

DTXRD - software for evaluation of single crystals using x-ray diffraction

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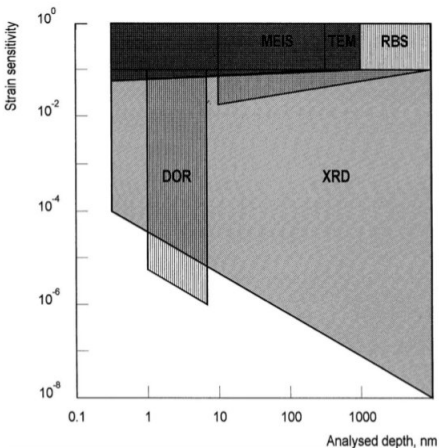
- **dtxrd**: calculations of reflectivity/transmissivity using the dynamical theory of x-ray diffraction for monochromatic wave
- **rcpeak**: plotting and calculations of parameters of a reflectivity curve
- **rctopo**: calculations of x-ray rocking curve images (for a series of hdf4 CCD snapshots)
- **seehdf**: hdf4 image data viewer
- **specscan**: extraction of individual scans from a file generated by SPEC
- **throughput**: calculations of a throughput and rocking curves of a multicrystal configuration

online documentation:

<http://python-dtxrd.readthedocs.org>

Single crystal x-ray diffraction: Applications

Comparison of application ranges. (from D.K. Bowen, B.K. Tanner, "High Resolution X-ray Diffractometry and Topography")



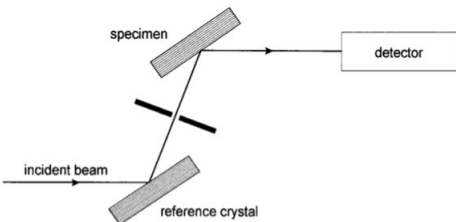
- science of crystal growth (studies of intrinsic defects)
- nondestructive evaluation and R&D in semiconductor industry
- characterization of x-ray crystal optics!

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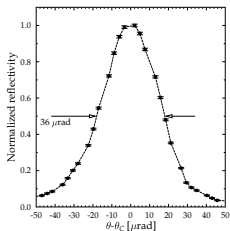
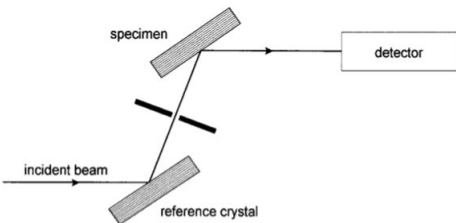
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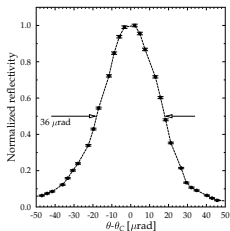
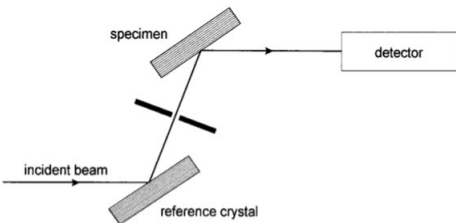
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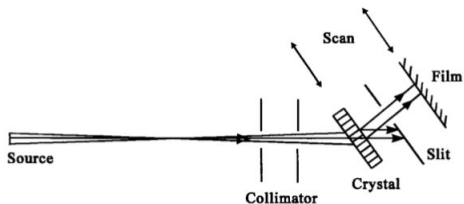
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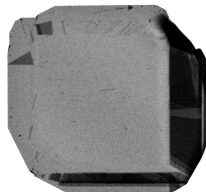
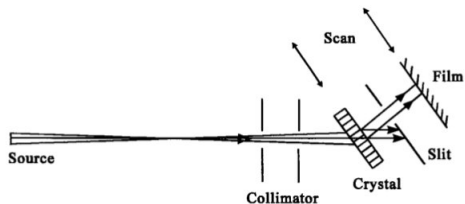
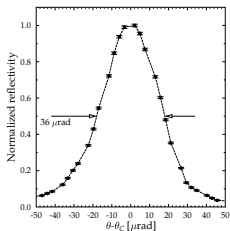
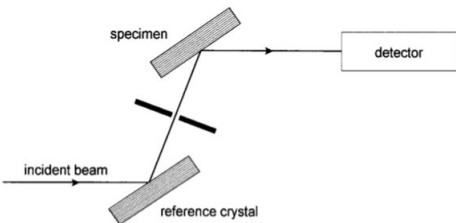
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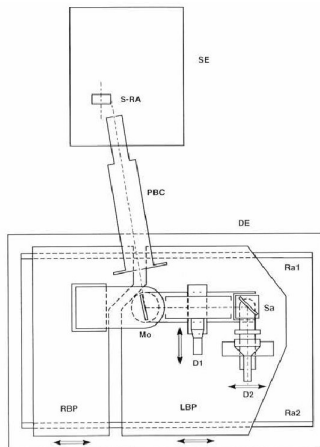
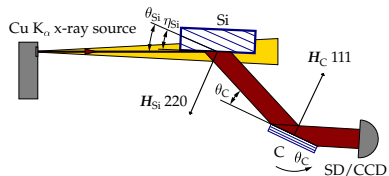
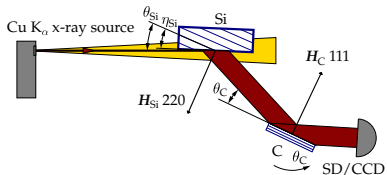


