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# **The DOE National Laboratories**

## **Brookhaven National Laboratory Community Advisory Council**

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Brookhaven Site Office  
September 11, 2014**

# Today's DOE Laboratories

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**Why do we have national laboratories?**

**Couldn't we simply outsource R&D to universities and industry?**



# Why do we have National Laboratories?

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- **Execute long-term government scientific and technological missions, often with complex security, safety, project management, or other operational challenges;**
- **Develop unique, often multidisciplinary, scientific capabilities beyond the scope of academic and industrial institutions, to benefit the Nation's researchers and national strategic priorities; and**
- **Develop and sustain critical scientific and technical capabilities to which the government requires assured access.**



# Why do we have National Laboratories?

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- To perform missions of national interest
- To perform “government only” missions
- To design, build and operate specialized scientific facilities that industry and academia will not/cannot
  - Usually very expensive to build *and* operate
  - Mostly available to user communities (academia, industry, national labs, others)
  - Designed and operated to meet user community needs



# DOE and Its Predecessors and the Formation of the National Laboratories



- **1942-1946 Manhattan Project, War Department Army Corps of Engineers**

- Wartime weapons development
- Foundations of first DOE multi-purpose national labs



- **1946-1974 Atomic Energy Commission created by the 1946 Atomic Energy Act (P.L. 79-585)**

- Research in basic nuclear processes, nuclear reactor technologies, use of nuclear materials for variety of purposes
- Establishment of several DOE national labs



- **1974-1977 Energy Research and Development Administration, a new energy R&D agency motivated by Arab oil embargo and created by (P.L. 93-438)**

- Research expands to include solar, fossil, geothermal, synthetic fuels, transmission, conservation, etc.



- **1977-present Department of Energy (P.L. 95-91)**

- Separation of management oversight of weapons and non-weapons labs and separation of basic and applied research
- Several DOE labs undergo transition to “open” labs with thousands of external visitors/users annually

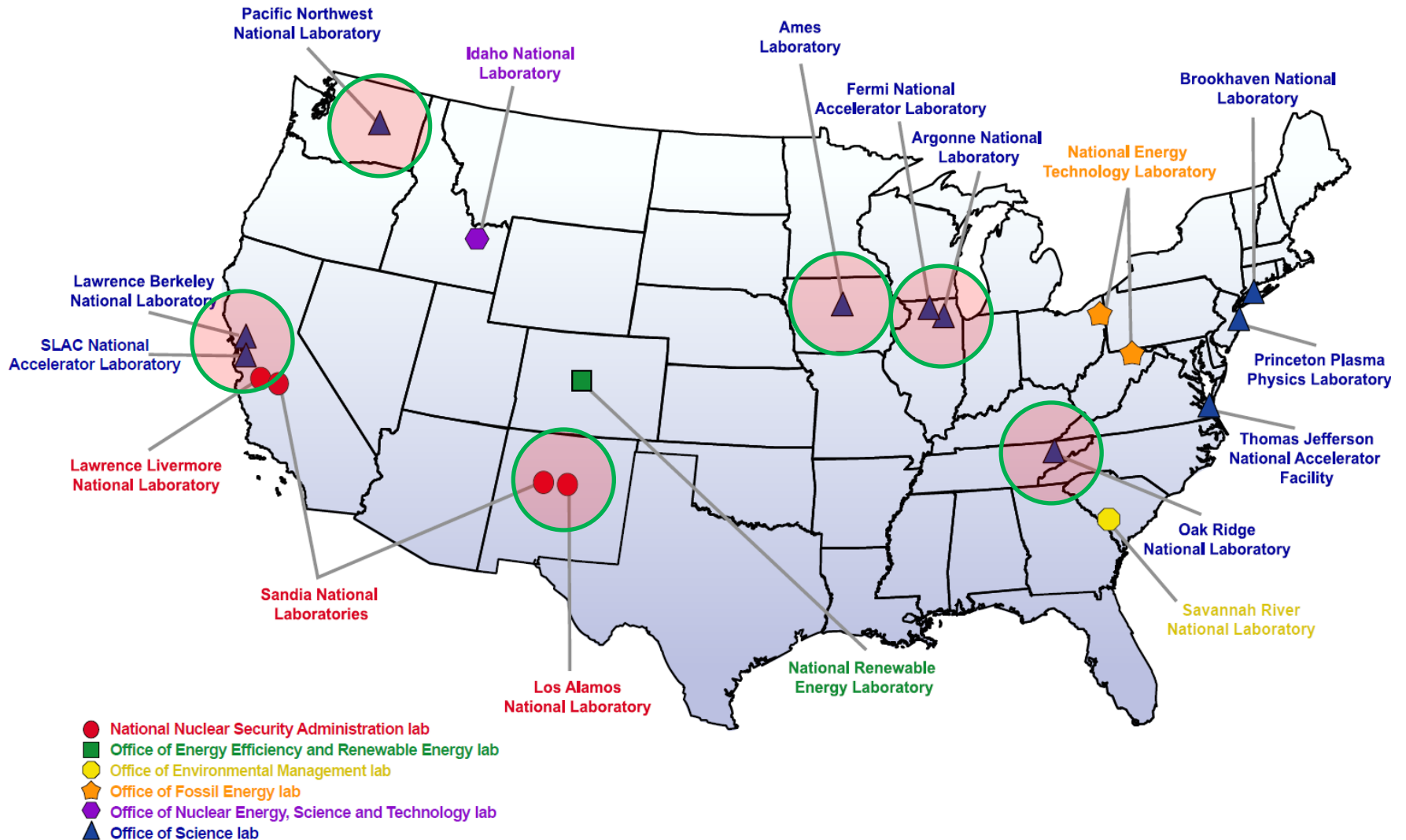
# Big Science and the Office of Science

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- Big science was born at the labs after WWII.
- Over time, big science begat the large suite of Office of Science user facilities.
- These facilities transformed the nature of the labs, and they define the Office of Science today.



