

#### Driving Innovation through Federal Investments at the Department of Energy

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### **Powering U.S. Defense**

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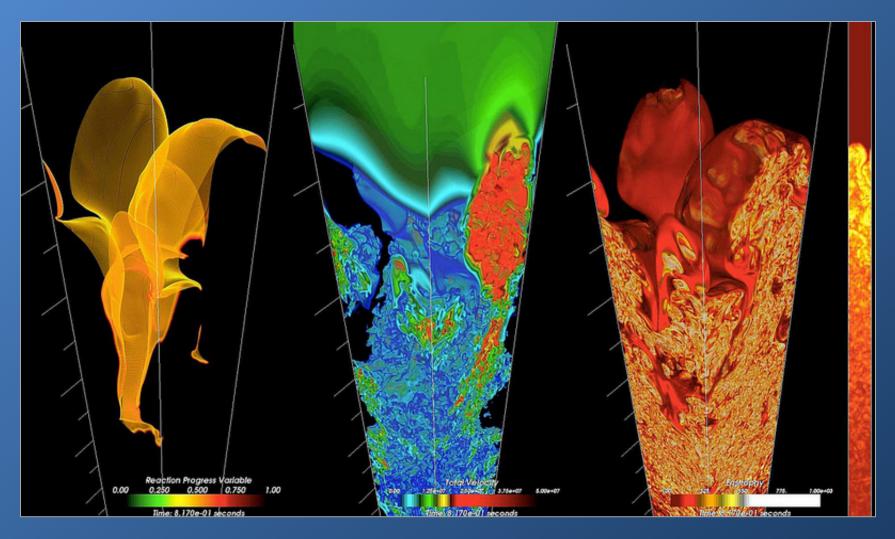
The B61 tactical thermonuclear gravity bomb



#### USS Nautilus, the world's first nuclear powered submarine (1954)

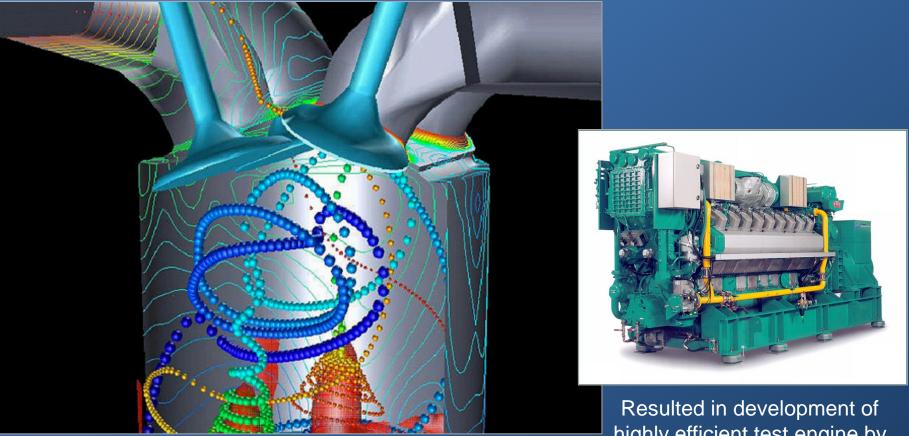
### **Core Capabilities**

# Supercomputing



Visualizations of a supernova, developed at Argonne National Laboratory

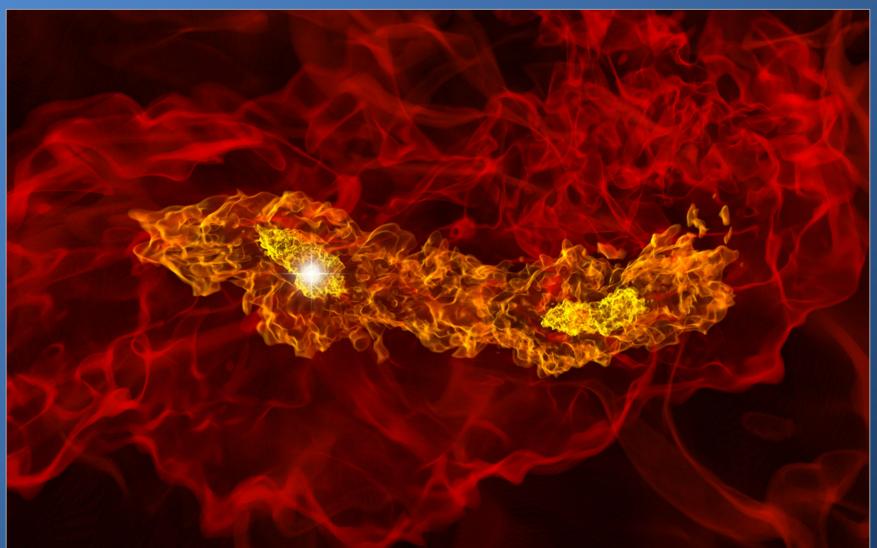
# **Supercomputing**



Simulation of internal combustion at Los Alamos National Laboratory

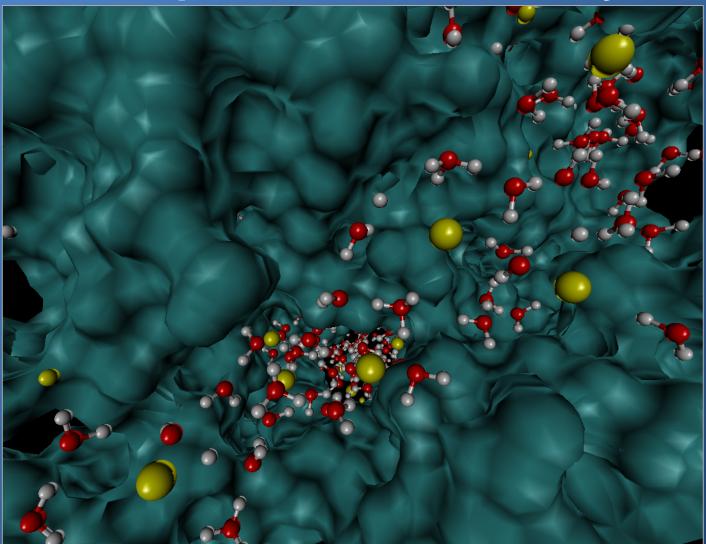
highly efficient test engine by Cummins

### **Computational Modeling**



Computer-simulated image shows the formation of two high density regions in the early universe at SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory