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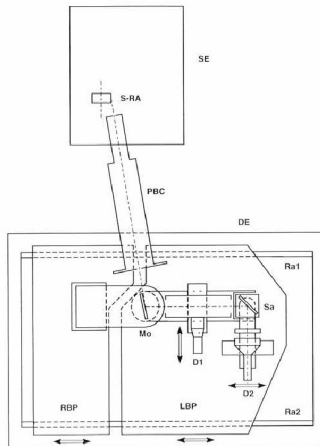
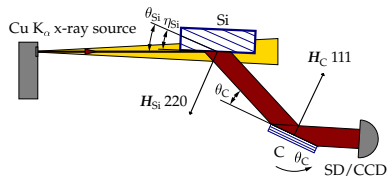


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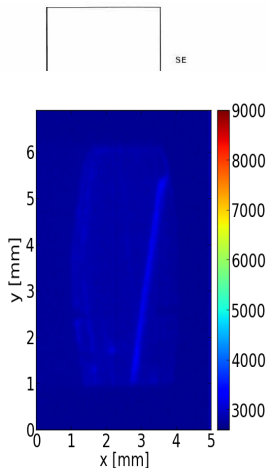
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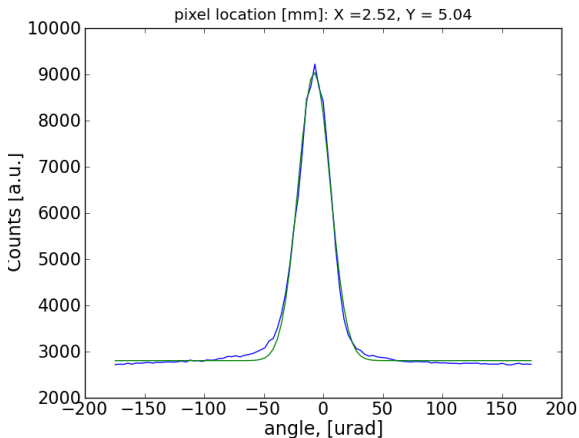
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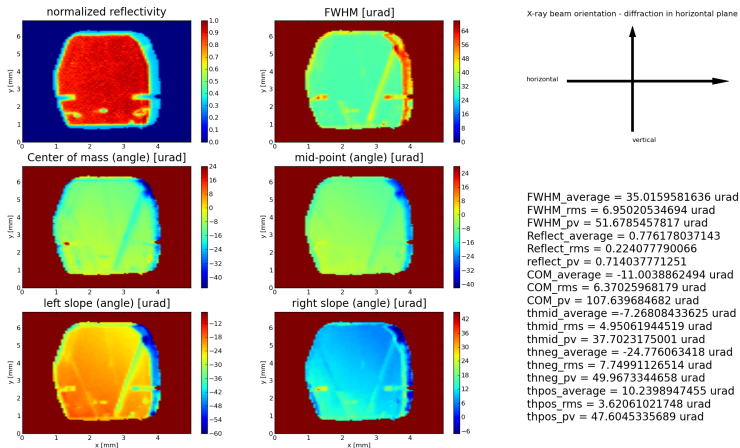
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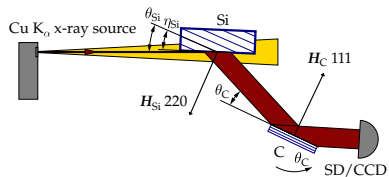
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Rocking curve topographs: Gaussian curve fit. Sample: diamond1

