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SOLARIS National Synchrotron Radiation Centre: open-access infrastructure for research

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SOLARIS
NATIONAL SYNCHROTRON
RADIATION CENTRE

Introduction to SOLARIS

SOLARIS is a third-generation light source and since 2018 provides open access to research infrastructure

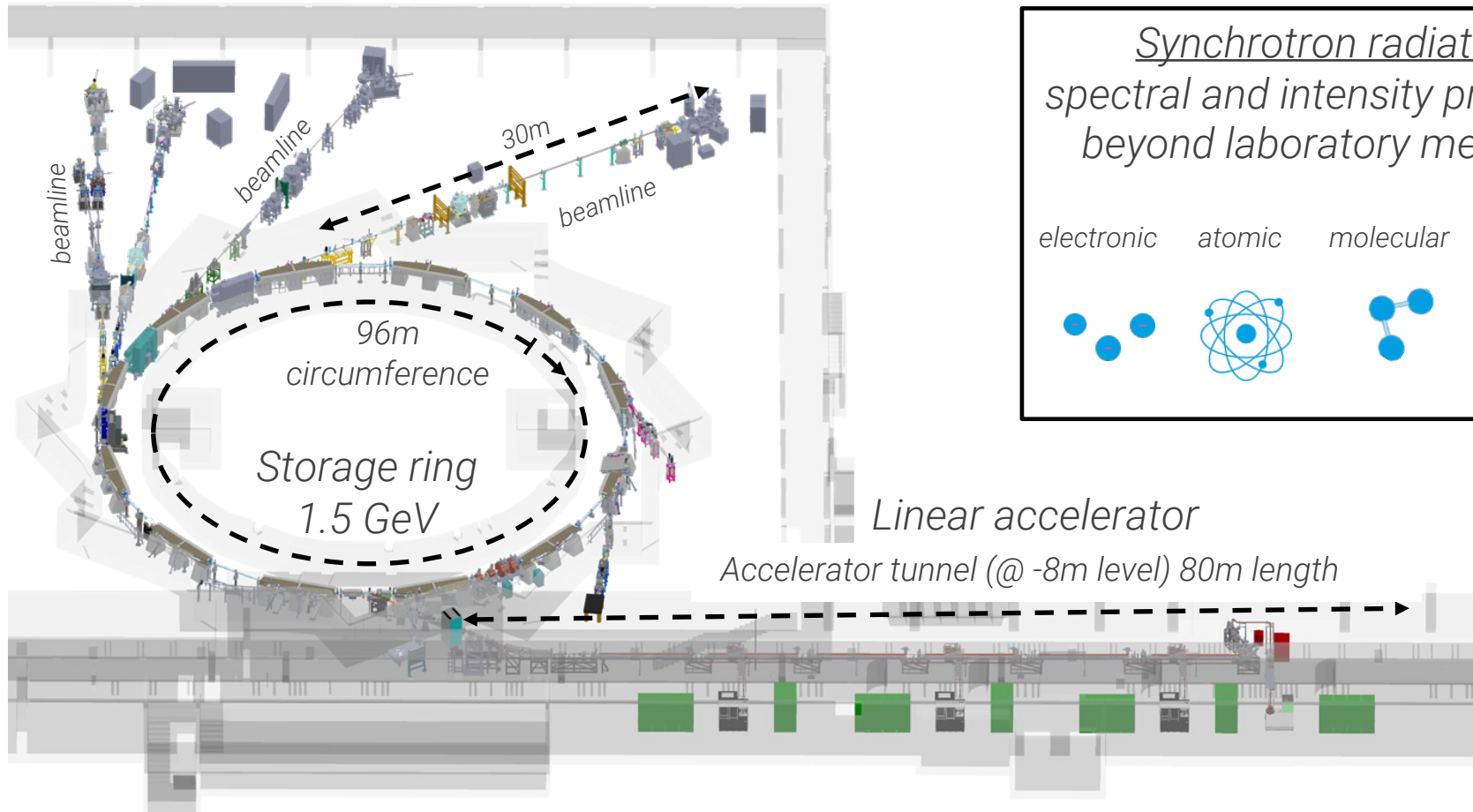


Building of the SOLARIS Centre located at Campus of Jagellonian University in Krakow



Location of the League of European Accelerator-based Photon Sources (LEAPS) facilities

