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## Briefing for the Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee

### FY05 Budget Request For the Office of Science

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# The Office of Science

## FY 05 Budget Request

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(dollars in thousands)

	FY 2003 Comparable Approp.	FY 2004 Comparable Approp.	FY 2005 President's Request	FY 2005 Request vs. FY 2004 Appropriation	
<b>Science</b>					
Basic Energy Sciences.....	1,001,941	1,010,591	1,063,530	+52,939	+5.2%
Advanced Scientific Computing Research.....	163,185	202,292	204,340	+2,048	+1.0%
Biological & Environmental Research.....	494,360	641,454	501,590	-139,864	-21.8%
<i>Congressionally-directed projects.....</i>	<i>(51,927)</i>	<i>(140,762)</i>	<i>(—)</i>	<i>(-140,762)</i>	<i>(-100.0%)</i>
<i>Core Biological and Environmental Research.....</i>	<i>(442,433)</i>	<i>(500,692)</i>	<i>(501,590)</i>	<i>(+898)</i>	<i>(+0.2%)</i>
High Energy Physics.....	702,038	733,631	737,380	+3,749	+0.5%
Nuclear Physics.....	370,655	389,623	401,040	+11,417	+2.9%
Fusion Energy Sciences.....	240,695	262,555	264,110	+1,555	+0.6%
Science Laboratories Infrastructure.....	45,109	54,280	29,090	-25,190	-46.4%
Science Program Direction.....	137,425	152,581	155,268	+2,687	+1.8%
Workforce Development for Scientists & Teachers.....	5,392	6,432	7,660	+1,228	+19.1%
Small Business Innovation Research/Technology Transfer.....	100,172	—	—	—	—
Safeguards and Security.....	61,272	56,730	67,710	+10,980	+19.4%
<b>Subtotal, Science.....</b>	<b>3,322,244</b>	<b>3,510,169</b>	<b>3,431,718</b>	<b>-78,451</b>	<b>-2.2%</b>
Use of prior year balances.....	—	-10,000	—	+10,000	+100.0%
<b>Total, Science.....</b>	<b>3,322,244</b>	<b>3,500,169</b>	<b>3,431,718<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>-68,451</b>	<b>-2.0%</b>
<i>Total, excluding Congressionally-directed projects.....</i>	<i>(3,270,317)</i>	<i>(3,359,407)</i>	<i>(3,431,718)</i>	<i>(+72,311)</i>	<i>(+2.2%)</i>

<sup>a</sup> Note, when compared to the FY 2004 request (comparable), the FY 2005 request increases \$104,885,000 (3.2%).



# Office of Science FY05 Priorities

Science increases 2.2% after Congressionally directed projects are set aside

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## ■ Research Priorities

- ITER Negotiations and Supporting R&D (\$38M, +30M)
  - Next Generation Computational Architecture and continued development of leadership class computation (\$38M, Sustains FY04 congressional increase of \$30M)
  - Nanoscale Science, Engineering, & Technology (\$211M, +8M)
  - Hydrogen Production, Storage, and Use (\$49M, +21M)
  - Genomics: GTL, including Project Engineering & Design for Protein Production and Tags Facility (\$80M, +9M)
  - Climate Change Science Program (\$134M, +1M)
  - Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing (SciDAC) (\$64M, +2M)
  - Workforce – Increase Laboratory Science Teachers Professional Development (\$1.5M, +0.5M) and minority serving institution faculty sabbatical program (\$0.5M)
  - R&D for new facilities - RIA, BTeV (*Fermilab*), 12 GeV Upgrade (*Thomas Jefferson*) to explore the fundamental nature of energy & matter (\$15M, +5M)
  - Linac Coherent Light Source R&D, PED and long lead procurements (\$54M, +45M)
- **Return on Investments: User Facility Operations at 95% of optimum vs. 92% in FY04** (\$1,383M, +43M)
- **Safeguards & Security Enhanced Readiness** (\$68M, +11M)



