

Startup DMI4000 microscope

Fully start LAS-AF before observing sample

(otherwise it will require finding your object again after LAS-AF initialization)



- Tilt transmitted light arm backwards
- Position proper objective (visible on front screen)
- Place object glas/ dish in table holder
- Restore transmitted light arm position
- Do not change condensor position (metal colored knob on left)



CONTROLLER BUTTONS and SWITCHES:

Illumination panel (front set buttons- left):

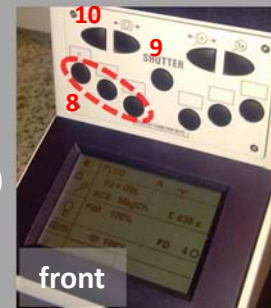
- 1- TL/IL: transmisted light vs incident light viewing (restores to last used)
- 2 - Int to set brightness
- do not touch buttons 3 and 4 (diaphragm switches)

Fluorescence panel (set of buttons behind focus - left)

- 5 - Switch between BF/ DIC / DIC-pol
- 6 – Fluorescence light path open
- 7 – Switch filter cubes (front panel shows cube in the light path, also 8)

Front panel buttons:

- 8 –Switch fluorescence cubes (also 7)
- 9 – Fluorescent light shutter
- 10 – Directs light to eyepiece



- Switch on bright field observation to find focus (minimize fluorescent illumination to avoid bleaching; front panel button (10) to direct light to the eyepieces)

- Switch to fluorescence using (1) or (6) and switch cubes using (7) or (8)

- Use xy controller to scan the sample (“salt ‘n pepper box”)

- 11 - XY fine
- 12 - XY fast
- 13 - X-range control
- 14 - Y-range control

- Close fluorescence shutter (9)

- Scan using Las-AF

