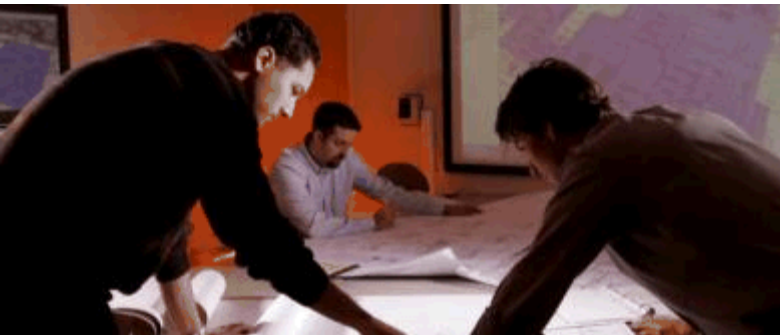


*Exceptional service in the national interest*



Len Napolitano, Ph.D.

Director

Computer Sciences & Information Systems

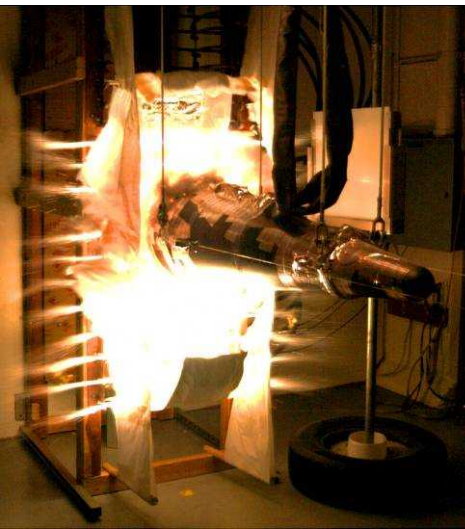
Sandia National Laboratories

*An Overview*



# We have four mission areas . . .

- Nuclear Weapons
- Defense Systems and Assessments
- Energy, Resources and Nonproliferation
- Homeland Security and Defense



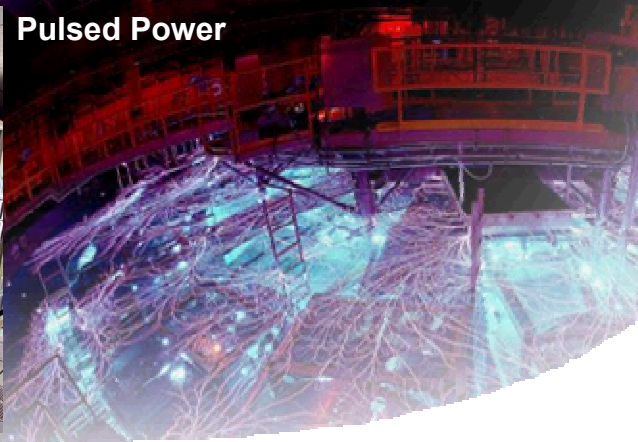
... enabled by strong science and engineering.

## Our Research Disciplines

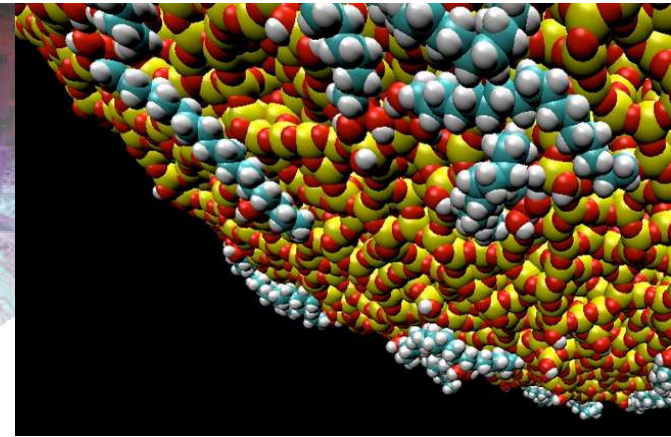
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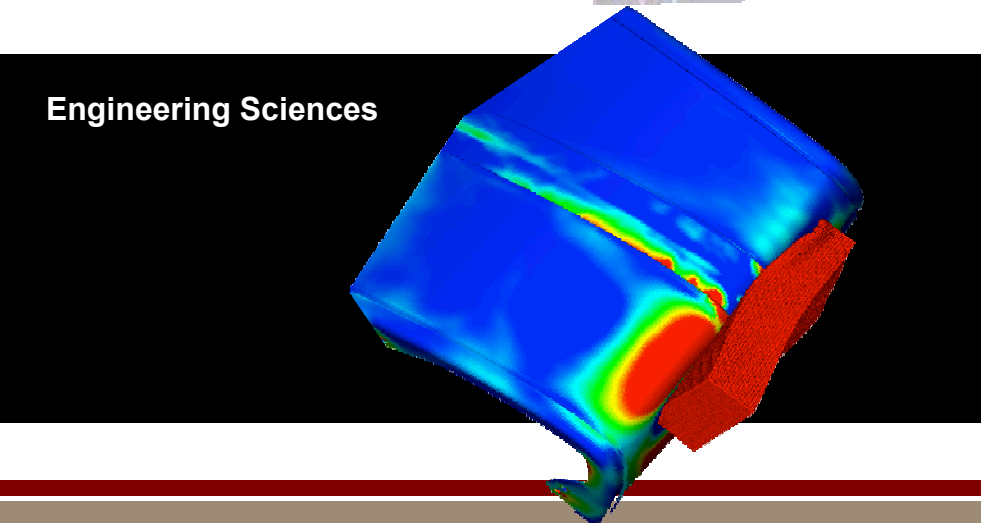
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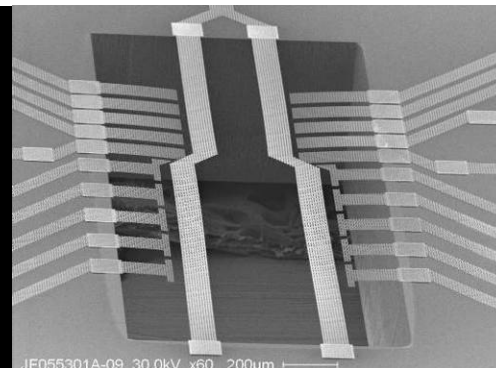
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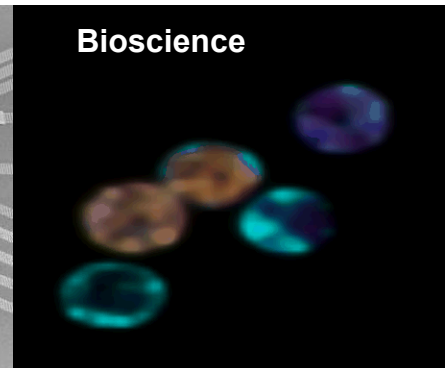
Engineering Sciences



Micro Electronics



Bioscience



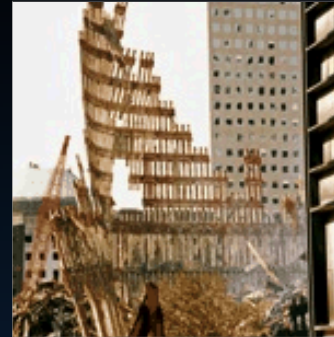


# Sandia's Impact



## Cleanroom invented 1963

\$50 billion worth of cleanrooms built worldwide. It's used in hospitals, laboratories and manufacturing plants today.



