

WHO WE ARE

The Madrid Complutense University Research Support Centres have the facilities required to enable the work and research of our professors. We provide equipment and facilities essential for the development of studies in a wide range of fields, continuously updating our equipment and investing in the ongoing improvement of our installations.

RSCs play an essential role in the research structure of the University, improving the performance and return on investment of large scientific equipment, in addition to facilitating the work of both our professors and other public and private institutions, thanks to support from our teams consisting of highly qualified professionals.



To provide research assistance by combining the extensive experience of a team of 130 highly qualified technicians and first-class facilities.



To promote research, technological development and innovation at UCM.



- Avant-garde
- Excellence
- Teamwork
- Collaboration
- > International leadership





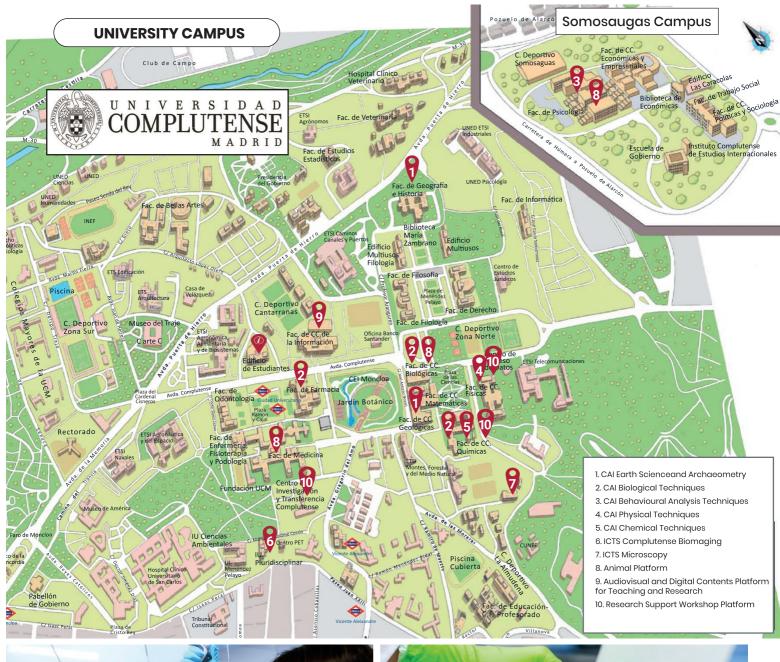






OUR FACILITIES

The UCM Research Support Centres (RSC) consist of two Unique Science and Technology Infrastructures (ICTS), five Research Support Centres with their corresponding Units and three Platforms.







ICTS COMPLUTENSE BIOIMAGING

The ICTS Complutense Bioimaging, BiolmaC, is a unique Science and Technology Infrastructure that offers advanced biological imaging services (anatomical, functional and molecular) in the fields of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) and Positron Emission Tomography (PET), together with Computerised Axial Tomography (CT).

SERVICES:

High resolution electroencephalography

Spectroscopy of semi-solid samples (tissues, foodstuffs, etc.)

Pre-clinical magnetic resonance imaging

Pre-clinical molecular imaging

Veterinary imaging

Radiotracerss

FACILITIES:

Bruker BIOSPEC 47/40

Bruker ICON-1T

Bruker AVIII 500MHz

PET/CT Equipment

Veterinary imaging equipment

Electroencephalography equipment











ICTS MICROSCOPY

The National Centre for Electron Microscopy, NCEM, the main multidisciplinary action of the Moncloa Campus of International Excellence, is designed to develop, implement and offer the national and international scientific community the most advanced methods and techniques in transmission and scanning electron microscopy for the structural analysis of materials.