SOLARIS accelerators & synchrotron radiation

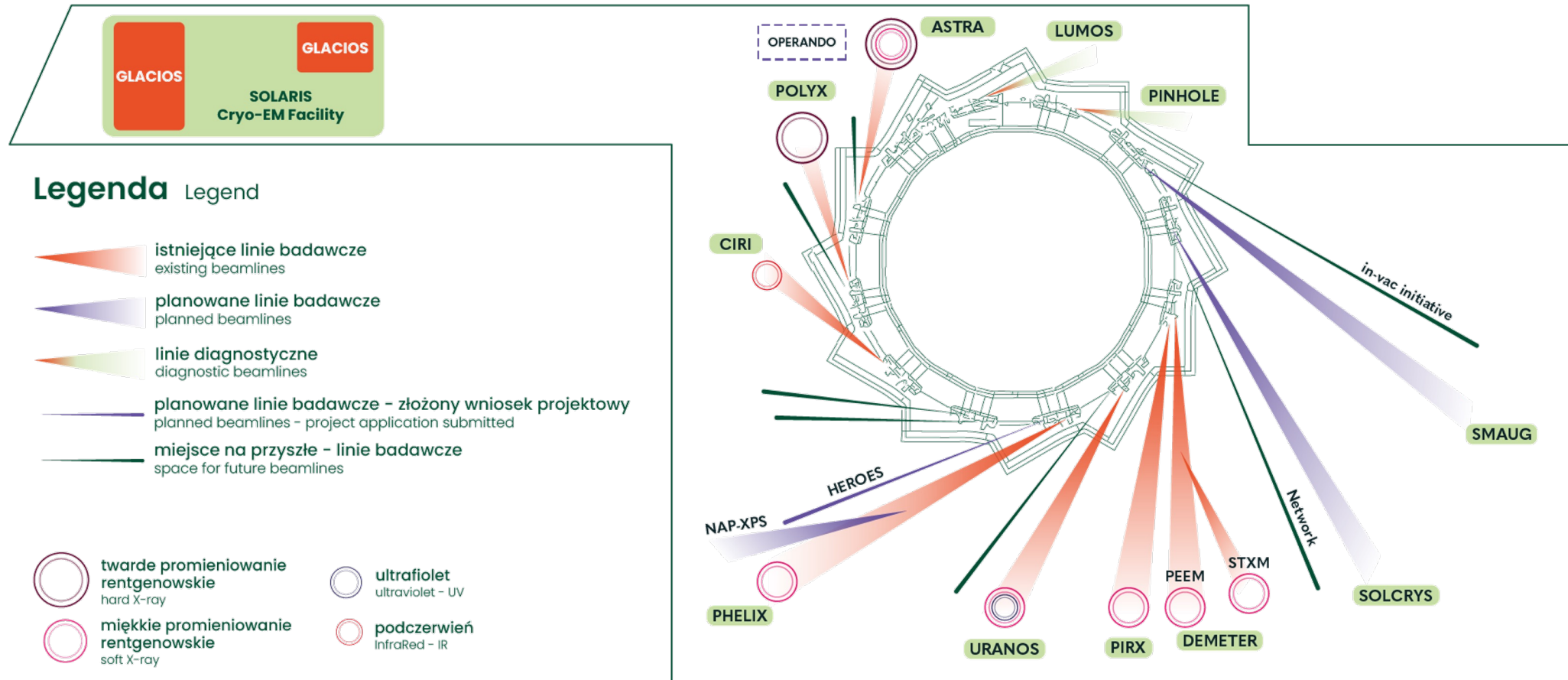


*Synchrotron radiation:
spectral and intensity properties
beyond laboratory methods:*

electronic	atomic	molecular	structural

SOLARIS research infrastructure

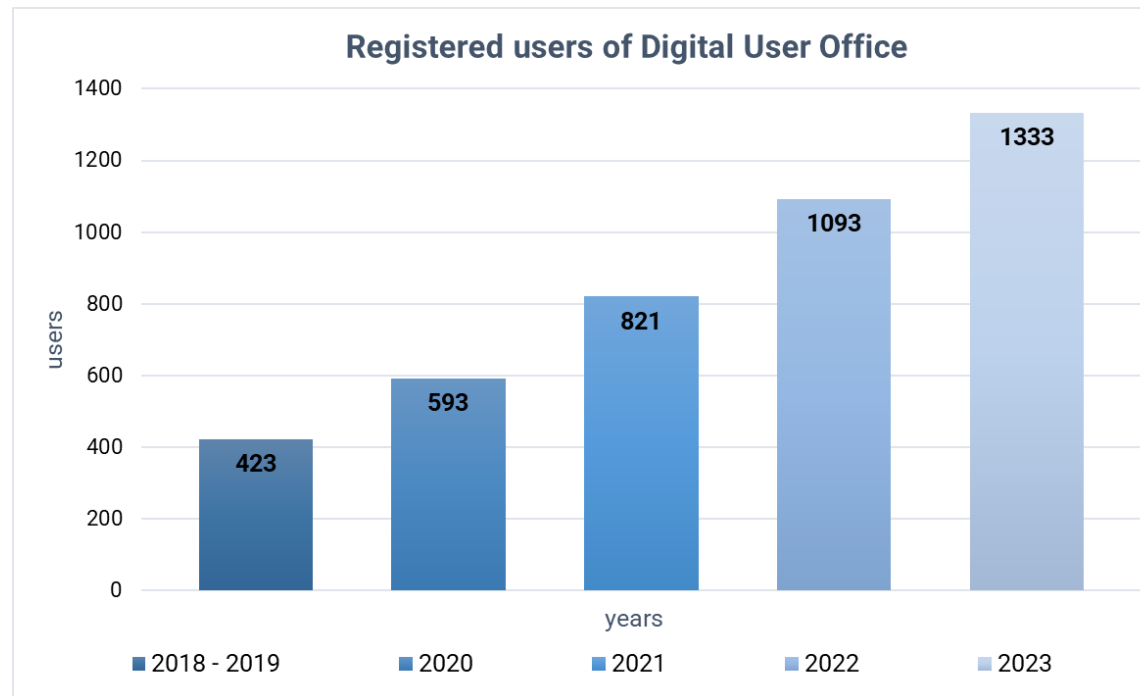
Beamlines & Cryo-electron microscopes - package of unique experimental methods for extraordinary research projects