# FY05 Budget Highlights

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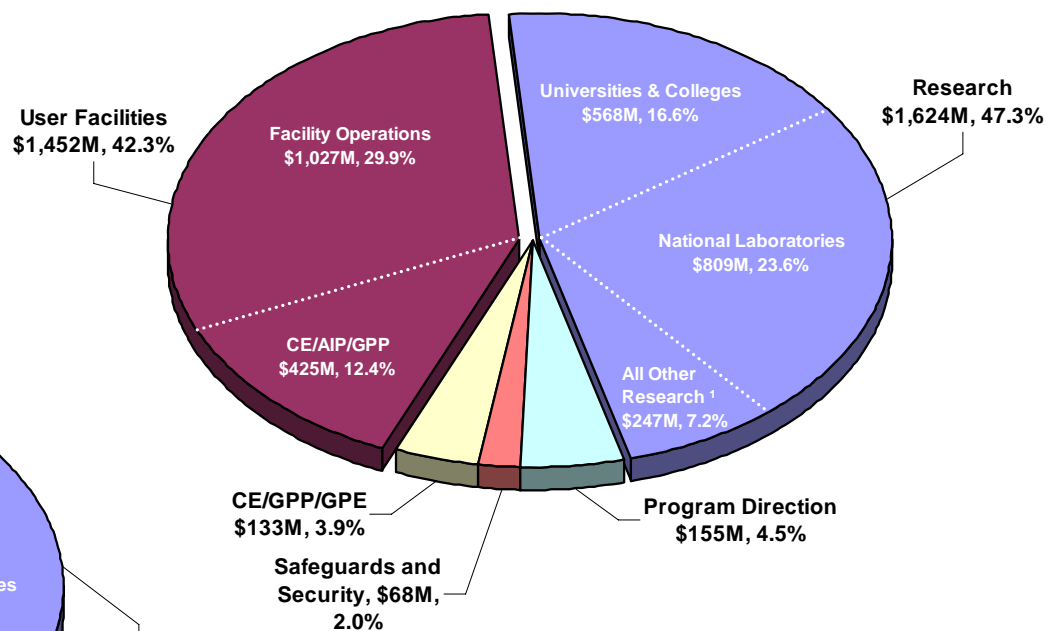
- **ITER – The Path to Fusion Power**
  - *Demonstrate the scientific and technological feasibility of creating and controlling a sustained burning plasma.*
  - *Negotiations with China, South Korea, the European Union, Japan, and the Russian Federation*
- **High End Computing – Leadership Class Machines**
- **Science Enabling the Hydrogen Economy**
  - **Production:** *using sunlight through photovoltaic electrolysis, photoelectro chemistry, or artificial photosynthesis; thermochemical splitting of water; microbial production.*
  - **Storage:** *nanostructured materials; metallic, light, and complex hydrides; novel storage materials based on nitrides and imides; improved kinetics of hydrogen uptake and release*
  - **Fuel Cells:** *Novel membranes, new electrocatalysts, understanding fuel oxidation in porous ceramics and composites, lower temperature ionic conductors.*
- **Linac Coherent Light Source X-Ray Free Electron Laser– A New Window on Nature**
  - *Stop action pictures of chemical reaction dynamics will enable development of new catalysts and chemical processes.*
  - *Detailed structural studies of single macromolecules and their reactions, providing a revolutionary experimental tool for biologists and chemists.*
- **Protein Production and Tags Facility – Accelerating Genomic Research**
  - *Mass produces proteins directly from genome data, identifying and creating “tags” to allow researchers nationwide to understand the functions of these proteins in living systems.*
  - *Needed to harness microbes for DOE missions, e.g: hydrogen production, carbon sequestration, bioremediation*



# The Office of Science FY 05 Budget Request

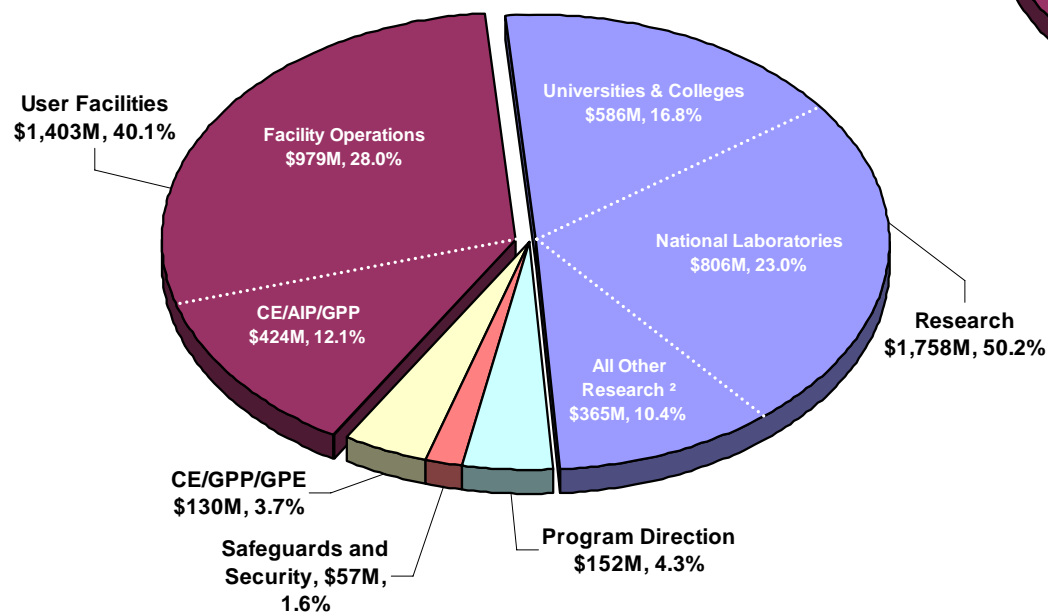
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FY 2005 Request, \$3,432 Million



<sup>1</sup> includes funding for non-profits, other federal agencies, and private institutions.

FY 2004 Appropriation, \$3,500 Million



<sup>2</sup> includes funding for non-profits, other federal agencies, private institutions, and Congressionally-directed projects.



## Why OneSC?

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*“Ensuring SC research continues to deliver top quality science requires becoming “best in class” in our management practices, including utilizing existing resources more effectively. We must provide our employees a management environment in which success and high performance can continue in the face of changing resources, requirements, and societal needs.”*

*Dr. Raymond Orbach*



## Key Points

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- Phase 1
  - Structurally integrates and conforms SC program, operational, and support elements
  - Clarifies Roles, Responsibilities, Authorities and Accountabilities (R2A2s)
  - Removes a layer of management between the Director and the Laboratory Site Managers
  - No relocations, involuntary separations or reductions-in-force planned or expected
- Phase 2 will
  - Improve efficiency through process reengineering
  - Bring coherence to SC performance by focusing everyone in SC on the science mission
- First Major Change in Decades



## Previous SC Structure was overly complex

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- Line and staff roles not well understood
- Business practices vary
- Many M&O contractors did not have a single DOE point of contact and authority
- Mixed lines of authority and accountability for Site Offices
  - 7 reported to SC Operations Offices (CH & OR)
  - 1 reported to an EM Operations Office (RL)
  - 2 reported to SC Headquarters but supported by NNSA





# OneSC Structure