SERVICES:

AFM Atomic force microscope

ARM200 cF with aberration corrected condenser iens

GRANDARM300 with aberration corrected objective iens

JSM6335 scanning electron microscope

JSM6400 scanning electron microscope

JSM7600 scanning electron microscope

CM200FEG transmission microscope

JEM1010 transmission microscope

JEM1400 plus transmission microscope

JEM2100HT transmission microscope

JEM3000 transmission microscope

WDS JXA 8900 microprobe

FACILITIES:

AFM Multimode Nanoscope III A (Bruker)

JEM 1010

JEM 2000FX

JEM 2100HT

JEM ARM200CF: with aberration corrected condenser lens

JEM ARM300CFEG: with aberration corrected objective lens

JEM-1400

JEM-3000F

JSM 6400

JSM 7600F

JSM6335F

PHILIPS CM200FEG

SUPERPROBE JXA-8900 M











CAI EARTH SCIENCES AND ARCHAEOMETRY

ARCHAEOMETRY AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL ANALYSIS UNIT

SERVICES:

3D scanning of small and medium sized archaeological pieces

Orthophotos. DRONE flights. Digital Surface Models. Photo Interpretation. Remote sensing. Aerial Imaging. Aerial Videos

Geophysical Prospecting with 3D georadar

opography with GPS TOPCON GR5

GEOCHRONOLOGY UNIT

SERVICES:

Analysis of the isotopic composition of Nd

Analysis of the isotopic composition of Pb in sulphides

Analysis of the isotopic composition of Sr in waters

Analysis of the isotopic composition of Sr in Rb-poor samples

Analysis of the isotopic composition of Sr in total rock (silicates)

Analysis of the isotopic composition of Sr y Nd

Analysis of Sr and Nd ambos by Isotopic Dilution

Analysis Rb-Sr by Isotopic Dilution

Sm-Nd analysis by Isotopic Dilution









GEOLOGICAL TECHNIQUES UNIT

SERVICES:

Total Organic Carbon -TOC Analysis

Mercury Analysis by Atomic Fluorescence Spectrometry (CV-AFS) Granulo-metric Analysis

Granulometric Analysis

Gas Chromatography-Mass Analysis (GC-MS)

Analysis by Ion Chromatography (IC)

X-Ray Diffraction Analysis (XRD)

Analysis by UV-Visible Spectrophotometry

Analysis by Spectrometry (GF-AAS)

Analysis by X-Ray Fluorescence Spectrometry (XRF)

Analysis by ICP Spectrometry (ICP-OES, ICP-MS)

FT-IR Spectroscopy Analysi

Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM) Analysi

Optical Microscopy Analysis

Elemental Chemical Analysis

Thermal Analysis (TG, ATD, DSC)

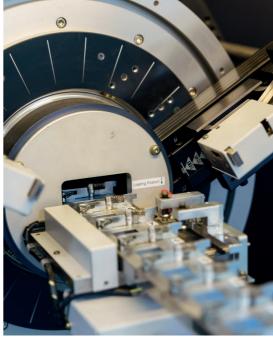
Determination of Cation Exchange Capacity (CEC)

Determination of Nitrates by UV-Vis

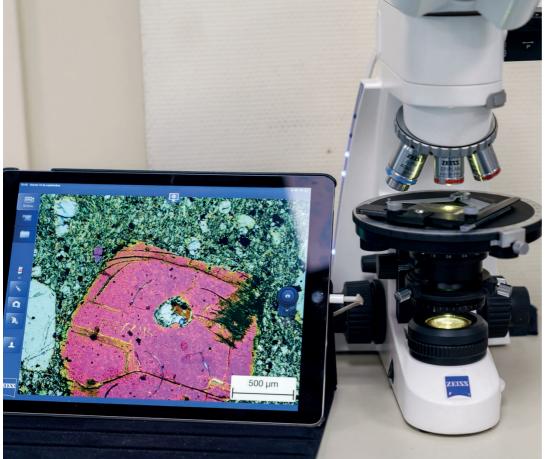
Geotechnical tests: Atterberg limits, humidity, density...