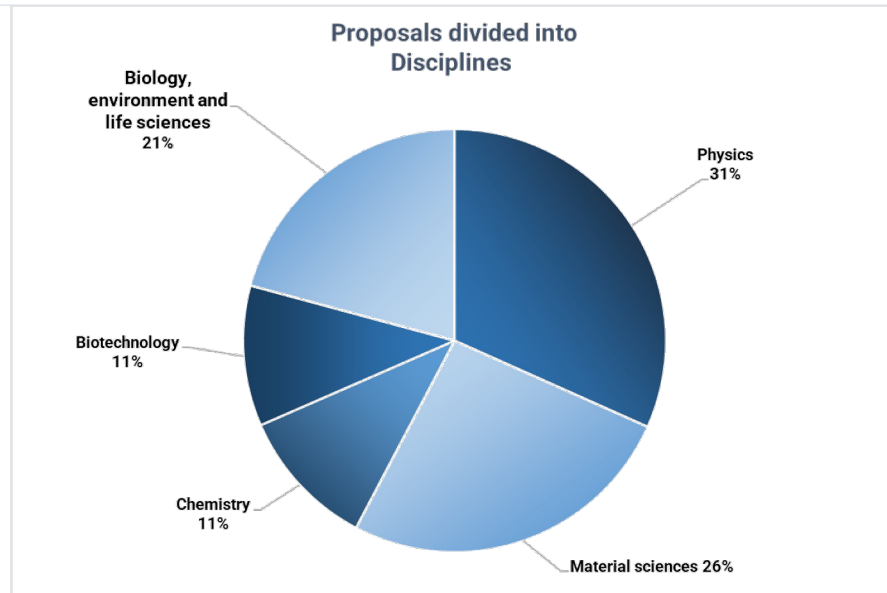
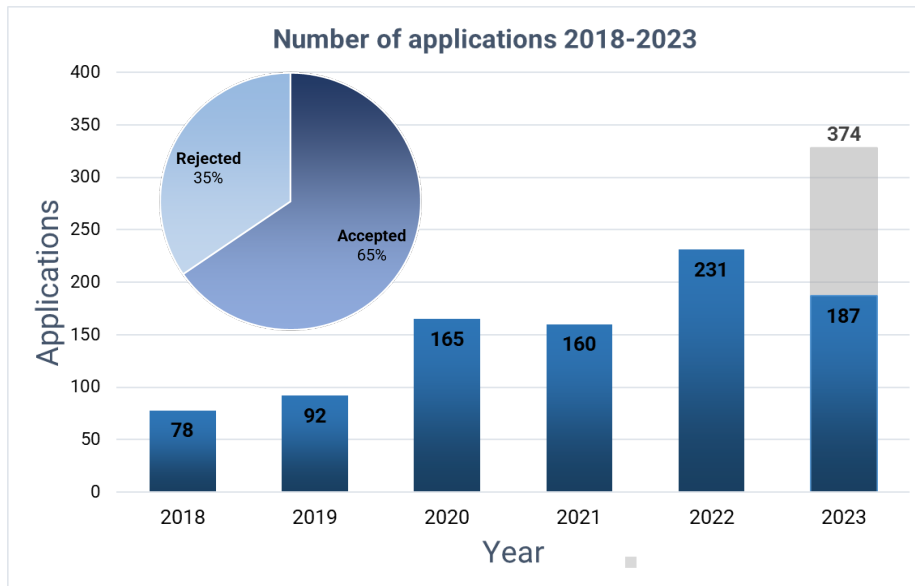
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Scientific access:

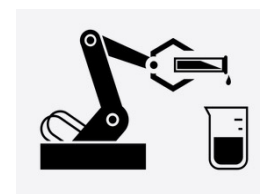
- free of charge and with open call for projects 2x per year
- applications accessed on scientific merit by the international committee
- typical projects execution takes 2-5 days with 24h operation
- development of dedicated platform for open-access infrastructure (SUN - Solaris Users Network)



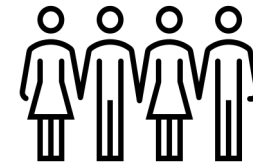
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Number of projects per year:



≈ 370 applications
≈ 200 experiments



≈ 700 scientists







≈ 70 research units

SOLARIS: interaction with non-scientific community



Key performance indicators:

Data from 1st Nov. 2023

	2022	2023
 Number of visitors	1760	2040
 Number of social media followers	3035	4170
 Number of outreach events	15	13 ↗
 Number of press appearances in the media	45	45 ↗

Starting in 2024: visitors hub and knowledge path dedicated to primary and secondary schools

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Thank you for your attention!



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