

FullProf tutorial on crystal structure and commensurate magnetic structure

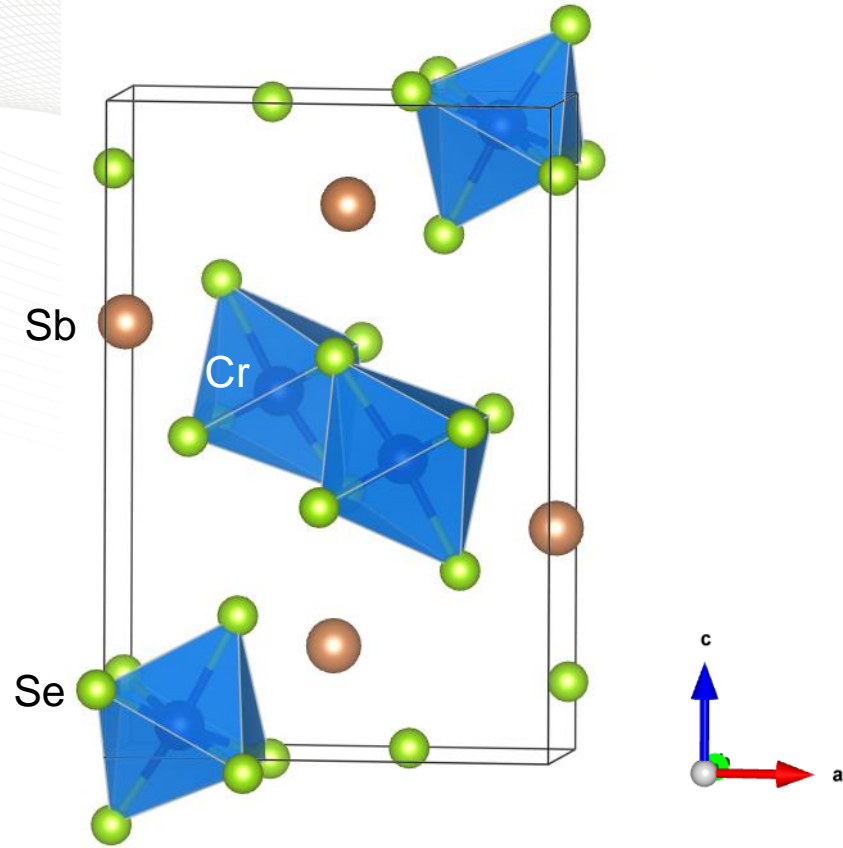
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CrSbSe₃



- Orthorhombic structure: *Pnma* (No. 62)
 $a=9.143086$, $b=3.784552$, $c=13.416915$;
- Octahedra $CrSe_6$;
- **Magnetic transition 75 K:**

Files provided for this tutorial

- Time-of-flight diffraction data at POWGEN:
[PG3_42702-2_300K.dat](#)
[PG3_42704-2_10K.dat](#)
- Instrumental resolution file:
[PG2018B_HighRes_60Hz_b2_Ddep.irf](#)
- cif file for crystal structure
[CrSbSe₃.cif](#)
- Final PCR files
[PG3_42702-2_300K.pcr](#)
[PG3_42704-2_10K.pcr](#) (representation analysis)
- Supporting information
[FullProf_CM.PDF](#) (step-by-step instructions)

POWGEN Peak Profile

TOF profile has Convolution of back-to-back exponentials with pseudo-Voigt (a linear combination of Gaussian and Lorentzian)

6 refinable parameters: position, intensity, α , β , σ and γ Position:

$$\text{TOF (microseconds)} = \text{Zero} + \text{Dtt1} * D + \text{Dtt2} * D^2 + \text{Dtt_1overD} / D$$

Exponentials: Alpha largely affects the sharpness of the leading TOF edge of each peak; larger values mean sharper front edges. Beta terms affect the trailing TOF edge in the same way.

$$\alpha = \alpha_0 + \frac{\alpha_1}{d} + \frac{\alpha_q}{\sqrt{d}} \text{ and } \beta = \beta_0 + \frac{\beta_1}{d^4} + \frac{\beta_q}{d^2}$$

Gaussian and Lorentzian width: Sig terms affect the Gaussian shape component of the peak profiles; larger values result in broader peaks. The coefficients describe the sig and Gamma values as follows:

$$\sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2 + \sigma_1^2 d^2 + \sigma_2^2 d^4 + \frac{\sigma_q^2}{d^2} \longrightarrow \sigma_q d \text{ GSASII used}$$
$$\gamma = \gamma_1 * d + \gamma_2 * d^2 + \gamma_0$$

- All these coefficients *marked as green* were implemented in the 2021 versions of FullProf by Juan Rodriguez-Carvajal recently.
- In other TOF instruments and previous versions of FullProf, there lack Dtt_1overD , β_q and σ_q .

Formats of the instrumental resolution files

Traditional Instrumental resolution files for old version FullProf (2011 B- 2021 A cycle)

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Instrumental resolution function for POWGEN/SNS 2018_B cycle  ireso: 5
! To be used with function NPROF=9 in FullProf  (Res=5)
! ----- Bank 3 CWL = 1.500
! Type of profile function: back-to-back expon * pseudo-Voigt
NPROF 9
!   Tof-min(us)   step   Tof-max(us)
TOFRG 11300.0000   5.0000  315000.0000
!   Dtt1         Dtt2     Zero
D2TOF 22589.89258  -3.55042  -15.12841
! TOF-TWOTH of the bank
TWOTH 90.0
!   Sig-2   Sig-1   Sig-0
SIGMA 57.460  10.000  0.000
!   Gam-2   Gam-1   Gam-0
GAMMA 26.000  -29.576  9.000
!   alph0   beta0   alph1   betal
ALFBE 0.000000  0.100880  0.128660  0.003960
END
    
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TOF region and step

TOF to D

Gaussian function

Lorentzian function

BB Exponentials

Listed the global coefficients without Dtt_1overD , β_q and σ_q for old version FullProf.

New Instrumental resolution files for new version FullProf (2021 B cycle-future)

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1 Instrumental Resolution Parameters for TOF (numerical look-up table) for POWGEN/SNS 2018 B cycle
2 ! To be used with functions NPROF=9 in FullProf (Res=5)
3 ! ----- Bank 1
4 ! Type of profile function: back-to-back expon * pseudo-Voigt
5 NPROF 9
6 !   Tof-min(us)   step   Tof-max(us)
7 TOFRG 11308.69531   5  282062.50000
8 !   Dtt1         Dtt2     Dtt_1overD     Zero
9 D2TOF 22589.89258  -3.55042  0.24175  -15.12841
10 ! TOF-TWOTH of the bank
11 TWOTH 90.000
12 !   d-spacing   Sigma^2   Gamma   Alpha   Beta   Shift   for pattern # 1
13 LIST_SIG GAM ALF BET SHIFT 233
14   0.44348     1.21809     2.85332     0.39237     0.10474     0.00000
15   0.44515     1.21788     2.84730     0.39204     0.10578     0.00000
16   ...
17   0.89199     7.70333     3.42920     0.14657     0.10563     0.00000
18   ...
19   1.51101     757.12213   18.55641     0.11664     0.15918     0.00000
20   1.54497     844.20258   19.59661     0.11365     0.15412     0.00000
21   ...
22   2.56205     7234.60986   59.75310     0.06182     0.08379     0.00000
23   ...
24   5.12410     116786.14844  252.91258     0.02469     0.05172     0.00000
25   7.24657     462492.40625  465.01639     0.01463     0.04323     0.00000
26 END
27
    
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TOF region and step

TOF to D

numerical coefficients

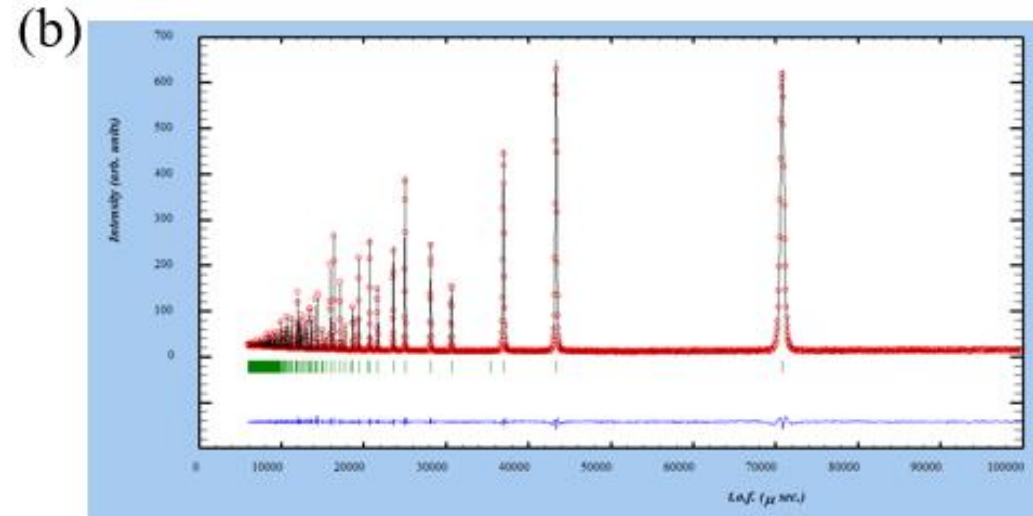
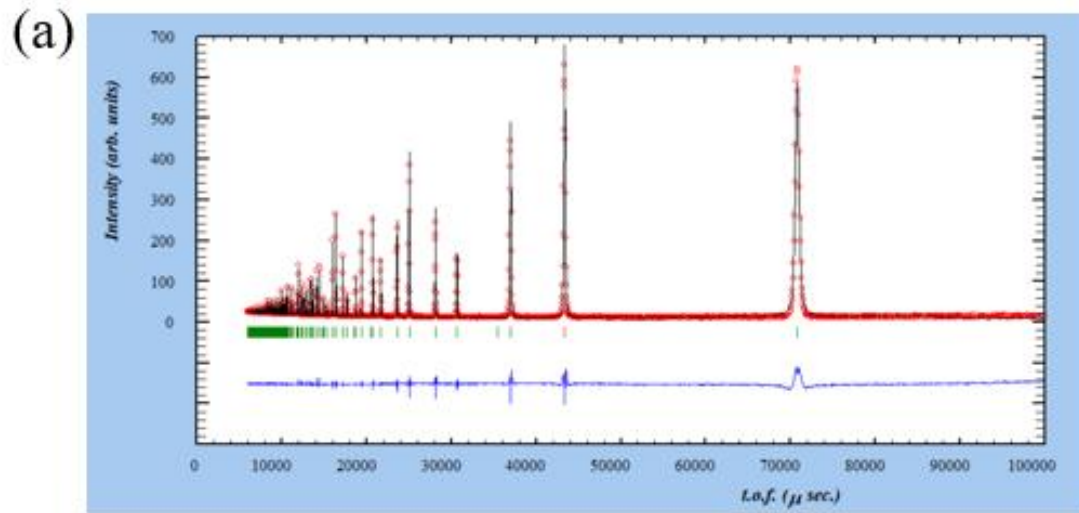
Provides d-dependent numerical coefficients for new 2021 versions of FullProf (used in this tutorial)

Allows a more accurate determination of instrumental resolution.

Comparison of the refinement quality using old and 2021 versions of FullProf and IRFs

Old versions of FullProf and old IRFs until 2020

2021 versions of FullProf and new IRFs



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data at
POWGEN

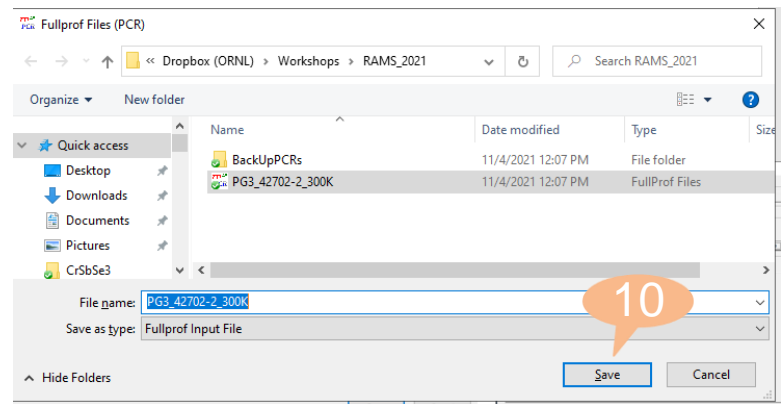
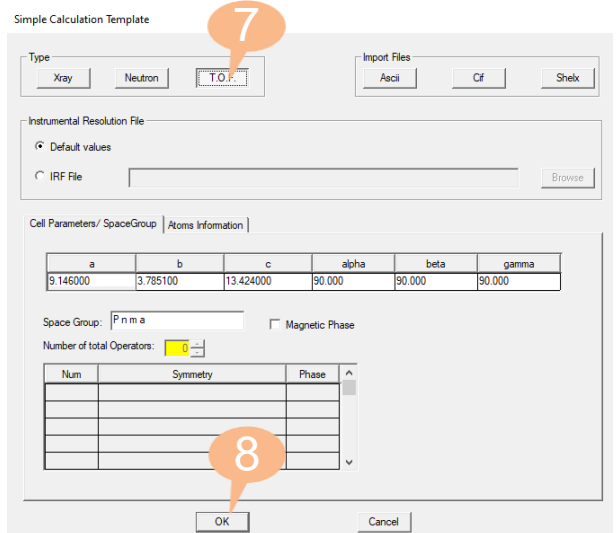
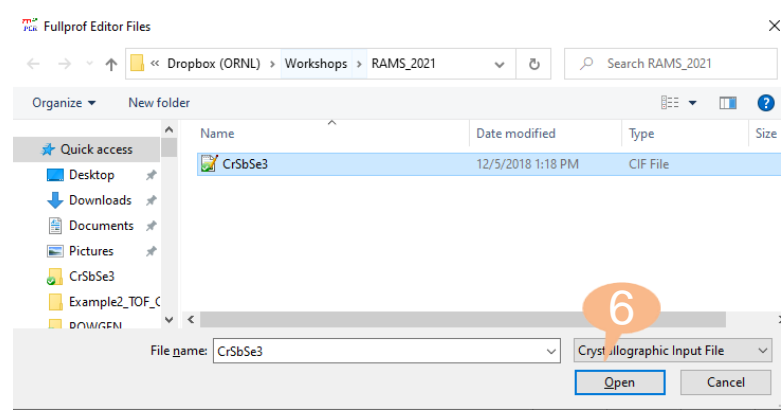
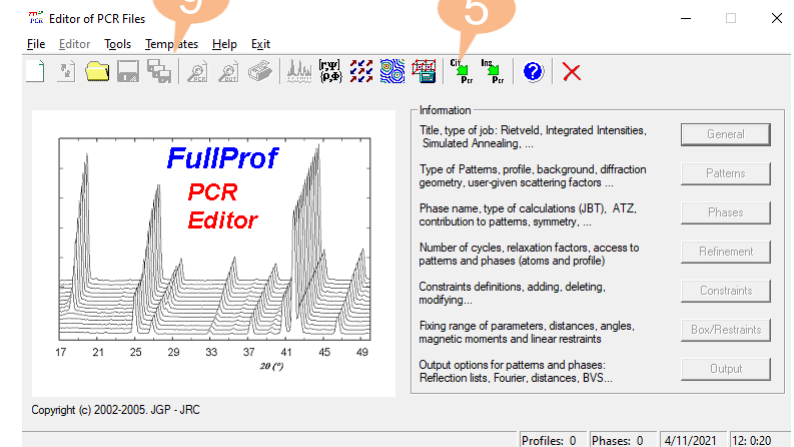
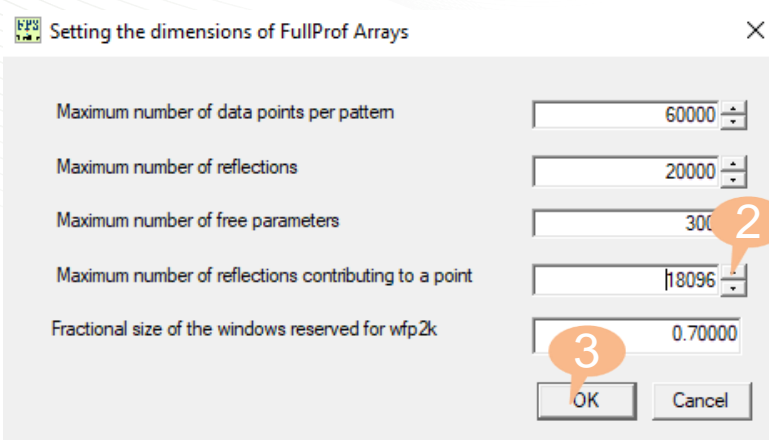
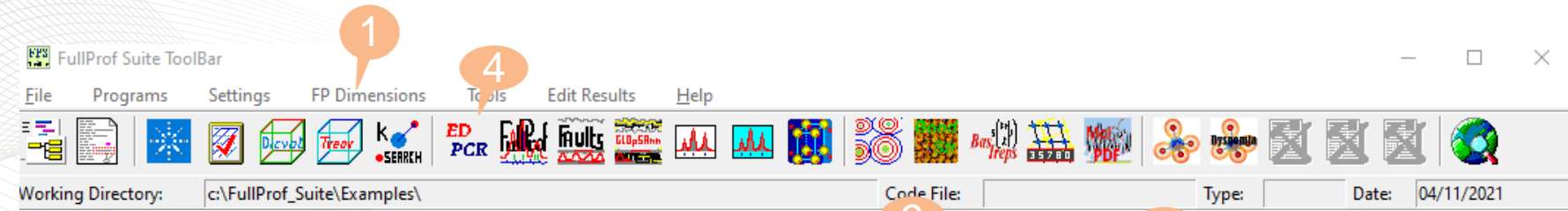
- New 2021 versions of FullProf and IRFs improved the refinement quality
- Old PCRs can be read automatically by the new 2021 versions of FullProf and converted to the new format PCR files

