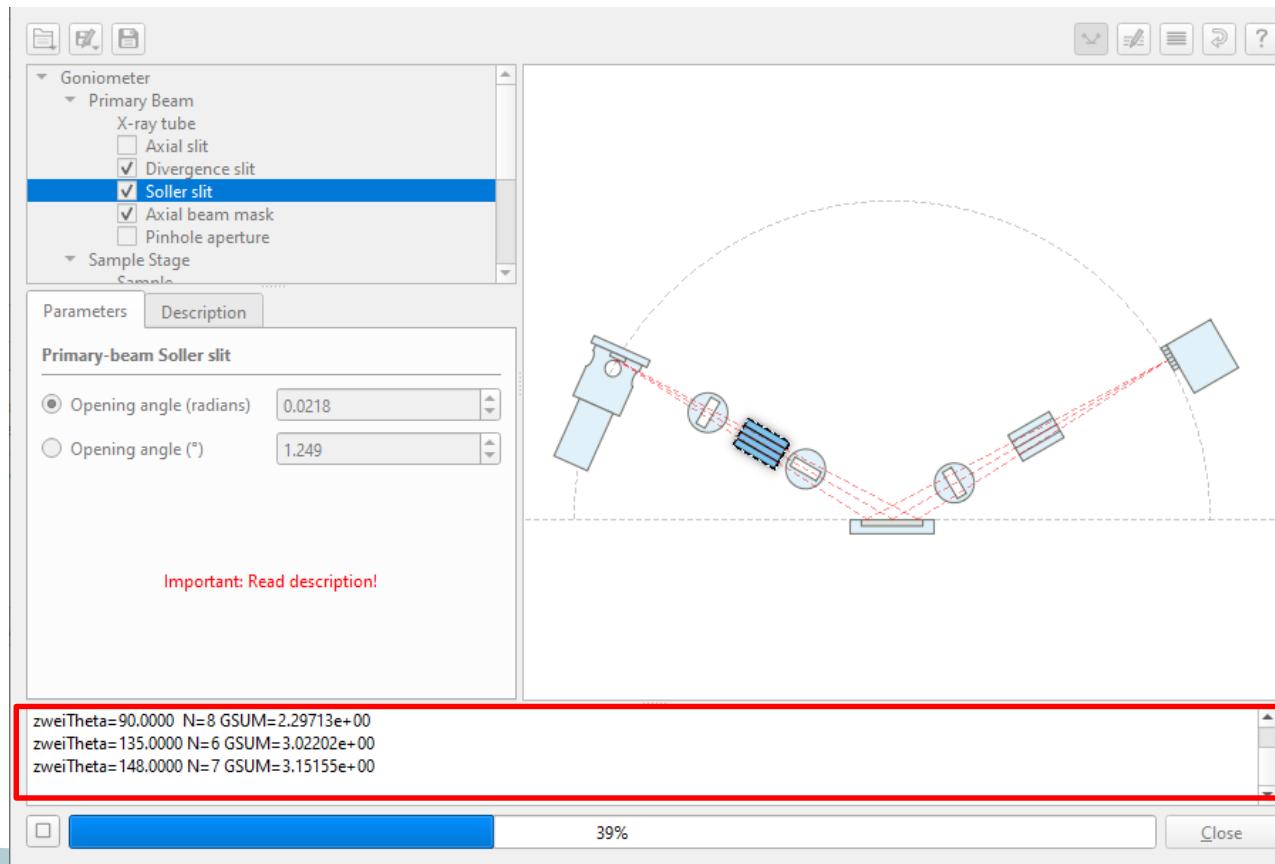
# Instrument Configuration Files: Recommended Workflow

3. Save configuration under a new name in current project directory
4. Run profile calculation



# Instrument Configuration Files: Recommended Workflow

In case of errors, check messages



# Instrument Configuration Files: Recommended Workflow

The screenshot shows the Profex 5.2.7 software interface. The main window displays three tabs: Example\_1.dia, Example\_1.sav, and Example\_1.lst. The Example\_1.lst tab contains a list of configuration parameters. A red box highlights the line 'VERZERR=RMS-D8-ADS-15-LynxEYE.geq'. A red arrow points from this highlighted line to a text box on the right.

Change instrument name to new configuration name and run test refinement

```
1 % SampleID: S24_0007; S240007_02
2 % Theoretical instrumental function
3 VERZERR=RMS-D8-ADS-15-LynxEYE.geq
4 % Wavelength
5 LAMBDA=CU
6 % Phases
7 STRUC[1]=Apatite-OH.str
8 STRUC[2]=Calcite.str
9 % Measured background
10 UNT=RMS-D8-ADS-15-LynxEYE-bkgr.xy
11 RU=10
12 % Measured data
13 VAL[1]=Example_1.xy
14 % Minimum Angle (2theta)
15 WMIN=10
16 % Maximum Angle (2theta)
17 % WMAX=60
18 % Result list output
19 LIST=Example_1.lst
20 % Peak list output
21 OUTPUT=Example_1.par
22 % Diagram output
23 DIAGRAMM=Example_1.dia
```

