#### **JEOL 6610 SEM Start Up**

- 1. Turn on computer and log on as CEMMA User.
- 2. Open **SEM Main Menu** program.
- 3. Fill out the logbook with all required information.
- 4. Open the **IR** camera program to view specimen movement.

# **Loading/Changing the Specimen**

- 6. Set the X to 0, Y to -50, R to 0, T to 0, Z to 80
- 7. Click the **VENT** button.
- 8. Measure sample height for offset setting
- When VENT flashing stops, Insert specimen into the chamber using the specimen holder tool.
- 10. Select **Vac Mode** (high or low)
- 11. Close the chamber door and click the **EVAC** button
- 12. Go to the **Stage** tab
- 13. Select the **holder type**.
- 14. Enter the specimen **Protruding Height** (How much the specimen is above the holder)
- 15. Click the SNS Capture button

#### **Specimen Observation**

- 16. Select the Accelerating Voltage and Signal
- 17. Turn on the **HT** icon so that it displays **ON**
- 18. Go to the **Stage** tab.
- 19. Move the specimen to the field of view by clicking on the **SNS Switch** picture.
- 20. Adjust the **Z height** (WD) and specimen **Tilt** to desired amount.
- 21. Click the **ACB** button and adjust the **Focus**.
- 22. Go to the **Maintenance** tab.
- 23. Adjust the **Spot size**
- 24. Adjust the Alignment **Tilt** X and Y (maximize the brightness)
- 25. Adjust the Alignment **Shift** X and Y (maximize the brightness)
- 26. Click and adjust the **Wobble** icon (on top right)
- 27. Adjust the **Stigmator** X and Y (at higher magnification)

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#### **SEM Shut Down**

- 28. Turn off the **HT** icon so that it displays **OFF**
- 29. Turn on the IR camera.
- 30. Set the X to 0, Y to -50, R to 0, T to 0, Z to 80,
- 31. Click the **Vent** button.
- 32. Remove specimen from the chamber using the specimen holder tool.
- 33. Close the chamber door.
- 34. Click the **EVAC** button. (always leave in **HIGH VACUUM**)
- 35. Go to User Login tab and click Log Off button
- 36. Close the **SEM** program.
- 37. Log off and shut down computer.
- 38. Complete log book.

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#### **EDS Start Up**

- 39. Add Liquid Nitrogen to the EDS dewer 1 (one) hour before use.
- 40. Focus the WD to 10mm.
- 41. Turn EDAX computer on and log on as CEMMA User
- 42. Verify on the computer CPU that the HV BIAS light is green.
- 43. Turn off the **IR** camera. (red light goes off)
- 44. Open **EDAX Genesis** program.

### **Spectrum Scan**

- 45. Press the Collect icon. (collection of a spectrum will start)
- 46. Adjust Spot Size (on SEM software) to change DT to 30%
- 47. Press the **Peak ID** icon (to indentify unknown peaks)
- 48. Press the **Quant** icon (report for Wt% and At%)

Note: Go to the **File** pull down menu than **page setup** to select info on report.

# **Mapping and Line Scans**

- 49. Go to the Maps/Line tap
- 50. Press the Collect icon. (collection of a spectrum will start)
- 51. Adjust Spot Size (on SEM software) to change DT to 30%
- 52. Press the **Peak ID** icon (to indentify unknown peaks)
- 53. Go to the Set up pull down menu and select the **ROI** (select elements)
- 54. Press the Collect **e** (SEI)
- 55. Select Maps or Line.
- 56. Press Collect ... X icon.
- 57. Press "EXT XY" icon to enable external scan (give back control to the SEM)

#### **EDS Shut Down**

- 58. Click **Exit** from the file pull down menu to close program.
- 59. Log off and shut down computer.

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