Recommend using the new version FullProf to refine POWGEN data for getting an improved refinement on the peakshape

Exercise steps

- I. Import the cif file and create a PCR file for a single datafile at 300 K ($T > T_m$);
- II. Refine the data to get accurate structural parameters including the lattice constants, atomic positions, temperature factors and peak profile parameters at 300 K;
- III. Save the PCR file at 300 K as a new PCR to refine the structural parameters at 10 K ($T < T_m$).
- IV. Identify magnetic peaks/contributions and determine the propagation vector.
- V. Symmetry analysis to obtain irreducible representations and Basic vectors using SARAh.
- VI. Select a magnetic model and add it as the 2nd phase in the PCR.
- VII. Refine the magnetic phase to obtain the magnetic structure and ordered moment.
- VIII. Display the magnetic structure using FpStudio and Vesta.

I. Import the cif file and create a PCR file for a single datafile at 300 K (T>Tm)

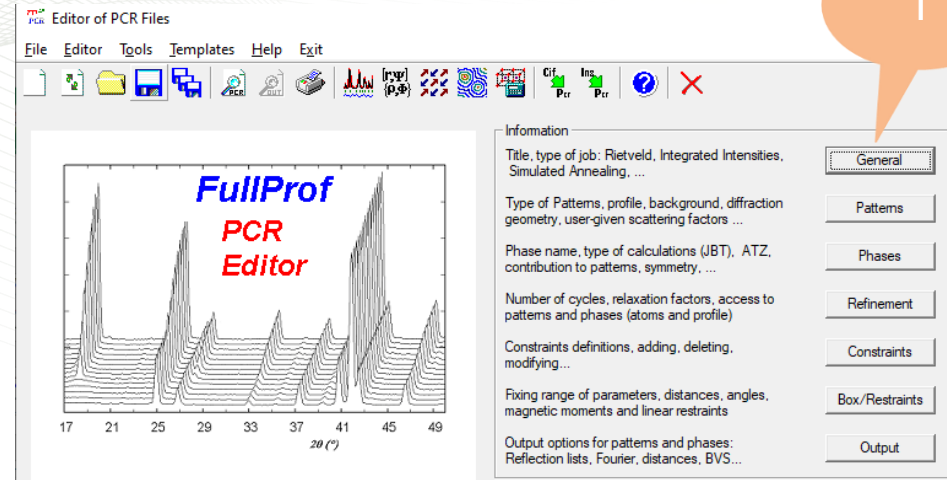


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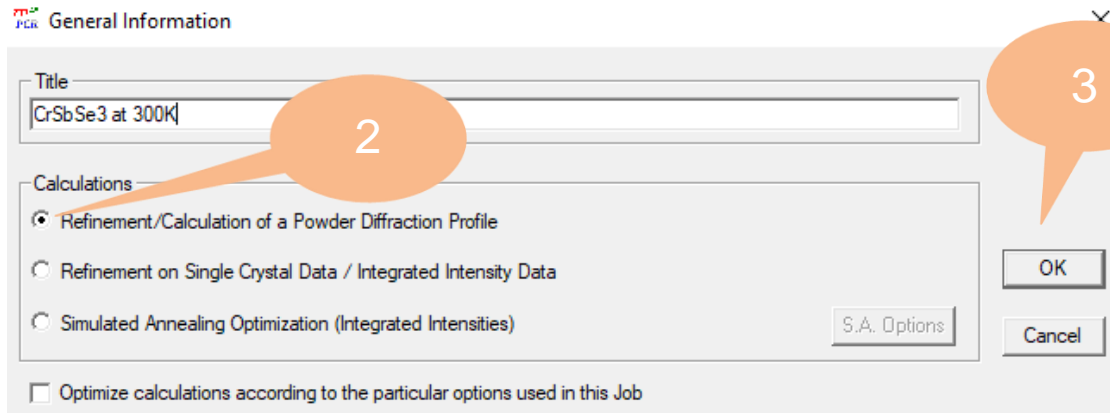
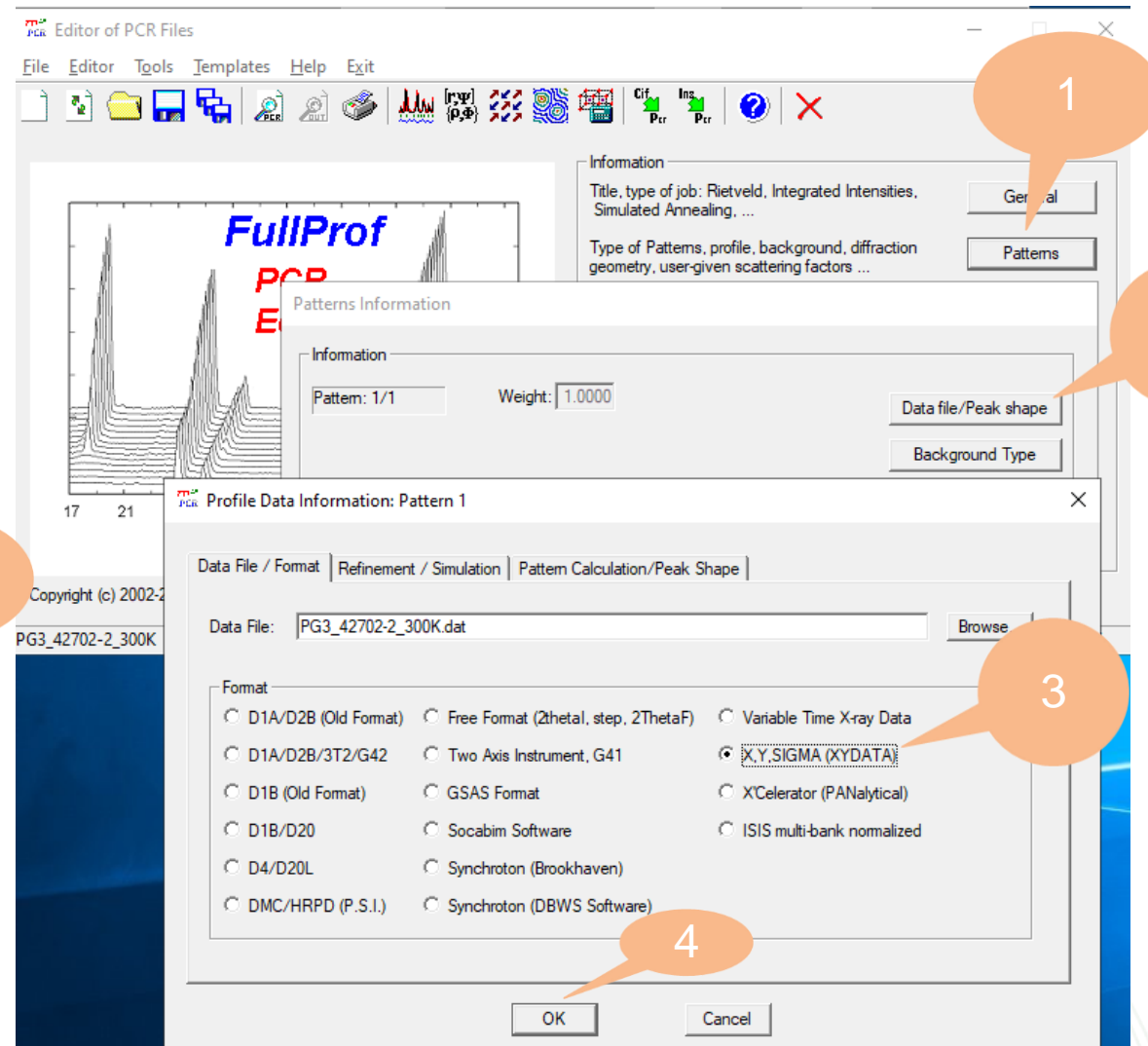
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			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Cr	Cr	0.15490	0.25000	0.04460	1.00000	0.50000
			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Se3	Se	0.17180	0.25000	0.48450	1.00000	0.50000
			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Se2	Se	0.28480	0.25000	0.21280	1.00000	0.50000
			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Se1	Se	0.50190	0.25000	0.60870	1.00000	0.50000
			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

II. Refine the data to get accurate structural parameters at 300 K

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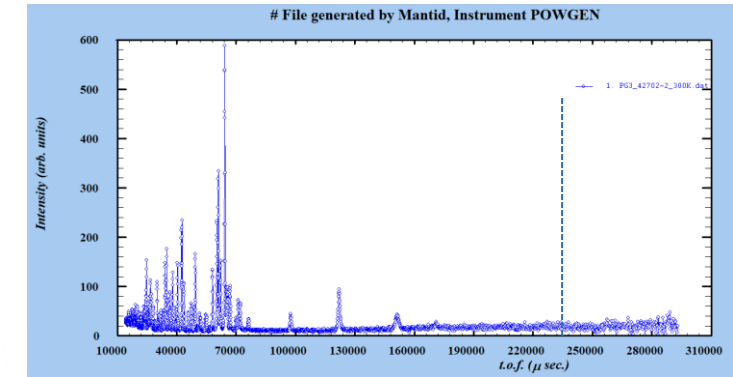
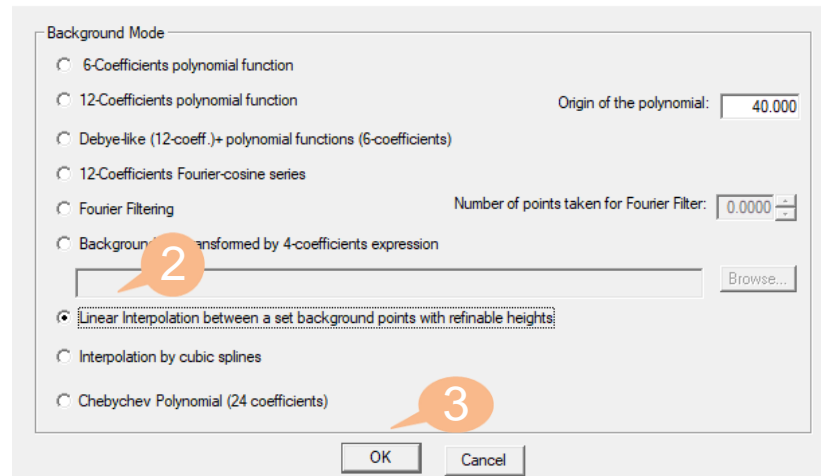
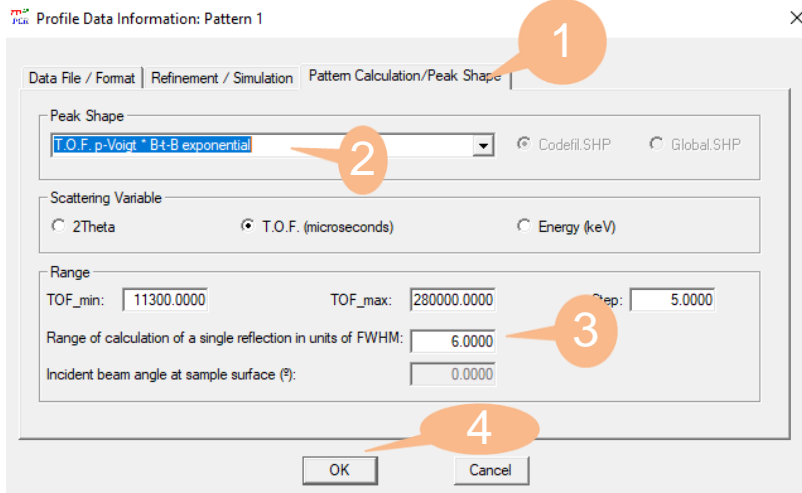
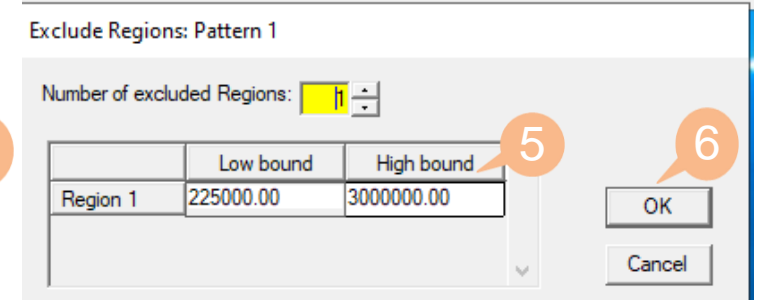
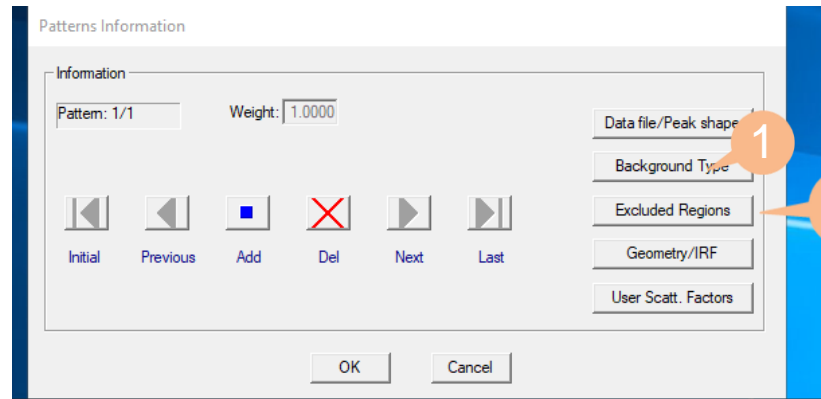
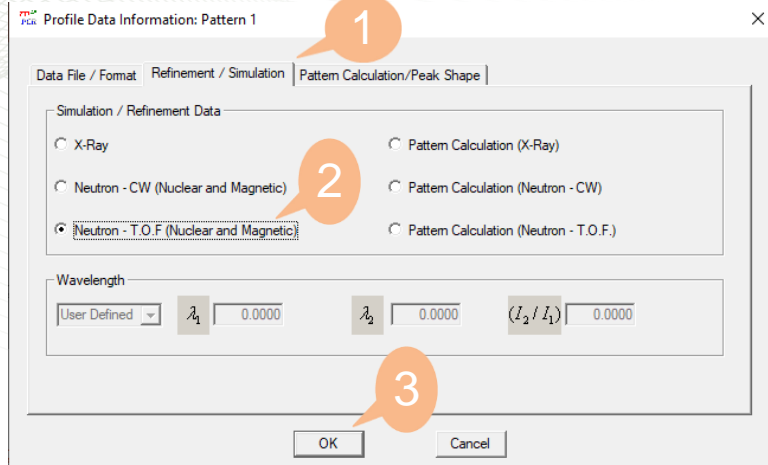


