



ISIS Neutron and Muon Source instruments are **free at the point of access**, provided the results from experiments are published in the **public domain**.

The main routes for researchers to access **beamtime** are through the Direct, Rapid or Xpress Access routes.



USEFUL LINKS

www.isis.stfc.ac.uk/apply-for-beamtime
information on applying for beamtime

proposal.isis.rl.ac.uk
online proposal submission system

www.isis.stfc.ac.uk/instrument-scientists
instrument scientist contact details

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user office contact details



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DIRECT ACCESS

Open to researchers who wish to conduct **all types** of experiments.

Discuss your requirements with the instrument scientist and submit a **full proposal**. Proposal deadlines are in **mid April** and **mid October** every year.

Beamtime should be allocated **3-8 months** after the proposal deadline.

RAPID ACCESS

Researchers who require **rapid access** to conduct **all types** of experiments.

Discuss your requirements with the instrument scientist and submit a **full proposal at any time**.

Beamtime should be allocated **2- 8 weeks** after the proposal submission.

XPRESS ACCESS

Researchers who require a small amount of beamtime (**under one day**) for a **very simple experiment**.

Discuss your requirements with the instrument scientist and submit a **very short proposal at any time**.

Data is likely to be available from **1 week to a few months** after submission.



BEAMTIME ACCESS ROUTES

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