

# RAMAN DATA PROCESSING V6 QUICK MANUAL

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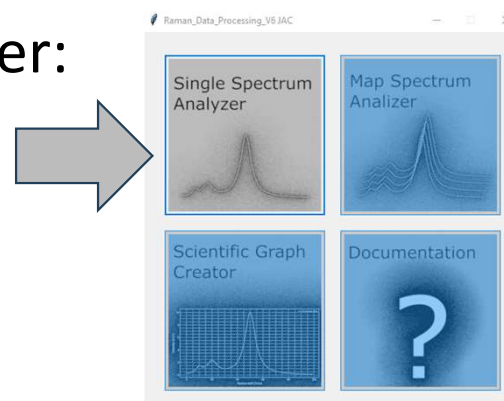
1. Install python  $\geq 3.8.18$
2. Install the following libraries:

- Multiprocessing
- Tendo
- sys
- os
- csv
- re
- pillow $\geq 10.2.0$
- numpy $\geq 1.24.4$
- matplotlib $\geq 3.7.4$
- numexpr $\geq 2.8.6$
- scipy $\geq 1.10.1$
- lmfit $\geq 1.2.2$
- tkinter $\geq 8.6$

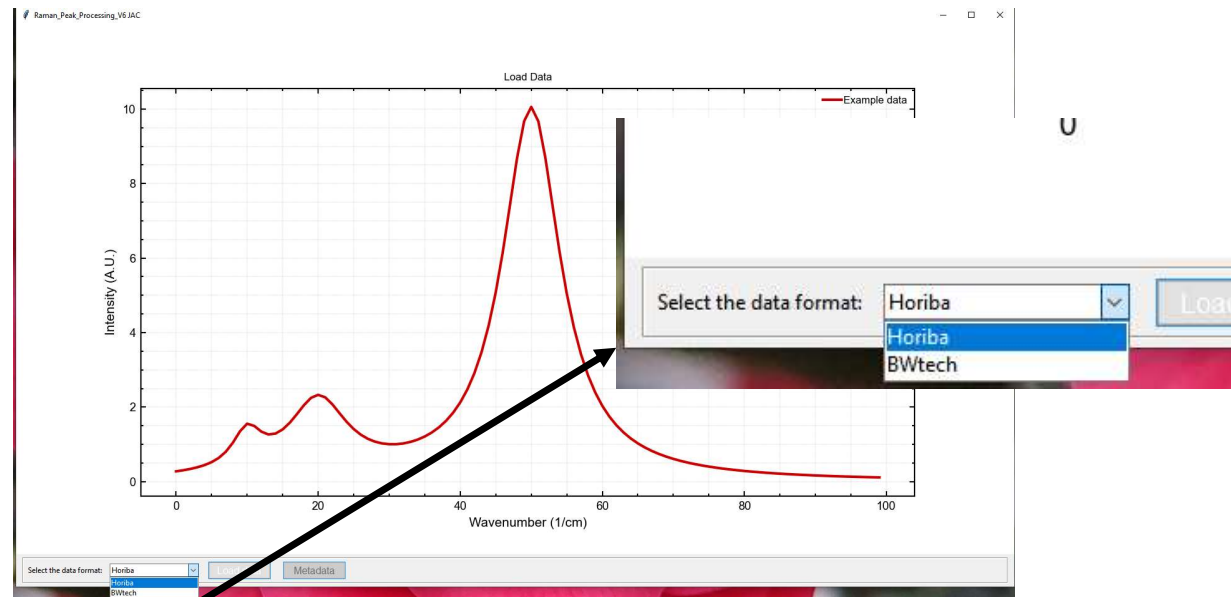
- Currently the software works for individual spectra taken in Horiba YobinYvon and B&WTech spectrometers.
- Data must be saved as .txt files.
- Run the main launcher:



- Select the Single Spectrum Analyzer:

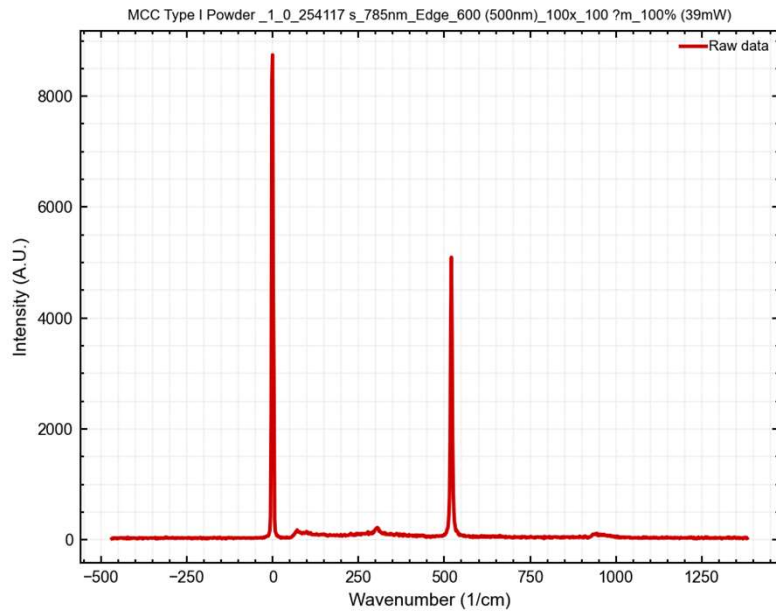


- Select the file format:



- Load data:

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Select the spectral range:

Min. wavenumber (1/cm): -465.794

Max. wavenumber (1/cm): 1380.1

Clip data

Baseline Correction:

Auto Manual

Baseline lambda: 1

Baseline fit

Subtract Baseline

Normalise

Peak detection and processing:

Max. number of peaks: 8

Peak detection

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Add peaks

Smoothing window: 10

Peak threshold: 0.01

Peak separation: 4

Peak prominence: 0.05

Peak fitting menu

Batch processing of files in a folder

Load folder

Batch processing

Experiment metadata

Acq. time (s): 0,254117

Accumulations: 1

Range: Off

Autofocus: Off

Macrospot: Off

AutoExposure: Off

Spike filter: Multiple accum.

