## Energy Dispersive X-Ray Fluorescence (ED-XRF) spectrometer

## Model No. : EX 3600 M, Jordan Valley, Israel

**Principle:** Characteristic x-rays, which are produced due to the de-excitation of atoms, provide un-ambiguous signature of the elements present in the sample.

## **Excitation Source:**

Low power (50 watt) Rh X-ray tube / Ge secondary target with provision for seven secondary filters to reduce the continuum background.

Detector: LEO Si(Li) detector having  $R=140 \pm 10$  eV at 5.9 keV of Mn K X-rays

Elements Range: Al to U, For Low Z elements He purging and Vacuum facility Concentration range: ppm to % level

Samples form which can be analysed: Solids, Liquids, Powders Nature of samples: Metallurgical, Biological, Geological, Forensic etc.

Type of Analysis at ACD, BARC: Quantitative, Qualitative, Rapid survey analysis for identification purposes

Determination of Cr, Cu, Zr, Nb, Al in alloy samples Determination of As, Hg etc. in ion exchange membranes , which are used for either preconcentration or separation Analysis of brass, steel, incoloy samples for the determination of elemental composition