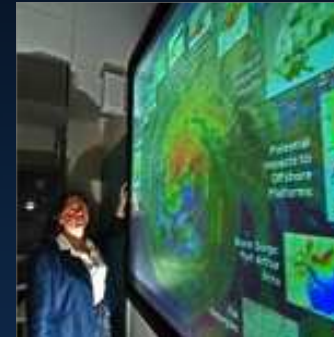
## 9/11

Sandia sets contingency plans for release of materials and aircraft attacks on critical facilities. Search dogs equipped with cameras for search and rescue K-9 handlers



## 2008 Satellite Takedown

Red Storm computing helps shoot down rogue satellite



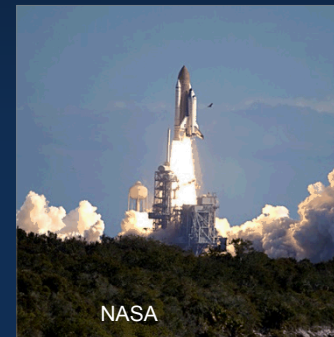
## Hurricane Katrina

Sandia is called to assess flooding & infrastructure failures



## Fukushima

Sandia helps cleanup radioactive wastewater



## Columbia Tragedy

Sandia scientists and engineers are called to investigate the disaster and how to prevent it from happening again.



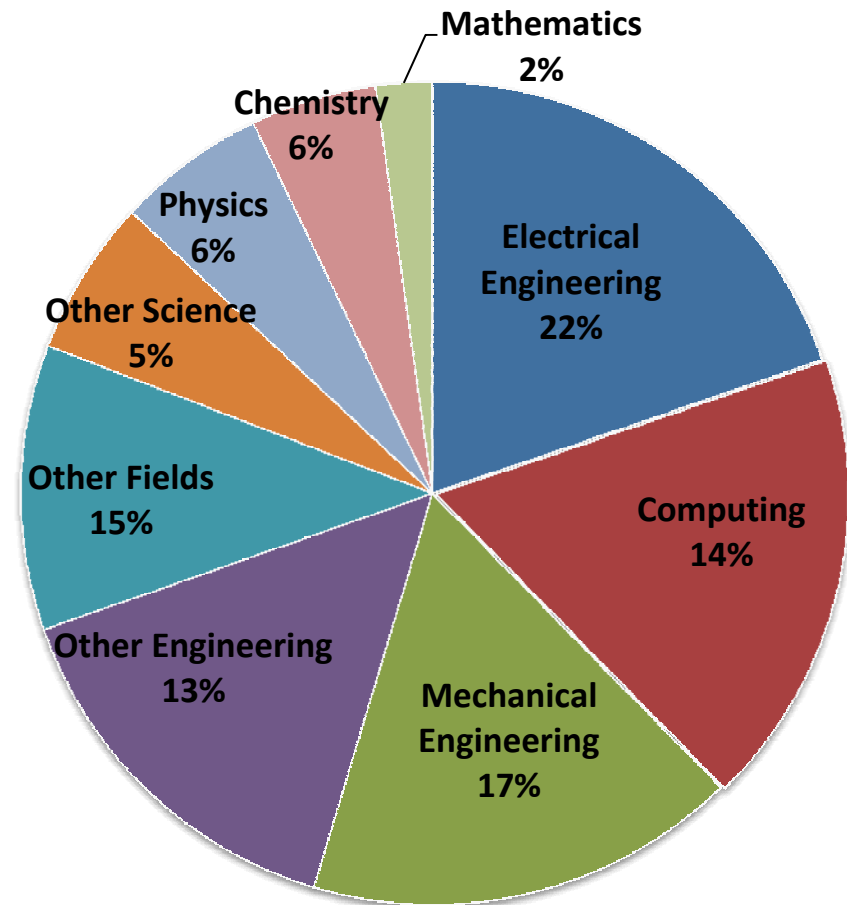
# Our Workforce

- On-site workforce: 11,711
- Regular employees: 9,494
- Gross payroll: ~\$1.046 billion

*Data as of April 12, 2013*



## R&D staff (4,799) by discipline



# Computational Science in action: Assuring the nation's nuclear stockpile safety



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## System Engineers

- Do our systems meet safety requirements in an accident?
- Can we adjust system design or operational procedures to improve safety?



## Analysts

- How do we use M&S to answer safety questions in the absence of testing?
- How can we address uncertainties given computationally expensive simulations?



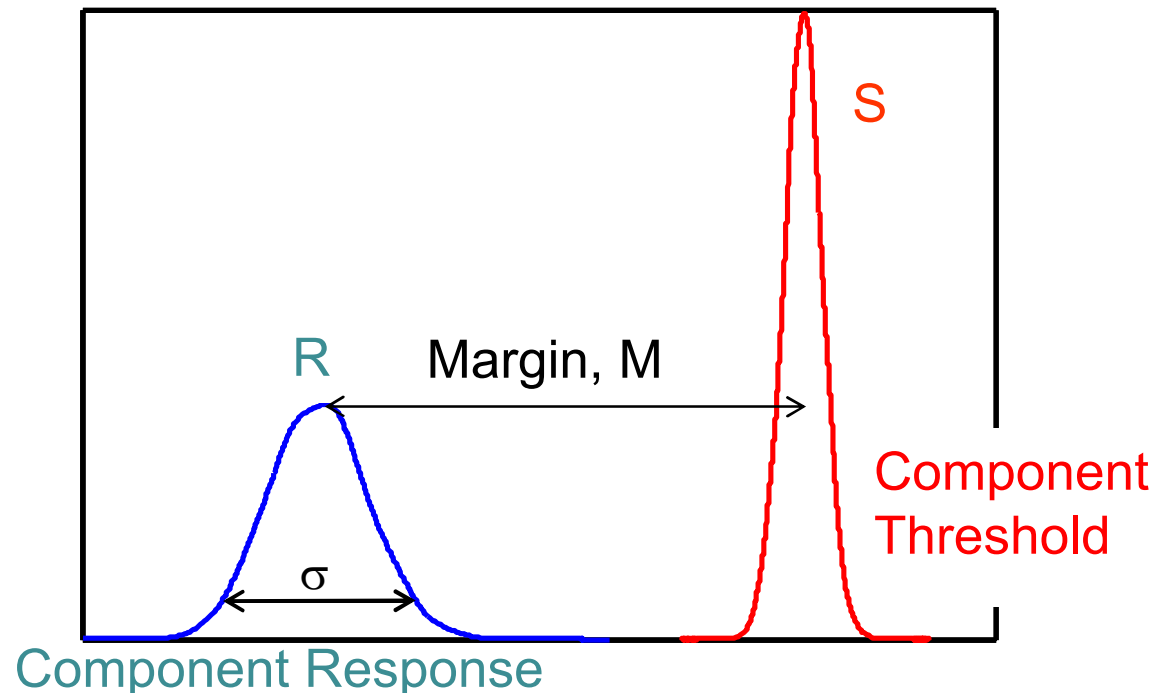
## Computational Scientists

- What new mathematical models and numerical/statistical methods are needed?
- How do we implement these efficiently in software on advanced architectures?