# Today's DOE Laboratories



# DOE Laboratory Complex

- **Management model:**

- Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC)**

- Government-Owned Contractor-Operated (GOCO)
    - Federal program direction/oversight from HQ and Federal “site offices”
    - (except Fossil Energy’s National Energy Technology Laboratory, which is Government-Owned Government-Operated (GOGO))

- **Most Labs receive funds from multiple sources**

- **Each Lab is stewarded by one headquarters program office**

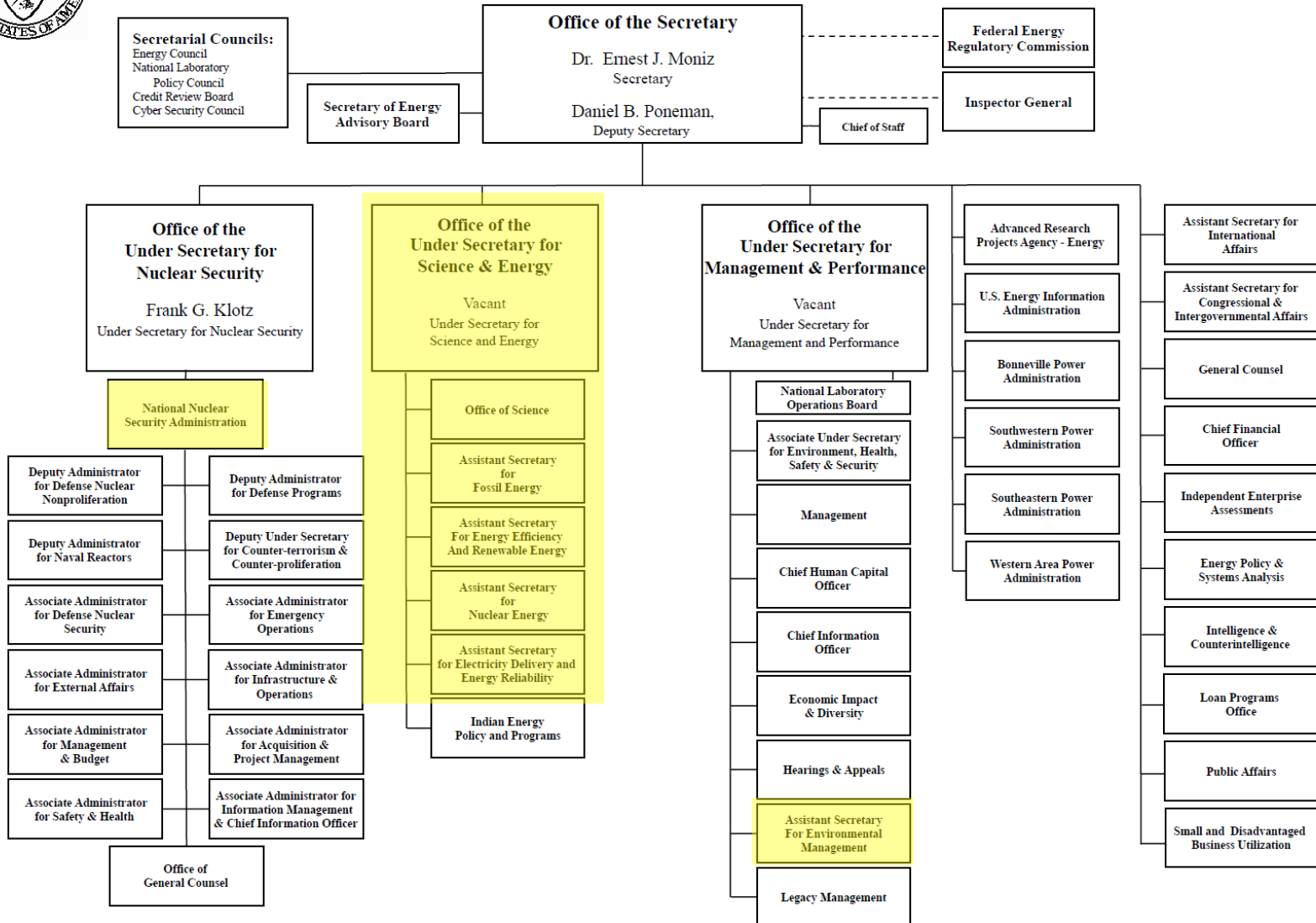
- 10 Office of Science (**Ames, Argonne, Berkeley, Brookhaven, Fermilab, Jefferson Lab, Oak Ridge, Princeton, PNNL, SLAC**)
  - 3 NNSA (**Los Alamos, Livermore, Sandia**)
  - 1 Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy (**NREL**)
  - 1 Environmental Management (**Savannah River**)
  - 1 Nuclear Energy (**Idaho**)
  - 1 Fossil Energy (**NETL**)