Preparation of thin films









FLOW CYTOMETRY AND FLUORESCENCE **MICROSCOPY UNIT**

SERVICES:

Flow cytometry

Flow cytometry, acquisition (1 or 2 lasers)

Flow cytometry, acquisition (3 lasers)

Flow cytometry, data analysis

Flow cytometry, separation

Microscopy

Fluorescence Correlation Spectroscopy (FCS)

Bright-field microscopy

Confocal laser scanning microscopy

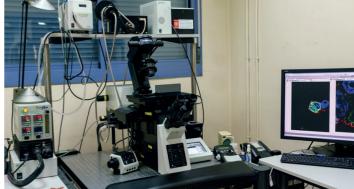
Multiphoton Microscopy

Fluorescence Microscopy

Sample Preparation

Cryotomy of frozen samples







PROTEOMICS UNIT

SERVICES:

Mass Spectrometry

Protein Mass Determination

Identification by Peptide Fingerprinting and

Fragmentation (MALDI-TOF/TOF)

Peptide Sequencing

Mass Spectrometry coupled to liquid chromatography

Differential expression study or quantitative proteomics (labelled or unlabelled)

Post-translational modification study

Targeted proteomics studies

Protein separation



GENOMICS UNIT

SERVICES:

DNA fragment analysis

Microarrays

Real-time quantitative PCR

PCR-Q plate

PCR-Q Taqman Low Density Array

Taqman probes

NGS - massive sequencing

16S metagenome libraries

MiSeq sequencing

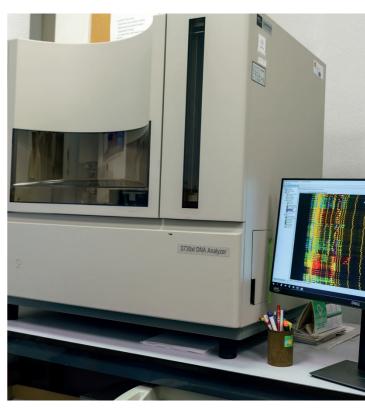
Sanger DNA Sequencing

Additional services

Experimental design and analysis

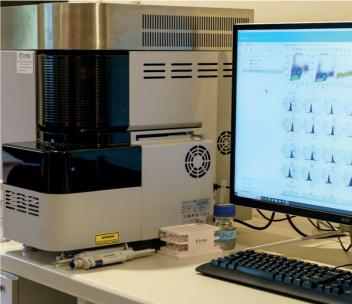
Nucleic acid extraction

Molecular identification of microorganisms













CAI CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGIES

X-RAY DIFFRACTION UNIT

SERVICES:

Single crystal diffraction

UDRX single crystal X-ray diffraction at low temperature
UDRX single crystal X-ray diffraction at room temperature

Polycrystal diffraction

UDRX Entry into UDRX analysis computer

UDRX Conventional diffraction, grazing incidence, relectometry, rocking curve, 2th-w on thin film and parts

UDRX UDRX Powder diffraction by conventional measured reflection UDRX X-ray powder diffraction by reflection in high temperature chamber / low temperature chamber

UDRX X-ray powder diffraction by transmission in capillary with Cu Ka1+2 radiation / with monochromatic Cu Ka1 radiation

UDRX X-ray powder diffraction by transmission in capillary with Cu Ka1+2 radiation

UDRX X-ray powder diffraction by reflection with monochromatic Cu Ka1 radiation

UDRX UDRX Special Measurements in X'Pert PRO MRD diffractometer. Textures, residual stresses, reciprocal space maps

Fluorescence

UDRX Wavelength dispersive X-ray fluorescence/quantitative analysis/semi-quantitative analysis/trace element analysis.