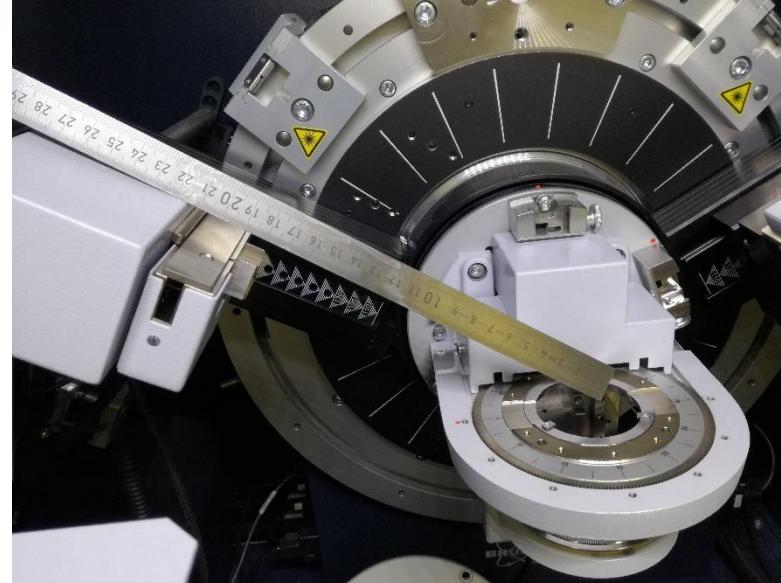
The left sidebar shows a 'Projects' tree with 'Example\_1' selected. Below it is a 'Plot Options' section with checkboxes for 'I observed', 'I calculated', 'I difference', 'Background', 'Hydroxyapatite', and 'Calcite', all of which are checked. At the bottom, there's a 'Refinement Protocol' section and a 'Refined Parameters' table.

Parameter	Value	ESD
Rwp	5.80	
Rexp	4.89	
$\chi^2$	1.41	
GoF	1.19	
Background Coefficients	10	
Global GOALS		
QHydroxyapatite	0.4991	0.0024
QCalcite	0.5009	0.0024
Local GOALS		

G:\Auftr\_Proj\S-Auftraege\2024\S24\_0007 XRD-Workshop FZ Jülich\E 1 Project  $\lambda = 1.54060 \text{ \AA}$   $2\theta = 0.000^\circ$   $I = 0.000 \text{ cts}$   $d = 0.000 \text{ \AA}$  Line: 1, Column: 33

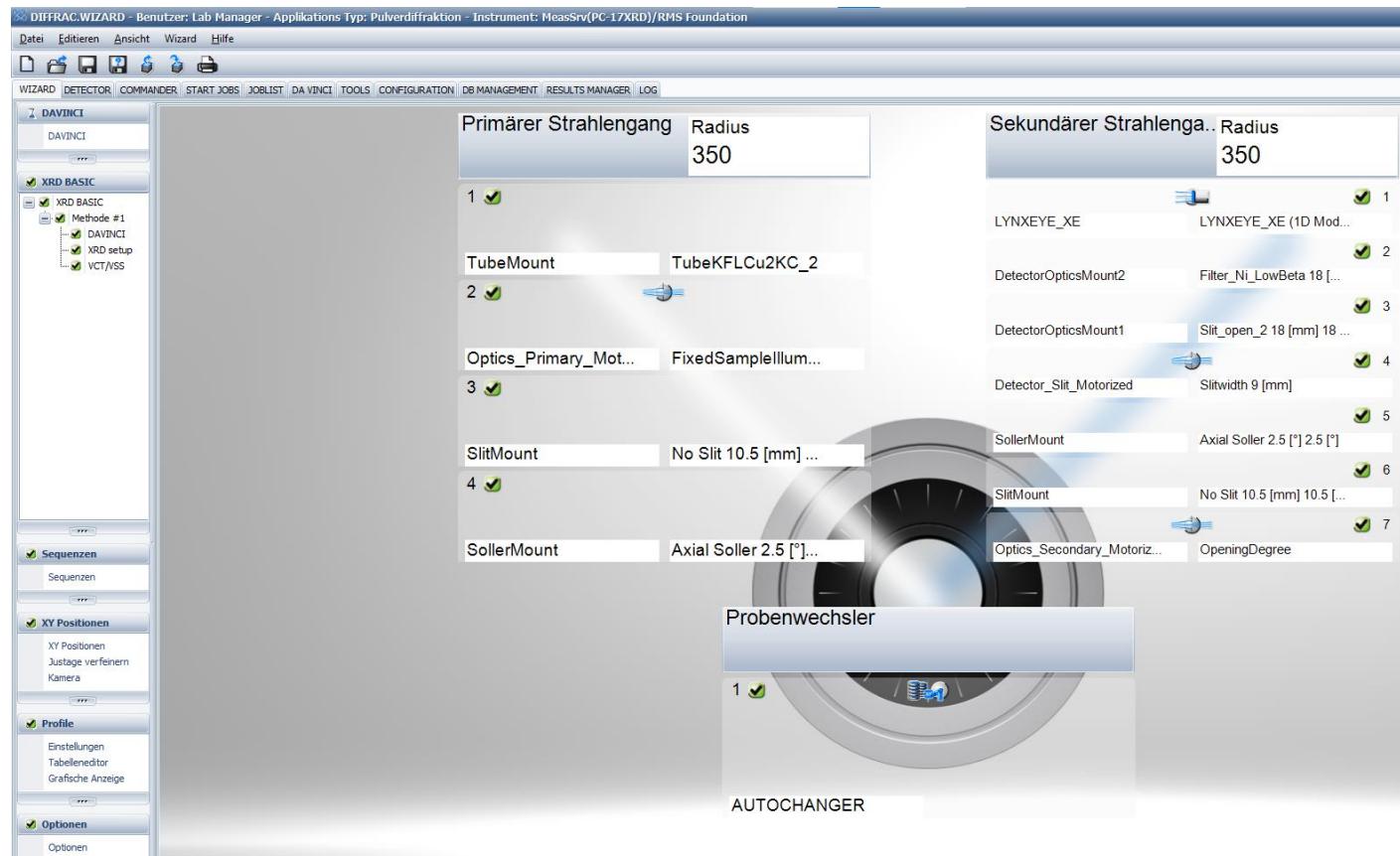
# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

