Data retention policy for the European XFEL

Storage class	Quota	Safety	Lifetime	Comment
dcache.raw	None	Tape Archive	6 months	Raw data on commodity disks
raw	None	None	2 months	Very fast accessible raw data, lifetime not guaranteed
usr	5TB	Snapshots + Tape Backup	24 months	User data, results
proc	None	None	6 months	Processed data (e.g. calibrated)
scratch	None	None	6 months	Temporary data (lifetime not guaranteed)
dcache.cal	None	Tape Archive	10 years	Calibration constants on commodity disks
cal	None	Tape archive	6 months	Very fast accessible calibration data
user home	20GB	Snapshots + Tape Backup	Lifetime of the account	Home folder for user account
archive.raw	None	-	Long-term	"Long term" means 5 years and XFEL will strive for 10 years
archive.cal	None	-	10 years	