# Quantification of Margins and Uncertainty (QMU) is Sandia National Laboratories the framework for addressing safety questions

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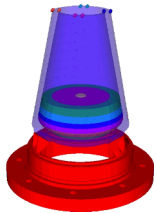
- Quantifies the performance thresholds and associated margins for systems made under conditions of uncertainty
- Margin - Difference between system's nominal/median performance vs. a do-not-exceed threshold.



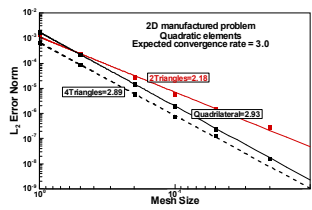


# Verification and validation (V&V) and QMU provide a rigorous basis for credible computational simulation supporting risk-informed decision making

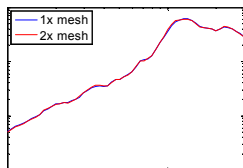
## Representation and Geometric Fidelity



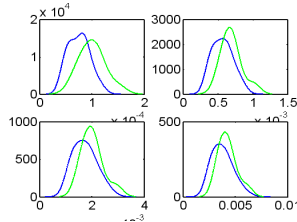
## Code Verification



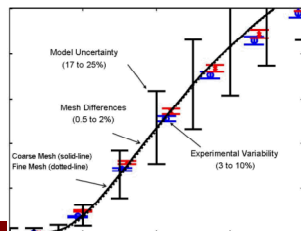
## Solution Verification



## Model Validation



## Uncertainty Quantification

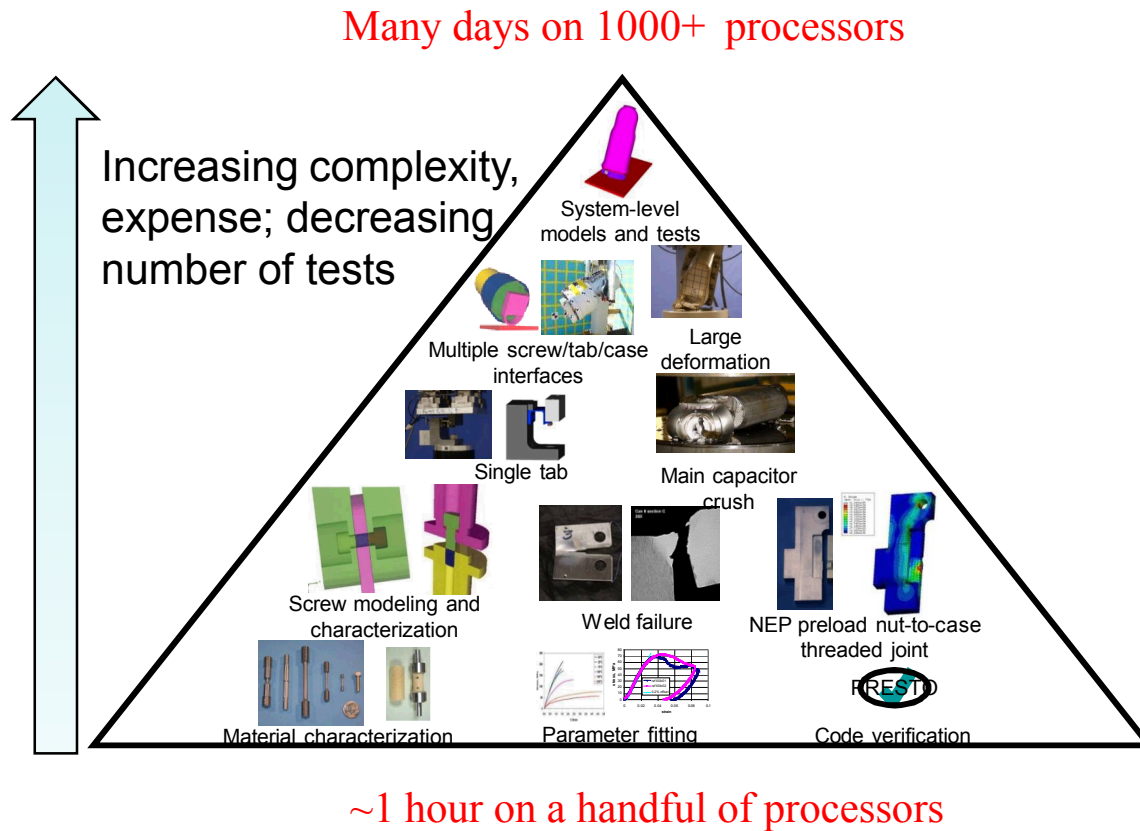


## Credibility Assessment

## Risk-Informed Decision Making w/Computational Simulation

## Uncertainty Quantification and QMU

# Complicated system hierarchy and high computational demands motivate new research to enable V&V and QMU



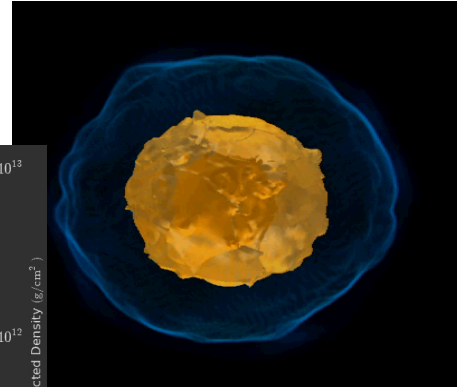
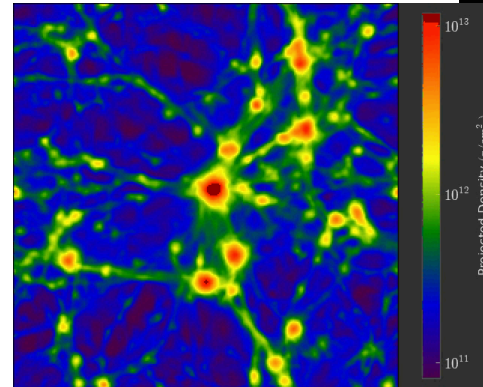
## ■ (Non-exhaustive) list of research areas

- Scalable uncertainty quantification methods
- Methods for combining and propagating errors and uncertainties through multiple system levels
- Hybrid optimization and uncertainty quantification methods
- Reduced-order and surrogate modeling
- Scalable pre-conditioners
- Solution and code verification tools
- Workflow tools