- ❖ Instrument control software
- ❖ Original data processing software
- ❖ XML file formats: Open in text editor or web browser
- ❖ Old school: Take measurements



# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

Instrument control software (DIFFRAC.MEASUREMENTCENTER, DataCollector, etc.)



# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

Original data processing software (DIFFRAC.EVA, HighScore etc.)

The image shows a screenshot of a data processing software interface, likely DIFFRAC.EVA or HighScore. On the left, there is a plot window showing a red diffraction pattern with several sharp peaks. To the right of the plot is a file browser window titled "Dateien auswählen" (Select files) with a list of files. Below the plot and file browser are two large configuration tables.

**Probe**

Dateiname	<b>240227-01.brml</b>
Experiment-Dateiname	RMS-Extended-20-120-Austenite....
Experiment-ID	0
Probenname des Scans	<b>S24_0007: LaB6 SRM660c ADS</b>
Erstellungs-Datum/Zeit	27.02.2024 11:56
Datum/Zeit des letzten Schreibens	27.02.2024 13:26
Mess-Dauer	01:29:22
Operator-Name	
Instrument-Seriennummer	0
Benutzer-Kommentar	
Probenposition	1A13
Applikations-Typ	PowderDiffraction

**Messbedingungen**

Scan-Typ	Coupled TwoTheta/Theta
Mess-Modus	Continuous PSD fast
Scan-Status	Completed
Start	20.000 °
Ende	120.005 °
Schrittweite	0.012 °
Schritte	8164
Zeit pro Schritt	19.20 s
Zeit/Schritt	0.10 s
Start-Zeit	00:00:00
Wartezeit	0.0 s
Goniometer-Radius	<b>350.0 mm</b>

**Antriebe**

Strahl-Translation	0.00 mm
Probenrotationsgeschwindigkeit	30.000 1/min

**Umgebung**

Luftfeuchtigkeit	k.A.
Temperatur	25 °C (Raum)

**Wellenlänge**

Anode	Cu
Fokus-Orientierung	Line Focus
ka1	1.54060 Å
ka2	1.54439 Å
ka2 Verhältnis	0.50000
kβ	1.39222 Å
Wellenlänge für die Anzeige	1.54060 Å

**Röntgengenerator**

Generator kV	40.0 kV
Generator mA	40.0 mA

**Detektor**

Detektor-Name	LYNXEYE_XE (1D Modus)
LynxEye 0D	<input type="checkbox"/>
Detektor-Öffnungswinkel	2.352 °
Detektor-Spaltweite	9.000 mm
Untere Diskriminatorschwelle	0.208 V
Obere Diskriminatorschwelle	0.232 V