Pattern-Datafile/Peak shape tab

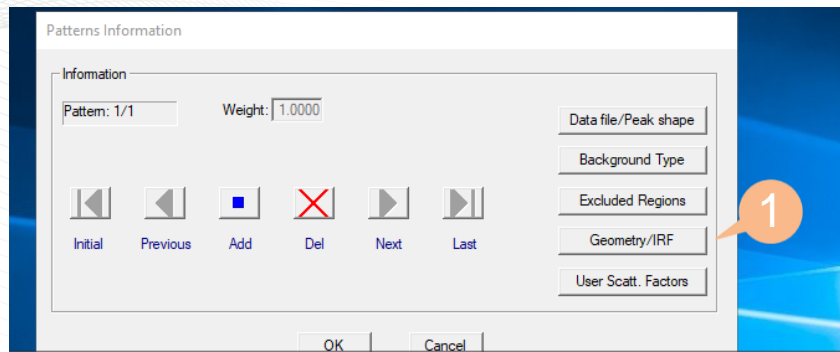


Pattern-Background Type

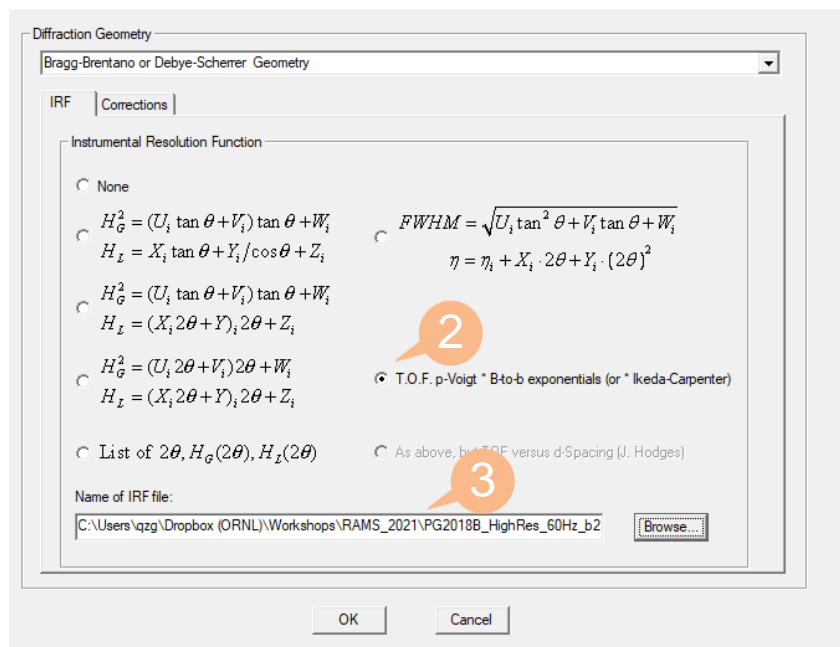
Pattern-Excluded Regions



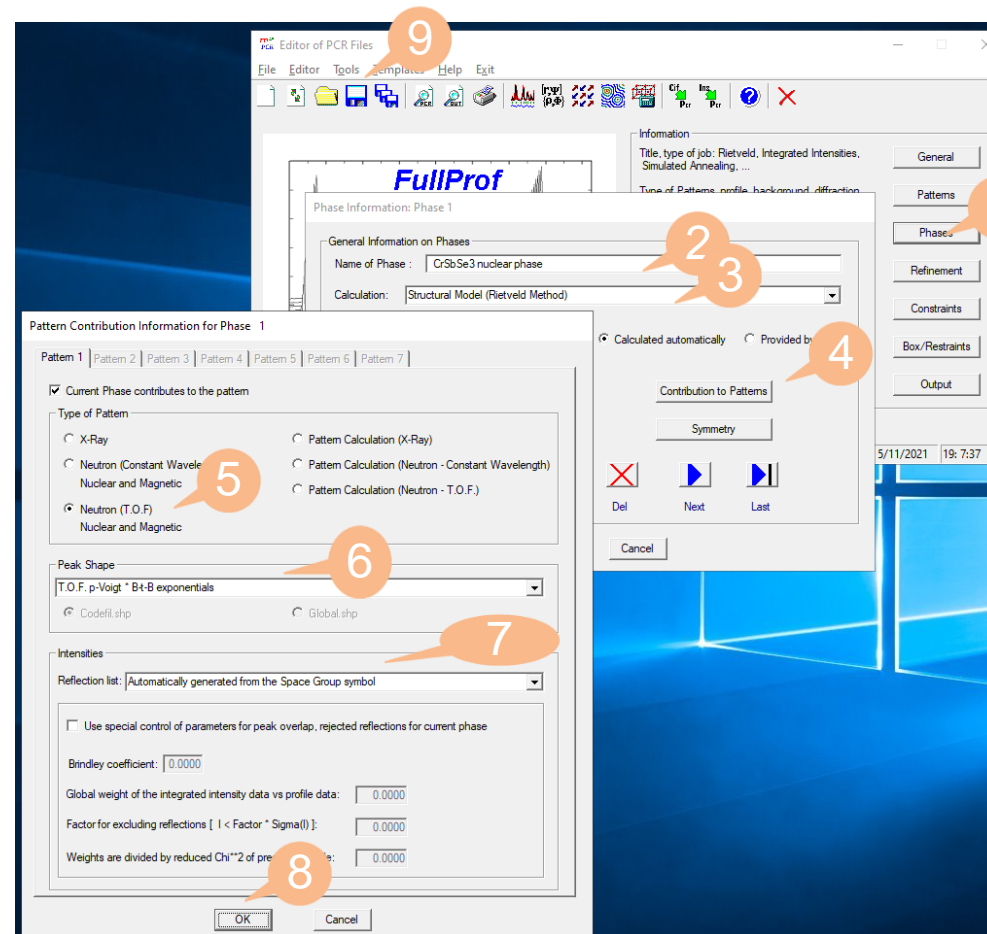
Pattern-Geometry/IRF tab



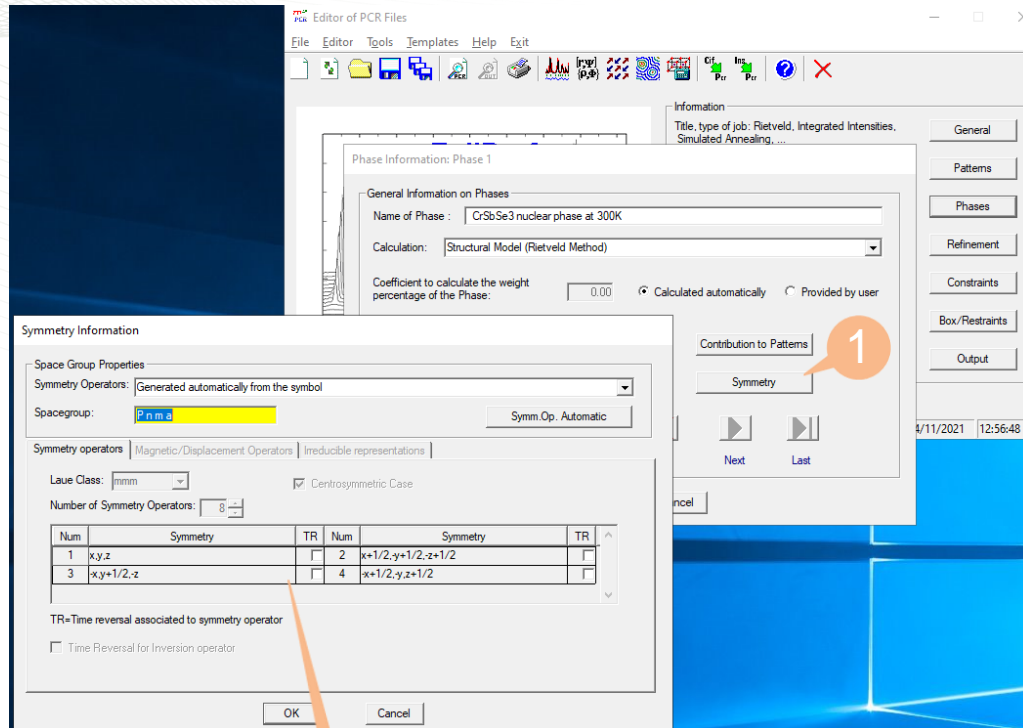
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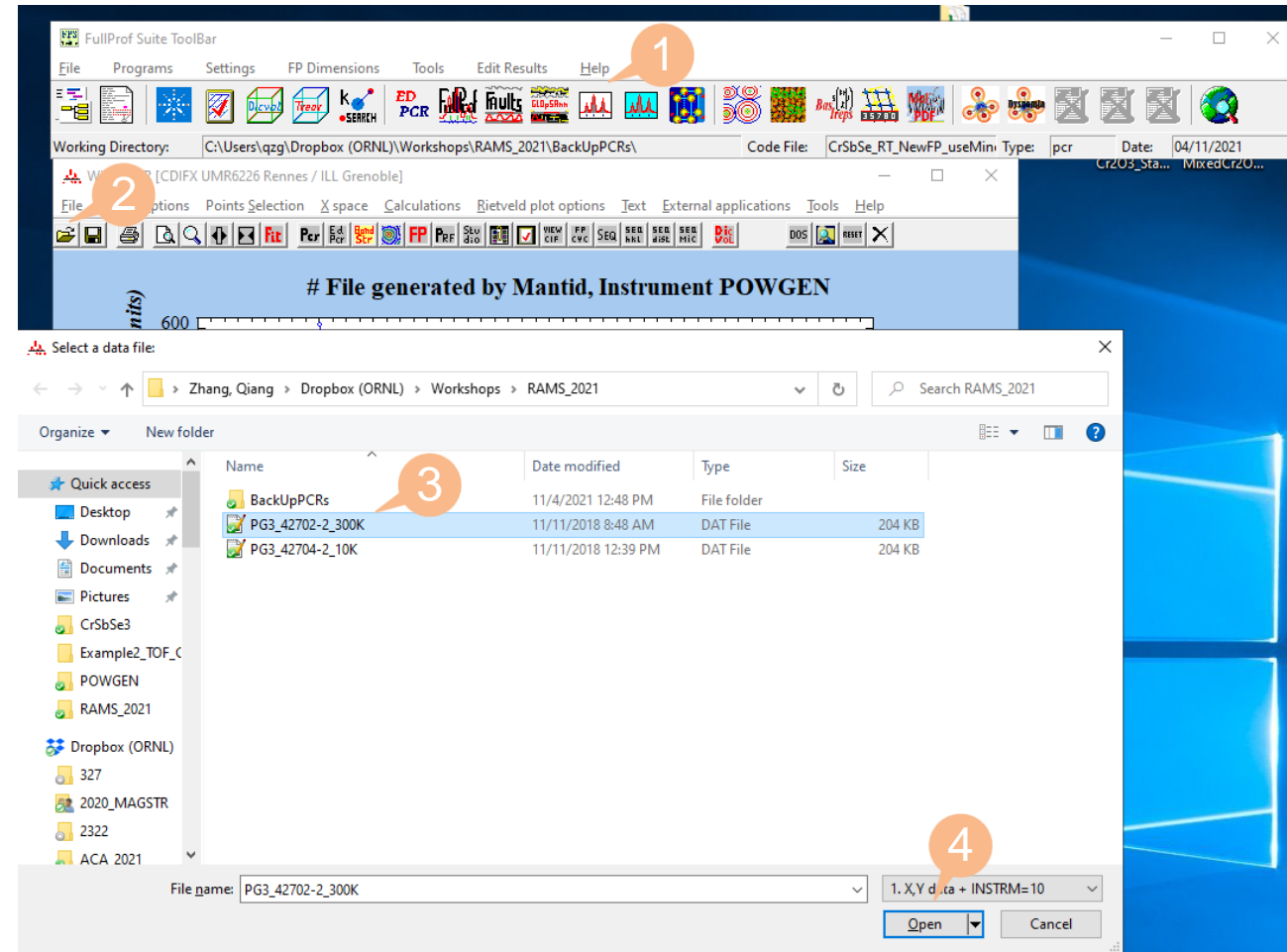
Phase-tab