# Combustion as a Surrogate for Broader Class of Problems

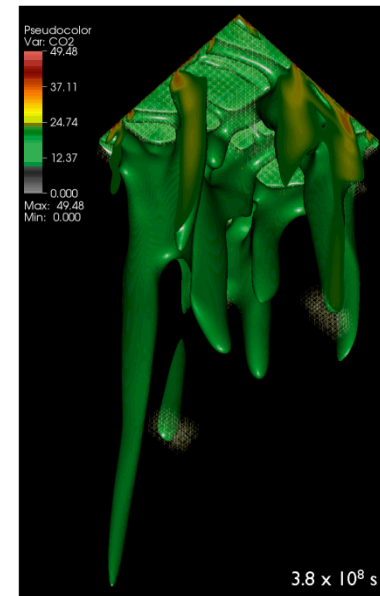
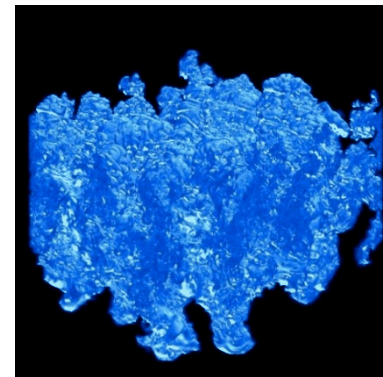
- **Combustion is surrogate for a broader class of PDE problems:**

- Cosmology
- Subsurface Flow
- Astrophysics
- Defense Science



- **In situ analytics/viz/UQ also applies to broad range of domain science:**

- Fusion
- Climate
- Combustion
- Astrophysics
- Shock/Turbulence





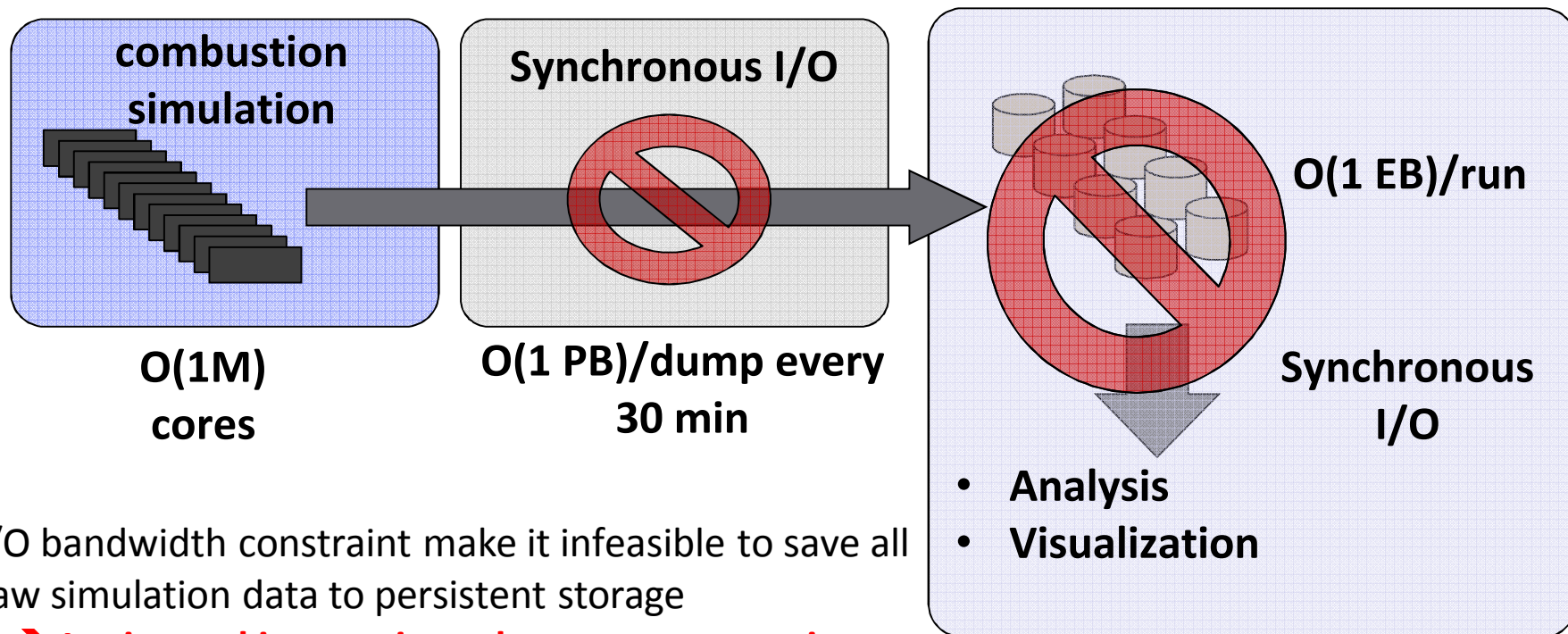
# EXACT

CENTER FOR EXASCALE SIMULATION  
OF COMBUSTION IN TURBULENCE

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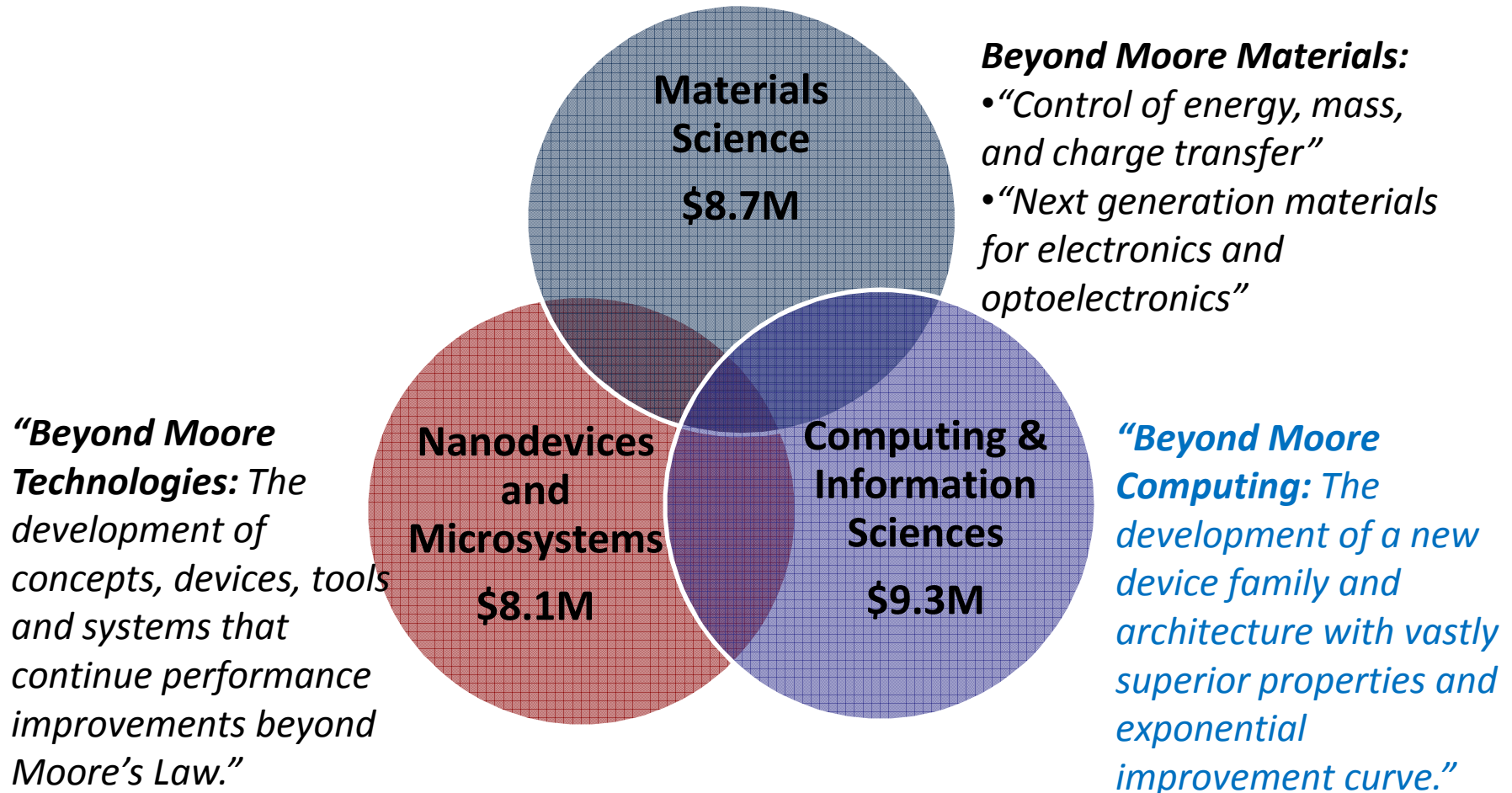
# Petascale Computing Workflow Model Will Not Work at Exascale