SPECTROSCOPY AND CORRELATION UNIT

SERVICES:

Ellipsometry

Imaging Ellipsometry or Brewster Angle

Ellipsometry Thickness measurement

Ellipsometry Photonic correlation spectroscopies

Angular intensity distribution

Photonic correlation spectra

Differential refractive index

Infrared spectroscopy

IR spectra analysis / database search

FTIR spectrum with grazing incidence / FTIR spectrum with microscope

FTIR spectrum in ATR / FTIR spectrum in transmission Infrared mapping

KBr pellet preparation

Raman spectroscopy

Raman spectrum or micro-Raman

Confocal Rayleigh imaging

Raman map

ELEMENTAL MICROANALYSIS UNIT

SERVICES:

CHN/CHNS Analysis

MASS SPECTOMETRY UNIT

SERVICES:

Quantitave analysis

Data analysis

Non-routine analysis

Accurate mass determination of pure compound

Gas chromatographic

Liquid chromatographic separation trial

Mass spectra of pure compound

MS-MS fragmentation study

ULTRAFAST LASER UNIT

SERVICES:

aser ablation, laser desorption/ionisation and MALDRI of solid samples with time-of-flight mass spectrometry

Characterisation of femtosecond laser pulses (FROG, Dazcope)

Design and preparation of optical and charged particle detection systems (ions, photoelectrons)

Photochemistry, photodissociation and molecular photofragmentation by speed mapping with ion and photoelectron imaging and nanosecond and femtosecond laser pulses

Irradiation of electronic devices with femtosecond laser pulses Femtosecond lases pulses

MALDI

Measurements of fluorescence lifetimes

Lases Induce Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS)

Photoluminescence measurements of solid and liquid samples

Microprocessing of materials with femtosecond laser pulses

Surface modification of materials with pulsed lasers

Molding of femtosecond laser pulses

Assembly and set-up of experimental systems

nsPLD

Production of nanostructured materials and thin films by

femtosecond pulsed laser disposition (fsPLD)

Use of fiber optic ICCD camera (UV-VIS-IR)

Use of UV-VIS-IR fiber optic spectrometers (200-1700 nm)

Use of laser radiation

VMI

MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING UNIT

SERVICES:

AV 400 MHz WB (solid state NMR). Equipment use and sample preparation

AV 500 MHz - Sample preparation

AV 500 MHz - Use of the equipment (with technician) during daytime/night-time

AVIII 700 MHz - Use of the equipment (with technician) during daytime

AVIII 700 MHz - Use of equipment at night-time

AVIII 700 MHZ - Sample preparation

AVIII HD / DPX 300 MHZ - Sample preparation

AVIII HD 300 MHz BACS-60 - Use of the equipment

Deuterated Solvents

Cryogenic gases and liquids for variable temperature

Neo 300 MHz - Daytime/night-time use of the instrument

RSE Bruker EMX - Sample preparation

RSE Bruker EMX - Equipment use









CAI PHYSICAL TECHNOLOGIES

ADVANCED SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTATION UNIT (LICA)

SERVICES:

Calibration of digital cameras

Characterisation of optical fibers and other elements

Characterisation of CCD detector

Characterisation of an optical filter

Spectral characterisation of lamps

Characterisation and documentation of a holographic network

Ultrasonic cleaning

Diagnostic services of optical and detection systems

MAGNETOMETRY AND CRYOGENICS UNIT

SERVICES:

High pressure and temperature synthesis

Liquid nitrogen supply

Variation with temperature of electrical resistivity at low temperatures

Variation of magnetisation with magnetic field at high temperature

Variation of magnetisation with magnetic field at low temperature

Thermal variation of heat capacity at low temperatures

Thermal variation of magnetisation at high temperatures

Thermal variation of magnetisation at low temperatures

HIGH PRESSURE OXYGEN SPUTTERING AND LITHOGRAPHY UNIT

SERVICES:

Conditioning and optimisation of unavailable target

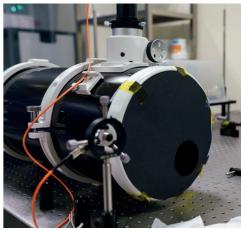
Thin film, heterostructure or superlattice growth

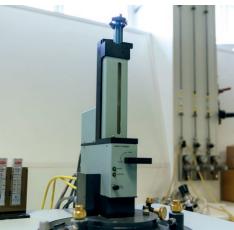
Sputtering target bonding

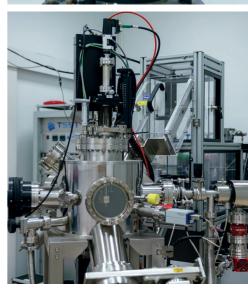
Reservation of the high-pressure oxygen sputtering unit