Delay time (s): 0

Binning: 1

Readout mode: Signal

DeNoise: Off

ICS correction: Off

Dark correction: Off

Inst. Process: Off

Detector Gain: High Sensitivity

Detector ADC: 45 kHz

Detector temperature (°C): -60,1

Instrument: LabRAM Soleil

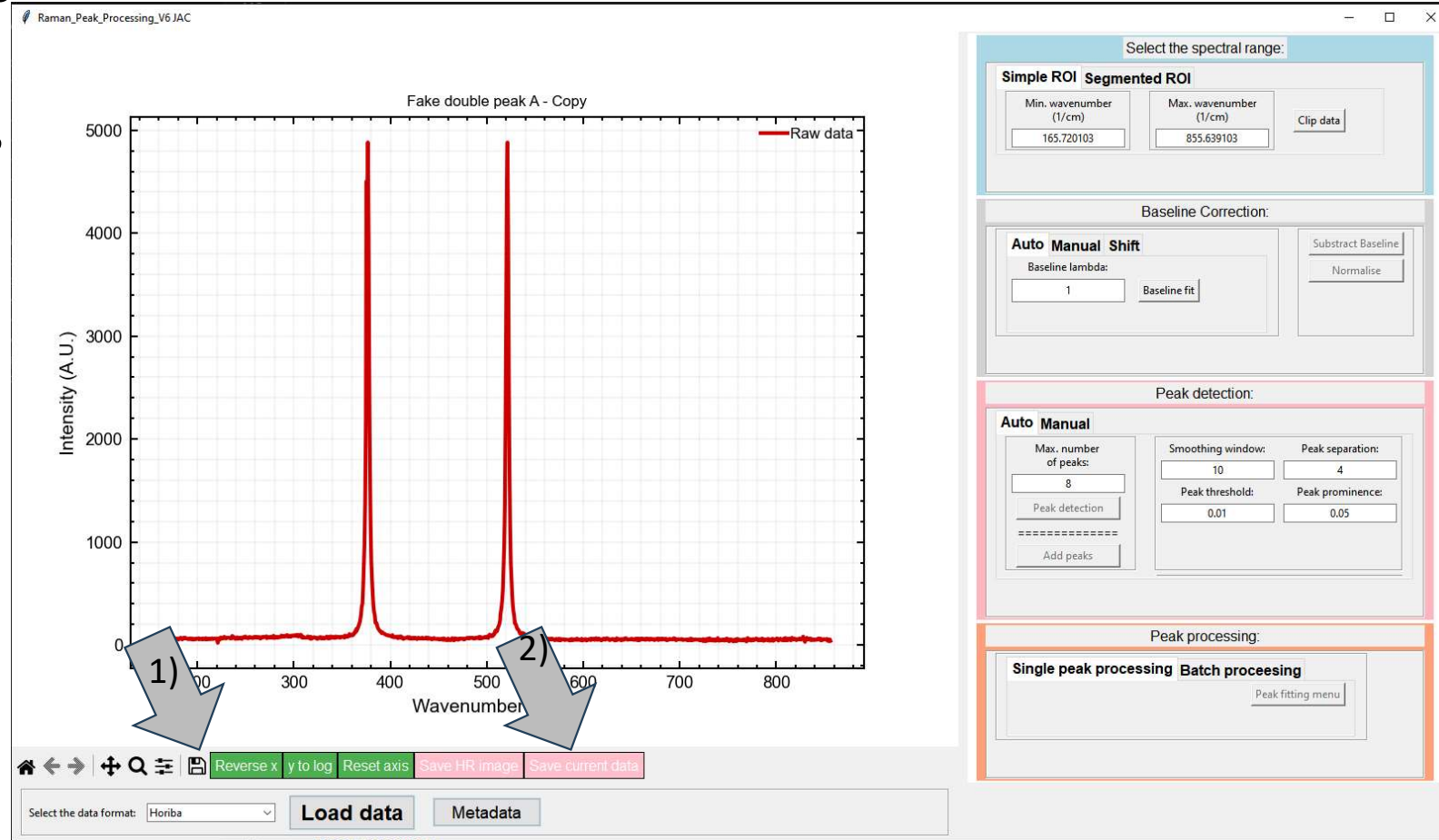
Detector: Syncerity

Objective: 100x

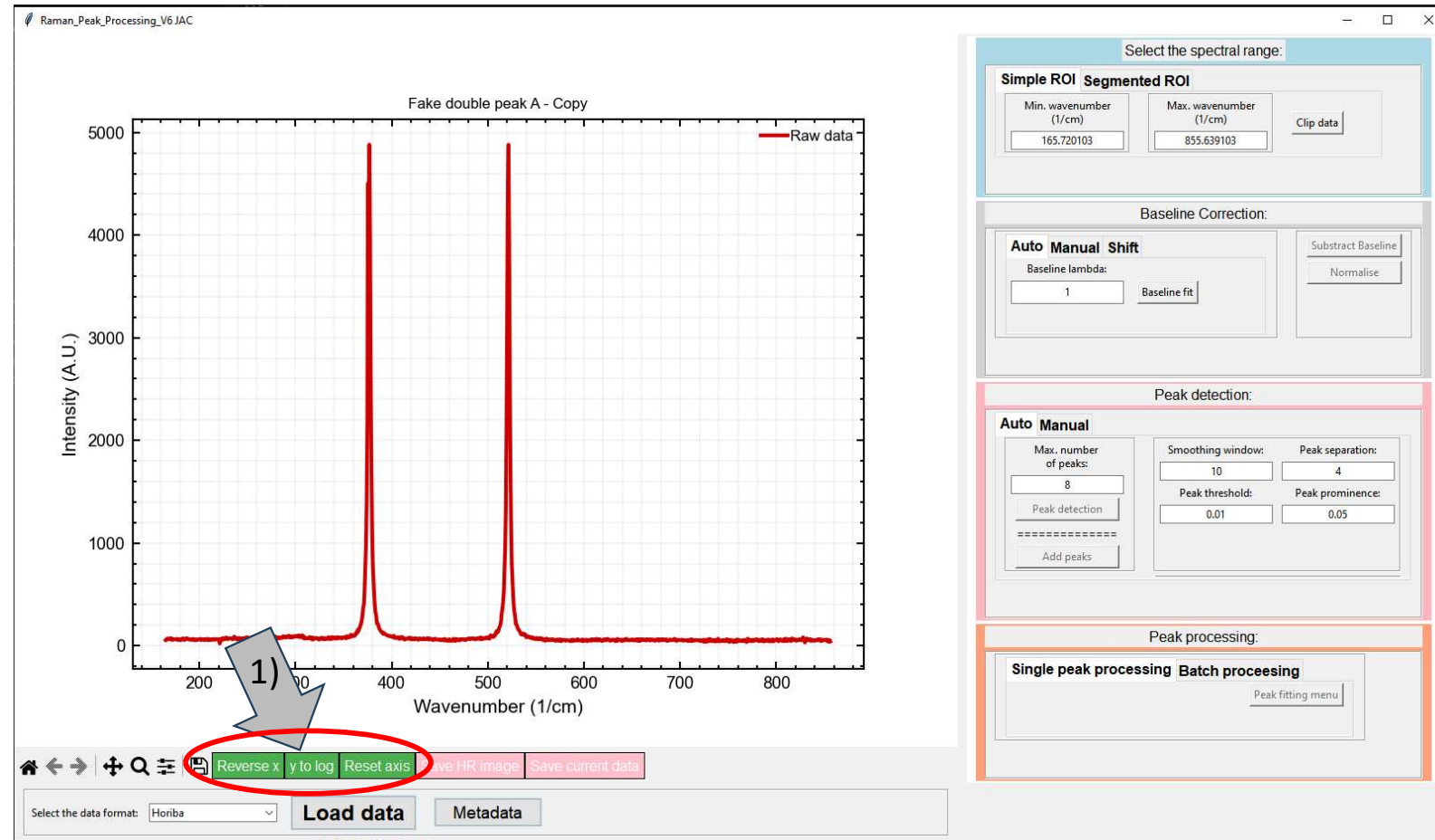
Grating: 600 (500nm)

Retrieve metadata:

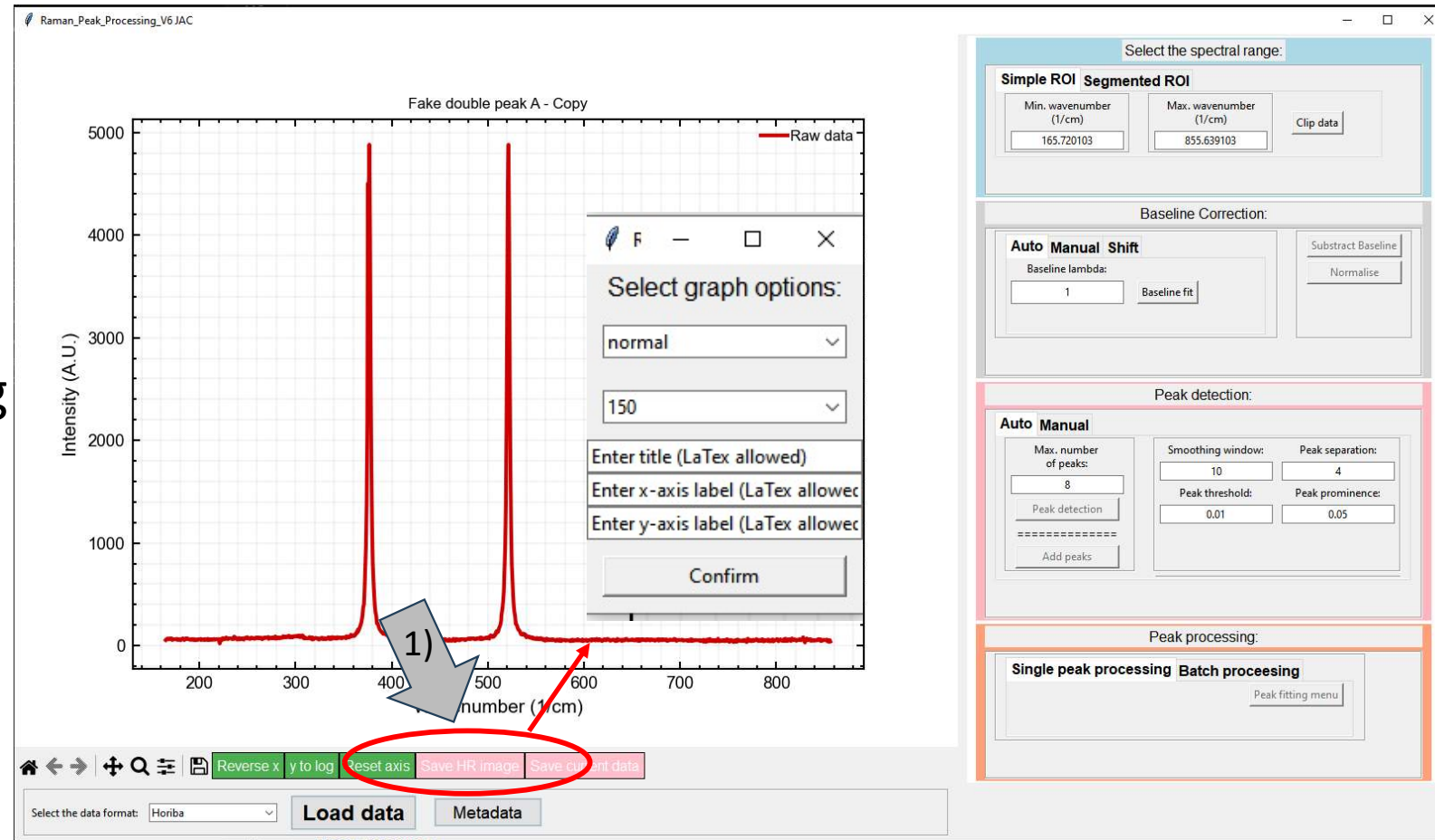
- Image can be saved as a .png clicking in 1)
- The data that appears in the image can be saved as a .csv by clicking 2)