Performing the simulation is not enough – need to analyze results



- I/O bandwidth constraint make it infeasible to save all raw simulation data to persistent storage
  - ➔ **In situ and in-transit analyses are a necessity**
- Challenge: co-design a workflow that supports smart placement of analyses, visualization and UQ, tracking large graphs, reducing checkpointing size with in-situ analytics

# Sandia's Beyond Moore's Computing Research Challenge





# The Structural Simulation Toolkit: a community simulation framework for HPC

## ■ Goal

- Make SST the standard architectural simulation framework for HPC
- Be able to evaluate future systems on relevant workloads
- Use supercomputers to design supercomputers

## ■ Approach

- Parallel Discrete Event core with conservative optimization over MPI
- Simple & detailed models for processor, network, memory & power
- Open Core, non viral, modular
- Current Release (2.1) at [code.google.com/p/sst-simulator/](https://code.google.com/p/sst-simulator/)

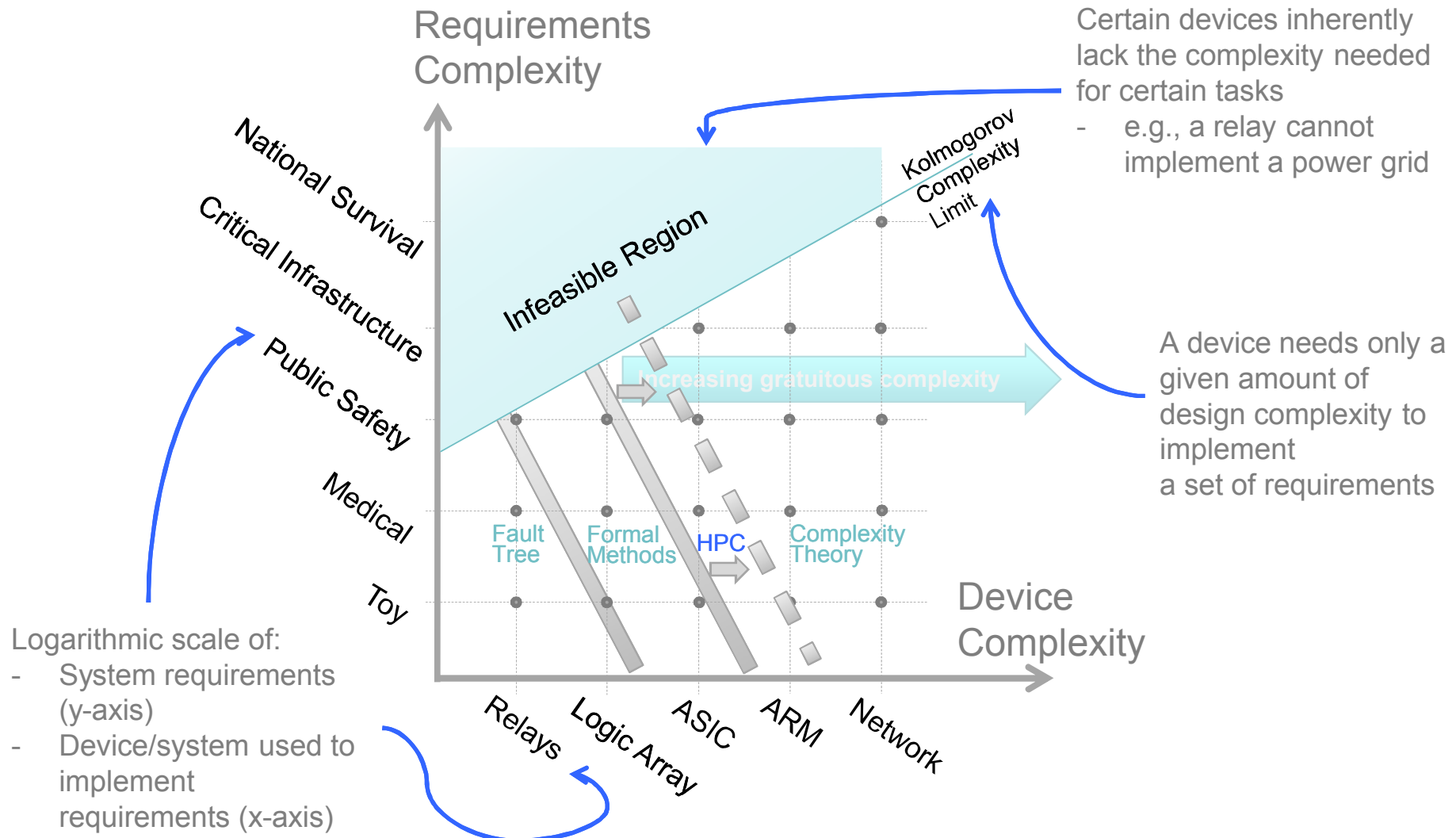
## ■ Partnering

- “Best of Breed” simulation suite combining Labs, academia, & industry



Cyber 1 & 2 from Bob

# Mapping the Complexity Space of Components and Systems for Determining Trust



## Slide 16

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**LAM1** make this the "theory of trust" slide? and move up in the deck  
LeAnn, 5/12/2013

# Sandia has an active hiring program in HPC

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- **Student Internships**

- Undergraduate and graduate
- Typically summers, but not exclusively

- **Hire at all levels**

- BS, MS, PhD
- CS and Engineering concentrations
- Full time, Limited term, Postdocs

- **In addition to scalable computing, we are very active in cyber security.**





## SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORIES

### President Harry S. Truman Fellowship in National Security Science and Engineering



Sandia National Laboratories is seeking applicants for the President Harry S. Truman Fellowship (in National Security Science and Engineering). Candidates for this position are expected to have solved a major scientific or engineering problem in their thesis work or have provided a new approach or insight to a major problem, as evidenced by a recognized impact in their field.

