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# MAX IV – A WORLD-LEADING SYNCHROTRON FACILITY

TECHNOLOGIES AND SCIENTIFIC OPPORTUNITIES Olof 'Charlie' Karis, MAX IV interim director



#### This is MAX IV

- A leading laboratory for X-ray research
- A fourth generation light source – up to 100 times brighter and highly coherent
- Available for academic and industrial users world-wide
- Largest user base is the Nordic and Baltic countries (~70% Nordic)



#### More accurate according to Pedro Emelie Hilner, 2022-11-16T19:37:16.977 EHO

Of proposals submitted 2018-2021, 49% had been submitted by Swedish users\*, while 51% belonged to users from foreign institutions.

\* Users affiliated to a Swedish Institution; the count refers to main submitters, without taking into account possible co-proposers affiliated to Swedish institutions

#### **PROPOSAL SUBMISSION RATIO**



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EHO	In which call? Emelie Hilner, 2022-11-16T19:39:24.312	
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Olof Karis, 2022-11-17T06:43:12.294

#### A steady increase in the number of submitted proposals



### 2021 Scientific Output

from 2021 Annual Laboratory Report

#### MAX IV 2020-2022

from scival

about 325 articles

about 6500 views



2147 individual co-authors About 1660 citations



- Scientific Output of the facility continues to increase
- 34% increase from 2020
- 91% of publications with MAX IV beamlines data
- 10 PhD thesis based on MAX IV beamlines data

#### 16 Beamlines

- Specialised techniques for studies of structure, chemistry, electronic properties etc.
- MAX IV light allows for more realistic experiments
- Time resolution and dynamics
- Operando and multimodal experiments



# What is special about MAX IV?

, Electron beam divergence

High brightness/coherence  $\rightarrow$  small emittance  $\varepsilon_x = \sigma_x \sigma_{x'}$ 

Electron beam size

#### MAX IV is the first of new generation of ultralow emittance light sources



## Accelerators

- Linac/SPF Short Pulse Facility
  - Sub-picosecond pulse duration
- 1.5 GeV Storage Ring
  - C = 100m
  - Diffraction-limited X-rays at 16 eV
  - World-leading source of soft X-rays
- 3 GeV Storage Ring
  - C = 528m
  - Diffraction-limited X-rays at 300eV
  - First 4<sup>th</sup> generation storage ring



Most 4<sup>th</sup> generation light sources will be fully operational by the end of the decade



# **Beamline Portfolio**



Soft X-rays surface and sub-surface information

Hard X-rays bulk information and buried interfaces

#### 16 beamlines in operation covering a broad X-ray energy range from 4 eV to 40 keV





# Small Emittance





# Small Emittance – Photon /eV

A larger number of photons per energy bandwidth

**FlexPES** 

**SPECIES** 





### Small Emittance – Focusing to $\mu$ m & sub- $\mu$ m sizes

A larger number of photons in smaller beam size





# Small Emittance Coherence

A larger number of coherent photons – Explore opportunities with coherence



FlexPES	FinEstBeAMS	Bloch	Veritas	NanoMAX 🧭	Balder	CoSAXS 🚫	MicroMAX
SPECIES	MaxPEEM	HIPPIE	SoftiMAX 🥑	DanMAX	ForMAX 🚫	BioMAX	FemtoMAX



### Ambient Pressure PhotoElectron Spectroscopy

Ability to follow the in-situ evolution of the photocatalyst surfaces with AP-XPS by irradiating the sample with sunlight-like light.

- Two light sources: solar simulator and UV lamp
  - wavelength 300-2100 cm<sup>-1</sup> and 240-2500 cm<sup>-1</sup>
- Tunable intensity
- Total pressure up to 20 mbar



- Ni@NiO/NiCO<sub>3</sub> was characterized under 1 mbar H<sub>2</sub>O w/ and w/o light.
- During illumination, the metallic Ni peak vanishes, and the new peak appeared that we've assigned to NiOOH
- No X-ray beam damage effect are observed

Novel photocatalytic setup for ambient pressure X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy Alexander Klyushin *et al.*, *submitted* 