- The data can be plotted in reverse order (for IR for example). Also the intensity can be plotted in Log scale.

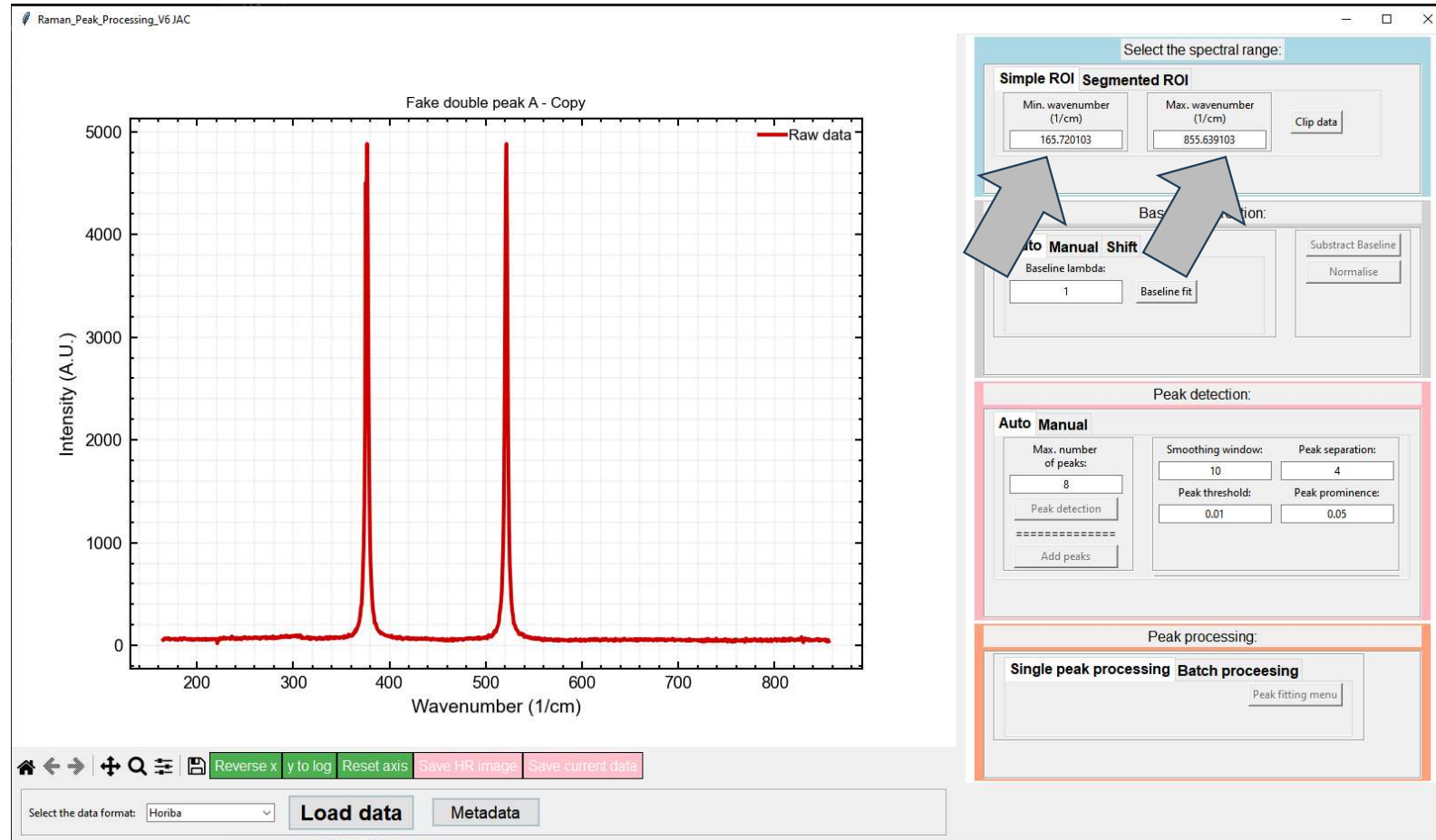


- The graphs of the window can be exported as publication ready graphs.
- Title and axis labels can be modified using LaTeX syntax.
- The size of the image and the DPI can also be adjusted.





- Select the region of interest for the analysis.



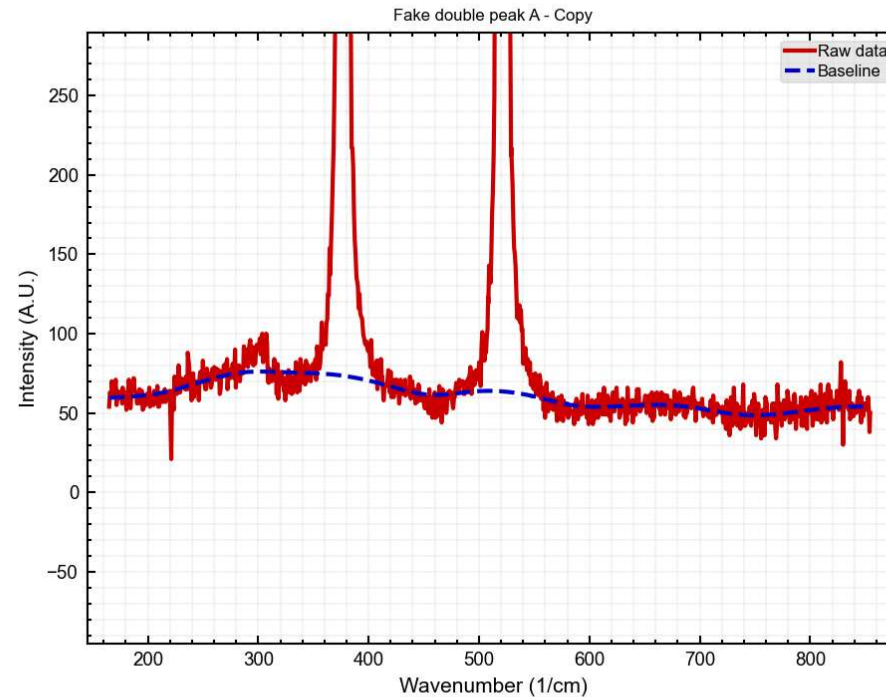
## • Remove baseline:

### • Auto:

- Uses the asymmetrically reweighted penalized least squares (arPLS) baseline correction on the given spectrum.\* Adjust lambda (0-1e6), closer to 1 less sensitive to peak, higher values more sensitive to peaks
- Subtract baseline.
- Normalise the data to the highest peak if needed.

