
leicascanningtemplate Documentation

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class leicascanningtemplate.**ScanningTemplate** (*filename*)

Bases: object

Python object of Leica LAS Matrix Screener Scanning Template XML. Provides easy access to elements via attributes:

```
>>> tmp1 = ScanningTemplate('{ScanningTemplate}tmpl.xml')
>>> # attributes of MatrixScreenerTemplate/ScanningTemplate/Properties
>>> print(tmp1.properties.attrib)
```

Parameters **filename** (*str*) – XML to load.

filename

str

Path XML-filename.

root

lxml.objectify.ObjectifiedElement

Objectified root of loaded XML. See <http://lxml.de/objectify.html#the-lxml-objectify-api>

add_well (*well_x*, *well_y*, *start_x*, *start_y*)

Add well with associated scan fields. `self.wells[0]` and `self.fields[0]` will be used as base. ScanWellData will be added to ScanWellArray and ScanFieldData to ScanFieldArray. The amount of fields added is decided by Properties/CountOfScanFields.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –
- **start_x** (*int*) – In meters. FieldXCoordinate of first field in well.
- **start_y** (*int*) – In meters. FieldYCoordinate of first field in well.

Raises `ValueError` – If well or fields already exists.

count_of_assigned_jobs

Number of fields that have attrib['JobAssigned'] set to true.

count_of_wells

Number of wells in x/y-direction of template.

Returns (xs, ys) number of wells in x and y direction.

Return type tuple

field (*well_x=1*, *well_y=1*, *field_x=1*, *field_y=1*)

ScanFieldData of specified field.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –
- **field_x** (*int*) –
- **field_y** (*int*) –

Returns ScanFieldArray/ScanFieldData element.

Return type *lxml.objectify.ObjectifiedElement*

field_array

Short hand for `self.root.ScanFieldArray`

field_exists (*well_x*, *well_y*, *field_x*, *field_y*)

Check if field exists ScanFieldArray.

fields

All ScanFieldData elements.

Returns

Return type list of `objectify.ObjectifiedElement`

move_well (*well_x*, *well_y*, *start_x*, *start_y*)

Move well and associated scan fields. Spacing between fields will be what `Properties/ScanFieldStageDistance` is set to.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –
- **start_x** (*int*) – In meters. FieldXCoordinate of first field in well.
- **start_y** (*int*) – In meters. FieldYCoordinate of first field in well.

Raises `ValueError` – If specified well or associated fields does not exist.

properties

Short hand for `self.root.ScanningTemplate.Properties`

remove_well (*well_x*, *well_y*)

Remove well and associated scan fields.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –

Raises `AttributeError` – If well not found.

update_counts ()

Update counts of fields and wells.

update_start_position ()

Set start position of experiment to position of first field.

update_well_positions ()

Set `well_attr['FieldXStartCoordinate']` and `well_attr['FieldYStartCoordinate']` to `FieldXCoordinate` and `FieldYCoordinate` of first field in well.

well (*well_x=1*, *well_y=1*)

ScanWellData of specific well.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –

Returns

Return type `lxml.objectify.ObjectifiedElement`

well_array

Short hand for `self.root.ScanWellArray`

well_attrib (*well_x=1, well_y=1*)

Attributes of specific well.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –

Returns Attributes of ScanWellArray/ScanWellData.

Return type dict

well_exists (*well_x, well_y*)

Check if well exists in ScanWellArray.

well_fields (*well_x=1, well_y=1*)

All ScanFieldData elements of given well.

Parameters

- **well_x** (*int*) –
- **well_y** (*int*) –

Returns All ScanFieldData elements of given well.

Return type list of `lxml.objectify.ObjectifiedElement`

wells

All ScanWellData elements.

Returns

Return type list of `objectify.ObjectifiedElement`

write (*filename=None*)

Save template to xml. Before saving template will update date, start position, well positions, and counts.

Parameters **filename** (*str*) – If not set, XML will be written to `self.filename`.

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