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Customizing the User Interface of LCS

2. Command Buttons and Toolbars

This application note describes how to customize toolbars and command buttons. It is the second note in this series explaining how to adapt the LCS user interface.

Many functions in LCS can be controlled via command buttons.



These buttons are grouped by their application in toolbars. LCS users can customize most toolbars and arrange the command buttons to suit their needs. One could for example create a new toolbar that contains the most frequently used functions or that is tailored to a specific experiment.

Customizing toolbars and command buttons:

To add or remove command buttons or to modify toolbars, go to *Tools* and select *Customize* from the menu.

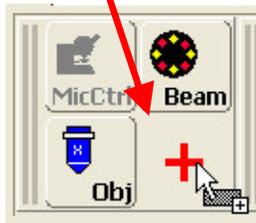
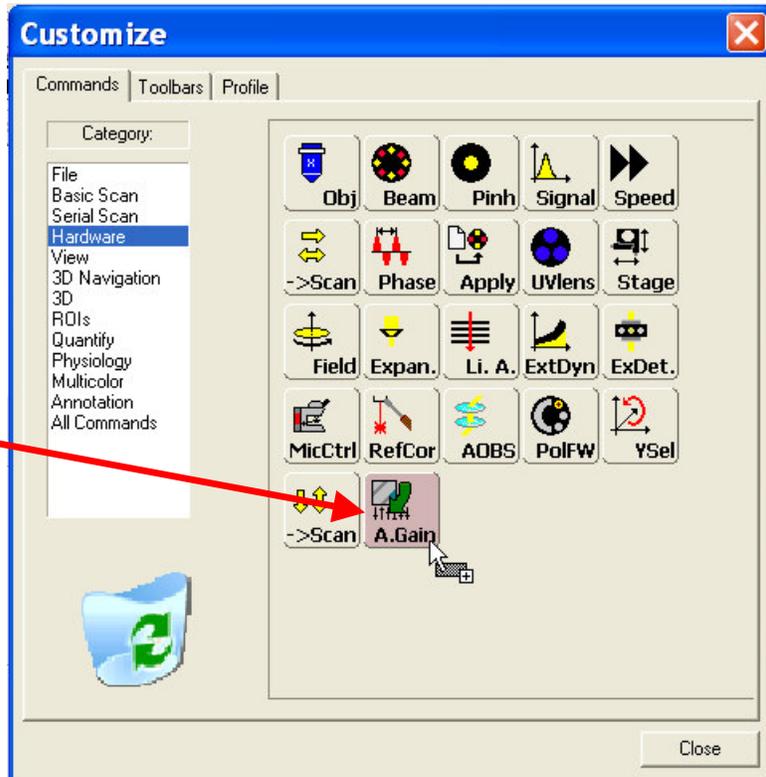


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Under the *Commands* tab you will find all available command buttons sorted by categories, i.e. *Serial Scan*, *Hardware* or *Quantify*. To add a button to an existing toolbar, just click and drag the button to the new location.



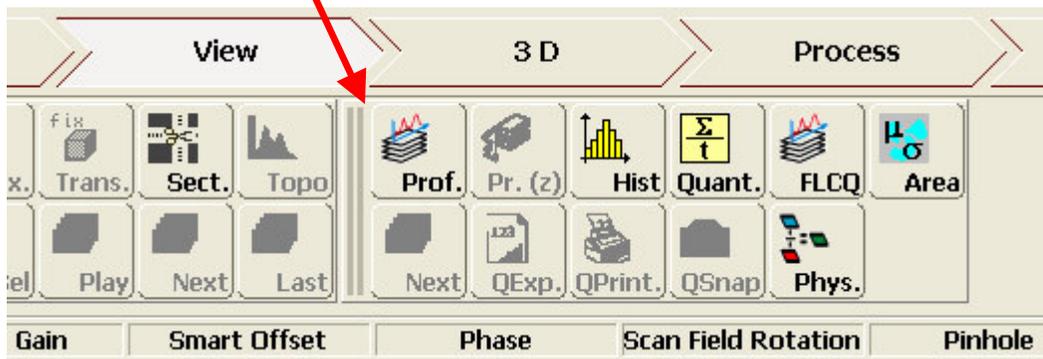
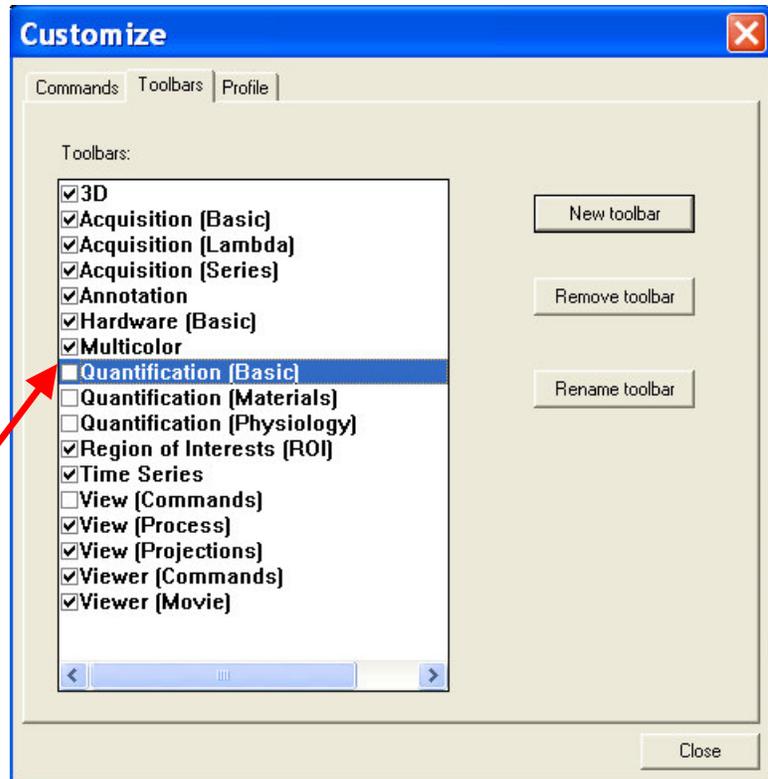
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To create, rename, display or delete a toolbar, open the *Toolbars* tab.

For example, if you prefer the look of the quantification tools from the previous LCS version (pre 1347) you can check the box *Quantification (Basic)* and a new toolbar will appear. Now you can drag and drop that toolbar into i.e. the *View* tab.



The new configuration will be saved with the active profile.