

## General conditions of use of the instruments of the biophysics Platform CIBB/EMBL



Instruments:

SEC-MALLS, DLS, Mass Photometer, iTC<sub>200</sub>, VP-ITC, MST, Fluo PTI, Fluo Mini Tau

## I - Access

- The platform offers a service of provision of the instruments after training. Users will be allowed to access the platform only after preliminary training. After proving independence in data collection, users will be allowed to access instruments autonomously.
- Users should follow the procedures and safety instructions handed to them. In case of obvious negligence, the user can be excluded.
- Instruments are accessible to local PSB researchers, external and industries.
- The tariffs for the use of the instruments are available on the ISBG website. Users can consult them here: them <a href="https://www.isbg.fr/comment-acceder-aux-plateformes-de/tarifs/">https://www.isbg.fr/comment-acceder-aux-plateformes-de/tarifs/</a>
- The platform is closed on weekends.
- Invoicing is calculated on the basis of the booking schedule

## II - Data collection

- Users must bring their own bench-top equipment (micropipettes, tips, Eppendorf, etc.), and individual protection equipment (lab coat, googles and gloves)
- Buffers to be used with the instruments are chargeable to the user.
- Users are responsible for backing up the data acquired during their experiments via removable external memory devices (USB stick, external hard drive). The platform does not guarantee the backup, archiving or retrieval of data in the event of loss due to a computer problem.
- The platform does not guarantee the confidentiality of the data collected on instrument. It is user's responsibility to remove confidential data from the computers.
- Only non-pathogenic biological samples are accepted. <u>Decree of the July 18, 1994</u> establishing the list of biological pathogens, amended by Decrees of <u>April 17, 1997</u> and <u>June 30, 1998</u> (Decrees in French). The <u>list of biological pathogens</u> is available on the website of the IPBS.
- In the event of a problem during an experiment, users must inform the platform manager to fill out an "Anomaly sheet".
- User have to register on the instrument's logbooks.

## III - Acknowledgements

• Users should cite the platform in their publications and communications and should communicate the reference of any published article to the platform:

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