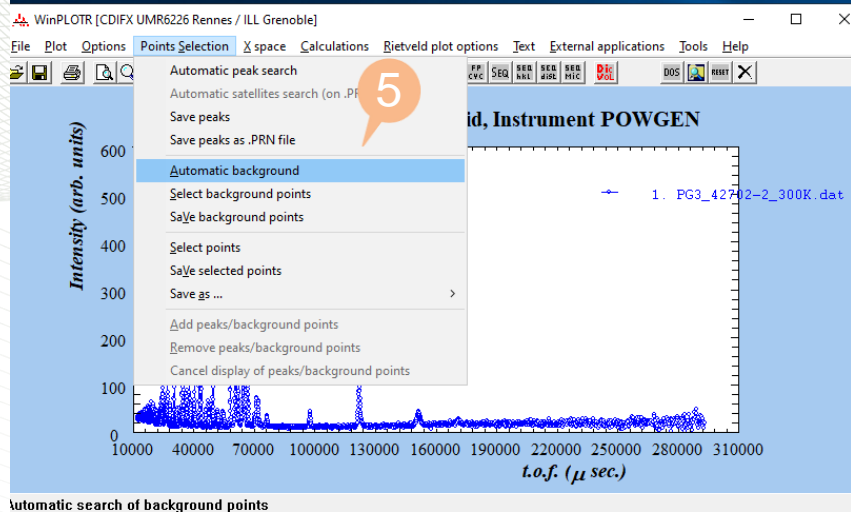


Use Winplotr to get the BG of the data

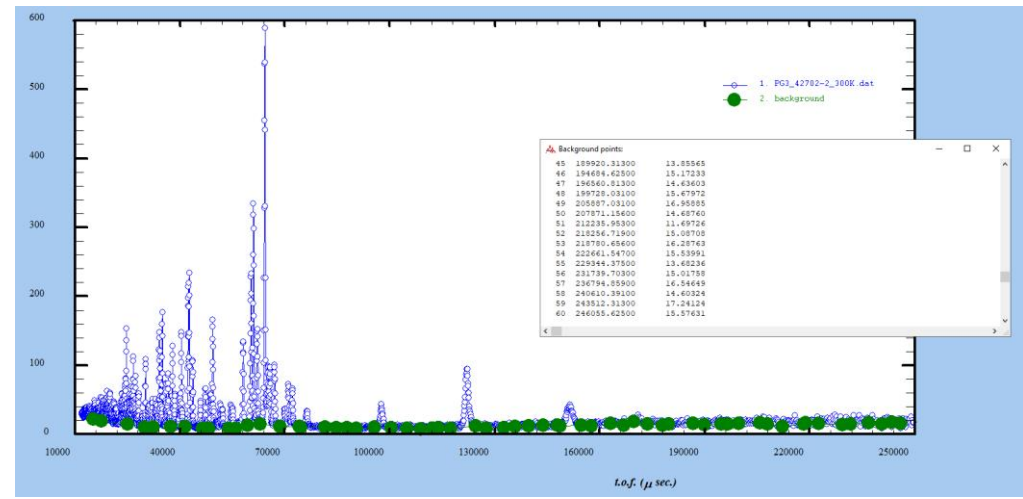


Verify the correct symmetry information





Automatic search of background points



Background threshold: [default= 0.05]:

0.5

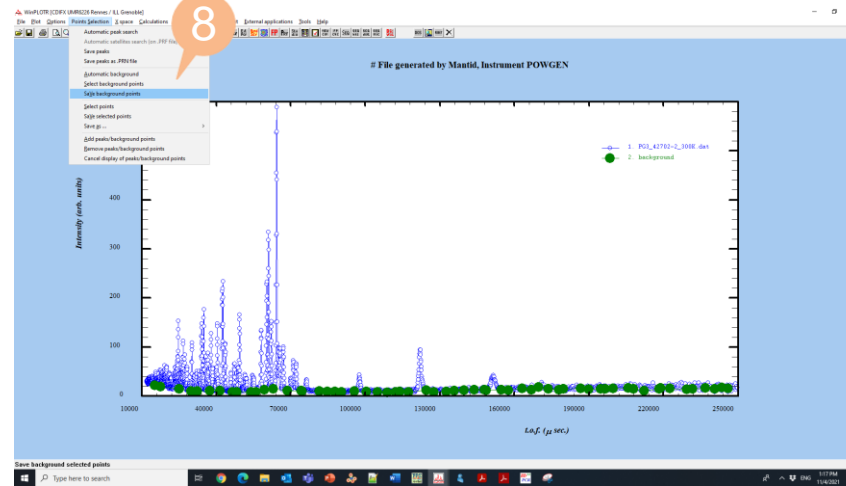
Iterations num. for smoothing [0-10 / default= 3]:

3

Noisy data

OK

Cancel



Save As

Organize New folder

Name Date modified Type Size

BackupPCrs 11/4/2021 12:48 PM File folder

File name: BG_300K

Save as type: Save as background file (*.BGR)

Save Cancel

WinPLOTR message:

The BG_300K.BGR has been created: it contains 63 background points

OK

Refinement tab

Editor of PCR Files

Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement: 1

Stop Criterion of Coverage: Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.

Relaxation Factors for Shifts: Atomic 1.00 Anisotropic 1.00 Profile 1.00 Global 1.00

Reflections ordering: Only at the first cycle

Refinement weighting model: Least Squares

Reduction factor of number of data points: 0

1

2

Linear interpolation between a set of Background Points: Pattern 1

Interpolation Method

Linear Interpolation

Cubic Splines Interpolation

Information

Number of Points: 10

	2Theta	Counts
1	0.000	0.000
2	0.000	0.000
3	0.000	0.000
4	0.000	0.000

Refine All

Fix All

Import from Background File

3

OK

Cancel

Importing Background File (Not Responding)

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Organize New folder

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BG_300K.BGR	11/4/2021 2:06 PM	BGR File	3 KB

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File name: .bgr

Background Input File

Open

Cancel

5

Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement: 5

Stop Criterion of Coverage: Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.

Relaxation Factors for Shifts: Atomic 1.00 Anisotropic 1.00 Profile 1.00 Global 1.00

Reflections ordering: Only at the first cycle

Refinement weighting model: Least Squares

Reduction factor of number of data points: 0

6

Refinement-Profile tab

Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement:

Stop Criterion of Convergence
 Forced Termination when shifts < x E.S.D.
 Others: None

Relaxation Factors for Shifts
 Atomic: Anisotropic: Profile: Global:

Reflections ordering
 Only at the first cycle Each cycle Bragg R-Factor excluding reflections limiting excluded regions

Pattern 1 | Pattern 2 | Pattern 3 | Pattern 4 | Pattern 5 | Pattern 6

Phase 1 | Phase 2 | Phase 3 | Phase 4 | Phase 5 | Phase 6

Refinement weighting model
 Least Squares Maximum Likelihood Unit Weights
 Background Instrumental Micro-Absorption

Reduction factor of number of data points:

Profile Parameters: Phase 1 Pattern 1

Factors

	Scale		
Coefficients	<input checked="" type="text" value="10.000"/>	<input type="text" value="0.0000"/>	<input type="text" value="0.0000"/>

Cell Parameters

	a	b	c	alpha	beta	gamma
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FWHM / Shape Parameters Exponential Decay Parameters Preferred Orientation

FWHM Parameters

	Sig_2	Sig_1	Sig_0	Z1
Coefficients	<input type="text" value="0.004100"/>	<input type="text" value="-0.007600"/>	<input type="text" value="0.006300"/>	<input type="text" value="0.000000"/>

Shape Parameters

	Extinc	Abs1	Abs2
Coefficients	<input type="text" value="0.000000"/>	<input type="text" value="0.000000"/>	<input type="text" value="1.000000"/>

Refine FWHM for second wavelength

	U2	V2	W2
Coefficients	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value=""/>

Buttons: Refine All, Fix All, Cancel, OK

Editor of PCR Files

File Editor Tools Templates Help Exit

Information

Title, type of job: Rietveld, Integrated Intensities, Simulated Annealing, ...

Type of Patterns, profile, background, diffraction geometry, user-given scattering factors ...

Phase name, type of calculations (JBT), ATZ, contribution to patterns, symmetry, ...

Number of cycles, relaxation factors, access to patterns and phases (atoms and profile)

Constraints definitions, adding, deleting, modifying...

Fixing range of parameters, distances, angles, magnetic moments and linear restraints

Output options for patterns and phases: Reflection lists, Fourier, distances, BVS...

Buttons: General, Patterns, Phases, Refinement, Constraints, Box/Restraints, Output

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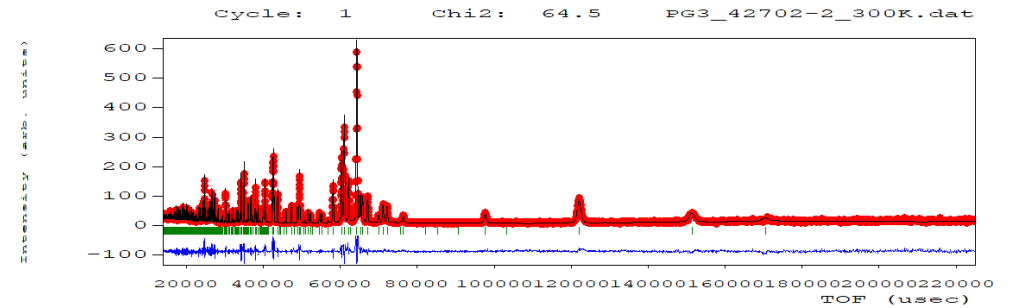
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=> Phase: 1
=> Bragg R-factor: 15.01
=> RF-factor : 10.72
=> Normal end, final calculations and writing...

=> CPU Time: 0.898 seconds
=> 0.015 minutes

=> END Date:04/11/2021 Time => 15:52:18.456
  
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Add the refinement on the peak profile coefficients Gam_2, Gam_1, and Gam_0

Profile Parameters: Phase 1 Pattern 1

Factors		Scale	Overall B-factor
Coefficients	12.525	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	0.0000

Cell Parameters						
	a	b	c	alpha	beta	gamma
Coefficients	9.144166	3.784407	13.416562	90.000	90.000	90.000

FWHM / Shape Parameters Exponential Decay Parameters Preferred Orientation **1**

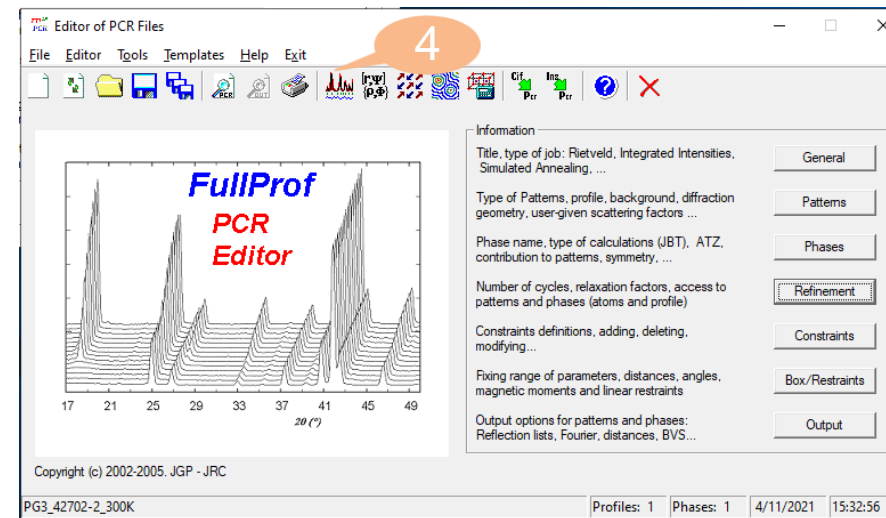
FWHM Parameters				
	Gam_2	Gam_1	Gam_0	Gam_2
Coefficients	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000000

Shape Parameters				
	Extinc	Abs1	Abs2	
Coefficients	0.000000	0.000000	1.000000	

Refine FWHM for second wavelength

	U2	V2	W2
Coefficients			

Refine All
Fix All
Cancel **2**
OK



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=> Phase:      1
=> Bragg R-factor: 7.922
=> RF-factor   : 7.961
=> Normal end, final calculations and writing...

=> CPU Time:   3.594 seconds
=> 0.060 minutes

=> END   Date:04/11/2021   Time => 15:49:06.360
    
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Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement: 5

Stop Criterion of Convergence
Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.
Others: None

Relaxation Factors for Shifts
Atomic 1.00 Anisotropic 1.00 Profile 1.00 Global 1.00

Reflections ordering
 Only at the first cycle Each cycle Bragg R-Factor excluding reflections limiting excluded regions

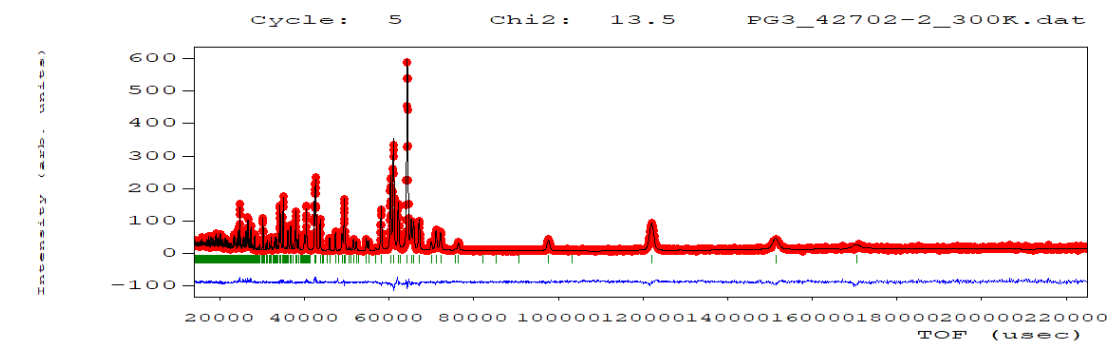
Pattern 1 | Pattern 2 | Pattern 3 | Pattern 4 | Pattern 5 | Pattern 6 | **3**

Refinement weighting model
 Least Squares Maximum Likelihood Unit Weights
Background Instrumental Micro-Absorption

Reduction factor of number of data points: 0

Atoms Prop. Vectors
Patterns: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7
Profile Micro-Structure
HKL Shifts Further Parameters

OK Cancel



Refinement-Atoms tab (to refine atomic positions and temperature factors B)

Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement: 5

Stop Criterion of Convergence
 Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.
 Others: None

Relaxation Factors for Shifts
 Atomic: 1.00 Anisotropic: 1.00 Profile: 1.00 Global: 1.00

Reflections ordering
 Only at the first cycle Each cycle Bragg R-Factor excluding reflections limiting excluded regions

Pattern 1 | Pattern 2 | Pattern 3 | Pattern 4 | Pattern 5 | Pattern 6 | Pattern 7

Phase 1 | Phase 2 | Phase 3 | Phase 4 | Phase 5 | Phase 6 | Phase 7

Refinement weighting model
 Least Squares Maximum Likelihood Unit Weights

Background Instrumental Micro-Absorption

Reduction factor of number of data points: 0

OK Cancel

Atoms Prop. Vectors

Patterns
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Profile Micro-Structure

