SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Policy Statement *

1. Terms Use and Legal Conditions

- 1. The present SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Policy details the requirements for the use of the databases [i.e. handling of their collected data] and information [i.e. utilization of the aggregated form of data] so that the management of this public resource is in compliance with the fairness of use and re-use of its content.
- 1.1. The following terms and the present policy refer to all datasets being the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases a complex and composed structure
- 1.2. By searching the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases you fully accept our Terms of Use and Legal Conditions.

2. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases

2. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases aim to compile, define, and disseminate high technical information on the data, materials, and techniques used in the fields of art conservation and historic preservation. The Spectral Databases have been created to make available a series of spectra of different materials of interest to the international cultural heritage community in cooperation with international and national Universities, Museums, Research and Art Conservation Institutes

3. User agreement

- 3. The user of the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases and data must follow the terms listed below.
- 3.1. Data and their collection were obtained with spectroscopic methodologies and techniques in the ultraviolet, visible and infrared regions in accordance with the conservation science recommendations and are presumed to be correct.
- 3.2. Anyway, the user is only responsible for the accuracy of the data cited, its interpretation and use.

4. Intellectual property

- 4. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases respect the copyright and intellectual property rights and requires the users to do the same.
- 4.1. Any uploaded content does not violate the copyrights and other proprietary rights.
- 4.2. The material appearing in the databases can be consulted and used despite being subject to some restriction and conditions on use as follow.
- 4.3. Data and information on the databases may be used without a specific access permission just for scientific purposes. You can, without permission, copy, distribute, display, or perform the Item, for non-commercial uses.
- 4.4. The user must credit the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases as the sources following the citation example below.
- 4.5. The user is encouraged to contact the staff for details on specific items and restrictions in the use of data.
- 4.6. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Database Management at its discretion takes steps to disable and terminate access to users who infringes the copyright.
- 4.7. Nothing contained in the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases should be construed as granting any license or exclusive right to use and any unauthorized use of data, information and content on this database, is strictly prohibited.

^{*} Please read the following terms carefully before accessing or using the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Policy. The acceptance of these terms is the precondition for the use of the database and data collected.

5. Disclaimer

- 5. The user assumes the total responsibility and risk for the use of the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases website.
- 5.1. Materials, data, information, the result of research are provided at the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases website "as it is" without any expectations of results, warranties of fitness for a specific purpose or non-infringement of intellectual property.
- 5.2. It is up to the user the responsibility to evaluate the usefulness of the data, completeness of information and associated accuracy of the materials on the website.
- 5.3. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases do not guarantee or warrant that files available for downloading through the database are free of viruses, Trojan horses or code with destructive properties.
- 5.4. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases do not commit to update the data or information and it is up to the user to verify whether the materials are/or not out of date.

6. Restriction and limitation of liability

- 6. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Management makes no claims, guarantees or promises of the accuracy, adequacy, completeness, timeliness or suitability of the contents of the reported data and expressly disclaims liability for unfair and wrongful utilization of the data and information as well as errors and omissions in the contents of the database.
- 6.1. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Management also disclaims responsibility for any allegedly infringing material, and for any damages whatsoever associated with the reliance on information provided on these Databases, for unfair uses.
- 6.2. Reference in these databases to any services, institutions, firms or corporations is for the information and convenience of the user, and does not represent endorsement or recommendation. Indeed, the databases do not endorse any commercial providers or their products.
- 6.3. Members and other third-party partners or mentioned at the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases website are not liable for any indirect or incidental damages arising out of the inability to use or reliance the data or information available on the website.
- 6.4. In no event, the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Management is responsible for repair or correction arising from the use of data and the users assume all cost thereof.

7. Citation of the Database and Spectra

- 7. Citation is mandatory and the user must acknowledge the contribution of the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases.
- 7.1. When displaying or using SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases as a reference in any publications and presentation, written or oral or the contributions of authors directly referred to the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases, the citation must be constructed as follow:

Example Citations:

FORS Database

A. Aldrovandi, A. Casini, M. L. Altamura, M. T. Cianfanelli, P. Riitano, A. Cagnini, M. Galeotti, M. Picollo, B. Radicati, A. Agostini, D. Andreuccetti, L. Stefani, eds., Fiber Optics Reflectance Spectra (FORS) of Pictorial Materials in the 270-1700 nm range. 2020 ed. SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Database. Web. dd/mm/year. https://spectradb.ifac.cnr.it/fors/.

DRS Database

M. Picollo, G. Basilissi, C. Cucci, L. Stefani, M. Tsukada, eds., Ultraviolet, Visible and Near Infrared Reflectance Spectra of Modern Pictorial Materials in the 200-2500 nm range. 2020 ed. SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Database. Web. dd/mm/year. https://spectradb.ifac.cnr.it/drs/.

MoWCReS Database

A. M. Silva, M. Picollo, L. Stefani, eds., Visible and Near-Infrared Reflectance Spectra of Modern Watercolours. 2020 ed. SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Database. Web. dd/mm/year. https://spectradb.ifac.cnr.it/mowcres/>.

PolIReS Database

G. Bartolozzi, C. Cucci, V. Marchiafava, M. Picollo, L. Stefani, eds., Total Reflectance FT-IR spectra of natural and synthetic polymers. 2020 ed. SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Database. Web. dd/mm/year. https://spectradb.ifac.cnr.it/drs/.

DyedWool Database

A. M. Silva, M. Picollo, L. Stefani, eds. Visible and Near-Infrared Reflectance Spectra of Modern Watercolours. 2020 ed. SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Database. Web. dd/mm/year. https://spectradb.ifac.cnr.it/mowcres/>.

8. Hyperlinks to Other Websites

- 8. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases website contains links to other Internet websites. IFAC-CNR is not responsible for the content or privacy policies of these linked web sites. Click here to review the IFAC-CNR Privacy Policy. http://www.ifac.cnr.it/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=162&lang=it&jjj=163275 0049452.
- 8.1. The Databases Management disclaims all liability for materials, links, data, and information in other websites linked to the Databases. Links to other websites are at the sole convenience to the users and the Databases Management is not responsible for any of those websites or content.
- 8.2. Despite the link to other websites, the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Management does not endorse or sponsor any representations, information products or materials found there as well as any result that may be obtained from other websites.
- 8.3. The access, use of information and data, products or software from other Websites is at the users' risk and responsibility

9. Messages and updates

- 9. The Databases Management may, but is not obliged to, update an area of its website and modify the content of certain parts (such as post communications, etc.).
- 9.1. The user is prohibited from transmitting messages or unlawful material that violates laws of copyright, privacy or otherwise.

10. Modification of terms

- 10. The SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases Management may revise the terms contained in the website at any time and the users must agree to timely consult such modifications be in compliance with current terms because they are binding and represent the condition for continued access and use of the data and information. The access and use are the conclusive acceptance of the revised terms.
- 10.1. Certain terms may be superseded by expressly designed by legal notice or terms established by the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases conditions.

11. Indemnification

The user indemnifies and holds harmless the SABeC IFAC-CNR Spectral Databases, their members, and partners, contributors, affiliates and any third party information providers to the website from and against all damages and costs, losses and expenses, attorney's fees resulting from any violation of these terms by the users.