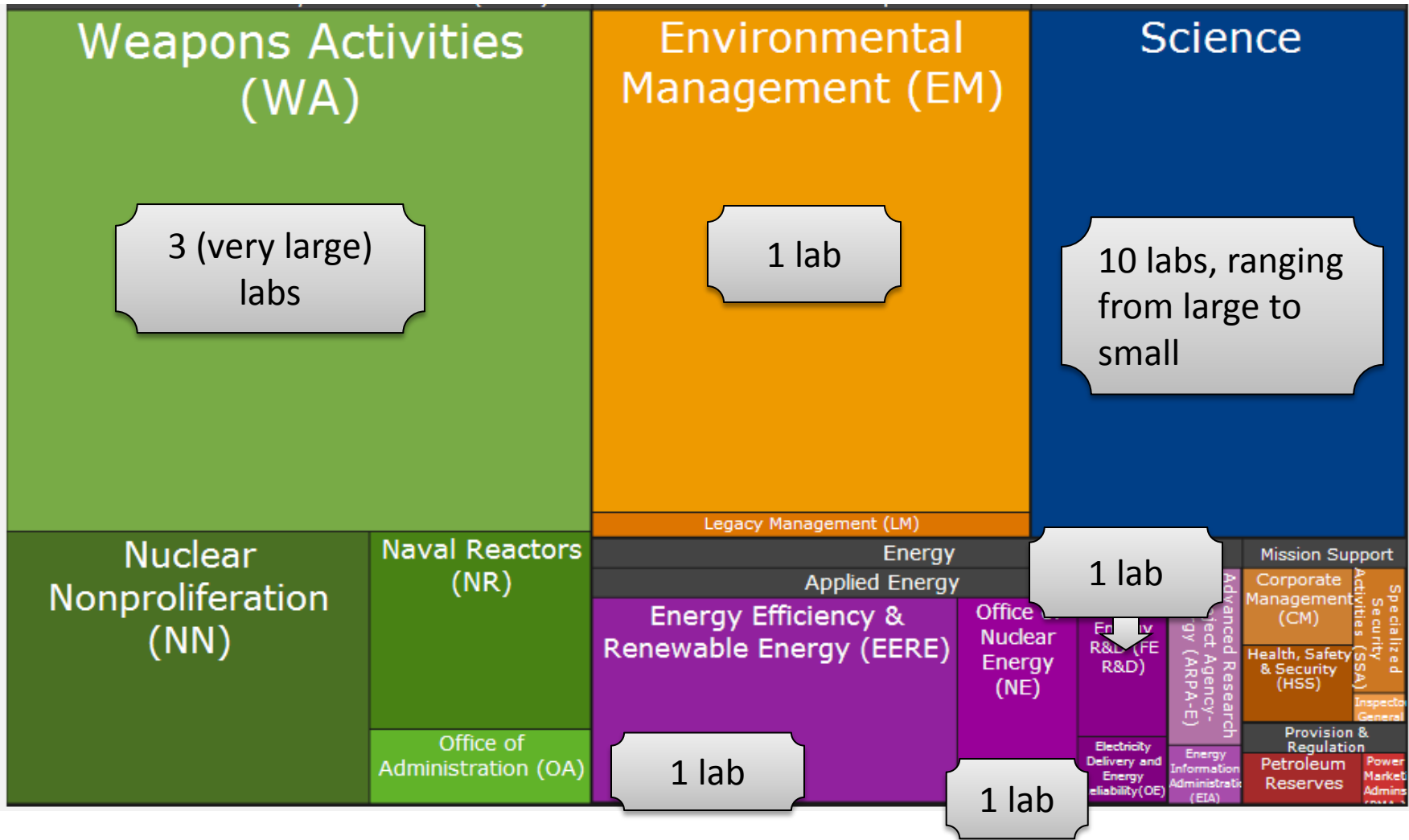


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= Stewards of laboratories

# The DOE Portfolio



Credit: DOE Office of the Chief Financial Officer



# The Office of Science (SC) Research Portfolio

## Basic Energy Sciences

- Understanding, predicting, and ultimately controlling matter and energy flow at the electronic, atomic, and molecular levels

## Advanced Scientific Computing Research

- Delivering world leading computational and networking capabilities to extend the frontiers of science and technology