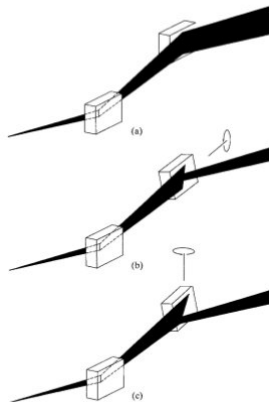
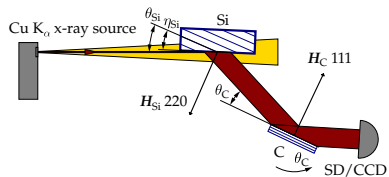


- brings spatial resolution to rocking curve analysis
- ultraprecise evaluation of strain and lattice tilt for single crystals
- a starting point to explore wavefront preservation properties of diffracting optics
- use of a synchrotron source would improve spatial resolution (to 1 μm) and wavefront resolution (to 0.1 μrad).

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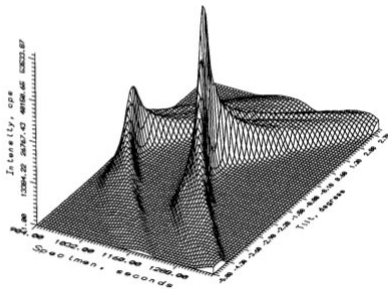
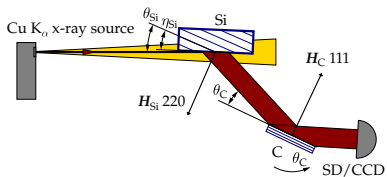


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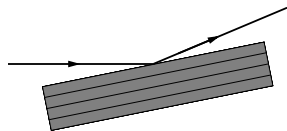
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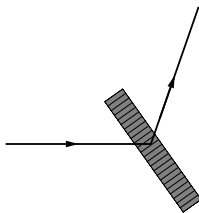
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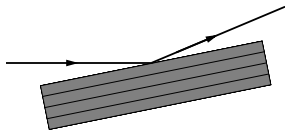
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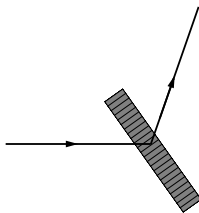
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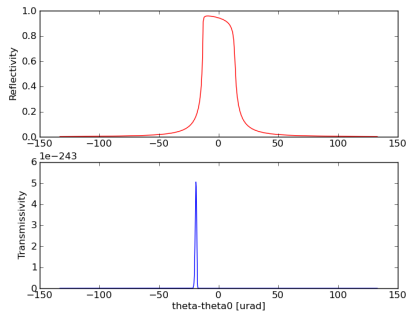
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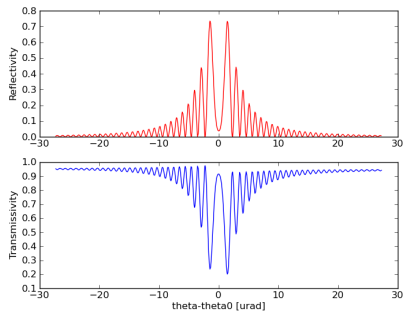
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dtxrd: dynamical diffraction calculations for plane wave

- calculates reflectivity/transmissivity and various parameters of a given reflection in arbitrary geometry for a given energy or angle of incidence.
- includes backscattering cases
- crystal thickness and temperature are input parameters
- available crystal models: Si, C (diamond), Ge, Al₂O₃ (sapphire)

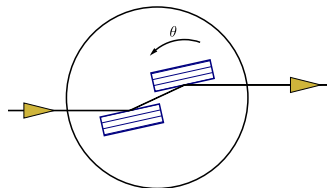
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- only 2-beam Bragg or Laue case
- only perfect crystals
- only plane monochromatic wave
- grazing incidence and grazing emergence are not included

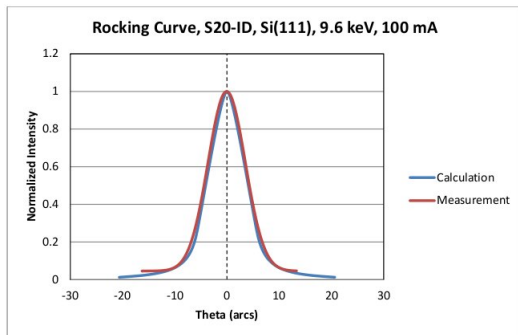
How to simulate a real case (multi-crystal configuration, source divergence and energy bandwidth)?