The Fellowship provides the opportunity for new Ph.D. scientists and engineers to pursue independent research of their own choosing that supports Sandia's national security mission. The appointee is expected to foster creativity and to stimulate exploration of forefront science and technology and high-risk, potentially high-value research and development.

Sandia's research focus areas are: bioscience, computing and information science, engineering science, materials science, nanodevices and microsystems, radiation effects and high energy density physics, and geosciences. Additional R&D programs in support of Sandia's mission areas can be found [here](#).

Candidates must meet the following requirements: the ability to obtain a DOE "Q" clearance, and a Ph.D. (3.5 undergraduate and 3.7 graduate GPA preferred), awarded within the past three years at the time of application, or completed Ph.D. requirements by commencement of appointment. Candidates must be seeking their first national laboratory appointment (no previous postdoctoral appointments at a national laboratory).

The Truman Fellowship is a three-year appointment normally beginning on October 1. The salary is \$111,200 plus benefits and additional funding for the chosen proposal. The deadline is November 1 of each year. For more information on the Fellowship and how to apply, see:

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# Sandia - Today

*Our expanded role today as a multi-program national security laboratory, Sandia has played a vital role in ensuring that our country maintains science and engineering superiority.*

*We invite you to be a part of something more – a quest for rendering an exceptional service in the national interest.*



# Backup stuff

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

May 13, 1949

Dear Mr. Wilson:

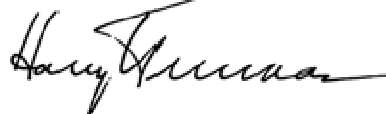
I am informed that the Atomic Energy Commission intends to ask that the Bell Telephone Laboratories accept under contract the direction of the Sandia Laboratory at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

This operation, which is a vital segment of the atomic weapons program, is of extreme importance and urgency in the national defense, and should have the best possible technical direction.

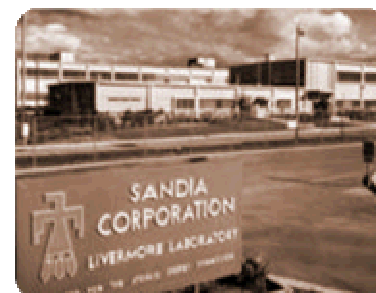
I hope that after you have heard more in detail from the Atomic Energy Commission, your organization will find it possible to undertake this task. In my opinion you have here an opportunity to render an exceptional service in the national interest.

I am writing a similar note direct to Dr. O. E. Buckley.

Very sincerely yours,



Mr. Leroy A. Wilson,  
President,  
American Telephone and Telegraph Company,  
195 Broadway,  
New York 7, N. Y.





# National Security Challenges

## 1950s

Nuclear weapons

Production and  
manufacturing  
engineering



## 1960s

Development  
engineering

Vietnam conflict



## 1970s

Multiprogram  
laboratory

Energy crisis



## 1980s

Missile defense  
work

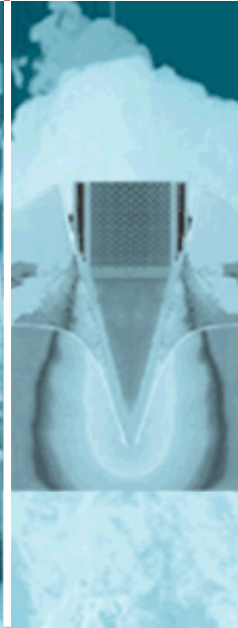
Cold War



## 1990s

Post-Cold War  
transition

Stockpile  
stewardship



## 2000s

Post 9/11

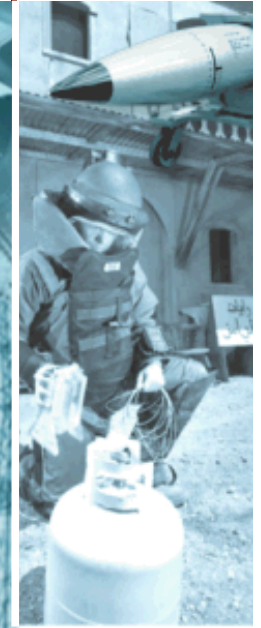
National security



## 2010s

Life Extension Programs  
START

National  
security challenges





# Sandia's Sites

*Albuquerque, New Mexico*



*Livermore, California*



*Kauai, Hawaii*



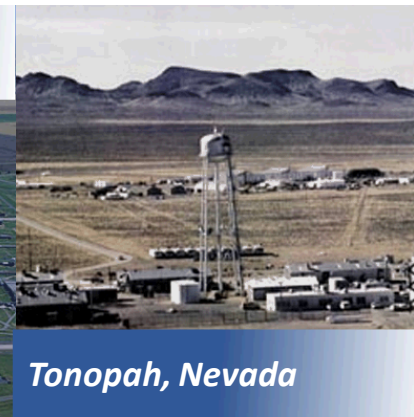
*Waste Isolation Pilot Plant,  
Carlsbad, New Mexico*



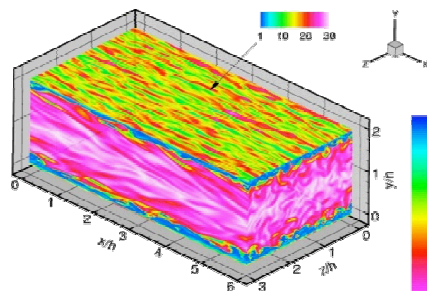
*Pantex Plant,  
Amarillo, Texas*



*Tonopah, Nevada*



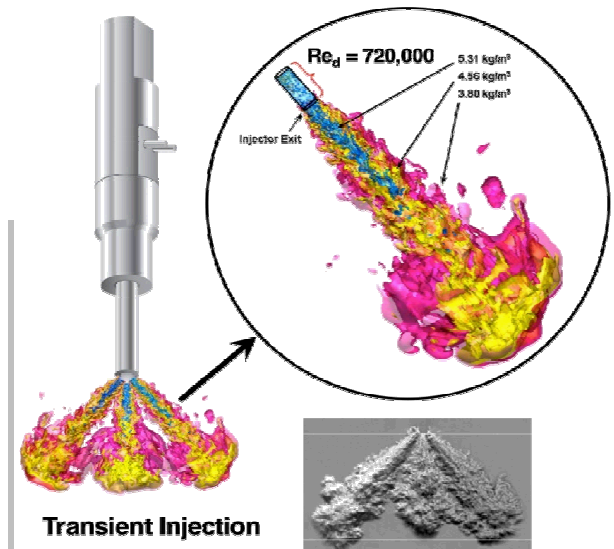
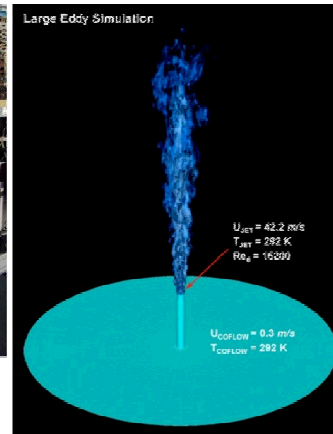
# Large Eddy Simulation of Turbulent Multiphase Combustion Processes