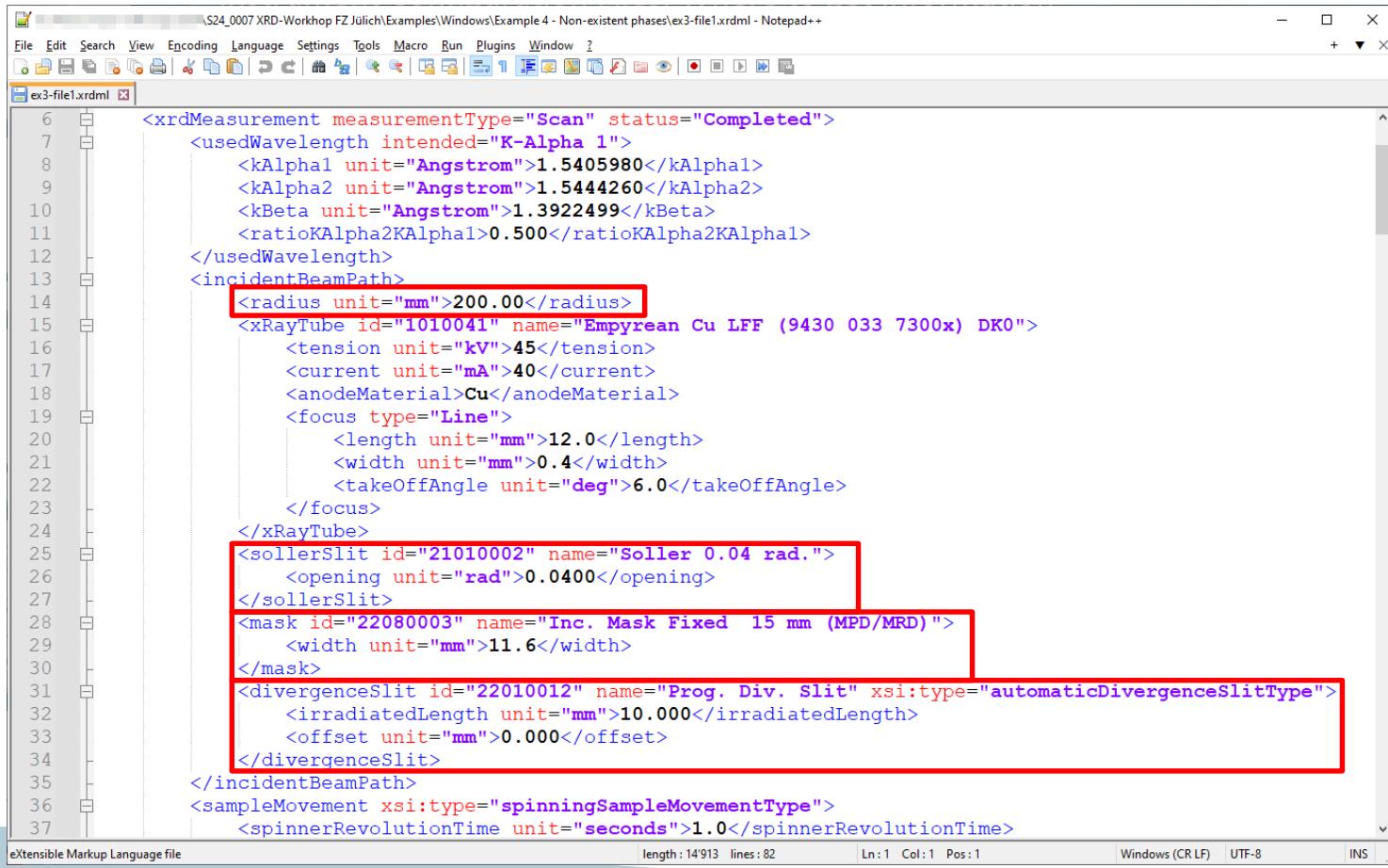
**Blenden**

Sekundäre Soller-Blende	2.500 °
Luftstreu-Blende	<input type="checkbox"/>
Divergenz-Blende	15.000 mm
Streustrahl-Blende	3.030 °
Blenden-Modus	Variabel
Simul. Blenden-Modus	

**Korrekturen**

# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

XML file formats: Open in text editor or web browser (XRDML)



The screenshot shows an XML configuration file named "ex3-file1.xrdml" open in Notepad++. The file contains various instrument parameters. Three specific sections are highlighted with red boxes:

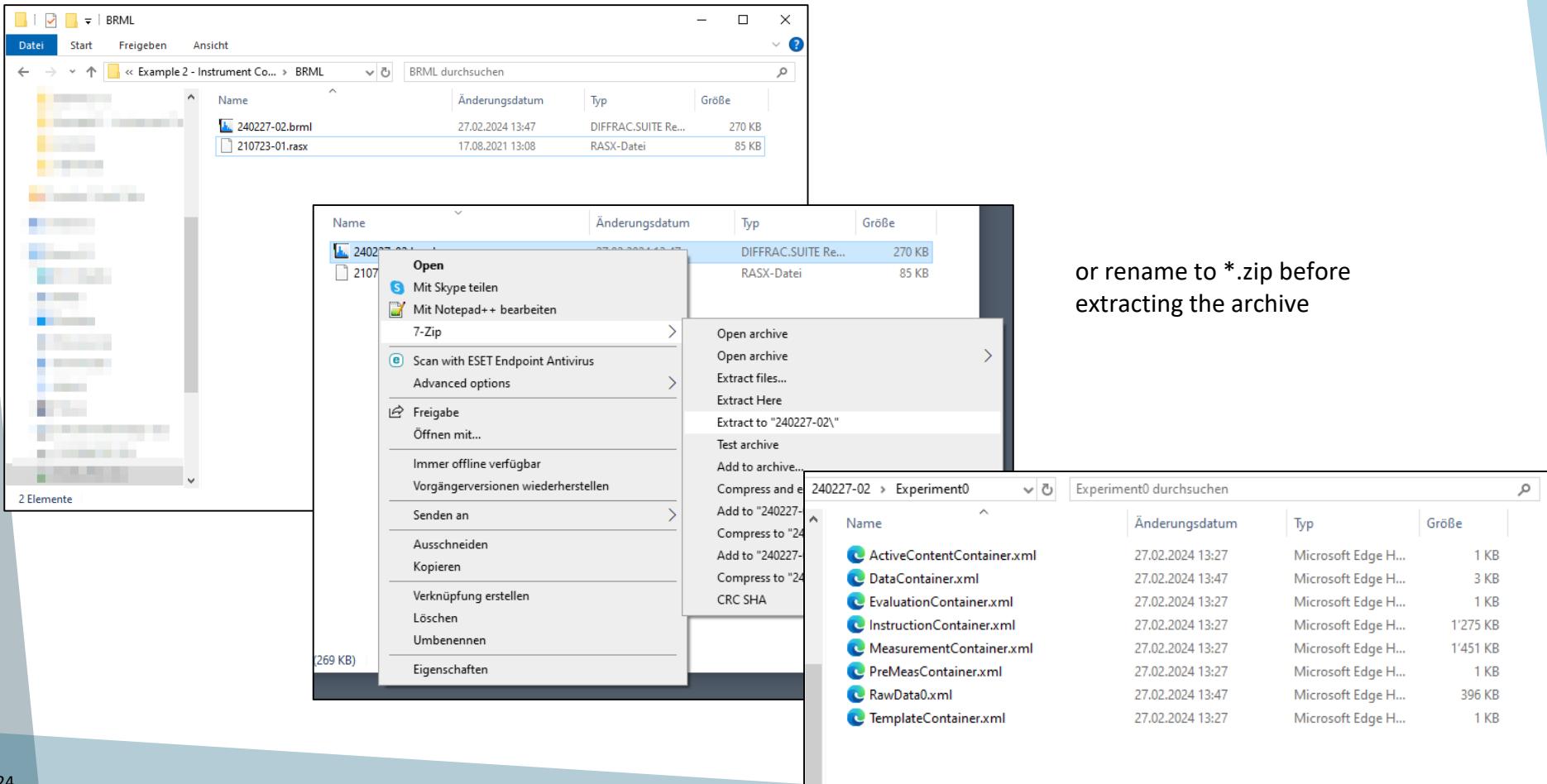
- Incident Beam Path:** This section includes the radius of the incident beam, which is set to 200.00 mm.
- Soller Slit:** This section defines a Soller slit with an opening of 0.0400 rad.
- Divergence Slit:** This section defines a divergence slit with an irradiated length of 10.000 mm and an offset of 0.000 mm.

```
<xrdMeasurement measurementType="Scan" status="Completed">
    <usedWavelength intended="K-Alpha 1">
        <kAlpha1 unit="Angstrom">1.5405980</kAlpha1>
        <kAlpha2 unit="Angstrom">1.5444260</kAlpha2>
        <kBeta unit="Angstrom">1.3922499</kBeta>
        <ratioKAlpha2KAlpha1>0.500</ratioKAlpha2KAlpha1>
    </usedWavelength>
    <incidentBeamPath>
        <radius unit="mm">200.00</radius>