HKL Shifts Further Parameters

Atoms Information: Phase 1

List of Atoms
 Number of Atoms: 5

Atom #	Label	Nyp	X	Y	Z	B	Occ	Therm. Fact.
Atom # 1	Sb	Sb	0.02950	0.25000	0.65786	1.00000	0.50000	Isotropic
Atom # 2	Cr	Cr	0.15490	0.25000	0.04460	1.00000	0.50000	Isotropic
Atom # 3	Se3	Se	0.17180	0.25000	0.48450	1.00000	0.50000	Isotropic
Atom # 4	Se2	Se	0.28480	0.25000	0.21280	1.00000	0.50000	Isotropic

Anisotropic Thermal Factors / Form Factors

#	B11/F1	B22/F2	B33/F3	B12/F4	B13/F5	B23/F6	F7
#							
#							
#							

Special Form Factors

#	SASH-Type	Matrx	j=1	j=2	j=3	N. Coeff.	Indices	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
#	Spherical												
#	Spherical												
#	Spherical												

Refine Positions Refine B_{iso} Refine B_{aniso} Fix All Cancel OK

Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement: 5

Stop Criterion of Convergence
 Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.
 Others: None

Relaxation Factors for Shifts
 Atomic: 1.00 Anisotropic: 1.00 Profile: 1.00 Global: 1.00

Reflections ordering
 Only at the first cycle Each cycle Bragg R-Factor excluding reflections limiting excluded regions

Pattern 1 | Pattern 2 | Pattern 3 | Pattern 4 | Pattern 5 | Pattern 6 | Pattern 7

Phase 1 | Phase 2 | Phase 3 | Phase 4 | Phase 5 | Phase 6 | Phase 7

Refinement weighting model
 Least Squares Maximum Likelihood Unit Weights

Background Instrumental Micro-Absorption

Reduction factor of number of data points: 0

OK Cancel

Atoms Prop. Vectors

Patterns
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Profile Micro-Structure

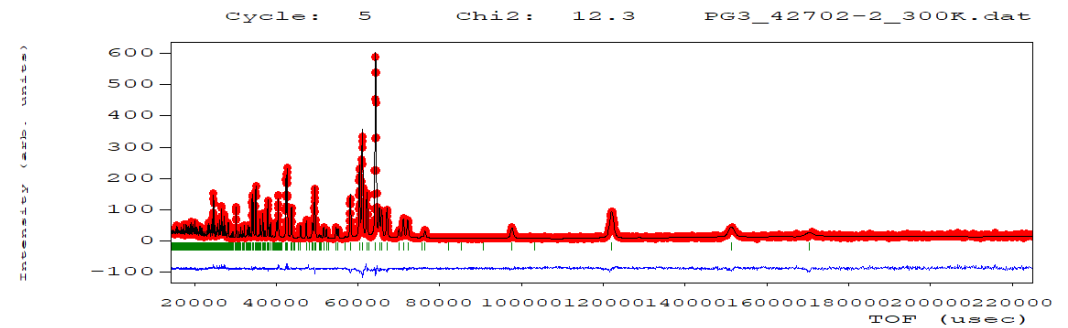
HKL Shifts Further Parameters

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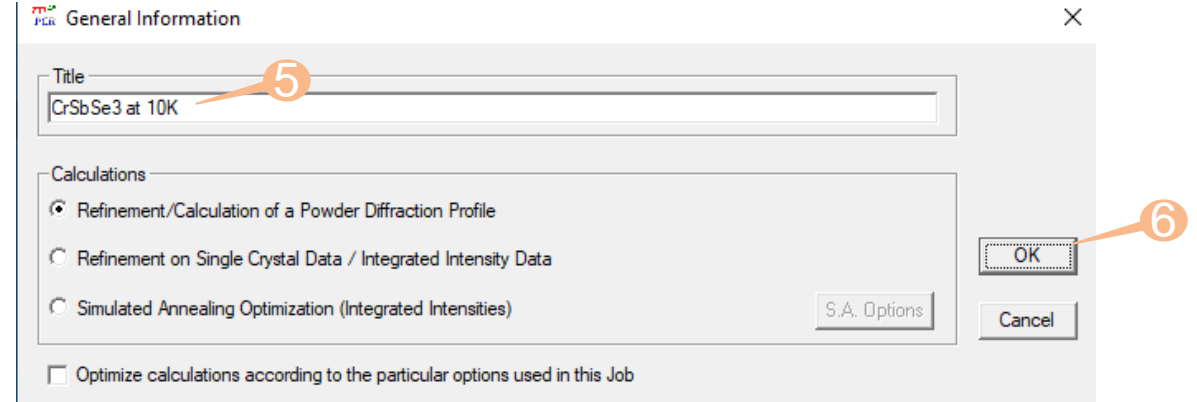
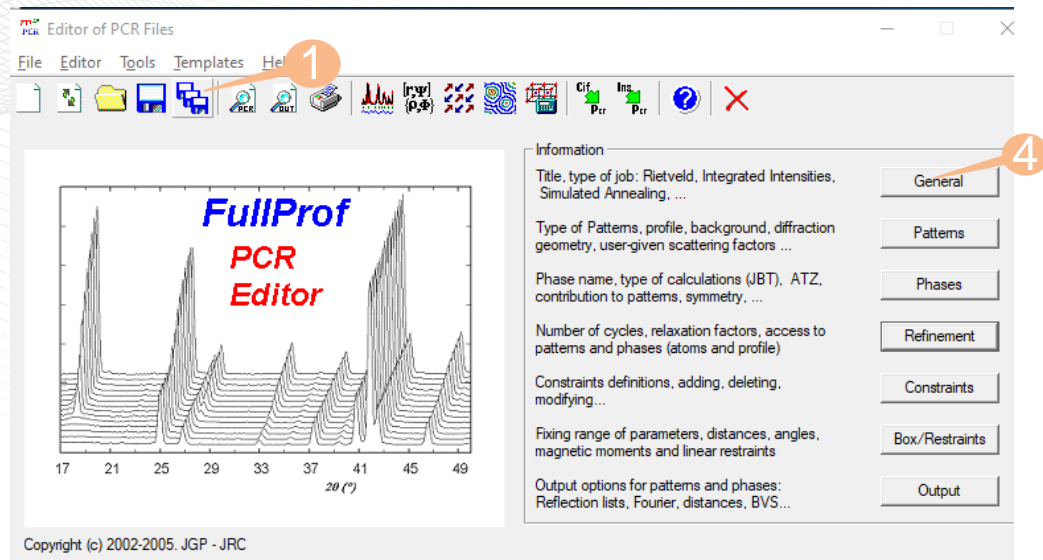
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=> RF-factor : 6.833
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=> CPU Time: 3.750 seconds
=> 0.062 minutes

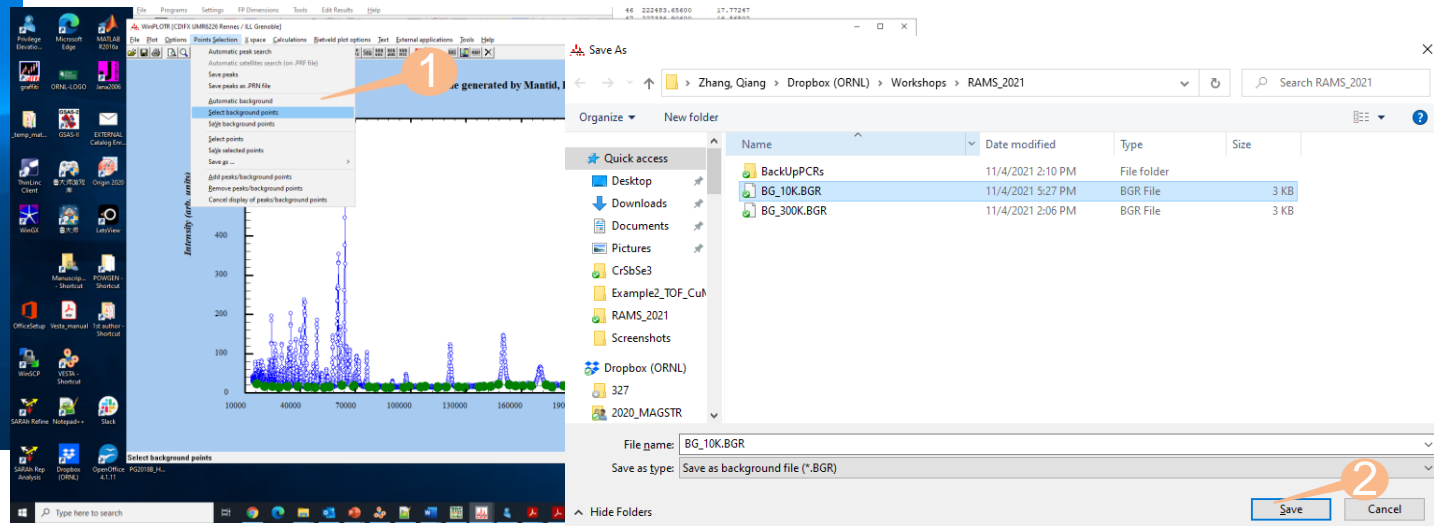
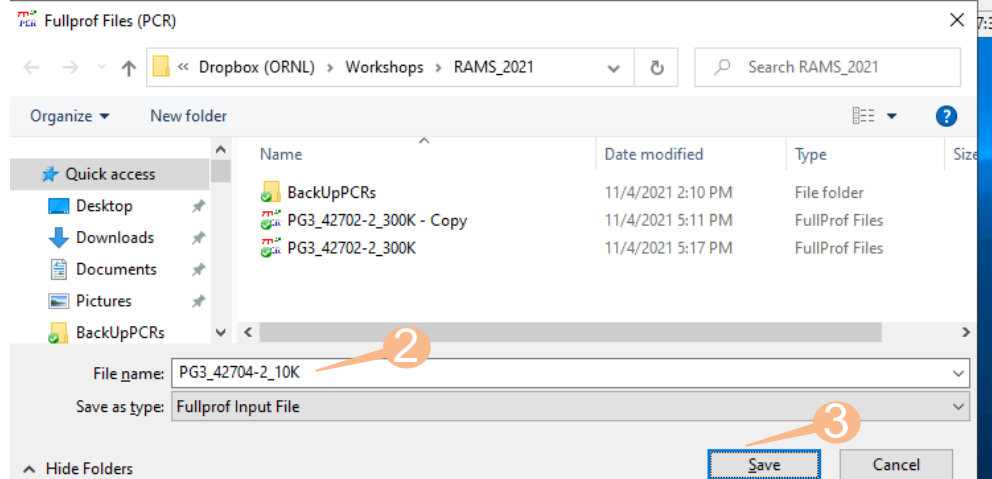
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III. Save the PCR file at 300 K as a new PCR to refine the structural parameters at 10 K ($T < T_m$).



Use Winplotr to get the BG for PG3_42704-2_10K.dat (see slide 12-13)



Use the BG for PG3_42704-2_10K.dat

FullProf
PCR
Editor

Information

Title, type of job: Rietveld, Integrated Intensities, Simulated Annealing, ...

Type of Patterns, profile, background, diffraction geometry, user-given scattering factors ...

Phase name, type of calculations (JBT), ATZ, contribution to patterns, symmetry, ...

Number of cycles, relaxation factors, access to patterns and phases (atoms and profile)

Constraints definitions, adding, deleting, modifying...

Fixing range of parameters, distances, angles, magnetic moments and linear restraints

Output options for patterns and phases: Reflection lists, Fourier, distances, BVS...

General

Patterns

Phases

Refinement

Constraints

Box/Restrains

Output

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Cycles of Refinement: 5

Stop Criterion of Convergence

Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.

Others: None

Reflections ordering

Only at the first cycle

Each cycle

Bragg R-Factor excluding reflections limiting excluded regions

Phase 1

Phase 2

Phase 3

Phase 4

Phase 5

Phase 6

Phase 7

Refinement weighting model

Least Squares

Maximum Likelihood

Unit Weights

Background

Instrumental

Micro-Absorption

Relaxation Factors for Shifts

Atomic 1.00 Anisotropic 1.00 Profile 1.00 Global 1.00

Atoms

Prop. Vectors

Patterns

Profile

Micro-Structure

HKL Shifts

Further Parameters

Reduction factor of number of data points: 0

Linear interpolation between a set of Background Points: Pattern 1

Interpolation Method

Linear Interpolation

Cubic Splines Interpolation

Information

Number of Points: 63

	2Theta	Counts
1	15220.025	21.825
2	20522.605	18.727
3	22426.479	14.284
4	29712.684	10.287

Refine All

Fix All

Import from Background File

OK

Cancel

Importing Background File

Dropbox (ORNL) > Workshops > RAMS_2021

Search RAMS_2021

Organize

New folder

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
BackUpPCRs	11/4/2021 2:10 PM	File folder	
BG_10K.BGR	11/4/2021 5:27 PM	BGR File	
BG_300K.BGR	11/4/2021 2:06 PM	BGR File	

File name: BG_10K.BGR

Background Input

Open

Cancel

Refinement-Profile tab: unselect scale factor, Gam_2, Gam_1 and Gam_0 to refine lattice constants, the atomic positions and B factors

Refinement Information

Cycles of Refinement: 10

Stop Criterion of Coverage
Forced Termination when shifts < 0.10 x E.S.D.
Others: None

Reflections ordering
 Only at the first cycle Each cycle
 Bragg R-Factor excluding reflections limiting excluded regions

Pattern 1 | Pattern 2 | Pattern 3 | Pattern 4 | Pattern 5 | Pattern 6

Refinement weighting model
 Least Squares Maximum Likelihood Unit Weights

Phase 1 | Phase 2 | Phase 3 | Phase 4 | Phase 5 | Phase 6

Atoms | Prop. Vectors

Patterns
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Profile | Micro-Structure

Profile Parameters: Phase 1 Pattern 1

Factors

	Scale	Over	or
Coefficients	14.824		0.0000

Cell Parameters

	a	b	c	alpha	beta	gamma
Coefficients	9.149991	3.783535	13.331887	90.000	90.000	90.000

FWHM / Shape Parameters | Exponential Decay Parameters | Preferred Orientation

FWHM Parameters

	Gam_2	Gam_1	Gam_0	Gam_2
Coefficients	-6.789800	51.782600	-21.034599	0.000000

Shape Parameters

	Extinc	Abs1	Abs2
Coefficients	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000

Refine FWHM for second wavelength

	U2	V2	W2
Coefficients			

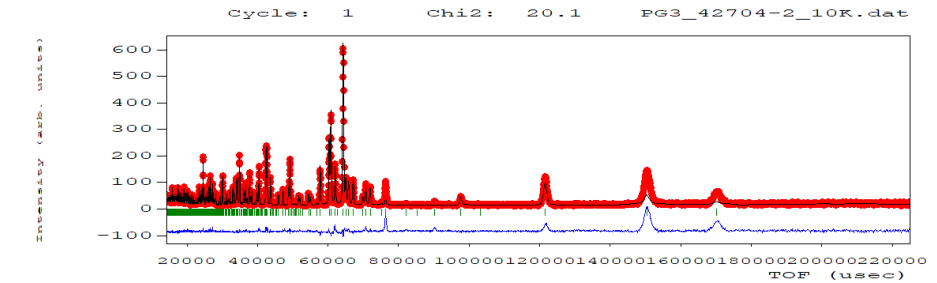
Refine All
Fix All
Cancel
OK

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=> Phase: 1
=> Bragg R-factor: 25.46
=> RF-factor : 6.479
=> Normal end, final calculations and writing...