## Biological and Environmental Research

- Understanding complex biological, climatic, and environmental systems

## Fusion Energy Sciences

- Building the scientific foundations for a fusion energy source

## High Energy Physics

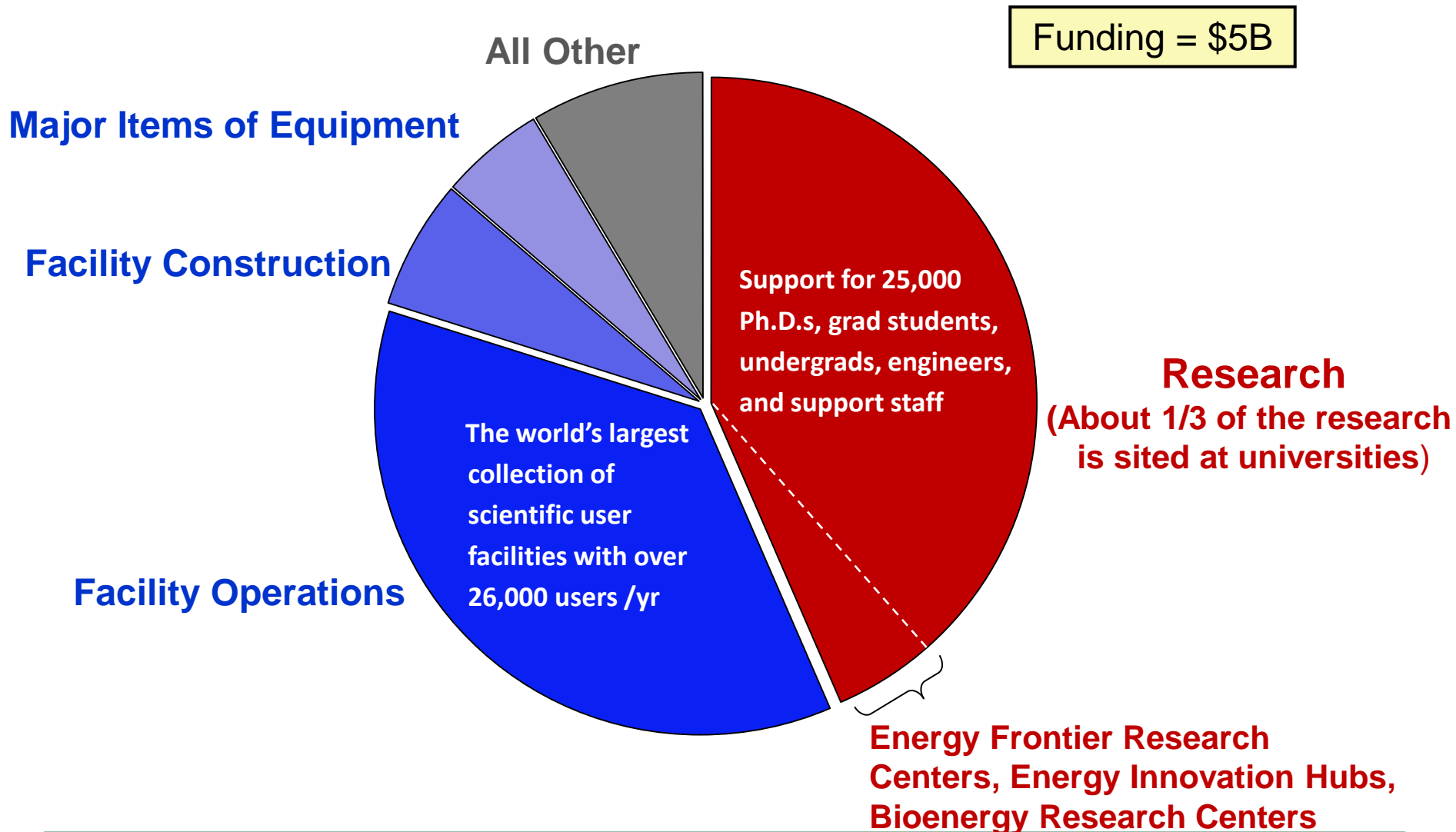
- Understanding how the universe works at its most fundamental level

## Nuclear Physics

- Discovering, exploring, and understanding all forms of nuclear matter



# Research and Facilities in the Office of Science



# Office of Science User Facilities



**31 world-leading facilities serving over 29,000 researchers annually**

- **supercomputers,**
- **high intensity x-ray, neutron, and electron sources,**
- **nanoscience facilities,**
- **genomic sequencing facilities,**
- **particle accelerators,**
- **fusion/plasma physics facilities, and**
- **atmospheric monitoring capabilities.**
- Open access; allocation determined through peer review of proposals
- Free for non-proprietary work published in the open literature
- Full cost recovery for proprietary work



# Work for Others

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- **National Labs are authorized to conduct work for “others” or non-DOE customers provided:**
  - Work is consistent with lab mission and capabilities
  - Lab does not compete with industry or commercially available services
  - Restrictions on pricing and future liabilities
- **Important source of capabilities for the nation**
- **Important and often significant source of revenue for the labs**





# Characteristics of a National Lab

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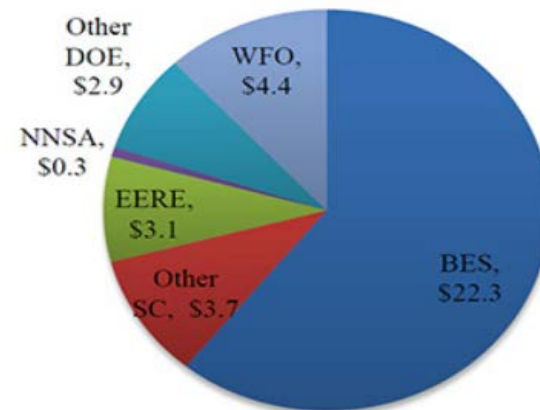
- Size and location
- Core capabilities
- Funding sources
- Facilities



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### Office of Science (SC) Programs:

ASCR = Advanced Scientific Research Computing  
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 FES = Fusion Energy Sciences  
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 NP = Nuclear Physics

## Quick Facts

- Location: Ames, Iowa
- 8 acres and 12 buildings
- 310 Full Time Employees
- 149 Students

FY14 Budget  
 (enacted): \$33M

## Core Capabilities

- Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science
- Chemical and Molecular Science
- Applied Materials Science and Engineering



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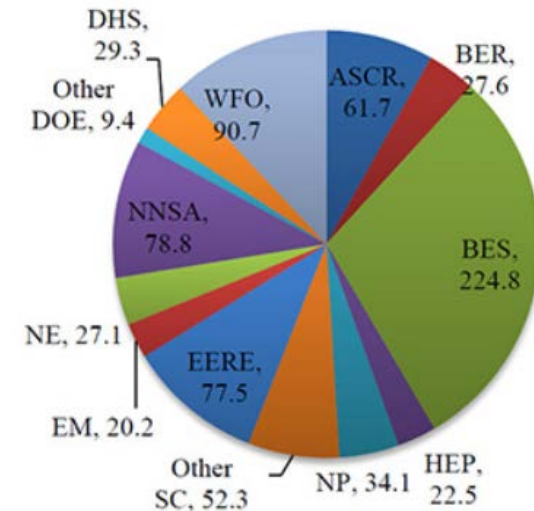
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## Quick Facts

- Location: Argonne, Illinois
- 1,500 acres and 99 buildings
- 3,402 Full Time Employees
- 812 Students
- 5,525 Facility Users
- 979 Visiting Scientists

FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$559M



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# Office of Science Laboratories



## Core Capabilities

- Particle Physics
- Nuclear Physics
- Accelerator Science and Technology
- Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science
- Chemical and Molecular Science
- Applied Mathematics
- Advanced Computer Science, Visualization, and Data
- Applied Nuclear Science and Technology
- Applied Materials Science and Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Systems Engineering and Integration
- Large Scale User Facilities / Advanced Instrumentation

## Office of Science User Facilities

- Advanced Photon Source (APS)
- Argonne Leadership Computing Facility (ALCF)
- Center for Nanoscale Materials (CNM)
- Electron Microscopy Center (EMC)
- Argonne Tandem Linac Accelerator System (ATLAS)
- ARM Climate Research Facility

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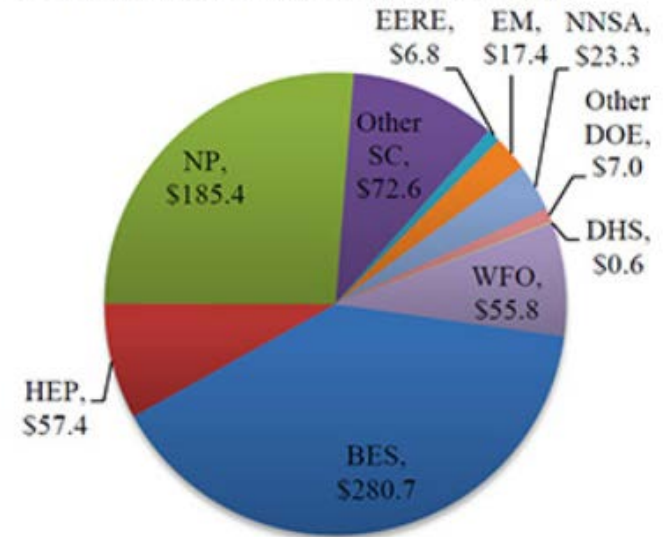




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## Quick Facts

- Location: Upton, New York
- 5,320 acres and 302 buildings
- 2,989 Full Time Employees
- 399 Students
- 4,427 Facility Users
- 1,348 Visiting Scientists

**FY14 Budget  
 (enacted): \$504M**



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- Chemical and Molecular Science
- Climate Change Science
- Biological Systems Science
- Applied Nuclear Science and Technology
- Applied Materials Science and Engineering
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## Office of Science User Facilities

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- Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider (RHIC)
- Center for Functional Nanomaterials (CFN)
- ARM Climate Research Facility

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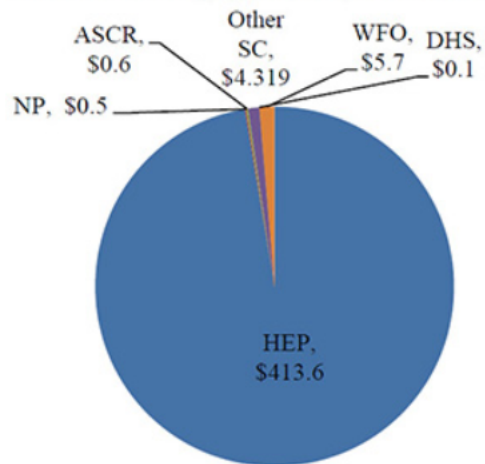
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## Quick Facts

- Location: Batavia, Illinois
- 6,800 acres and 362 buildings
- 1,757 Full Time Employees
- 4,300 Facility Users
- 32 Visiting Scientists

FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$423M

## Core Capabilities

- Particle Physics
- Accelerator Science and Technology
- Large Scale User Facilities / Advanced Instrumentation