\*Sung-June Baek, Aaron Park, Young-Jin Ahna and Jaebum Choo: "Baseline correction using asymmetrically reweighted penalized least squares smoothing", Analyst, 2015,140, 250-257

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Select the data format: Horiba

Select the spectral range:

**Simple ROI** **Segmented ROI**

Min. wavenumber (1/cm): 165.720103
 Max. wavenumber (1/cm): 855.639103

Baseline Correction:

**Auto** **Manual** **Shift**

Baseline lambda: 100

Peak detection:

**Auto** **Manual**

Max. number of peaks: 8
 Smoothing window: 10
 Peak separation: 4

Peak threshold: 0.01
 Peak prominence: 0.05

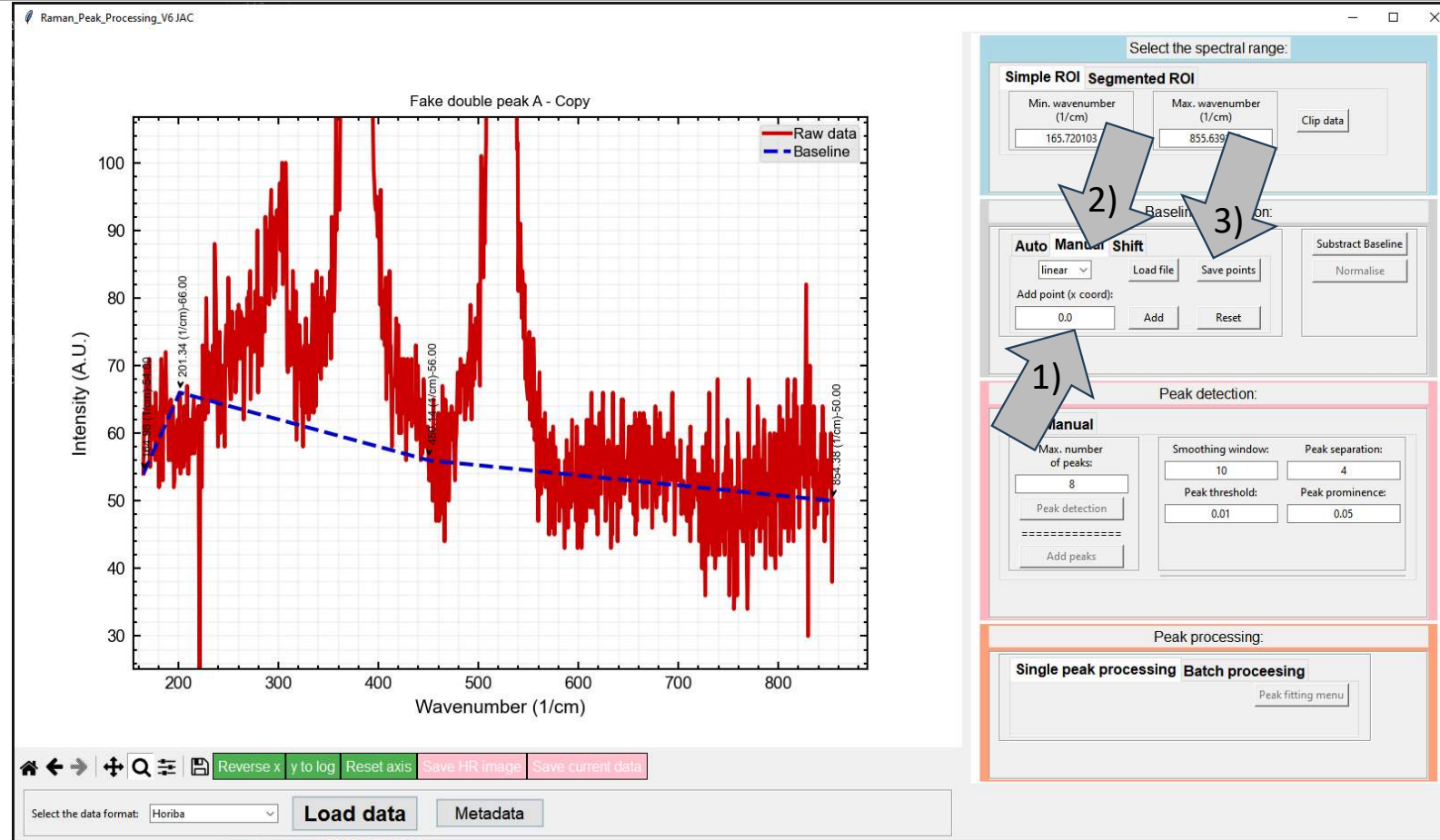
Peak processing:

**Single peak processing** **Batch processing**

## • Remove baseline:

### • Manual:

- Uses baseline defined by the user.
- Add manually as many wavenumber points as need 1).
- Choose the order of the baseline 2).
- The user can save the baseline as a .csv file and load that file for other datasets 3).
- Subtract baseline.
- Normalise the data to the highest peak if needed.

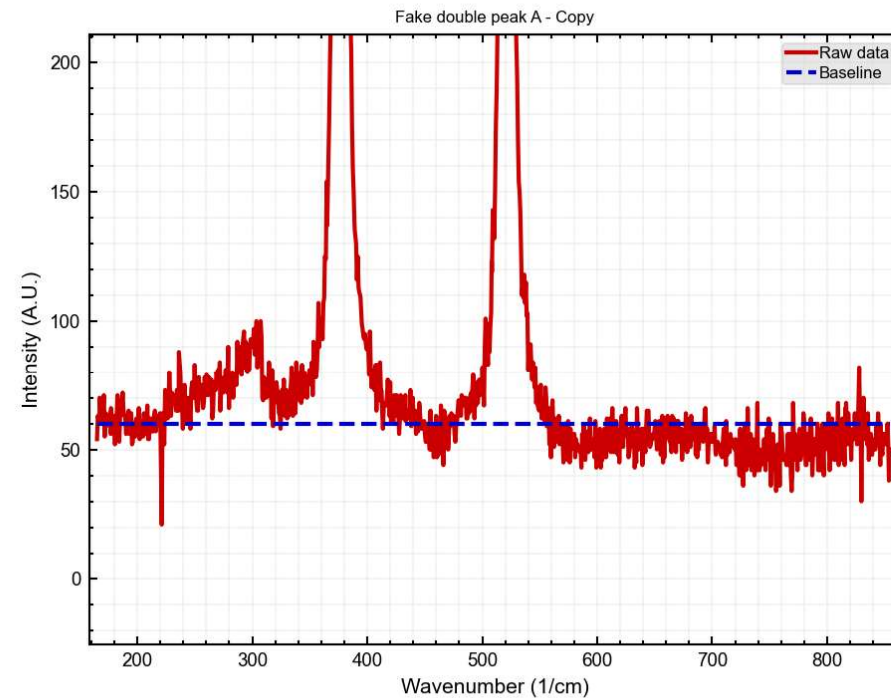


## • Remove baseline:

### • Shift:

- A constant shift is subtracted from the range of interest.

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Reverse x y to log Reset axis Save HR image Save current data

Select the data format: Horiba

Load data

Metadata

Select the spectral range:

**Simple ROI** **Segmented ROI**

Min. wavenumber (1/cm): 165.720103

Max. wavenumber (1/cm): 855.639103

Clip data

Baseline Correction:

**Auto** **Manual** **Shift**

Vertical shift: 60

Baseline

Subtract Baseline

Normalise

Peak detection:

**Auto** **Manual**

Max. number of peaks: 8

Peak detection

Smoothing window: 10

Peak threshold: 0.01

Peak separation: 4

Peak prominence: 0.05

Add peaks

Peak processing:

**Single peak processing** **Batch processing**

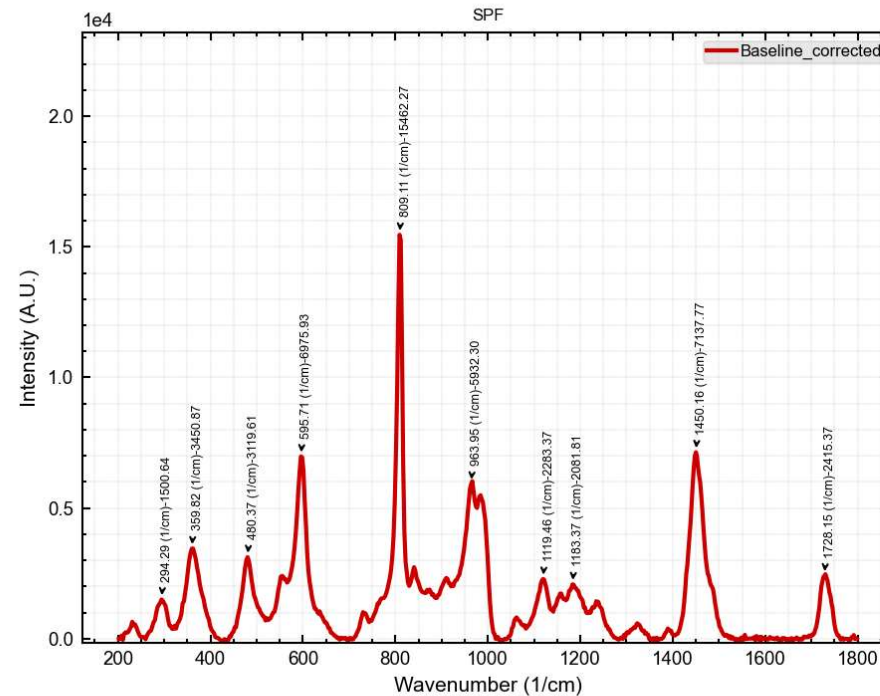
Peak fitting menu

## • Peak detection:

### • Auto:

- Select maximum number of peaks to be detected (maximum 25) 1).
- Tweak the detection parameters to find the peaks 2).
  - Smoothing window: Size of the smoothing window to produce a smooth and continuous dataset for derivative-based peak finding algorithm).
  - Peak separation: in pixels, minimum of 3 pixels to detect contiguous peaks.
  - Peak Threshold: Ratio from minimum peak height to max peak height to be detected.
  - Peak prominence: Parameter to be more or less sensitive to shoulders.

