

# Supplementary slides to ASR tutorial part 1, SWiMM 2021

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## The ASR CLI interface

```
$ asr --help
```

```
Usage: asr [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...
```

### Options:

```
--version    Show the version and exit.  
-h, --help  Show this message and exit.
```

### Commands:

```
cache        Inspect results.  
database     ASR material project database.  
find         Find result files.  
list         List and search for recipes.  
params       Compile a params.json file with all options and default values.  
results      Show results from records.  
run          Run recipe or python function in multiple folders.
```

- ▶ See help for subcommands: `asr run --help`
- ▶ See help for recipe: `asr run "asr.structureinfo --help"`

## Run a Recipe:

```
recipe:
```

```
# Use ASE to build an example system (bulk Si)
```

```
ase build -x diamond Si > structure.json
```

```
# Inspect in ASE GUI:
```

```
ase gui structure.json
```

```
# Run our first recipe:
```

```
asr run structureinfo
```

```
# See what we have in front of us:
```

```
asr results
```

```
# Running same Recipe again reuses existing Record:
```

```
asr run structureinfo
```

```
# See what Records exist in this folder (also --help):
```

```
asr cache ls
```

```
database :
# Collect results into ASE database (database.db):
asr database fromtree .

# Inspect database using ASE tool:
ase db database.db

# Start webserver:
asr database app database.db
```

View on local computer: 0.0.0.0:5000

Si<sub>2</sub> [Download raw data ↓](#) [Browse raw data ↗](#)

Summary

Structure info	Value
Crystal type	A-227-b
Space group	Fd-3m
Space group number	227
Point group	m-3m

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Axis	x (Å)	y (Å)	z (Å)	Periodic
1	0.000	2.715	2.715	True
2	2.715	0.000	2.715	True
3	2.715	2.715	0.000	True

Lengths (Å): 3.840 3.840 3.840

Angles (°): 60.000 60.000 60.000

Miscellaneous

## Calculate a band structure (laptop-friendly parameters):

```
calculate:
  ase build -x diamond Si > structure.json
  # Be sure to check ase run "asr.bandstructure --help"
  # We will run with some very coarse parameters:
  asr run "asr.bandstructure --calculator \
    {'name':'gpaw','mode':'pw','kpts':(4,4,4)} \
    --npoints 60 --bscalculator {...,'txt':'-'}"

  # Remember: Use quotes "" to specify command correctly
  # Inherit Recipe defaults using ...: {...,'key':'value'}

  # The output will tell us that it runs both ground-state
  # and band structure calculation.

  # Let's see the results:
  asr results

  # Build database:
  asr database fromtree .
```

## A look at the internals

```
askhl@erlkoenig:~/swimm-asr-demo/2-calculate$ tree .asr
.asr
├── asr.bandstructure:calculate-0069f58727
│   └── bs.gpw
├── asr.bandstructure:main-b91eb879df
├── asr.gs:calculate-e8c373a172
│   └── gs.gpw
├── asr.gs:main-ad21cbf526
├── asr.magnetic_anisotropy:main-1032a0522b
├── asr.magstate:main-190543f891
├── external_files
│   ├── 0069f58727-bs.gpw
│   └── e8c373a172-gs.gpw
├── records
│   ├── asr.bandstructure:calculate-0069f58727.json
│   ├── asr.bandstructure:main-b91eb879df.json
│   ├── asr.gs:calculate-e8c373a172.json
│   ├── asr.gs:main-ad21cbf526.json
│   ├── asr.magnetic_anisotropy:main-1032a0522b.json
│   └── asr.magstate:main-190543f891.json
├── record-table.json
└── work_dirs.json
```

Instructions are cached individually (“main” vs “calculate”)