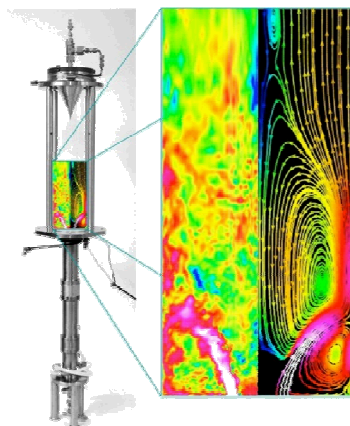
High-Re Wall-Bounded Flows



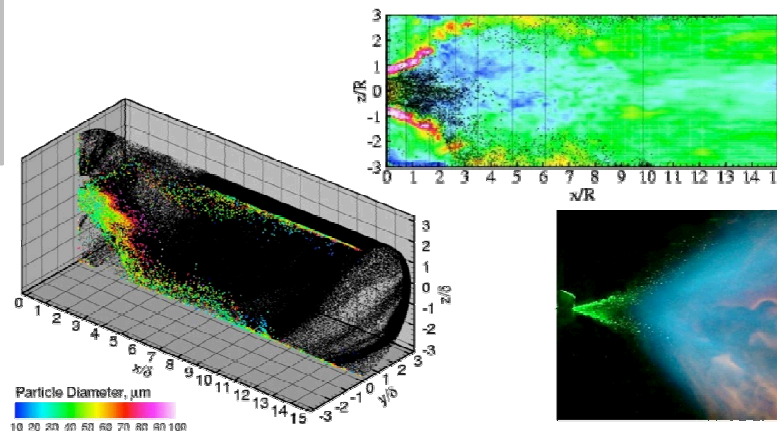
Nonpremixed Flames



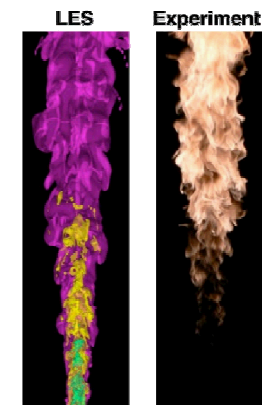
Transient Injection



Premixed Flames



High-Pressure Multiphase Flows

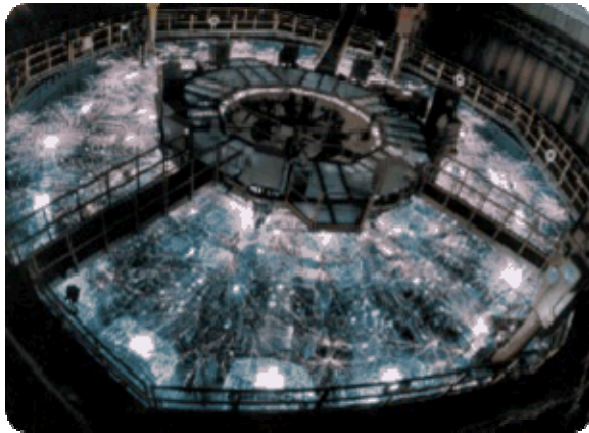


Soot and Emissions



# Nuclear Weapons

## Pulsed power and radiation effects sciences



## Design agency for nonnuclear components

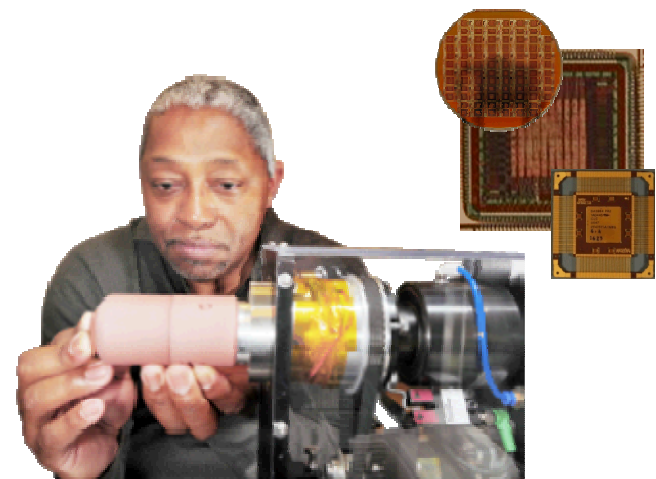
- Neutron generators
- Arming, fuzing and firing systems
- Safety systems
- Gas transfer systems



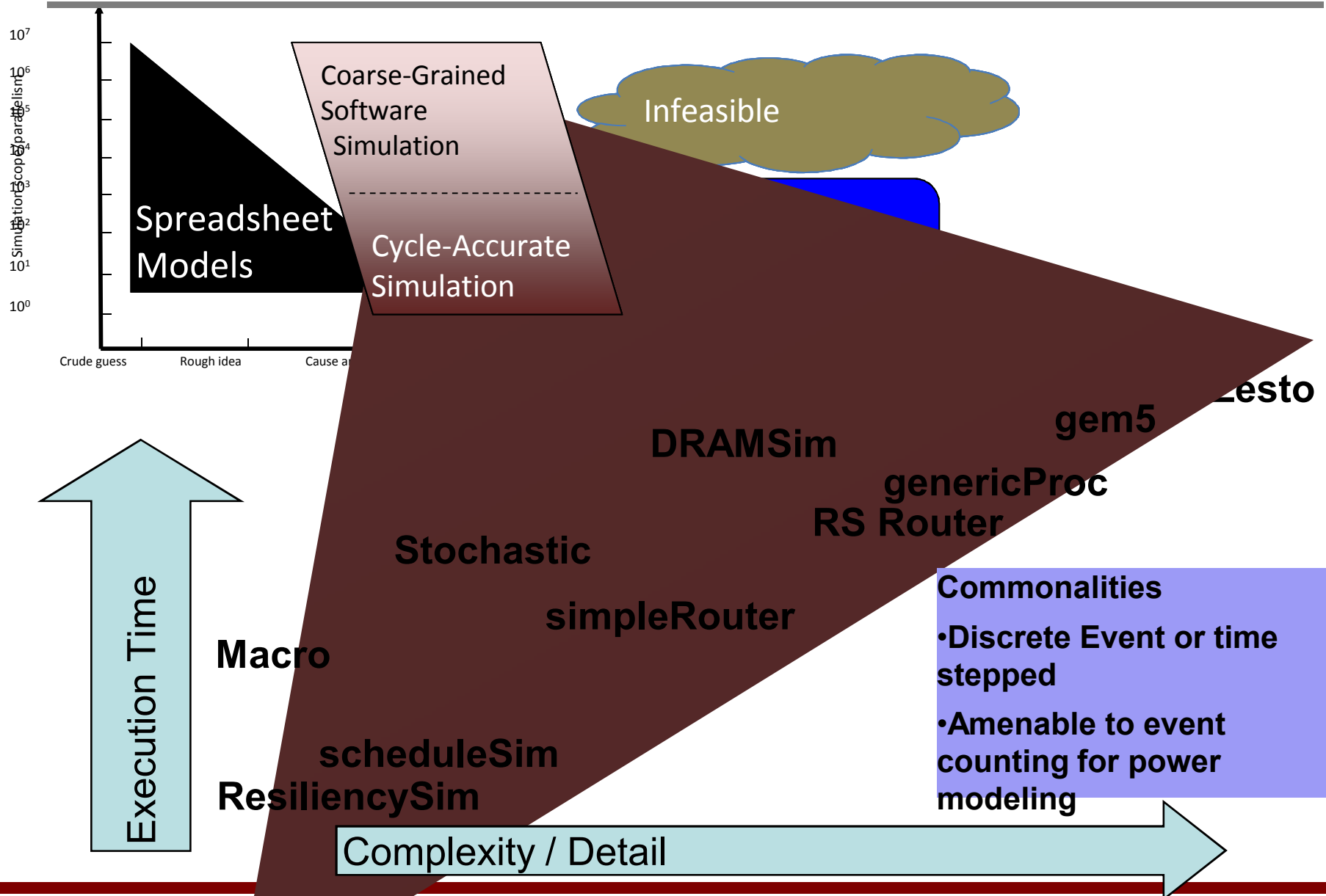
## Warhead systems engineering and integration