=> CPU Time: 1.219 seconds
=> 0.020 minutes

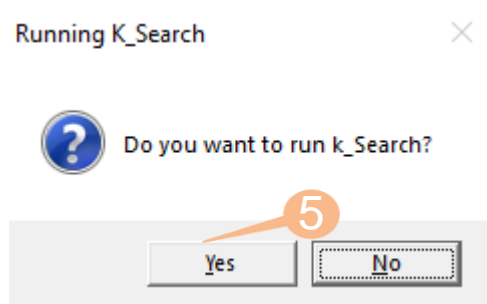
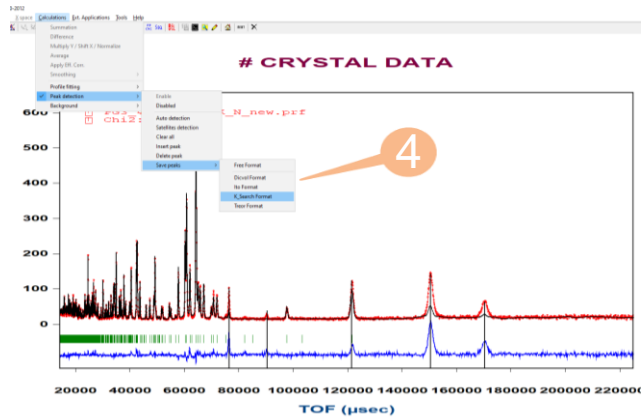
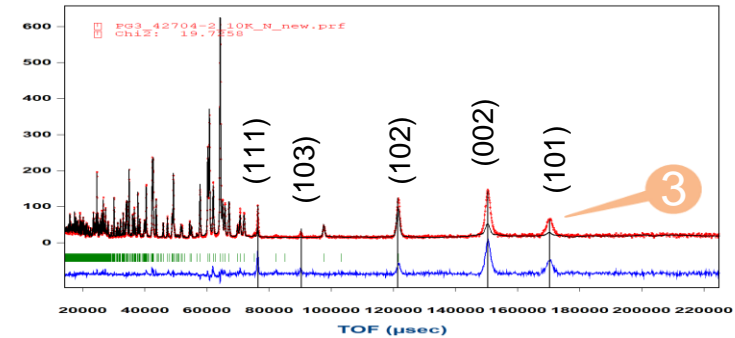
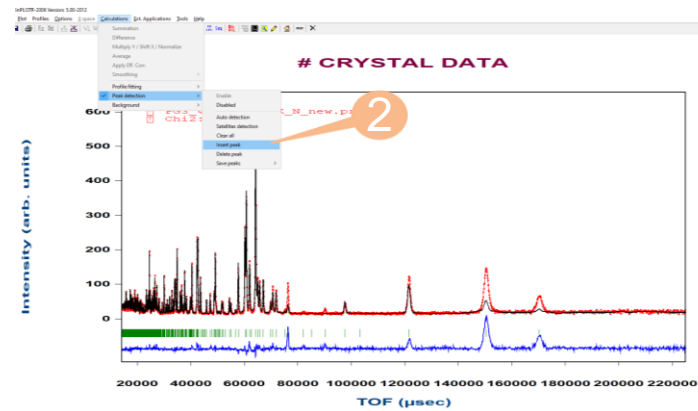
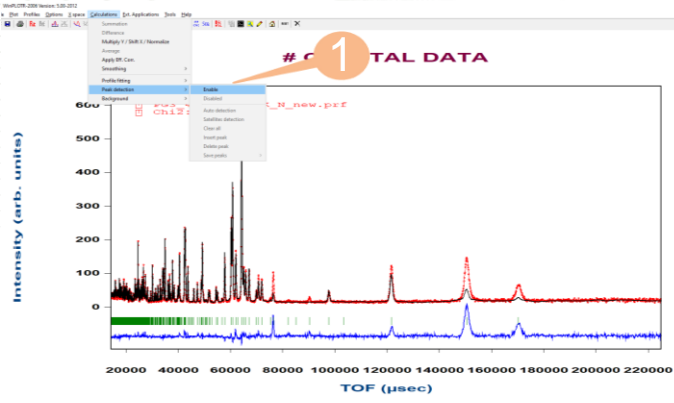
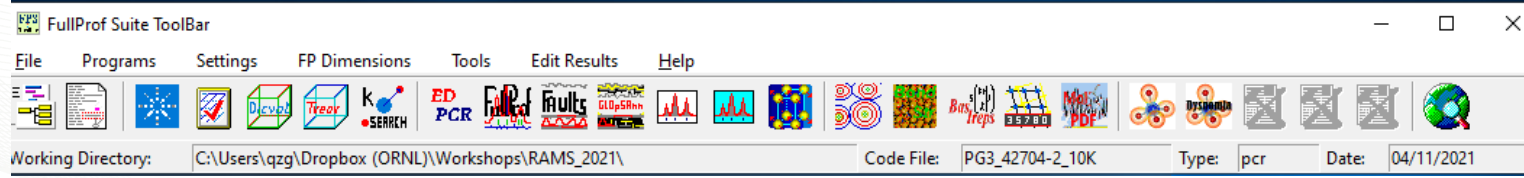
=> END Date:04/11/2021 Time => 23:02:54.750
    
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The B factors at 10 K are lower than those at 300 K as expected

!Atom	Typ	X	Y	Z	Biso
Sb	sb	0.02909	0.25000	0.65861	0.41769
		61.00	0.00	81.00	71.00
Cr	cr	0.15737	0.25000	0.04474	0.34746
		91.00	0.00	111.00	101.00
Se3	se	0.17096	0.25000	0.48400	0.41703
		121.00	0.00	141.00	131.00
Se2	se	0.28632	0.25000	0.21412	0.38427
		151.00	0.00	41.00	51.00
Se1	se	0.50108	0.25000	0.60829	0.42097
		31.00	0.00	11.00	21.00

III. Identify magnetic peaks/contributions and determine the propagation vector



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=> Testing 90 internal k-vectors
Solution: 1 k = ( 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000) R-F: 0.5342
Solution: 2 k = ( 0.0000 0.3333 0.3333) R-F: 3.5499
Solution: 3 k = ( 0.1250 0.5000 0.1250) R-F: 4.2302
=> Special k-vector solutions found!

=> List of the best incommensurate 10 solutions for 5 satellites

Kx      Ky      Kz      R-factor
0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.534234
0.000000 0.333330 0.333330 3.549911
0.125000 0.500000 0.125000 4.230232

=> The best commensurate solution is the special kvector ks = ( 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000)
=> The corresponding R-factor is: 0.5342 to be compared with incommensurate R-factors
    
