XRD-analysis computer:

- 1. **The FACES reservation has to be made in order to use this computer** either remotely or in the lab, room 0514. This computer is listed as an XRD-ANALYSIS resource in the FACES reservation system.
- 2. You may login into this computer only during the reserved time. Attempting to login at different times could disrupt someone's work which will not be saved.
- 3. You must log off on completion as it may prevent other users from logging in.
- 4. All data files should be saved and stored **only in the "_Data" folder on disk D:** (see details below).
- 5. Before using Remote Desktop you have to **login to UMD Virtual Private Network** (VPN). VPN software is available from UMD web site. VPN may not be needed when using campus computers.
- 6. Login info is provided separately.

Installed software:

- 1. **PDF-2 2013** browsing/searching ICDD powder diffraction database.
- 2. **EVA4** for XRD analysis including recent ICDD powder diffraction database for phase identification
- 3. **TOPAS5** for Rietveld refinement
- 4. Microsoft Office 2013.

In addition the desktop contains the links to:

- **FACES** link for reservation
- Virtual Drives with External Data:
 - X: virtual directory from D8 Advance computer (read only),
 - Y: virtual directory from C2 Discover computer (read only).
- WebCSD web access to Cambridge Crystal Structure Database of crystal structures for organic and metal-organic compounds.
- WebICSD web access to Inorganic Crystal Structure Database.

Storing data:

All user's data should be copied from X: or Y: virtual disks to in the folder "_Data" located on disk D:. You can open files directly from X: and Y: but you cannot save data there. Please use/create your own subfolder in folder "_Data".

Storing data on disk C: is not allowed due to its limited size. This disk is reserved for system software only. Data could be stored on the desktop (which is also on C: disk) only temporarily. If C: disk gets full Windows system starts failing and working slowly if at all.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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