## Production agency



# Range of SST Component Models



## Synthetic aperture radar



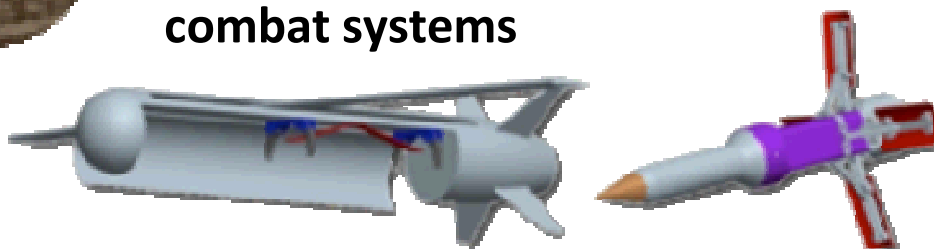
## Support for NASA



## Support for ballistic missile defense



## Ground sensors for future combat systems





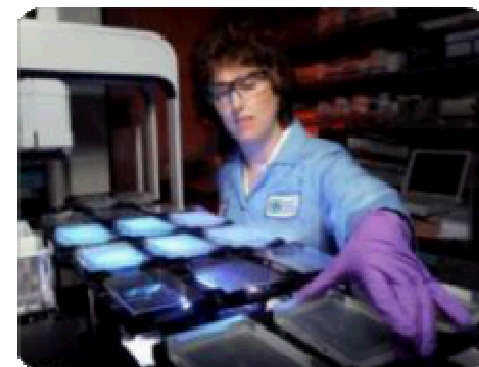
## Energy



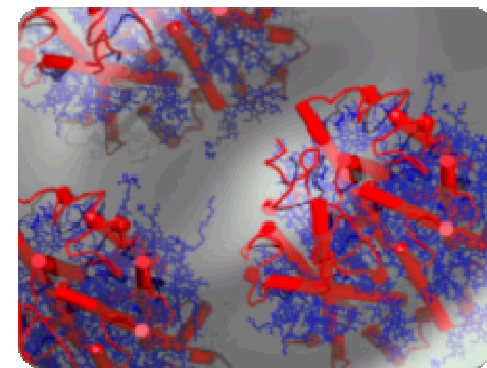
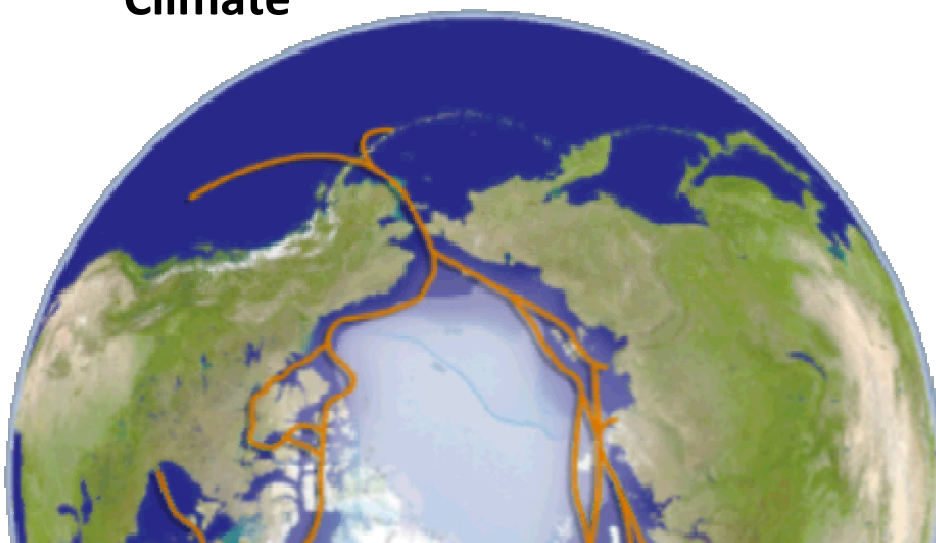
## Infrastructure



## Crosscuts and enablers



## Climate



## Critical asset protection



## Homeland defense and force protection



## Homeland security programs



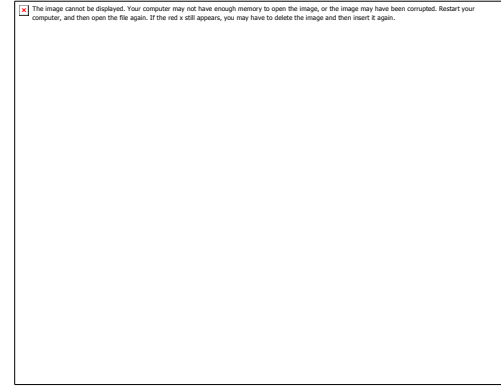
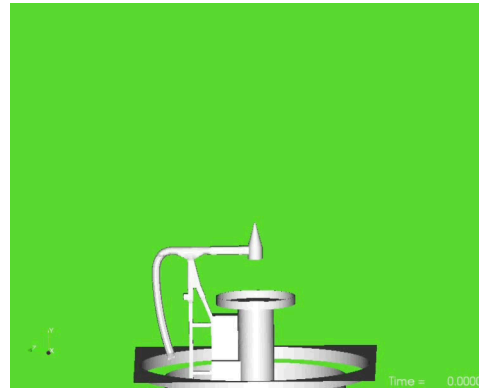
## Global security



# Abnormal/Thermal Environment Complexity: Turbulent Reacting Flow with PMR



**10 meter outdoor JP-8**



**Unique multi-physics  
coupling**