Life Sciences Collaborative Access Team (LS-CAT) @ APS: UI LSnode

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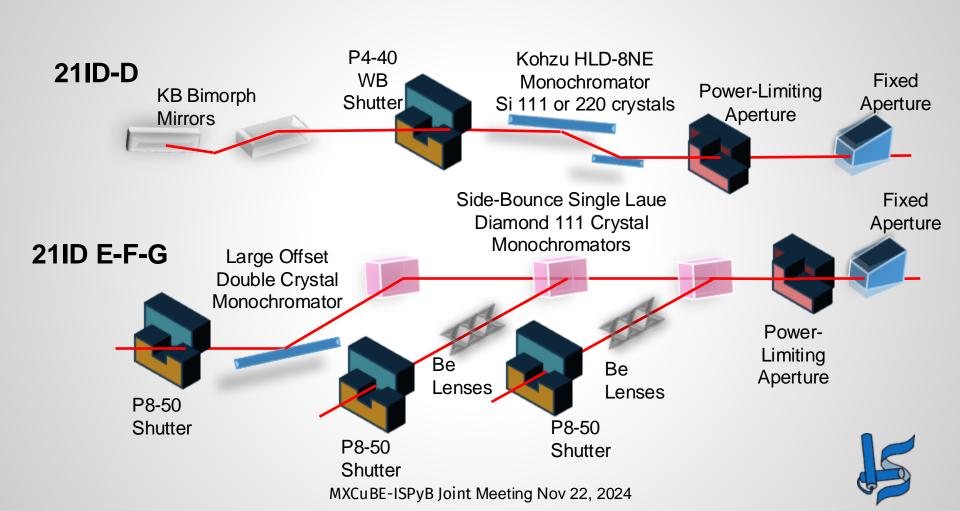
The Life Sciences Collaborative Access Team (LS-CAT)

- A consortium of academic and research institutions comprised of:
 - Northwestern University
 - Michigan State University
 - University of Michigan
 - Wayne State University
 - University of Illinois
 - Vanderbilt University
 - University of Wisconsin at Madison
 - eBERLight a DOE/BER group @ ANL

Areas of research

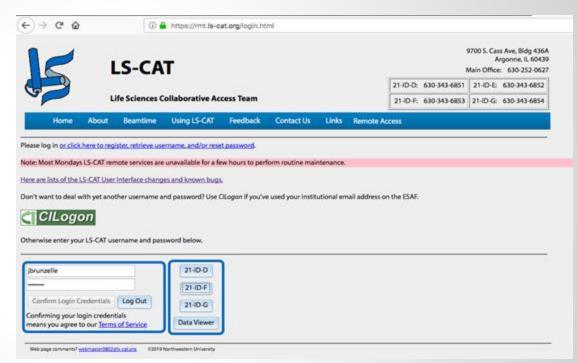
- Multi-component systems in cellular signaling and protein transport
- o Protein/nucleic acid complexes involved in genome replication, regulation, and expression
- Enzymes that are novel targets for mechanistic studies and for biotechnology or drug design
- Biological and environmental research objectives of the DOE
- Beamlines incorporate a 1 milliradian canted undulator design
 - 2.1 cm inboard undulator device
 - 3.0 cm outboard undulator device





Current User Interface: Login

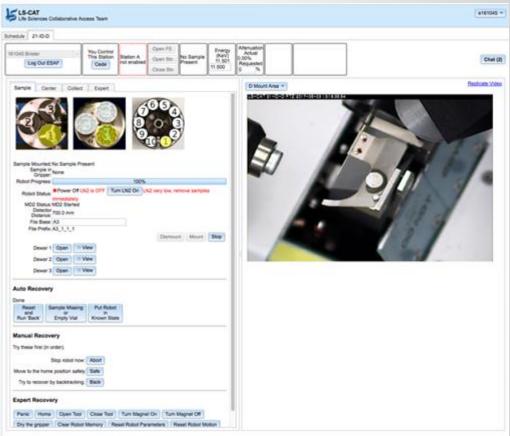
- LSnode: Web based frontend w/ node.JS backend and various DBs
- Uses CILogon
 - Enables researchers to use their home organization identities to access
 - In conjunction with ORCID, an identity provider that is support by ANL/APS
- User accounts linked w/experimental session (ESAF submission)





Current User Interface: Sample Mounting

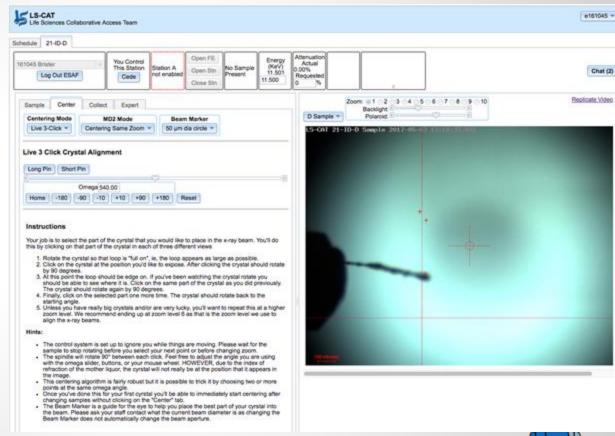
- Simple sample selection for robotic mounting
- Error handling/mitigation
- Can mount from EMBL or Rigaku pucks