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Reverse x y to log Reset axis Save HR image Save current data

Select the data format: B&Wtek

Load data

Metadata

Select the spectral range:

**Simple ROI Segmented ROI**

Min. wavenumber (1/cm): 200 Max. wavenumber (1/cm): 1800 Clip data

**Baseline Correction:**

**Auto Manual Shift**

Baseline lambda: 1 Baseline fit Subtract Baseline Normalise

**Peak detection:**

**Auto Manual**

Max. number of peaks: 15 Peak detection Add peaks

Smoothing window: 10 Peak separation: 4

Peak threshold: 0.01 Peak prominence: 0.05

**Peak processing:**

**Single peak processing Batch processing**

Peak fitting menu



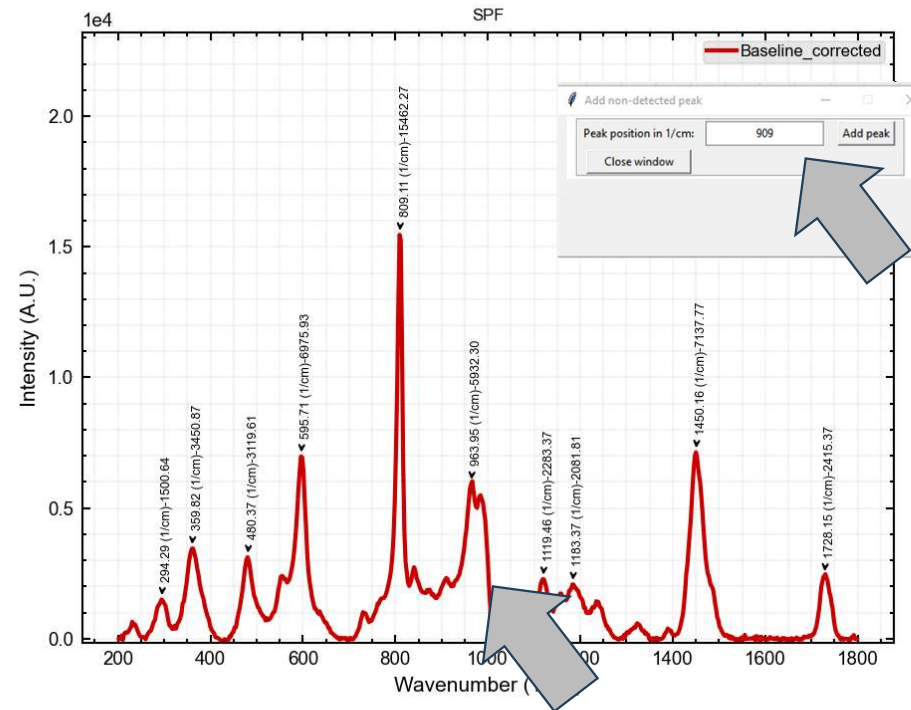
## • Peak detection:

### • Auto:

#### • Manual:

- Automatic Peaks can be added if the automatic routine cannot find them by introducing their wavenumber.
- This is a combination of the automatic routine (7-a) and only works for the single spectrum processing. The batch processing only works with automatic detection limits or the full manual routine.

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Peak processing:

Single peak processing Batch processing

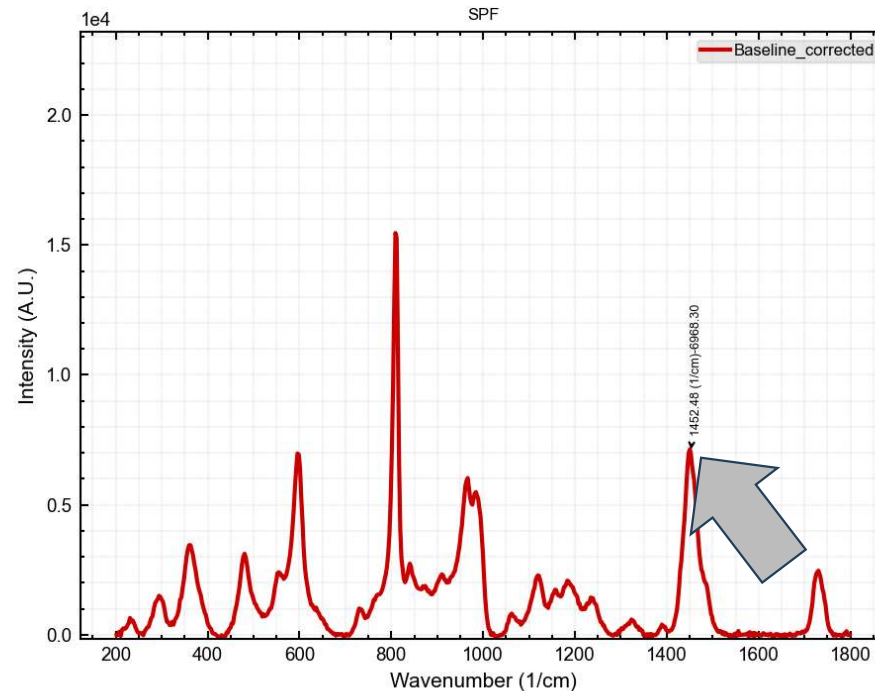
Peak fitting menu

# Peak detection:

## Manual:

- Peak positions can be specified manually.
- These positions will also be remembered for the batch processing, but if new peaks appear they will be ignored or not detected.
- Note that when swapping the tab from manual; to auto or auto to manual the previous peaks are erased.

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Load data

Metadata

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Min. wavenumber (1/cm): 200

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Clip data

Baseline Correction:

**Auto** **Manual** **Shift**

Baseline lambda: 1

Baseline fit

Subtract Baseline

Normalise

Peak detection:

**Auto** **Manual**

Peak position in 1/cm: 1452

Add peaks

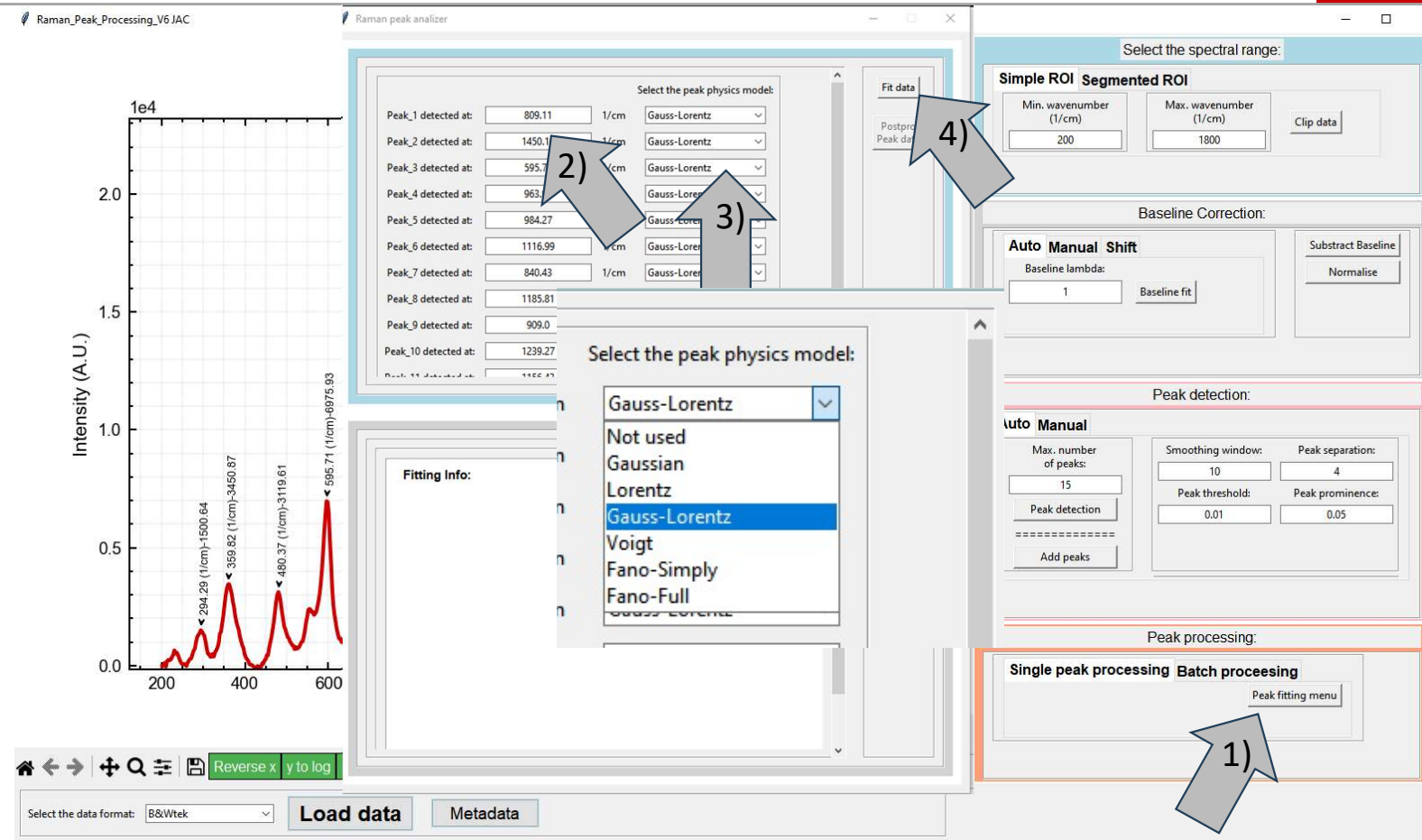
Peak processing:

**Single peak processing** **Batch processing**

Peak fitting menu

## Peak fitting:

- Select peak fitting menu 1).
- Finetune the position of detected peak if needed 2).
- Select the individual model for each peak.
- By default, it uses a Gauss-Lorentz approach (pseudo-Voigt) with a FWHM estimated following Kielkopf approach (0.02% error)\*
- Full Voigt and Voigt Fano (Fano-Full) can be used as well.

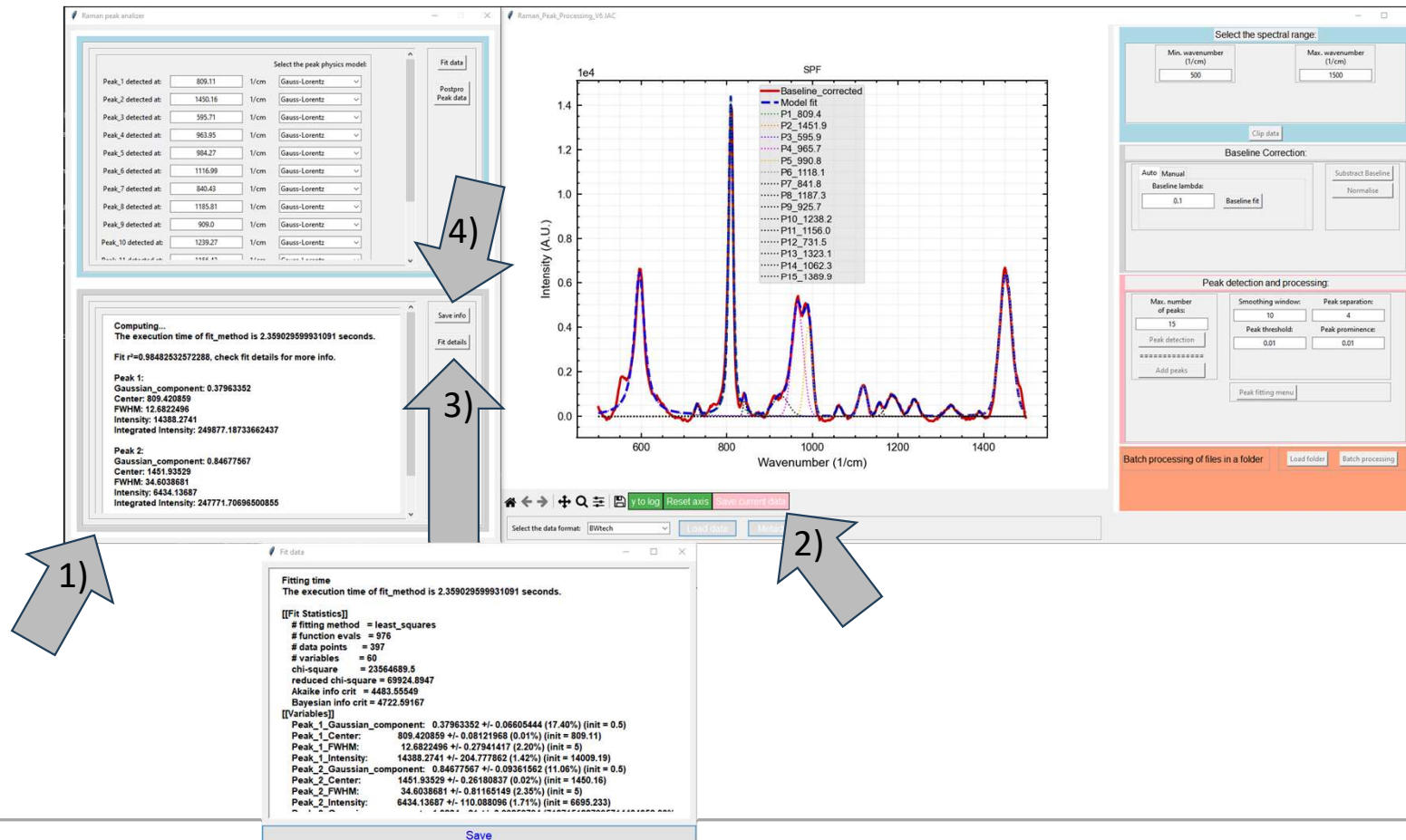


\* John F. Kielkopf (1973), "New approximation to the Voigt function with applications to spectral-line profile analysis", *Journal of the Optical Society of America*, **63** (8): 987,