## Office of Science User Facilities

- Fermilab Accelerator Complex



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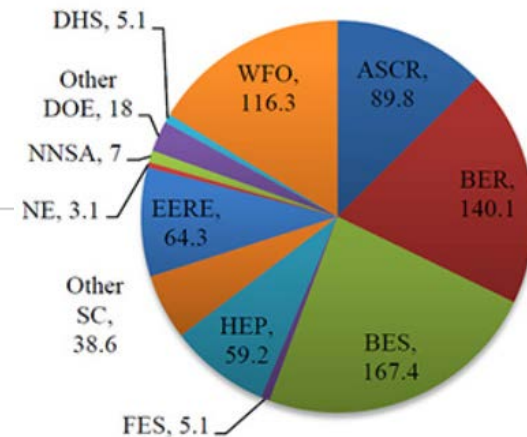
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## Quick Facts

- Location: Berkeley, California
- 202 acres (leased) and 97 buildings
- 3,395 Full Time Employees
- 493 Students
- 9,330 Facility Users
- 1,524 Visiting Scientists

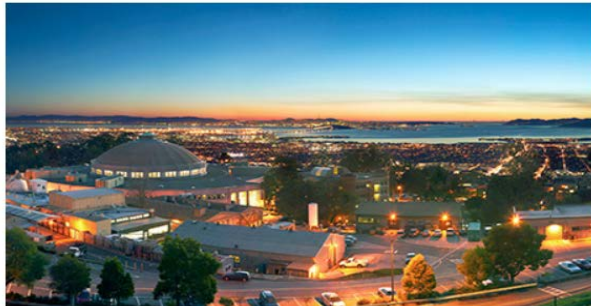
FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$566M



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## Core Capabilities

- Particle Physics
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- Accelerator Science and Technology
- Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science
- Chemical and Molecular Science
- Biological Systems Science
- Environmental Subsurface Science
- Climate Change Science
- Applied Mathematics
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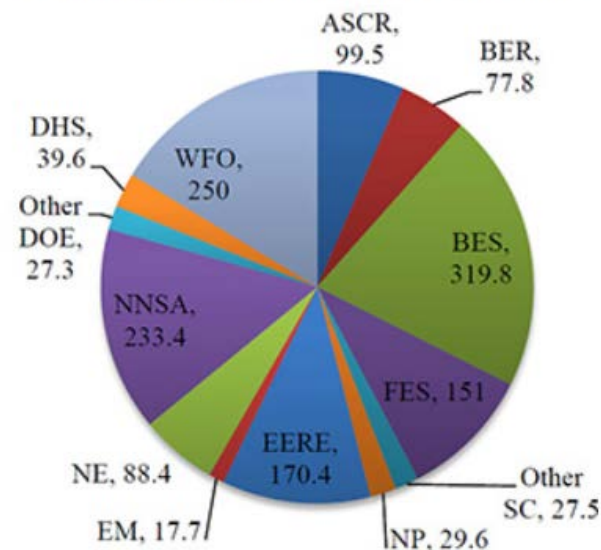
- Advanced Light Source (ALS)
- Molecular Foundry
- Joint Genome Institute (JGI)
- National Energy Research Computing Center (NERSC)
- Energy Sciences Network (ESnet)
- National Center for Electron Microscopy (NCEM)
- ARM Climate Research Facility



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## Quick Facts

- Location: Oak Ridge, Tennessee
- 4,421 acres and 196 buildings
- 4,368 Full Time Employees
- 520 Students
- 3,115 Facility Users
- 2,280 Visiting Scientists

FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$1.05B



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- Nuclear Physics
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## Office of Science User Facilities

- Spallation Neutron Source (SNS)
- High Flux Isotope Reactor (HFIR)
- Oak Ridge Leadership Computing Facility (OLCF)
- Center for Nanophase Materials Sciences (CNMS)
- Shared Research Equipment User Facility (ShaRE)
- ARM Climate Research Facility

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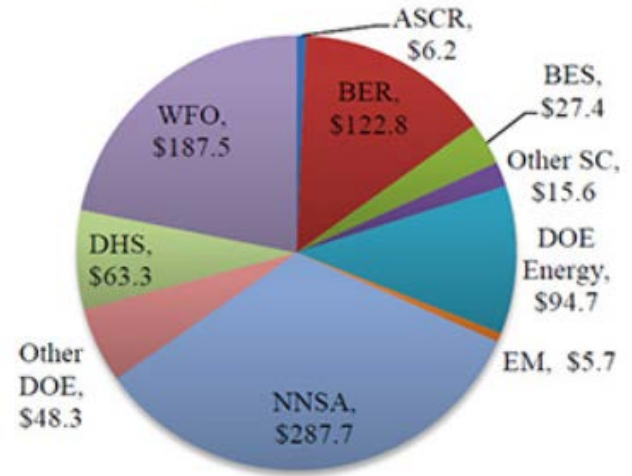
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## Quick Facts

- Location: Richland, Washington
- 670 acres and 95 buildings
- 3,922 Full Time Employees
- 366 Students
- 2,400 Facility Users
- 49 Visiting Scientists

FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$566M



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## Core Capabilities

- Chemical and Molecular Science
- Climate Change Science
- Biological Systems Science
- Environmental Subsurface Science
- Advanced Computer Science, Visualization, and Data Science
- Applied Nuclear Science and Technology
- Applied Materials Science and Engineering
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## Office of Science User Facilities

- Environmental Molecular Sciences Laboratory (EMSL)
- ARM Climate Research Facility

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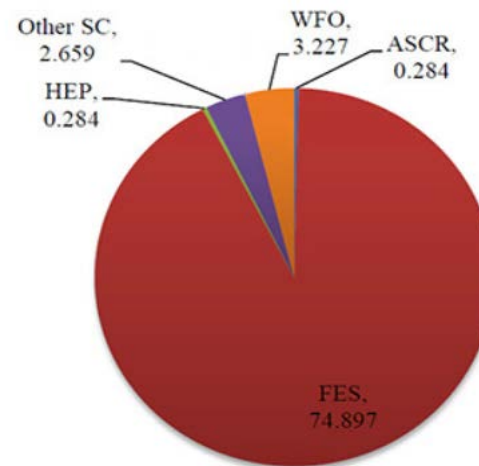
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**Quick Facts**

- Location: Princeton, New Jersey
- 88.5 acres and 34 buildings
- 414 Full Time Employees
- 40 Students
- 300 Visiting Scientists

**FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$77M**

**Core Capabilities**

- Plasma and Fusion Energy Sciences
- Large Scale User Facilities / Advanced Instrumentation

**Office of Science User Facilities**

- National Spherical Torus Experiment (NSTX)



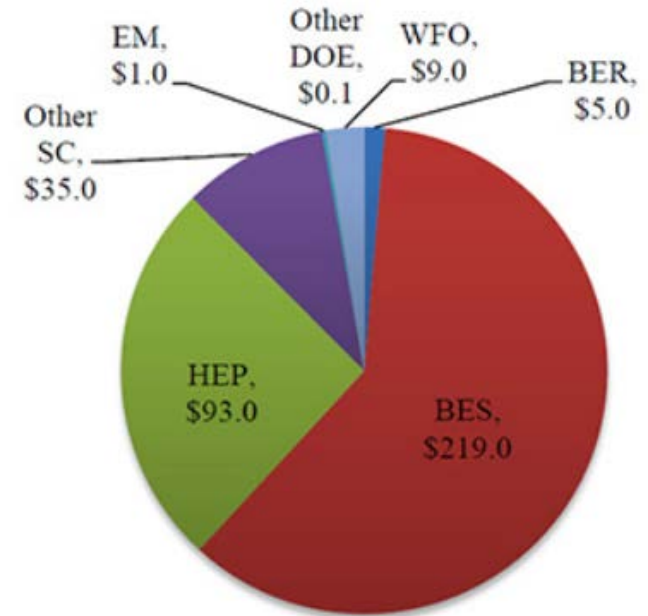
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## Quick Facts

- Location: Menlo Park, California
- 426 acres and 151 buildings
- 1,684 Full Time Employees
- 124 Students
- 3,411 Facility Users
- 31 Visiting Scientists

FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$398M



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## Core Capabilities

- Particle Physics
- Accelerator Science and Technology
- Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science
- Chemical and Molecular Science
- Large Scale User Facilities / Advanced Instrumentation

## Office of Science User Facilities

- Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Lightsource (SSRL)
- Linac Coherent Light Source (LCLS)
- Facility for Advanced Accelerator Experimental Tests (FACET)

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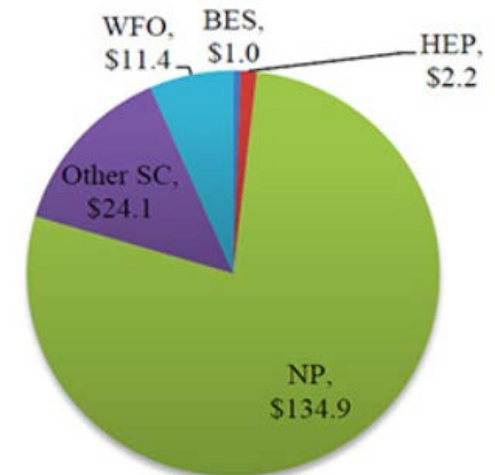


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**Jefferson Lab**  
Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility

**FY 2012 Funding by Source (Costs in \$M)**



## Quick Facts

- Location: Newport News, Virginia
- 169 acres and 83 buildings and trailers
- 759 Full Time Employees
- 43 Students
- 1,385 Facility Users

**FY14 Budget  
(enacted): \$163M**

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**Jefferson Lab**  
Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility

## Core Capabilities

- Nuclear Physics
- Accelerator Science and Technology
- Applied Nuclear Science and Technology
- Large Scale User Facilities / Advanced Instrumentation

## Office of Science User Facilities

- Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility (CEBAF)

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# National Nuclear Security Administration Labs (FY14 Budget)



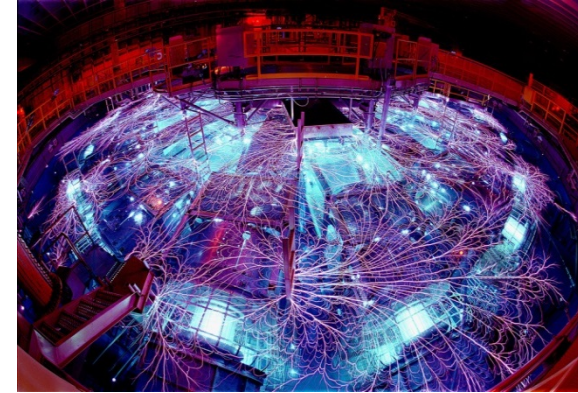
## Lawrence Livermore (\$1.1B)

Responsible for the safety and reliability of the nuclear explosives package in nuclear weapons; supports surveillance, assessment, and refurbishment of the nuclear weapons stockpile.



