

Data and publication policies

The following general guidelines apply for data generated at ELI Beamlines during the present call:

- All raw data and the associated metadata obtained as a result of public research will be made available as open access after an initial embargo period during which access is restricted to the experiment team, represented by the PI.
- Access to raw data and the associated metadata obtained from an experiment is restricted to the experimental team for a period of five years after the end of the experiment. Thereafter, it will become publicly accessible.
- Any publication which contains data or metadata generated during the user assisted commissioning experiments shall acknowledge the use of the ELI Beamlines facility and its funding sources (exact wording of the acknowledgement shall be agreed with the leading ELI scientist for the instrument where the data were generated).
- The ELI scientific staff involved with the external users in the user assisted commissioning and early user experiments shall be offered co-authorship of publications that come out of the joint experiments according to good scientific practice.
- ELI Beamlines will store the data generated in the user assisted commissioning experiments according to its best ability but assumes no formal responsibilities for data storage. Users are expected to take home a copy of the data.
- Ownership, including any IP rights that might arise, of all results derived from the analysis of the raw data is determined by the contractual obligations of the person(s) performing the analysis respectively the applicable law.
- References for publications related to experiments carried out at the ELI Beamlines Facility must be deposited in the ELI Beamlines publications database within three months of the publication date, or during any new application for beam time, whichever is earlier.