        <xRayTube id="1010041" name="Empyrean Cu LFF (9430 033 7300x) DK0">
            <tension unit="kV">45</tension>
            <current unit="mA">40</current>
            <anodeMaterial>Cu</anodeMaterial>
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# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

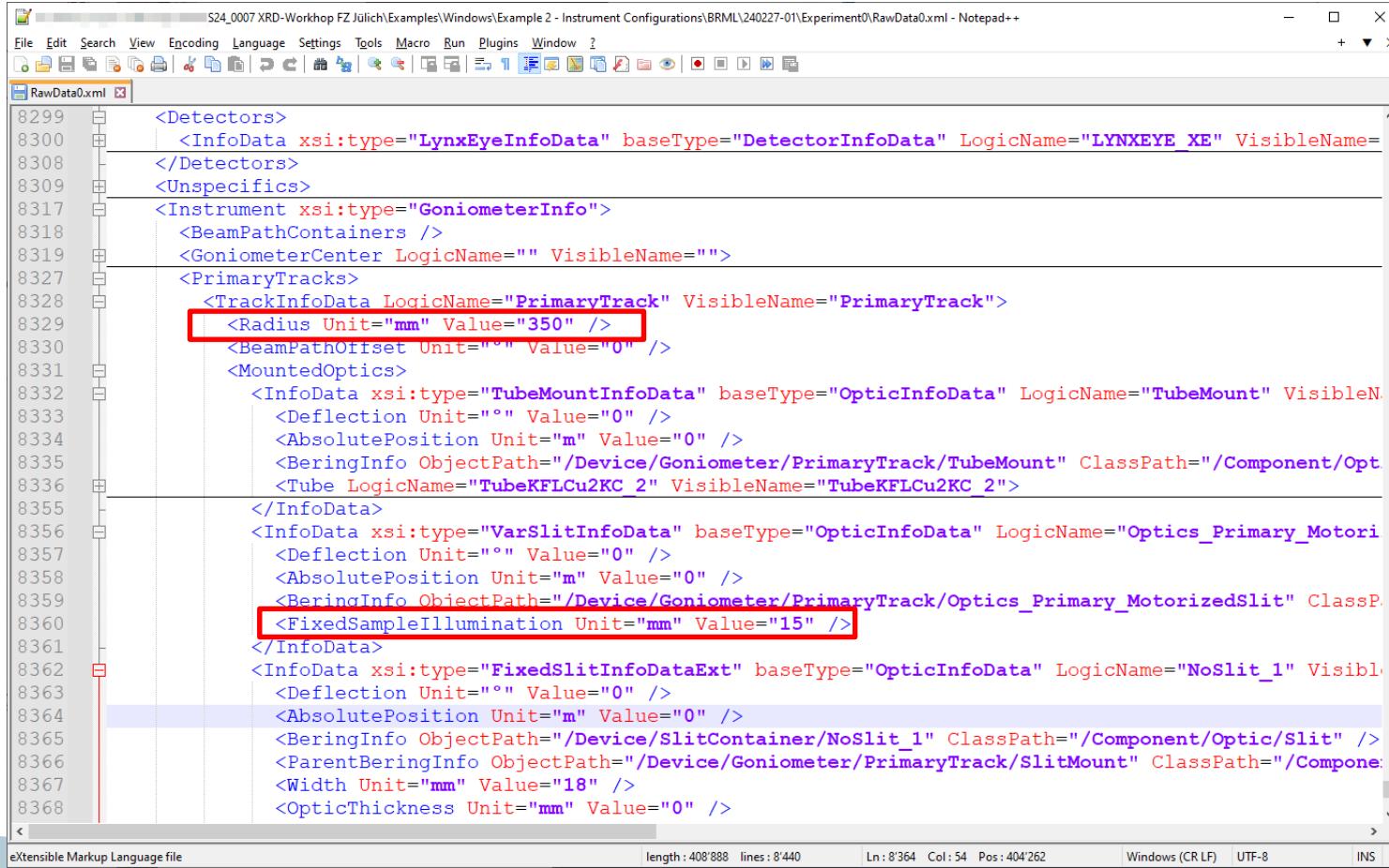
Compressed XML file formats: Extract and open in text editor or web browser (BRML, RASX)



or rename to \*.zip before extracting the archive

# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

Bruker BRML: Open file „RawData0.xml“

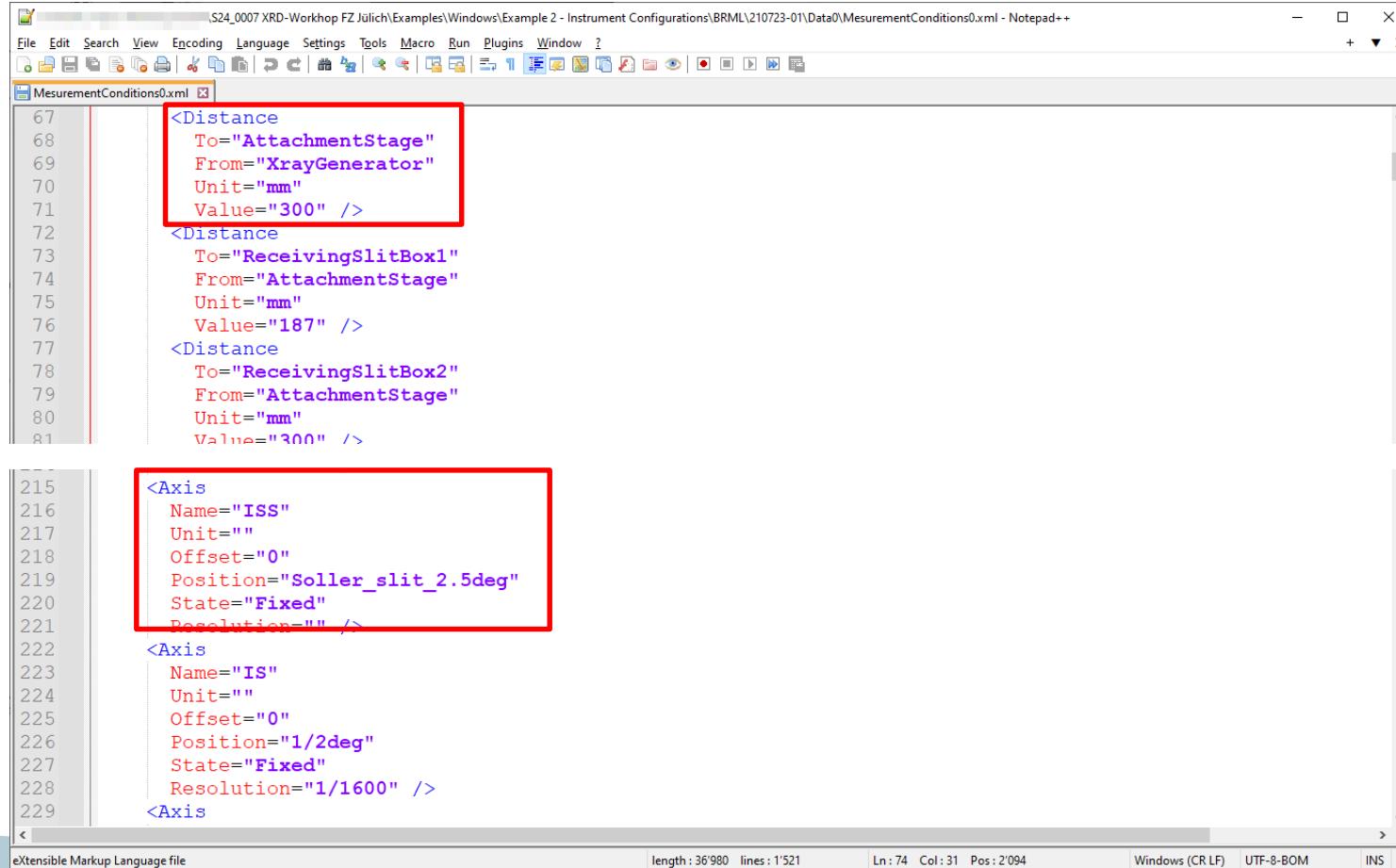


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524_0007 XRD-Workshop FZ Jülich\Examples\Windows\Example 2 - Instrument Configurations\BRML\240227-01\Experiment0\RawData0.xml - Notepad++