## Los Alamos (\$1.9B)

Responsible for the safety and reliability of the nuclear explosives package in nuclear weapons; possesses unique capabilities in neutron scattering, enhanced surveillance, radiography, and plutonium science and engineering.



## Sandia Laboratories (\$1.7B)

Responsible for the development, testing, and production of specialized nonnuclear components and quality assurance and systems engineering for all US nuclear weapons.



# Other National Laboratories



## **SAVANNAH RIVER (\$15.9M)**

### **Office of Environmental Management**

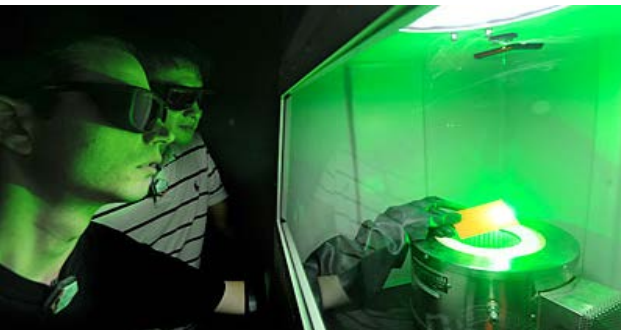
Creates, tests and deploys solutions the technological challenges in three key areas: national and homeland security, energy security, and environmental management



## **NATIONAL RENEWABLE ENERGY LABORATORY (\$270M)**

### **Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy**

Renewable energy/energy efficiency research and development; advances related science and engineering, and transfers knowledge and innovations to address nation's energy/environmental goals.



## **IDAHO NATIONAL LABORATORY (\$1.07B)**

### **Office of Nuclear Energy, Science and Technology**

Science-based applied engineering supporting nuclear and energy research, science, and national defense.





# Other National Laboratories



## **NATIONAL ENERGY TECHNOLOGY LABORATORY (\$731M)**

**Offices of Fossil Energy, Energy  
Efficiency & Renewable Energy, and  
Electricity Delivery & Energy Reliability**

Implements energy and environmental research and development programs, including those related to domestic coal, natural gas, and oil to power homes, industries, businesses, and transportation.



# Office of Science Laboratory Links

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar containing <http://science.energy.gov/>. The website header includes navigation links for SC Home, Organization, Jobs, and Contact, along with a DOE Home link. The main content area features the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Science logo and a search bar. A navigation menu is displayed with the following items: Programs, Laboratories, User Facilities, Universities, Funding Opportunities, Discovery & Innovation, News, and About. The Laboratories menu is expanded, showing a list of links: Ames Laboratory, Argonne National Laboratory, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory, SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory, Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility, Laboratory Policy and Evaluation, Safety, Security and Infrastructure, and Science Highlights. A large image of three observatories under a starry sky is visible on the right side of the page. At the bottom, there is a text box stating: "The Office of Science (SC) is the single largest supporter of basic research in the physical sciences in the United States." and a social media section with icons for Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and LinkedIn, accompanied by the text "Connect with DOE: These links are subject to the DOE disclaimer."

# National Nuclear Security Administration Lab/Facility Links

The screenshot shows the homepage of the National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA). At the top, the browser address bar displays <http://www.nnsa.energy.gov/>. The website header includes the NNSA logo, a search bar, and navigation links for People, Mission, About, Media, and Jobs. The main content area is divided into several sections: Latest News, Our Locations, Blog, and Our History. The Latest News section lists several recent events, including a WMD workshop and various awards. The Our Locations section lists eight facilities with their respective state flags. The Our History section features a photograph of a signing ceremony on March 05, 1970, with the caption 'NPT Signed'. At the bottom, there are social media links for Facebook, Twitter, Youtube, and Flickr.

<http://www.nnsa.energy.gov/>

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### Latest News

- ▶ NNSA, Sultanate of Oman Conduct WMD Terrorism-Related Commodities Workshop and Counterterrorism Tabletop Exercise
- ▶ 'Lollachilpalooza' benefits Feds Feed Families effort
- ▶ Sandia receives four tech transfer awards
- ▶ Under Secretary Klotz Speaks at 2014 STRATCOM Deterrence Symposium
- ▶ SRNS signs on as industry partner for Nuclear Engineering Technology Education
- ▶ Los Alamos Scientist Wins American Chemical Society Award

### Our Locations

- ▶ Kansas City Plant
- ▶ Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
- ▶ Los Alamos National Laboratory
- ▶ Nevada National Security Site
- ▶ Pantex Plant
- ▶ Sandia National Laboratories
- ▶ Savannah River Site
- ▶ Y-12 National Security Complex
- ▶ Albuquerque Complex

### Our History

March 05, 1970

▶ NPT Signed

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