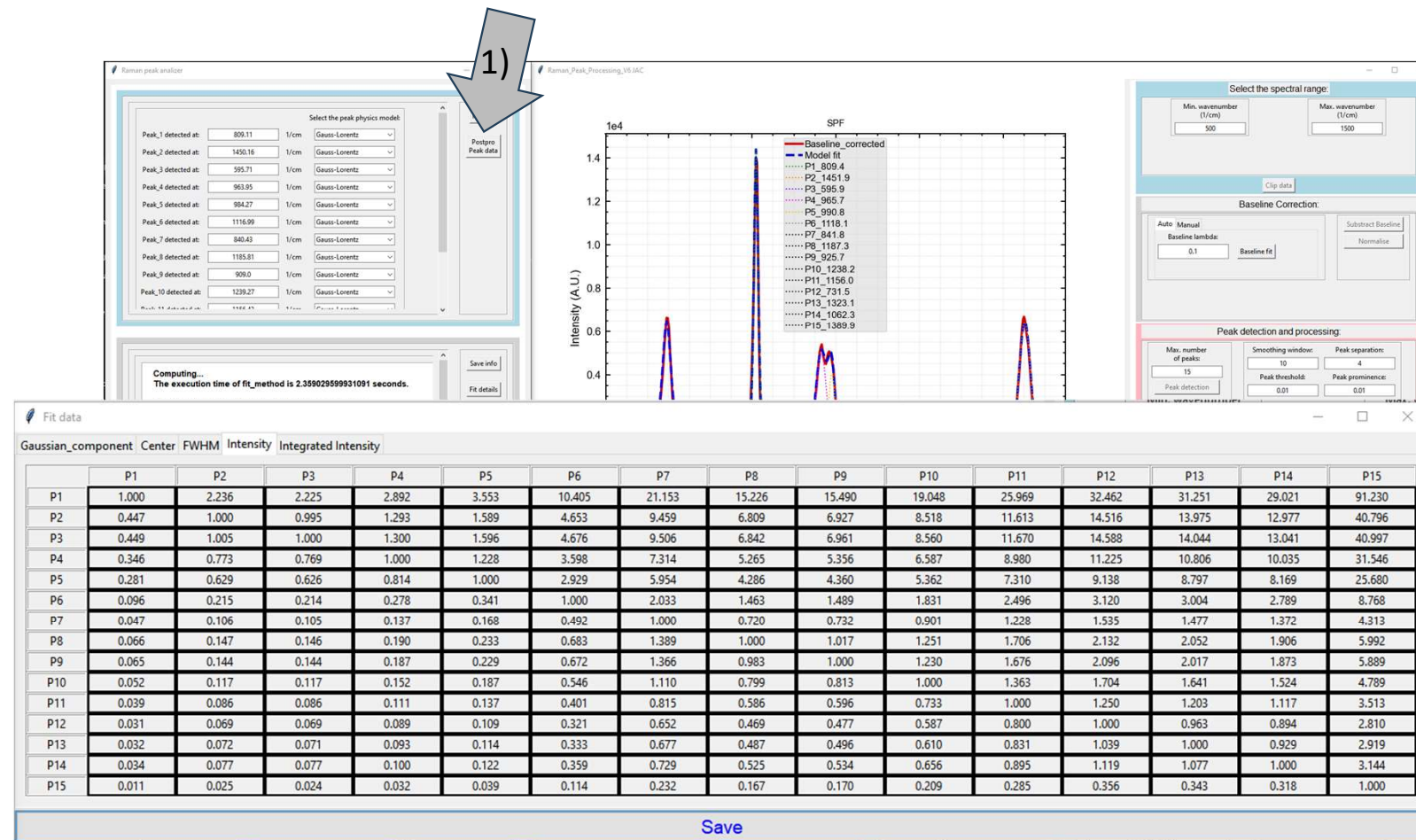


## Peak fitting:

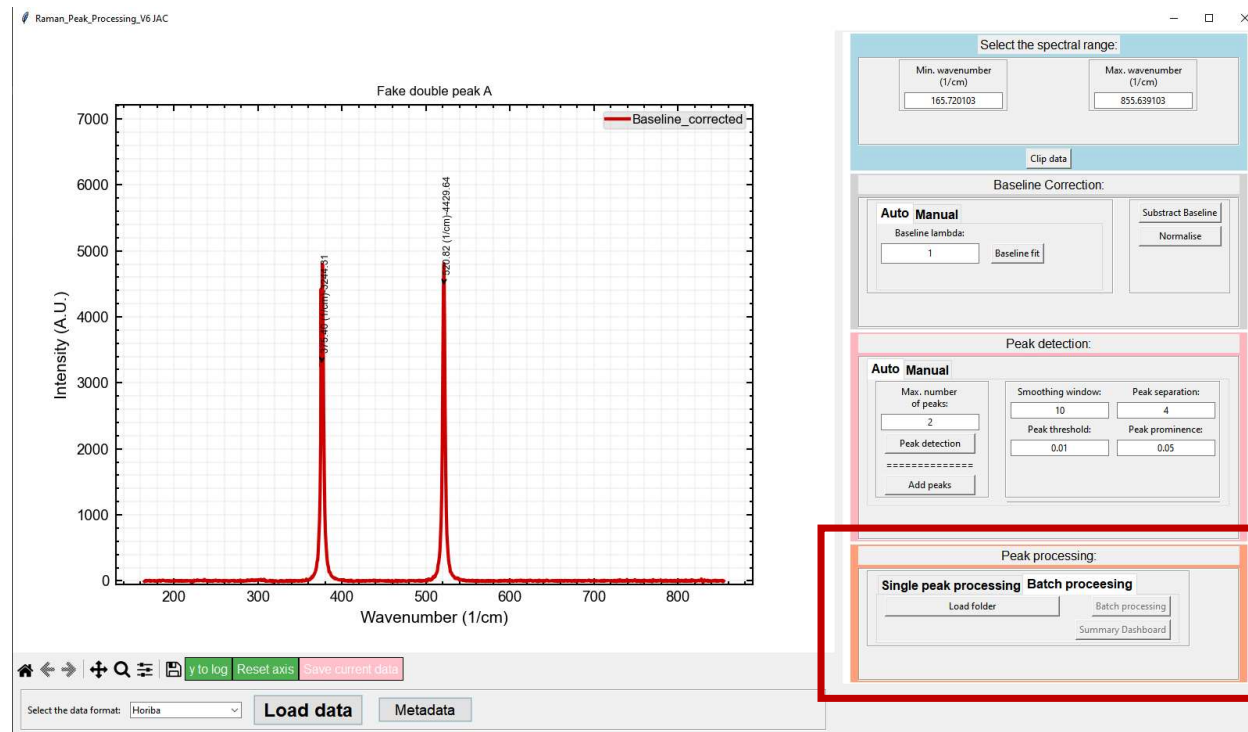
- Review the fit data summary 1).
- The resultant fit is shown in the main window.
- Fitted peak positions are shown in the legend from higher intensity to lower intensity.
- All data displayed in the figure can be saved as a .csv file 2).
- Complete fitting details, including cross-correlations can be retrieved and saved 3)
- Summary report can be saved as .txt 4)



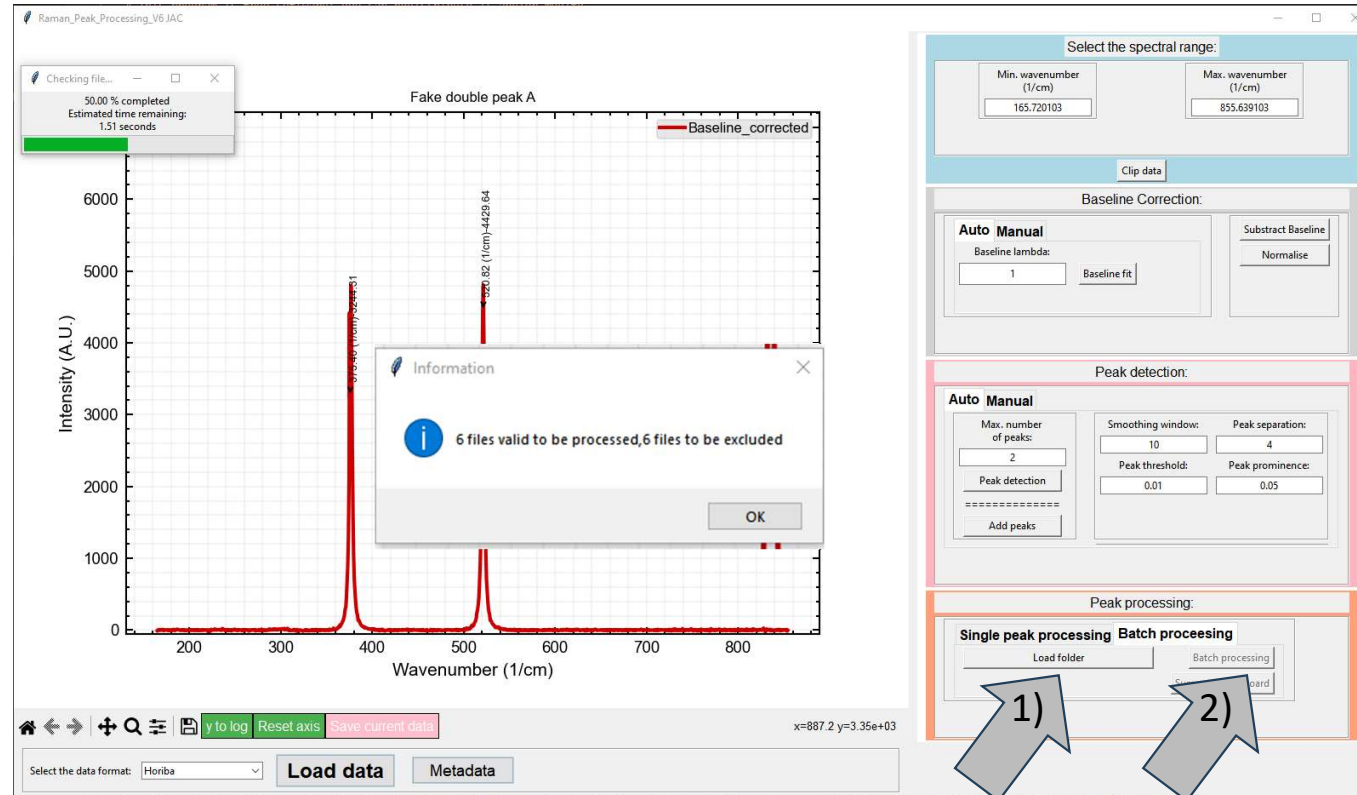
- Peak fitting:
  - Postprocessed correlations between all parameters can be calculated and saved 1)