File Edit Search View Encoding Language Settings Tools Macro Run Plugins Window ?
RawData0.xml
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# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

Rigaku RASX: Open file „MeasurementConditions0.xml“



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MeasurementConditions0.xml 3

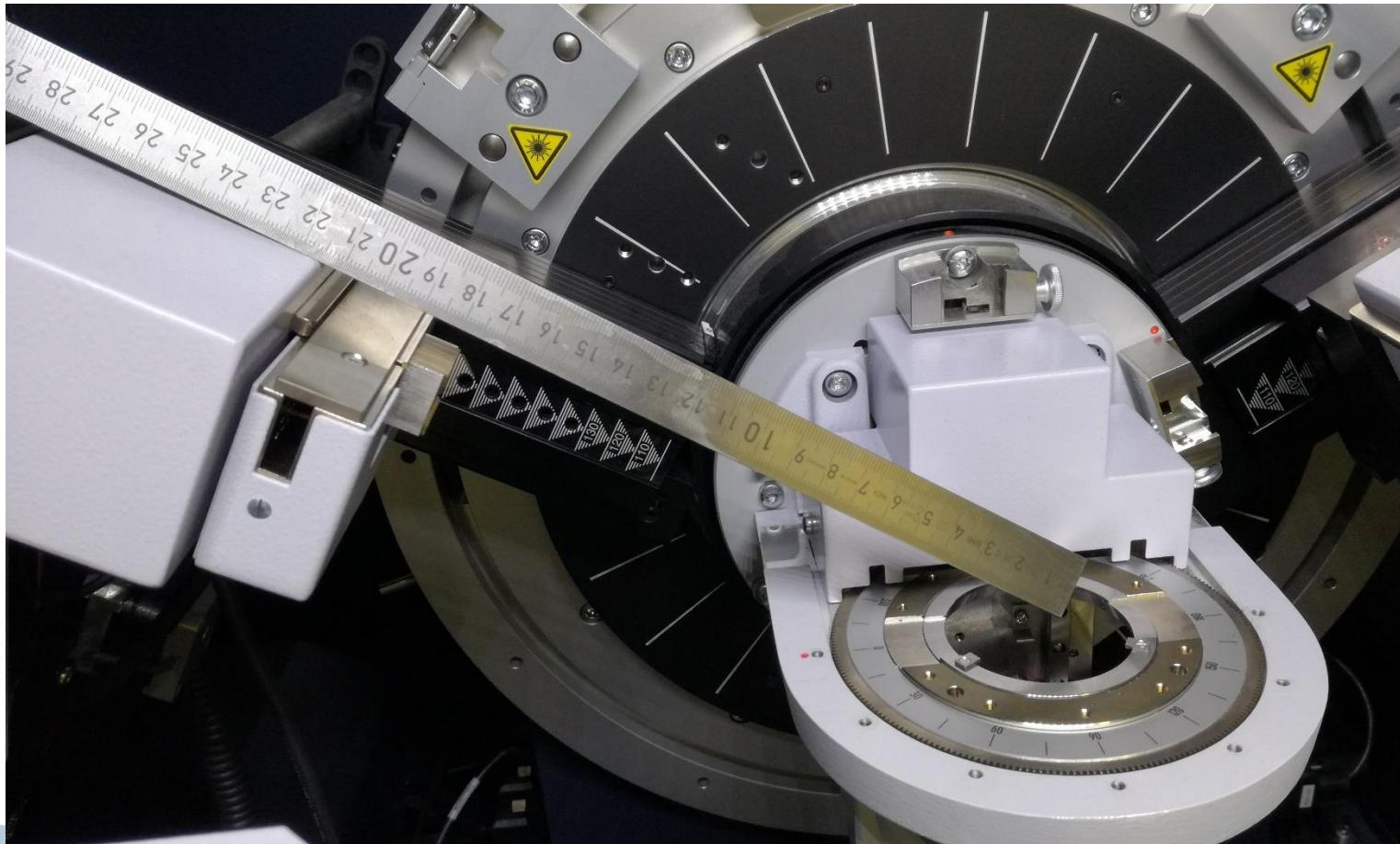
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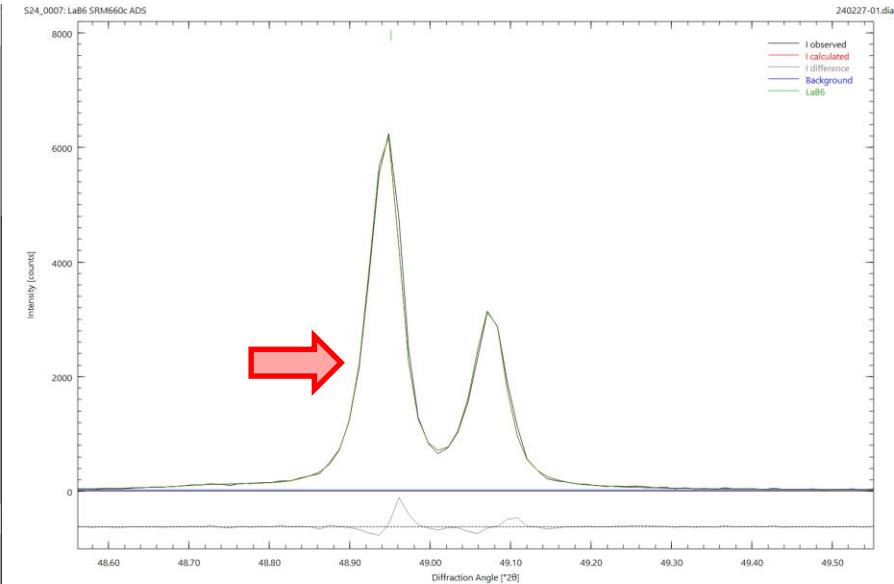
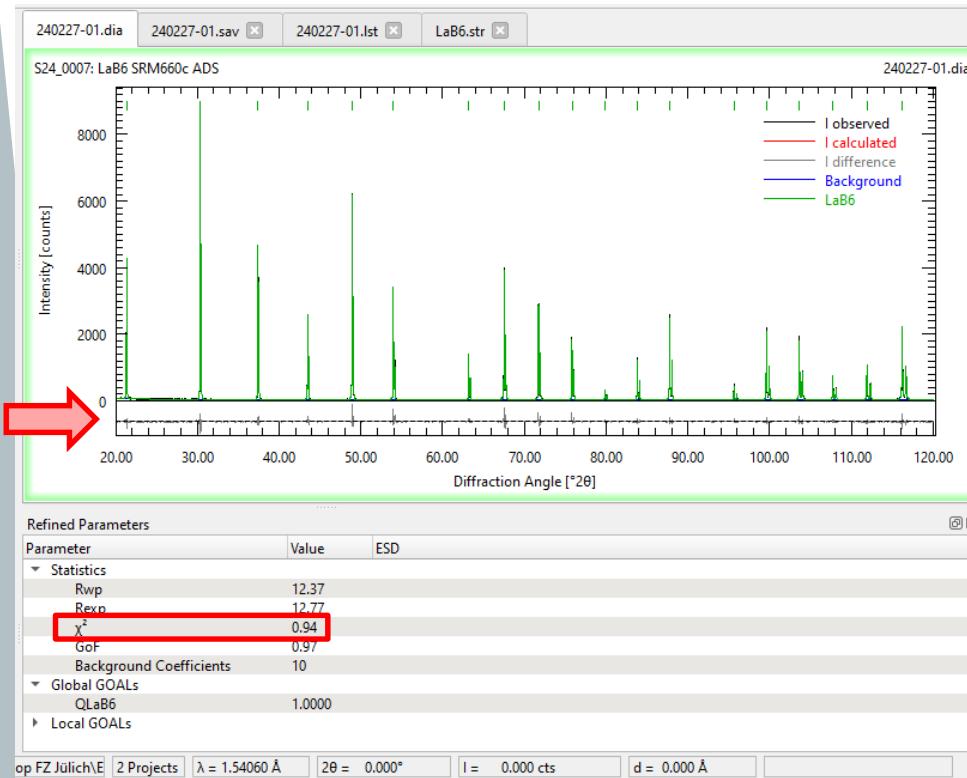
# Instrument Configuration Files: Where to get Information

If all other options failed: Take measurements



# Instrument Configuration Files

Always verify new instrument configuration files by refining a reference sample (preferably LaB6 NIST SRM 660)



Flat difference curve  
Accurate fit of the peak shape  
 $\chi^2$  close to 1.0

# Structure and Device Files: Summary

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- ❖ Structure files:

- ❖ Use GOAL= to write additional results to the \*.LST file
- ❖ Use GOAL: to export variables to the \*.SAV file for further computations
- ❖ BGMN expression interpreter allows to implement custom calculations (e.g. substitution models)

- ❖ Device files:

- ❖ Must accurately represent the true instrument configuration
- ❖ Get information from:
  - ❖ Measurement software
  - ❖ Original data processing software
  - ❖ XML scan files
  - ❖ Take measurements
- ❖ Verify with reference measurement