Current User Interface: Sample Centering

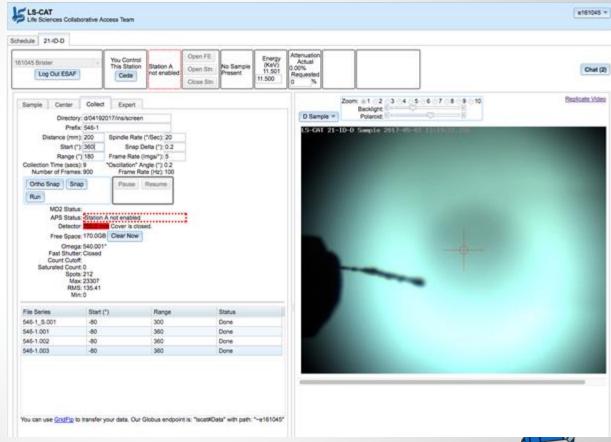
- Standard 3-click centering
- Quickly change MD2 Mode
- Ease to adjust orientation
- Lighting
- Zoom





Current User Interface: Data Collection

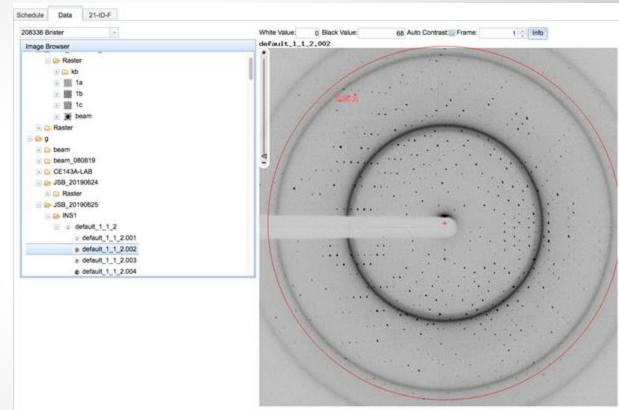
- Essential collection parameters
- Single and/or Ortho snap analysis



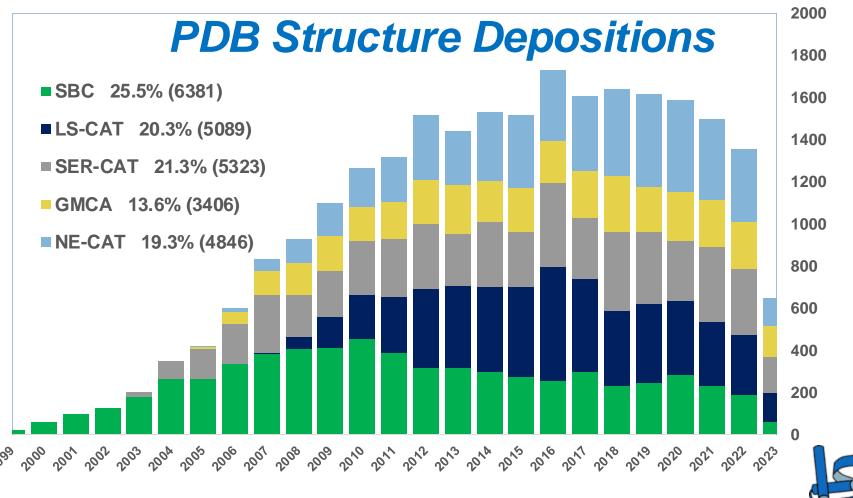


Current User Interface: Data Viewer

- Browse thru directory tree
- Simple indexing and data analysis







Current User Interface: Pros and Cons

Pros

- Simple
- Clean
- Intuitive
- Secure

Cons

- Demanding development time for single group
- Lacked automation
- Lacked reporting system/LIMS
- Needed hardware updates

- LSnode needs to be replaced
- Need a UI to complement new devices
 - o MD3-up
 - UR5 sample changer/37 puck dewar
 - o SSX
- Support new automation ideas









Future User Interface: MXCuBE-Web

- APS-U Dark period experiences
 - Extensive exposure to various facilities
 - SSRL, NSLS-II, DLS, ESRF, Soleil, and MAX-IV
- Philosophy is similar
- Overall concept is like LSnode
- Intuitive
- Secure
- Wide community implementation and support
- Continued development
- Compatibility with a reporting system/LIMS