- introduce a regular 2D grid that will cover angular and energy acceptance of the first crystal in a multi-crystal configuration
- introduce energy and angular distribution of the source in this region
- propagate each ray through analytical formulas of 2-beam diffraction for a sequence of reflections
- for calculations of a rocking curve - perform this procedure for a sequence of angular positions of the crystal of interest

throughput: double-crystal high heat load mono



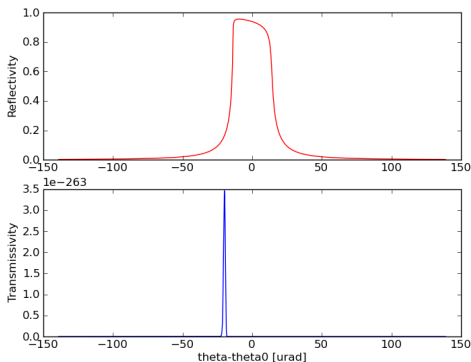
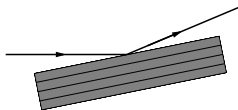
courtesy of Z. Liu, S. Heald et al.



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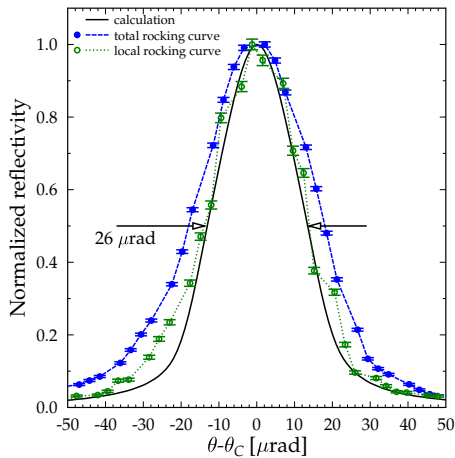
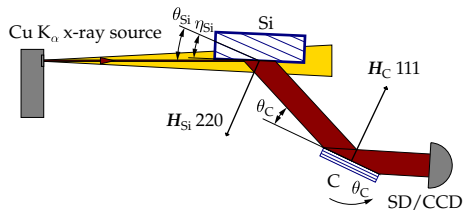
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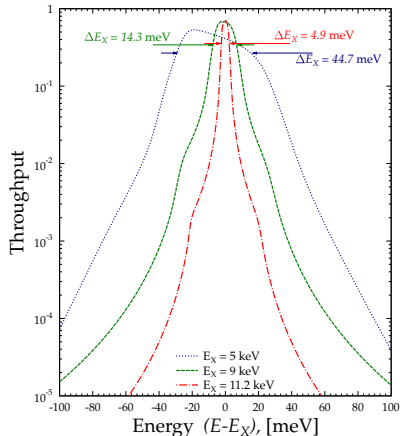
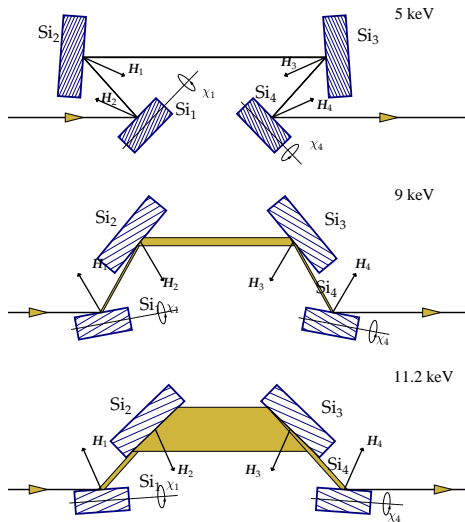
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throughput: double-crystal topography



throughput: 4-bounce mono (MERIX)



throughput: multi-crystal configurations

- calculates throughput and rocking curves for divergent incident beam with finite energy bandwidth
- includes backscattering cases
- source energy distribution can be assigned
- available crystal models: Si, C (diamond), Ge, Al₂O₃ (sapphire)

Limitations:

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- angular spread only in scattering plane
- grazing incidence and grazing emergence are not included
- infinite wavefront

Summary

- documentation: <http://python-dtxrd.readthedocs.org>
- availability (APS Linux): `/APSshare/epd/rh6-x86_64/bin`
- source: <https://subversion.xray.aps.anl.gov/dtxrd>
- a goal to improve and make more user-friendly!

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