

The National Research Center (NRC) «Kurchatov Institute» - “Kurchatov complex of synchrotron and neutron investigations”

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WP-8 infrastructure object – “Kurchatov complex of synchrotron and neutron investigations” – 2.5 GeV electron synchrotron equipped with a set of 15 x-ray and VUV beamlines and research reactor with 5 user beamlines. Most of the SR instruments are listed in the table below. The complete set may be found on the website of the setup.



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Instruments:	Domain and object of research : PSE
LANGMUIR	X-ray reflectometry (XRR); X-ray Standing waves (XSW); Grazing incidence diffraction (GID); Total X-ray Reflection Fluorescence (TXRF)
BIOSAX	Small-angle X-ray scattering (SAXS); X-ray powder diffractometry (XRD)
RSA (XRD)	X-ray diffraction analysis of single-crystals; Precision powder diffraction
PHASE	X-ray Standing waves (XSW); High-resolution diffraction (XRD); Multiwave diffraction; Surface diffraction; X-ray acousto-optics; X-ray holography; Resonance diffraction; X-ray Reflectometry (XRR); Diffuse scattering
RKFM	Double and triple axis high resolution diffractometry (XRD, HRXRD); Multiwave diffraction; X-ray topography; Reciprocal space mapping (RSM); X-ray Reflectometry (XRR); X-ray standing waves (XSW); X-ray fluorescence analysis (XRF); X-ray acoustooptics
STM Material Structure	EXAFS / XANES spectroscopy; X-ray powder diffraction (XRD); Small-angle scattering (SAXS)
NANOPES	Angular resolution photoelectron spectroscopy (ARPES); Near Edge X-ray absorption (NEXAFS); SPM (STM + AFM) microscopy
RT-MT	X-ray microtomography; X-ray topography
MEDIANA	X-ray imaging; Phase-contrast imaging; Tomography; High pressure diffraction
LIGA	X-ray microtomography in the „pink“ beam – up to 80 keV
EXAFS-D	Energy dispersive EXAFS with millisecond resolution; Diffraction in the geometry of forward and backscattering