One use of the spinner to deposit resin on the sample

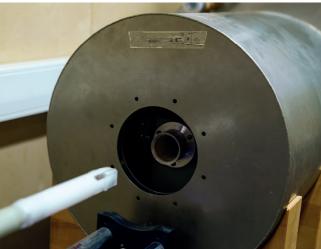
One hour of RAITH 50-unit use with technician











IONIC IMPLANTATION UNIT

SERVICES: Technical co

Technical consultancy

Leak detection

ECR CVD

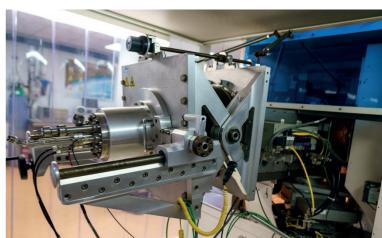
Evaporation

Ionic Implantation

Lithography

RTA

Clean room use



PALEOMAGNETISM UNIT

SERVICES:

Hysteresis cycle at room temperature (field max = 1 T)

Thermomagnetic curve (TMAX 700 °C)

HP demagnetisation

Thermal demagnetisation

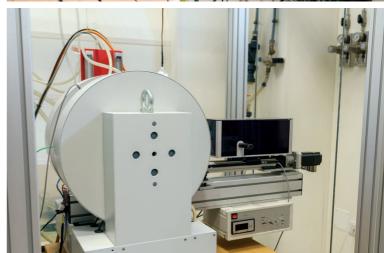
Measurement of natural remanent magnetisation NRM

Reservation and use of 2G magnetometer

Reservation and use of the entire laboratory

Reservation and use of the bartington

Reservation and use of the furnace



CAI BEHAVIOURAL ANALYSIS TECHNIQUES

BEHAVIOURAL ANALYSIS UNIT

SERVICES:

Audiometer Viewing room Digitisation / duplication Video editing ENG / HD mobile video equipment **IOPI 2.3** Ocular movements and pupillometry **MultiTENS** MyoPlus 2 Pro Neurobit with Bioexplorer **Psious** Pulse oximeter Audio / video realisation SCAN / SCAN analysis HD recording set Sound level meter Tachistoscope





ANIMAL FACILITY PLATFORM

Advice on the approach and development of experimental trials regarding:

Maintenance and conservation of animal colonies

Management of the acquisition and maintenance of different species of experimental animals

Housing of the different species and strains under desired conditions

Handling, inoculation, protocols and fluid extraction

Anaesthesia of animals

Humane slaughter of experimental animals

Advice on compliance with the protocols required by the UCM Animal Experimentation Committee

Alternatives to the use of experimental animals

Prevention and sanitary treatment of animals housed in the "Animal Facility" regarding the use of antiparasitic agents and post-surgical treatments, among others.

Control of animal waste (faeces, nesting, carcasses) to avoid potential environmental risk

AUDIOVISUAL AND DIGITAL CONTENTS FOR TEACHING AND RESEARCH PLATFORM

SERVICES

Dissemination of scientific events, meetings, gatherings and conferences using life streaming technology via the web Scientific and informative documentaries

Reports, pieces and news in audio-visual media

Scientific and informative documentary series

Techniques and processes

Didactic units focused on teaching and teaching innovation. MOCCs

RESEARCH SUPPORT WORKSHOPS PLATFORM

SERVICES:

2D/3D drawing design

Electromechanical systems design

Vacuum ampoule manufacturing

Vacuum plant manufacturing

Manufacture of parts

Manufacture and repair of borosilicate glass prototypes

3D printing

LABVIEW/ARDUINO programming

Electromechanical equipment repair











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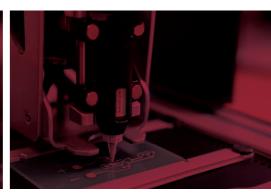












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