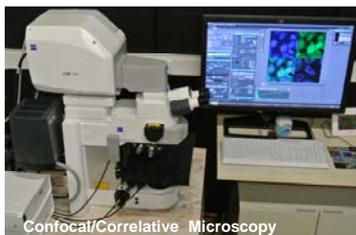


# Advanced Materials Characterization at CENIMAT/I3N



Confocal/Correlative Microscopy



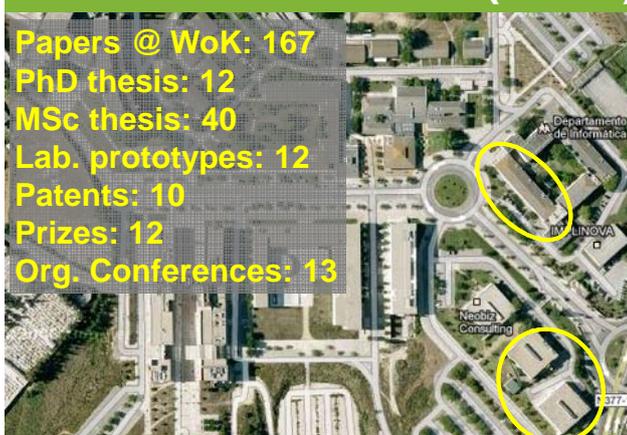
Bruker unit for X-ray diffraction (high/low temperatures)



NMR Laboratory

## Cenimat in numbers (12-13)

Papers @ WoK: 167  
 PhD thesis: 12  
 MSc thesis: 40  
 Lab. prototypes: 12  
 Patents: 10  
 Prizes: 12  
 Org. Conferences: 13



## Scientific areas



Bio/Paper Batteries  
 Bio/Nano/Paper Electronics  
 Funcional Nanoparticles  
 Nano/Chromogenics  
 Microfluidics/Lab-on-Paper  
 Plasmonics  
 Solar Cells

Thermoelectrics  
 Transparent Conductive Materials  
 Liquid Crystals  
 Nano/Cellulosic Systems  
 Polymeric Based Materials  
 Elastomers  
 Biological Systems  
 Rheology (Rheo)

Nuclear Magnetic Resonance  
 Computational Fluid Dynamics  
 Metal Alloys  
 Functional Graded Materials  
 Cultural Materials  
 Crystal Chemistry  
 Ceramics and Glass Materials  
 Recycling of Materials

## Characterization tools



SEM/FIB and EDS

X-Ray Diffraction (temperature, micro diffraction, grazing, texture, stress analysis)

Thermal Analysis - DTA/DSC/TG (-170 - 2000 °C)

Optical Microscopy with Fluorescence

Confocal Microscopy (Laser lines: 405/488 nm)

Electron Microscopy (SEM-FIB and EDS)

Correlative Microscopy

NMR (High resolution, Solids, Diffusion and Micro-Imaging)

Rheology (Electro, Optical and High Pressure options)

Mechanical Testing (tensile, micro/macro-hardness, impact)

X-ray Fluorescence

Melt Spinning

Hall Effect and Kelvin Probe

FTIR with ATR

UV-vis-NIR Spectrophotometry

Contact Angle

Spectroscopic Ellipsometer

Potenciostat

Profilometry

AFM

Dielectric Spectroscopy (frequency and time domain)

Ferroelectric Hysteresis

Thermally Stimulated Discharge Currents

Dynamic Light Scattering

Melt Flow Index

Automatic Ubbelohde Viscometer

Materialography

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