```

$k=0!$

IV. Symmetry analysis to obtain irreducible representations and Basic vectors using SARAh

a). Use SARAh webRefine – FullProf:

<http://fermat.chem.ucl.ac.uk/spaces/willsgroup/web-software/sarah-refine-fullprof/>

SARAh webRefine – FullProf

Two pieces of advice for using SARAh webRefine : 1. change your browser settings <evaluate>, it will look like nothing is happening for a few seconds. Look in the tab

-Andrew (February 2022)



Space group : {62, P n m a, D 2h 16}

Propagation vector :

0 0 0

Crystallographic coordinates with each atom on a separate line :

e.g. Cu2 1/2 1/2 -1/2

Cr1 0.15721 0.25 0.04469

Submit

SARAh webRefine – FullProf

Two pieces of advice for using SARAh webRefine : 1. change your browser settings to allow you to select where you save downloads (and overwrite file: <evaluate>, it will look like nothing is happening for a few seconds. Look in the tab '4. Help and Strategies' for more information.

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1. Conventional basis vectors (as projected)	2. Stationary vector combinations	3. Exchange multiplets	4. Help and strategies
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Method 1. Conventional analysis - as projected basis vectors

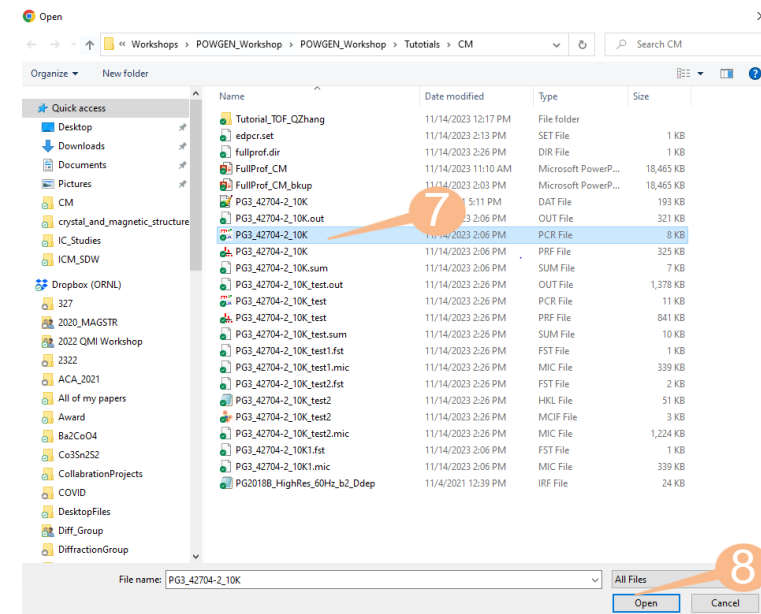
Select command (method 1 for magnetic phase for pcr; edit 2 for magnetic phase present):

1. powder format | 1. add new phase to pcr | Choose File | PG3_42704-2_10K.pcr

<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_1 \psi_1$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_4 \psi_1$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_7 \psi_2$
<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_2 \psi_1$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_5 \psi_1$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_8 \psi_1$
<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_2 \psi_2$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_6 \psi_1$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_3 \psi_1$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_6 \psi_2$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_3 \psi_2$	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr1 $\Gamma_7 \psi_1$	

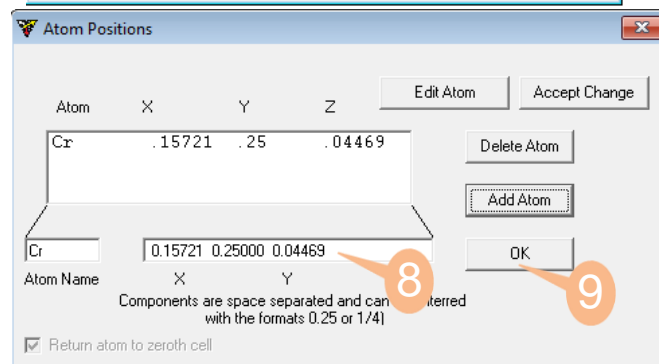
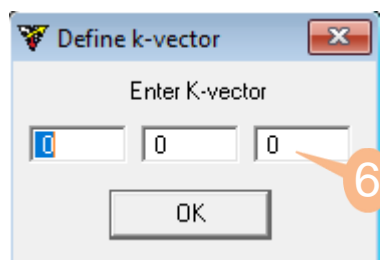
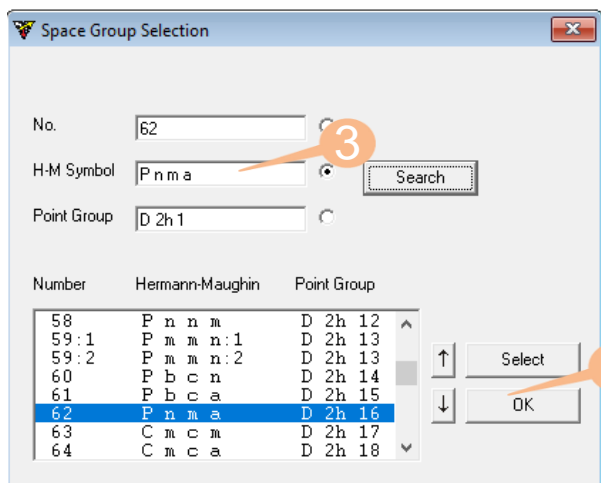
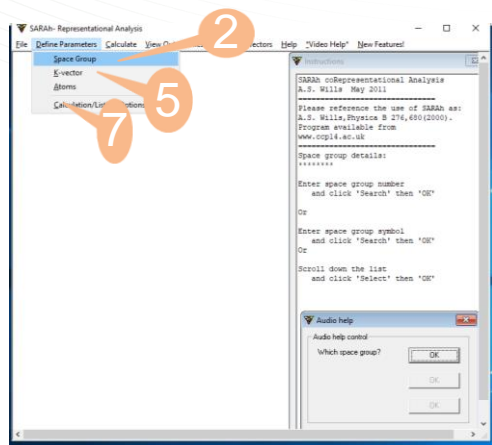
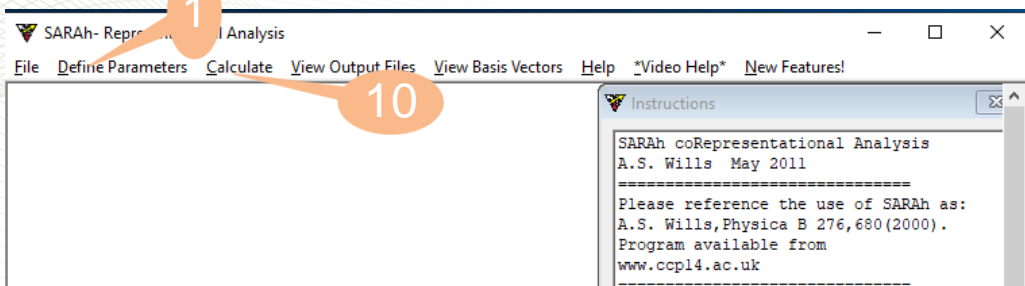
(Your browser should be set to allow file downloads for the download location so the pcr file can be overwritten. Please look in '4. Help and strategies' for more information.)

Submit



The generated PCR with the same name has been downloaded!

b): Use two softwares: Fill in space group, K-vector and Atoms in SARAh-Representational Analysis



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IR # 1, BASIS VECTOR: # 1 (ABSOLUTE NUMBER:# 1)
ATOM 1: ( 0 2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 2: ( 0 -2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 3: ( 0 2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 4: ( 0 -2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
*****

IR # 2, BASIS VECTOR: # 1 (ABSOLUTE NUMBER:# 2)
ATOM 1: ( 2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 2: ( 2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 3: ( -2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 4: ( -2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)

IR # 2, BASIS VECTOR: # 2 (ABSOLUTE NUMBER:# 3)
ATOM 1: ( 0 0 2) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 2: ( 0 0 -2) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 3: ( 0 0 -2) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 4: ( 0 0 2) + i( 0 0 0)
*****

IR # 3, BASIS VECTOR: # 1 (ABSOLUTE NUMBER:# 4)
ATOM 1: ( 2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 2: ( 2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 3: ( 2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 4: ( 2 0 0) + i( 0 0 0)

IR # 3, BASIS VECTOR: # 2 (ABSOLUTE NUMBER:# 5)
ATOM 1: ( 0 0 2) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 2: ( 0 0 -2) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 3: ( 0 0 2) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 4: ( 0 0 -2) + i( 0 0 0)
*****

IR # 4, BASIS VECTOR: # 1 (ABSOLUTE NUMBER:# 6)
ATOM 1: ( 0 2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 2: ( 0 -2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 3: ( 0 -2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
ATOM 4: ( 0 2 0) + i( 0 0 0)
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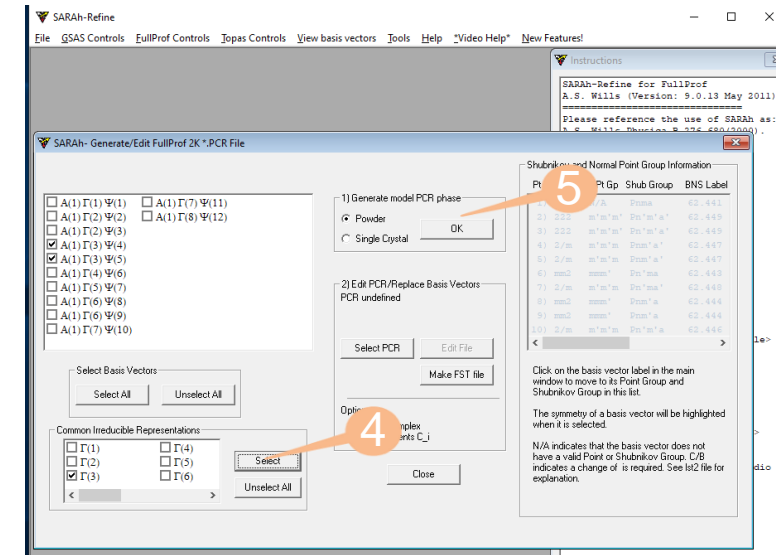
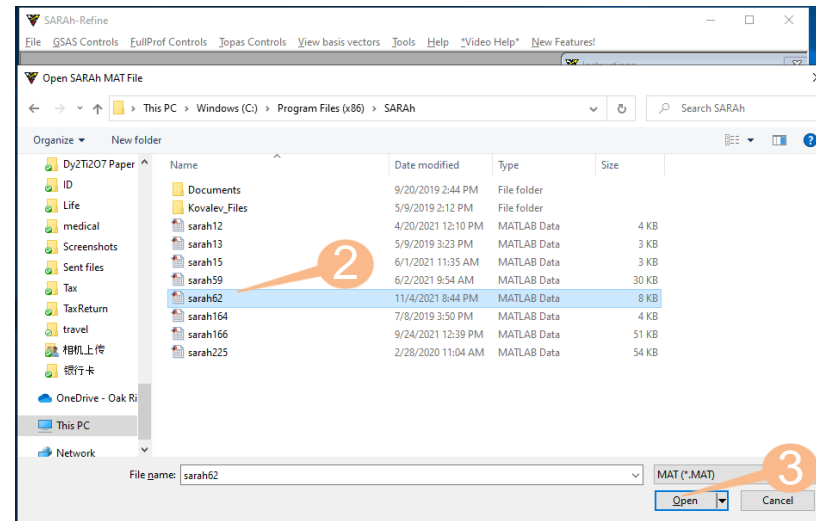
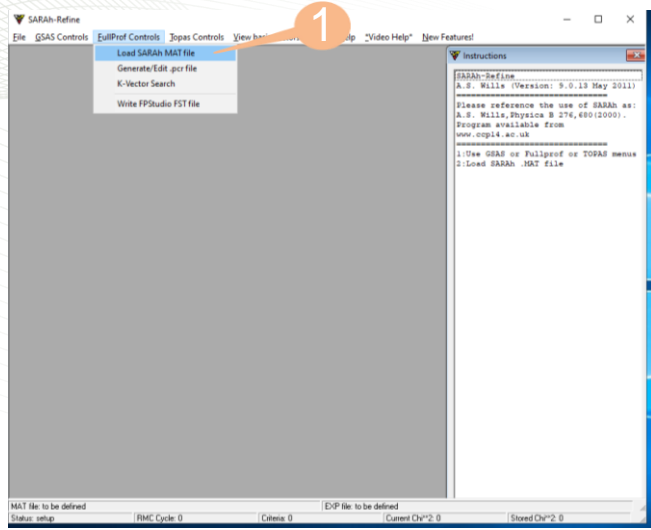
Magnetic space group

MAGNETIC SPACE GROUPS (THE BLACK AND WHITE SHUBNIKOV GROUPS)

BV#	IR#	Shubnikov Group	Group number
1	IR# 1	Pnma	62.441
2	IR# 2	Pn'm'a'	62.449
3	IR# 2	Pn'm'a'	62.449
4	IR# 3	Pnm'a'	62.447
5	IR# 3	Pnm'a'	62.447
6	IR# 4	Pn'ma	62.443
7	IR# 5	Pn'ma'	62.448
8	IR# 6	Pnm'a	62.444
9	IR# 6	Pnm'a	62.444
10	IR# 7	Pn'm'a	62.446
11	IR# 7	Pn'm'a	62.446
12	IR# 8	Pnma'	62.445

Select a magnetic model and add it as the 2nd phase in the PCR

Generate PCR of Γ_3 using SARAh refine. Γ_3 : moment in the ac plane

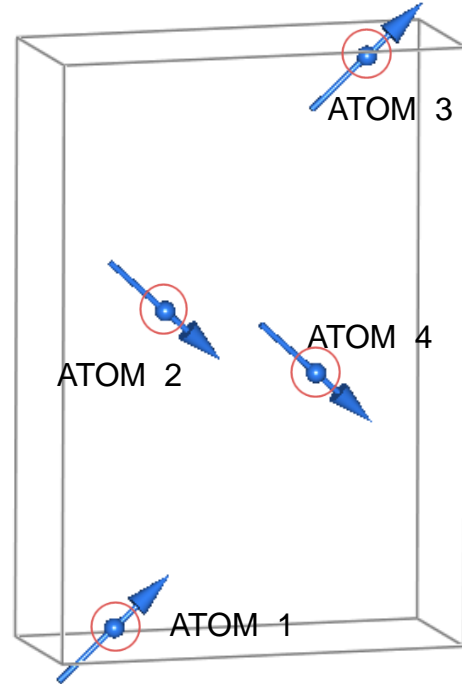
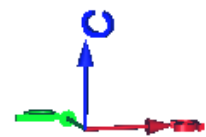


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1 |-----|
2 | Data for PHASE number: 1 ==> Current_R_Bragg for Pattern# 1: 1.00
3 |-----|
4 | Magnetic Phase
5 |-----|
6 | Nat Dis Mom Pr1 Pr2 Pr3 Jbt Inf Isy Str Furth ATZ Nlx Npx More
7 | 1 0 0 0 0 0 1.0 1 0 -2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
8 |-----|
9 | P -1 <--Space group symbol
10 | Nsym Cen Lauz Irepr N_Bas
11 | 4 1 1 1 -1 2
12 | Real(0)-Imaginary(1) indicator for Ci
13 | 0 0
14 |-----|
15 | SYMM X, Y, Z
16 | BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 2
17 | BASI 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
18 | SYMM -X+1/2, -Y+1, Z+1/2
19 | BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 2
20 | BASI 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
21 | SYMM -X+1, Y+1/2, -Z+1
22 | BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 2
23 | BASI 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
24 | SYMM X+1/2, -Y+1/2, -Z+1/2
25 | BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 2
26 | BASI 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
27 | Atom Typ Mag Vek X Y Z Biso Occ C1 C2 C3
28 | C4 c5 c6 c7 c8 c9 MagPh
29 | CR1 MCR3 1 0 .15721 .25000 .04469 .30000 1.00000 0.000 0.000 0.000
30 | 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
31 | 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
32 | 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
33 |-----|
34 | Profile Parameters for Pattern # 1
35 | Scale Shapel Bxq Str1 Str2 Str3 Strain-Model
36 | 10.0 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0
37 | 0.00000 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
38 | u v w X Y Gaussiz LorSiz Size-Model
39 | 1.08239 -0.23233 0.25618 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0
40 | 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
41 | a b c alpha beta gamma
42 | 273
43 | 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
44 | Pref1 Pref2 Asy1 Asy2 Asy3 Asy4
45 | 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
46 | 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
    
```

Basic vectors

- ATOM 1: (.15721, .25, .04469)
- ATOM 2: (.34279, .75, .54469)
- ATOM 3: (.84279, .75, .95531)
- ATOM 4: (.65721, .25, .45531)



Between atom1 and 2 (or atom 3 and 4):
Component along a is FM (related to C1);
Component along c is AFM (related to C2);

Q: Is the magnetic structure of CrSbSe_3 FM along a axis or AFM along c axis or canted AFM order?

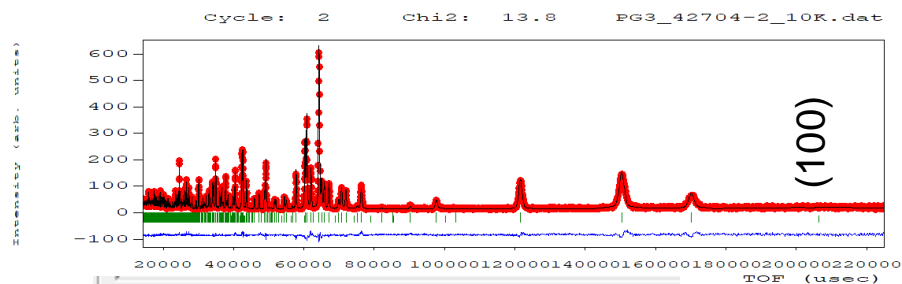
Fix all the structural parameters and initialize nonzero C1 and C2 coefficients to the two basic vectors

Basis Functions Coefficients							
Atom #	C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	C6	C7
Atom # 1	1.00000 ✓	1.00000 ✓	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000

```

=> Phase: 1
=> Bragg R-factor: 8.241
=> RF-factor : 6.263
=> Phase: 2
=> Magnetic R-factor: 18.79
=> Normal end, final calculations and writing...

=> CPU Time: 4.547 seconds
=> 0.076 minutes
=> END Date:05/11/2021 Time => 00:55:25.340
  
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Basis Functions Coefficients			
Atom #	C1	C2	
Atom # 1	1.36800 ✓	0.16000 ✓	

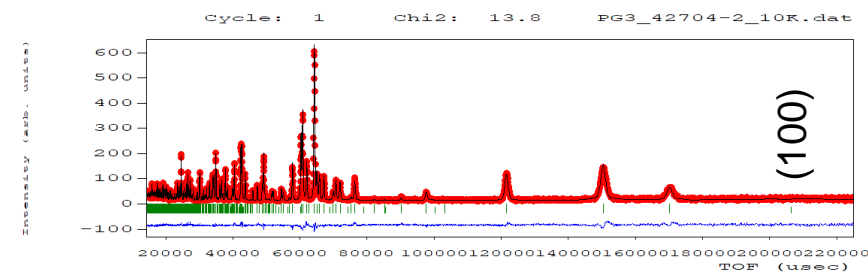
Fix all the parameters and only initialize nonzero C1 to the first basic vector only

Basis Functions Coefficients							
Atom #	C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	C6	C7
Atom # 1	1.00000 ✓	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000

```

=> Phase: 1
=> Bragg R-factor: 8.480
=> RF-factor : 6.259
=> Phase: 2
=> Magnetic R-factor: 16.89
=> Normal end, final calculations and writing...

=> CPU Time: 3.031 seconds
=> 0.051 minutes
=> END Date:05/11/2021 Time => 00:56:38.862
  
```



Basis Functions Coefficients			
Atom #	C1	C2	
Atom # 1	1.38400 ✓	0.00000	

Two reasons why the small AFM coefficient C2 should be zero:

- 1). The refinement quality is similar using small C2 or zero C2;
- 2). The nonzero AFM coefficient C2 produces pure magnetic peak (100). The POWGN data shows there is no detectable (100) intensity, indicating that C2 should be zero.

The fitting can be further improved by refining the scale factor, lattice parameters, profile parameters. Remember to constrain all of them to be the same for both nuclear and magnetic phases.

Modify PCR directly

```

Profile Parameters for Pattern # 1 -----> Phase # 1
Scale 15.61343
Extinc 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Bov 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Str1 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Str2 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Str3 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Strain-Model 0
Sig-2 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Sig-1 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Sig-0 0.0000 -0.0076 0.0063 0.0190 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0
G-Strain 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
G-Size 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Z0 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Size-Model 0
Instrumental Sigma interpolated from list in IRF file (Only sample contribution is refined)
0.0000 -0.0076 0.0063 0.0190 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0
Gamma-2 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Gamma-1 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Gamma-0 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Instrumental Gamma interpolated from list in IRF file (Only sample contribution is refined)
-7.0876 58.1942 -20.5226 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
a 9.150326 3.783540 13.331617 90.000000 90.000000 90.000000
b 51 61 71 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
c 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
alpha 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
beta 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
gamma 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
#Cell Info
Pref1 Pref2 alpha0 beta0 alpha1 beta1 alpha0 beta0
Instrumental alpha & beta interpolated from list in IRF file (Only shifts can be refined)
0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000
0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Absorption correction parameters
0.00000 0.00 1.00000 0.00 ABS: ABSCOR1 ABSCOR2
Data for PHASE number: 2 ==> Current R_Bragg for Pattern# 1: 0.0000
MagneticPhaseIR3
!Nat Dis Ang Pr1 Pr2 Pr3 Jbt Irf Isy Str Furth ATZ Nvk Npr More
1 0 0 0.0 0.0 1.0 1 0 -2 0 0 207.984 0 9 0
P -1 <--Space group symbol for hkl generation
! Nsym Cen Laue Ireps N_Bas
4 1 1 -1 2
! Real(0)-Imaginary(1) indicator for Ci
0 0
SYMM X, Y, Z
BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 2
BASR 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
SYMM -X+1/2, -Y+1, Z+1/2
BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 -2
BASR 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
SYMM -X+1, Y+1/2, -Z+1
BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 2
BASR 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
SYMM X+1/2, -Y+1/2, -Z+1/2
BASR 2 0 0 0 0 0 -2
BASR 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Atom Typ Mag Vek X Y Z Biso Occ Cl C2 C3
C4 C5 C6 C7 C8 C9 MagPh
CR1 MCR3 1 0 0.15737 0.25000 0.04474 0.34746 1.00000 1.276 0.000 0.000
0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Profile Parameters for Pattern # 1 -----> Phase # 2
Scale 15.61343
Extinc 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Bov 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Str1 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Str2 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Str3 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Strain-Model 0
Sig-2 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Sig-1 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Sig-0 0.0000 -0.0076 0.0063 0.0190 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0
G-Strain 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
G-Size 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Z0 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
Size-Model 0
Instrumental Sigma interpolated from list in IRF file (Only sample contribution is refined)
0.0000 -0.0076 0.0063 0.0190 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0
Gamma-2 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Gamma-1 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Gamma-0 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Instrumental Gamma interpolated from list in IRF file (Only sample contribution is refined)
-7.0876 58.1942 -20.5226 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
a 9.150326 3.783540 13.331617 90.000000 90.000000 90.000000
b 51 61 71 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
c 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
alpha 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
beta 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
gamma 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
#Cell Info
Pref1 Pref2 alpha0 beta0 alpha1 beta1 alpha0 beta0
Instrumental alpha & beta interpolated from list in IRF file (Only shifts can be refined)
0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000 0.000000
0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00