## Perform multiple calculations

bandstructures:

```
# See contents of database:
ase db inputs.db

# Probe what would be unpacked from database:
asr database main inputs.db --tree-structure tree/{formula}

# Unpack database, after which we can inspect folder tree:
asr database main inputs.db --tree-structure \
    tree/{formula} --run --atomsfile structure.json

# Run band structure in each folder:
asr run "asr.bandstructure --calculator \
    {'name':'gpaw','mode':'pw','kpts':(4,4,4)} \
    --bscalculator {...} --npoints 30" tree/* -j 4

# Collect calculations into database.db:
asr database fromtree tree/*
```

## Write a recipe: An example

```
@command(module='asr.npt')
@option('--atoms', type=AtomsFile(),
        default='structure.json')
@option('--md', help='MD parameters', type=DictStr())
def main(atoms: Atoms,
        md: dict = {
            'timestep': 15.0,
            'temperature': 300.0,
            'nsteps': 100,
        }) -> Result:
    """Toy recipe for running NPT dynamics with Asap3/EMT."""
    run_npt(atoms, **md)
    tnow = atoms.get_temperature()
    return Result.fromdata(atoms=atoms.copy(),
                          final_temperature=tnow,
                          volume=atoms.cell.volume,
                          **md)
```

- ▶ Detailed tutorial on Recipes by Joshua Elliott



# On workflows

Towards high-throughput workflows with ASR and myqueue

▶ <https://myqueue.readthedocs.io/>

```
(venv-210302) [askhl@syllg tree-askhl]$ mq --help
usage: mq [-h] [-V]
        {help,list,ls,submit,resubmit,remove,rm,info,workflow,run,kick,modify,
init,sync,completion,config,daemon}
        ...

Frontend for SLURM/LSF/PBS.

Type "mq help <command>" for help. See https://myqueue.readthedocs.io/ for
more information.

optional arguments:
  -h, --help            show this help message and exit
  -V, --version          Show version number

Commands:
{help,list,ls,submit,resubmit,remove,rm,info,workflow,run,kick,modify,init,syn
c,completion,config,daemon}
  help                  Show how to use this tool.
  list (ls)             List tasks in queue.
  submit                Submit task(s) to queue.
  resubmit              Resubmit failed or timed-out tasks.
  remove (rm)          Remove or cancel task(s).
  info                  Show detailed information about task.
  workflow              Submit tasks from Python script or several scripts
matching pattern.
  run                   Run task(s) on local computer.
  kick                  Restart T and M tasks (timed-out and out-of-memory).
  modify                Modify task(s).
  init                  Initialize new queue.
  sync                  Make sure SLURM/LSF/PBS and MyQueue are in sync.
  completion            Set up tab-completion for Bash.
  config                Create config.py file.
  daemon                Interact with the background process.
```

## Example of workflow file (legacy syntax)

```
def create_tasks():
    """Generate all myqueue tasks for a specific material."""
    tasks = []

    def append(*args, **kwargs):
        tasks.append(task(*args, **kwargs))

    append('asr.setup.symmetrize',
           creates=['unrelaxed.json'],
           resources='1:10m')
    append('asr.relax --d3', resources='40:5h',
           restart=2,
           creates=['results-asr.relax.json'],
           deps='asr.setup.symmetrize')
    append('asr.database.material_fingerprint',
           creates=['results-asr.database.material_fingerprint.json'],
           resources='1:10m',
           deps="asr.relax+--d3")
    ...
    return tasks
```

## Workflow of ASR+Myqueue project

- ▶ Tell Myqueue about computational resources
- ▶ Define database of input geometries
- ▶ Split database into tree
- ▶ Define workflow file
- ▶ Run Myqueue on workflow and submit jobs
- ▶ Myqueue keeps track of failures, successes, etc.

## Links

- ▶ Documentation <https://asr.readthedocs.io/>
- ▶ Development, bugs <https://gitlab.com/asr-dev/asr>
- ▶ Community support on #asr on Matrix:  
<https://app.element.io/#/room/#asr:matrix.org>
- ▶ Myqueue: <https://myqueue.readthedocs.io/>