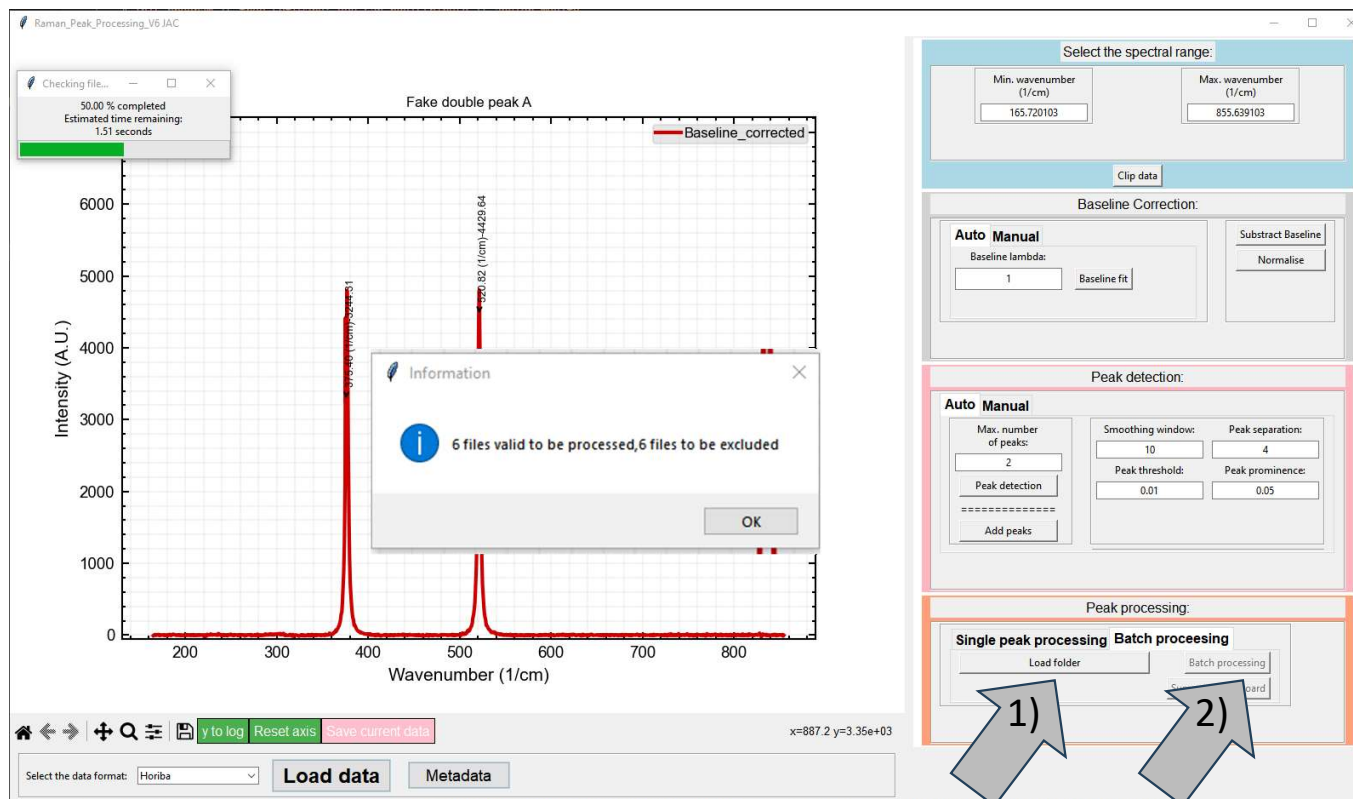
1. Save all the raw data files to be processed in . a common folder.
2. Open one data file and follow steps 3 to 7.
3. This fixes the following conditions to analyse all files in the folder.
  1. Data range
  2. Baseline type and properties
  3. Max peak detected and parameters to detect a peak.
  4. All peaks fitted with the default pseudo-Voigt default function.



4. When the parameters are selected, click on “Load folder” button 1).
5. Click on “Batch processing” to analyse all files in folder 2).

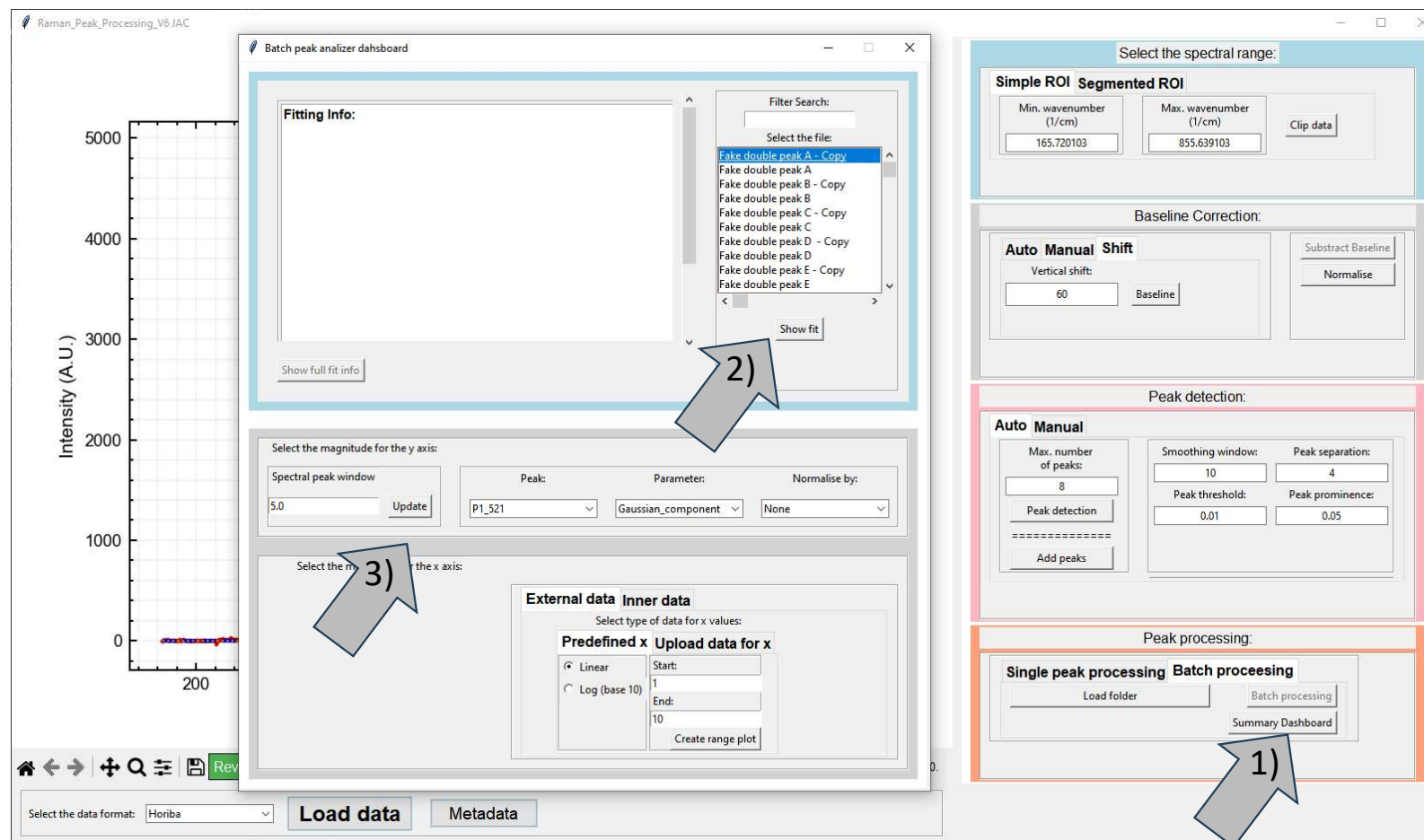


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4. A dashboard panel will appear that allow to retrieve the fit for each file in the folder (2)
5. Data for each parameter in the folder can be also explored using the bottom dashboard (3).



4. Select the minimum separation between peaks (1)
5. Select the peak you want to analyse (2)
6. Select the parameter you want to extract for all files in the folder (3). You can normalise that value by the same value of a different peak if needed (4)
7. Select against what you want to plot the results. Can be a predefined equispaced sequence or a file containing the values for the X.