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Final refinement result:

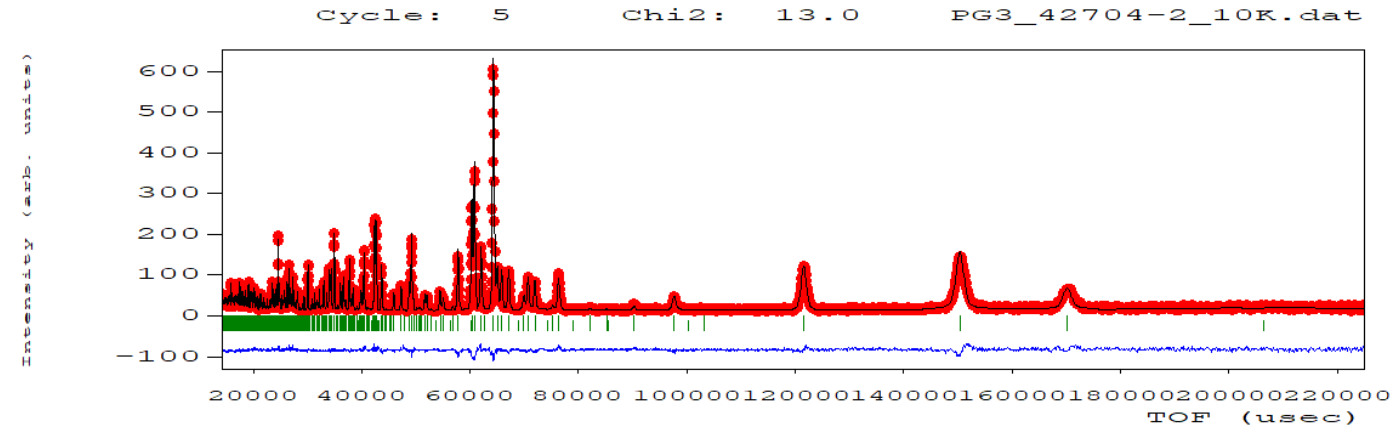
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=> Bragg R-factor: 7.513
=> RF-factor : 5.997
=> Phase: 2
=> Magnetic R-factor: 9.653
=> Normal end, final calculations and writing...

=> CPU Time: 1.562 seconds
=> 0.026 minutes

=> END Date:05/11/2021 Time => 00:01:57.213

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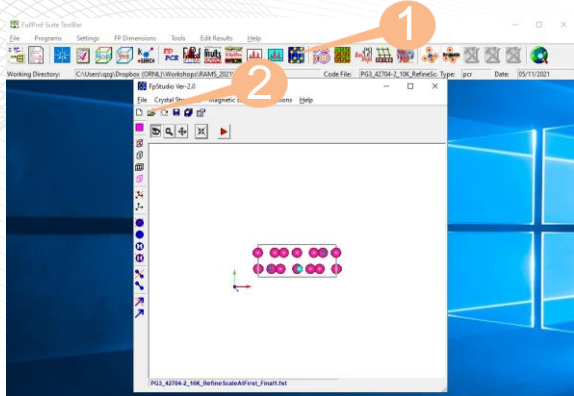
Moment size:

$$\vec{m}_j = \sum_{v, \vec{k}} S_v^{\vec{k}} e^{-2\pi i \vec{k} \cdot \vec{R}_{ij}} = \sum_{v, \vec{k}} c_v^{\vec{k}} \psi_{i,v}^{\vec{k}} e^{-2\pi i \vec{k} \cdot \vec{R}_{ij}} = C1 * \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} * \exp[-2 \pi i \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}] * \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 = 1.39 * 2 = 2.78(5) \mu_B$$

VIII. Display the magnetic structure using FpStudio or Vesta.

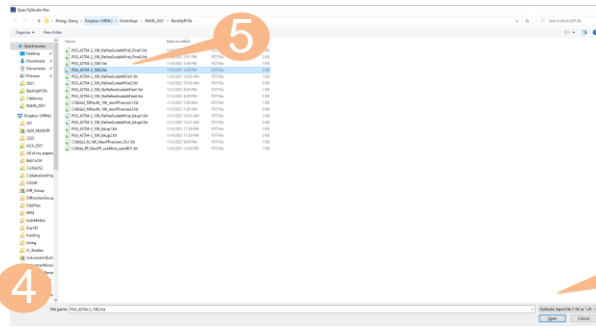
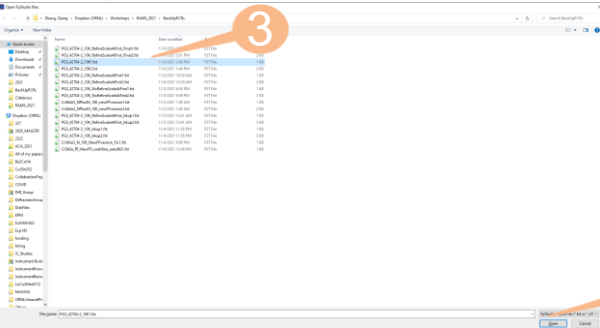
FpStudio

Combined fst file

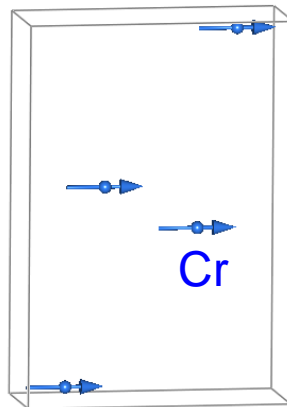
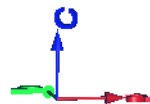
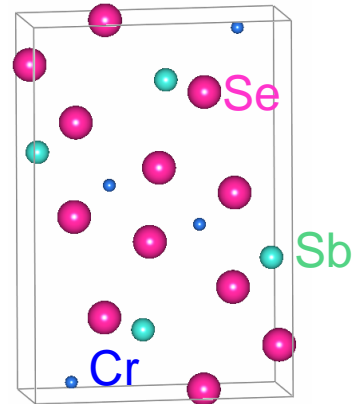
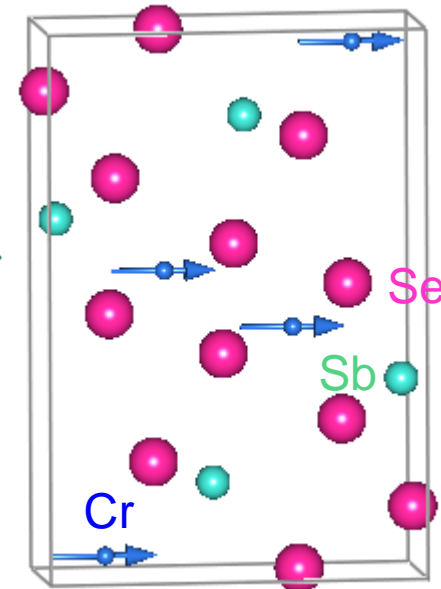


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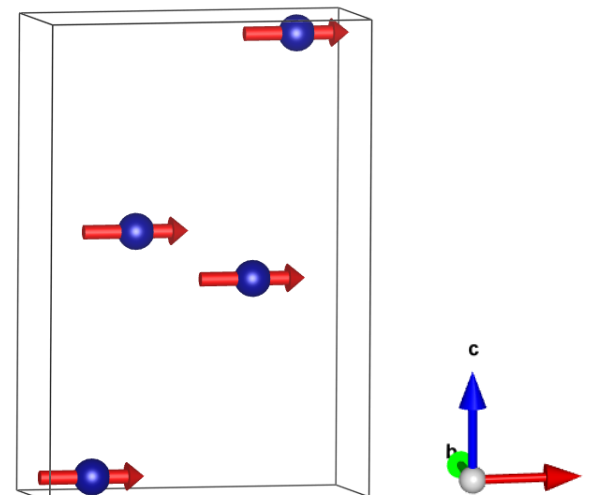
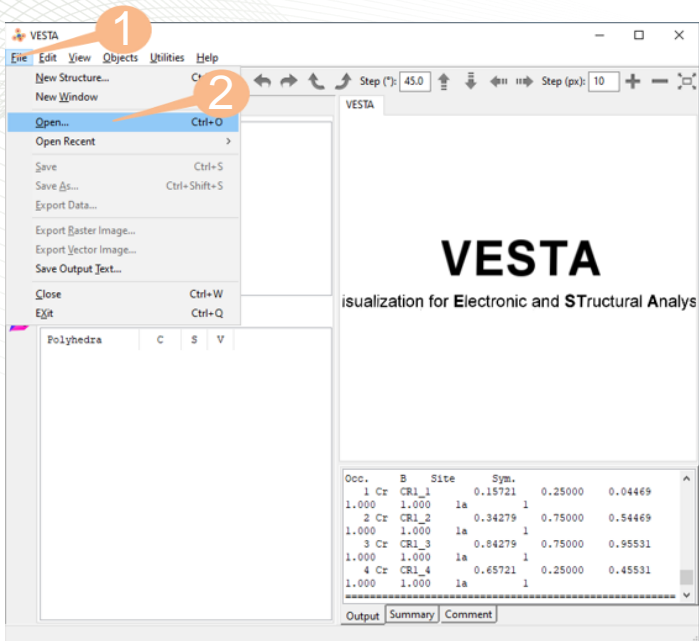
1 | FILE for FullProf Studio: generated automatically by FullProf
2 | Title: CrSbSe3 nuclear phase
3 | SPACEG P n m a
4 | CELL 9.150326 3.783540 13.331617 90.0000 90.0000 90.0000 DISPLAY MULTIPLE
5 | BOX -0.15 1.15 -0.15 1.15 -0.15 1.15
6 | ATOM Sb Sb 0.02909 0.25000 0.65861
7 | ATOM Cr Cr 0.15737 0.25000 0.04474
8 | ATOM Se3 Se 0.17096 0.25000 0.48400
9 | ATOM Se2 Se 0.28632 0.25000 0.21412
10 | ATOM Se1 Se 0.50108 0.25000 0.60829
11 |
12 | {
13 | LATTICE P
14 | K 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
15 | SYMM x,y,z
16 | MSYM u,v,w,0.0
17 | MATOM CR1_1 Cr 0.15737 0.25000 0.04474 SCALE 1.0 GROUP
18 | SKP 1 1 2.56154 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
19 | MATOM CR1_2 Cr 0.34263 0.75000 0.54474 SCALE 1.0 GROUP
20 | SKP 1 1 2.56154 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
21 | MATOM CR1_3 Cr 0.84263 0.75000 0.95526 SCALE 1.0 GROUP
22 | SKP 1 1 2.56154 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
23 | MATOM CR1_4 Cr 0.65737 0.25000 0.45526 SCALE 1.0 GROUP
24 | SKP 1 1 2.56154 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000
25 | }
    
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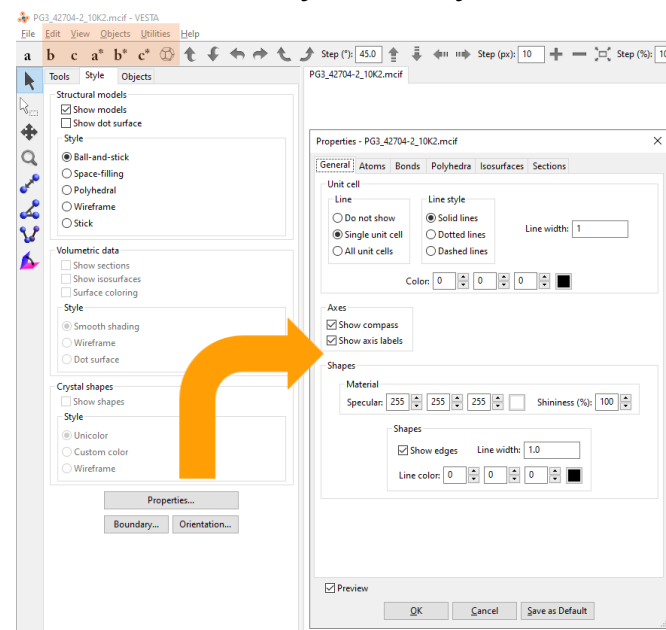
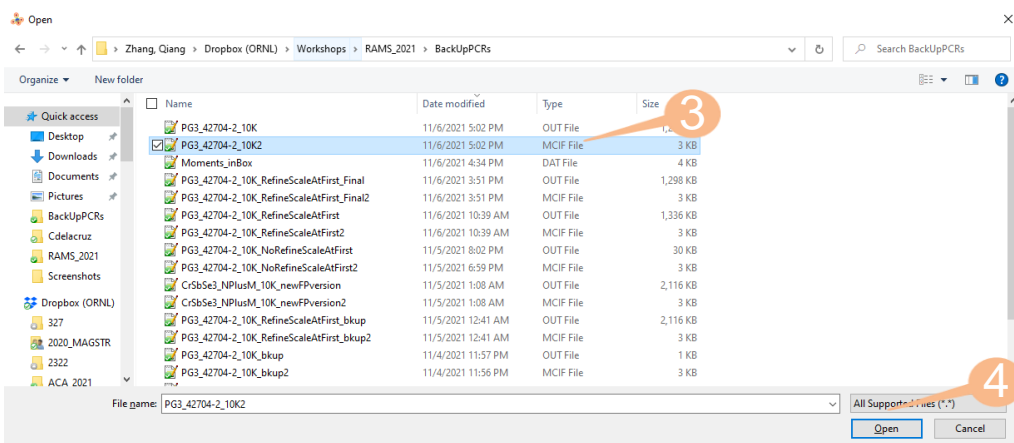
Combine two fst files



Vesta to open *.mcif file



One may modify all these tabs to improve the figure



Please remember to report the magnetic space group:

MAGNETIC SPACE GROUPS (THE BLACK AND WHITE SHUBNIKOV GROUPS)

BV#	IR#	Shubnikov Group	Group number
1	IR# 1	Pnma	62.441
2	IR# 2	Pn'm'a'	62.449
3	IR# 2	Pn'm'a'	62.449
4	IR# 3	Pnm'a'	62.447
5	IR# 3	Pnm'a'	62.447
6	IR# 4	Pn'ma	62.443
7	IR# 5	Pn'ma'	62.448
8	IR# 6	Pnm'a	62.444
9	IR# 6	Pnm'a	62.444
10	IR# 7	Pn'm'a	62.446
11	IR# 7	Pn'm'a	62.446
12	IR# 8	Pnma'	62.445

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Please contact me if you have any question or comments. Thanks!

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