## Bloch

Studying the electronic structure of surfaces and 2D materials



FIG. 2. ARPES spectra taken from (a) Tb and (b) Si terminated surfaces of the AFM ordered TbRh<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>2</sub> crystal at T = 21 K along the  $\overline{M} - \overline{\Gamma} - \overline{M}$  direction of the surface Brillouin zone (SBZ). (c) Normal-emission PE spectra obtained by integration over the angle range of  $\pm 5^{\circ}$  from the data shown in [(a),(b)]. (d) Theoretical normal-emission 4*f* PE spectra for different single- $M_J$  ground states calculated using Eq. (7). The numbers in brackets denote atomic layers from which the signal comes.

Crystal electric field and properties of 4f magnetic moments at the surface of the rare-earth compound TbRh2Si2 Tarasov et al., Phys. Rev. B 106, 155136 (2022)



- EHO Det är en liten elefant på den högra grafen, ska det vara det? Emelie Hilner, 2022-11-16T20:51:48.244
- OK0 0 Hej, nej den kommer nog från mjukvaruplatformen som jag glömt namnet på. Strunt samma. Olof Karis, 2022-11-17T06:39:00.501

#### Veritas – Commissioning Results

Investigating fundamental excitations in correlated materials and vibrational excitations in molecular systems





#### Veritas

NA

#### In-situ x-ray diffraction of deformation of TRIP steel

- Transformation induced plasticity or TRIP steels are used in many applications due to their outstanding combination of strength and ductility
- Adiabatic heating upon fast deformation of TRIP steel drives phase transitions – and changes the properties of the material
- Using strain rates up to 1 s<sup>-1</sup> and 250 Hz XRD data we observed the details of the austenite to martensite phase that transform



Slow motion video – the real experiment is 5 times faster



PI: M. Hokka, Tampere U.

# Towards an antiviral drug against SARS CoV-19

- Part of SciLifeLab and KAW:s national program on COVID-19 research
- Inhibitor bound to protein involved in virus assembly studied at BioMAX (FragMAX)



https://maxiv-legacy.maxiv.lu.se/news/from-virtual-screens-to-promising-inhibitors-of-coronaviruses-an-effort-to-develop-an-antiviral-drug-to-treat-covid-19/ https://www.scilifelab.se/capabilities/pandemic-laboratory-preparedness/pandemic-response/covid-19-research-program/





# SXL: A Soft X-ray Laser @ MAX IV

- A user-driven initiative and internationally competitive facility
- Capitalizes on existing infrastructure to open research opportunities that are not possible at any other beamline at MAX IV



# SXL in the international context

Facility	SXL	SwissFEL	Fermi	FLASH	SXFEL Shanghai	XFEL	PAL	LCLSI	LCLSII	SACLA
Max electron Energy [GeV]	3.0	5.9	1.5	1.25	1.6	17.5	10	14.3	14.3	8.5
Wavelength range [nm]	1 5	0.1 7	4 100	4 90	1.2 12	0.05 4.7	0.0 86	0.1 4.4	0.054. 7	0.06 0.3
Photons/pulse	8x10 4x10 13	10 <sup>13</sup>	10 <sup>13</sup> 10 <sup>14</sup>	3x10 <sup>13</sup>	10 <sup>11</sup> 10 <sup>13</sup>	10 <sup>12</sup>	10 <sup>1</sup> 10 <sup>1</sup> 2	10 <sup>13</sup>	10 <sup>12</sup> 10 <sup>13</sup>	4x10 <sup>11</sup>
Peak Brilliance [ph/s/mm <sup>2</sup> /mrad <sup>2</sup> /0.1%BW]	10 <sup>32</sup> 4x10	10 <sup>33</sup>	10 <sup>31</sup>	10 <sup>31</sup>		5x10 <sup>33</sup>	10 <sup>3</sup>	10 <sup>33</sup>	2x10 <sup>31</sup>	10 <sup>33</sup>
Rep. Rate [Hz]	100	100	10 50	5000	10 50	27000	60	120	10 <sup>6</sup>	60

Data adapted from X-ray FEL Science: The International Perspective by Massimo Altarelli, London 2019