### **Computational Chemistry**



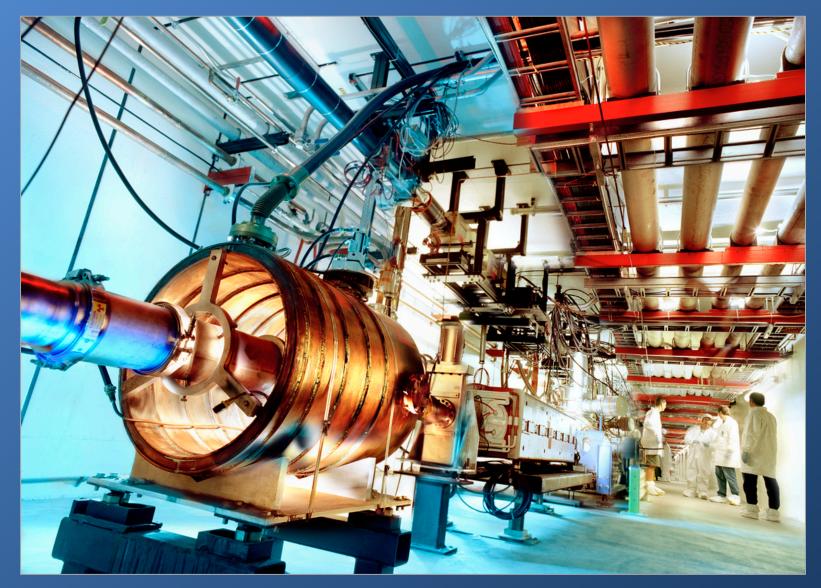
Computational chemistry at Pacific Northwest National Laboratory

### **Particle Accelerators**



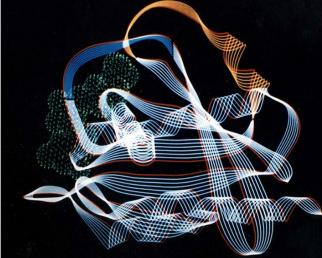
Brookhaven National Laboratory's Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider

### **Particle Accelerators**

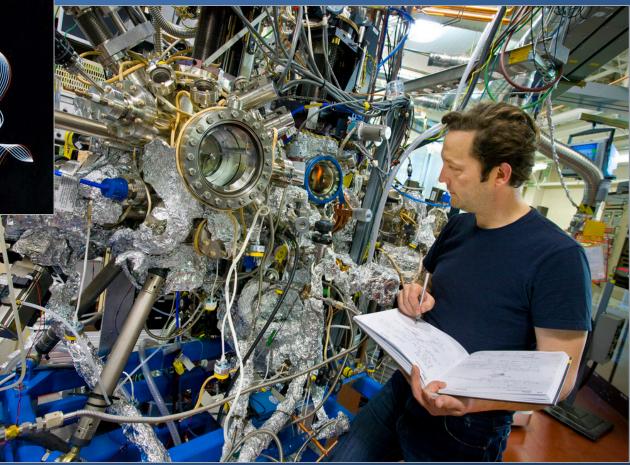


Fermilab's Main Injector Accelerator

### **X-Ray Light Sources**

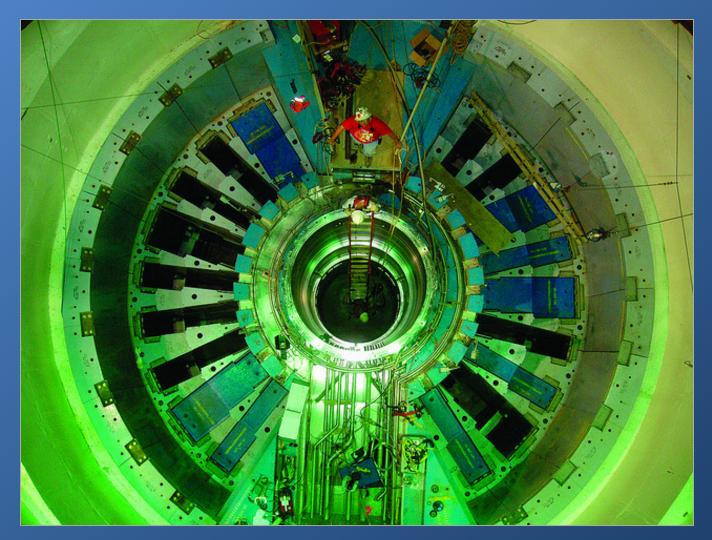


Backbone of the normal gas protein, as determined by xray diffraction



Beamline 11.0.2 at the Advanced Light Source at Lawrence Berkeley 10 National Laboratory

### **Neutron Scattering Sources**



The Spallation Neutron Source chamber at Oak Ridge National Laboratory

### **High Energy Particle Detectors**



Superconducting Solenoid installed at Jefferson Lab

#### **Fusion Research**



National Ignition Facility target chamber at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory <sup>13</sup>

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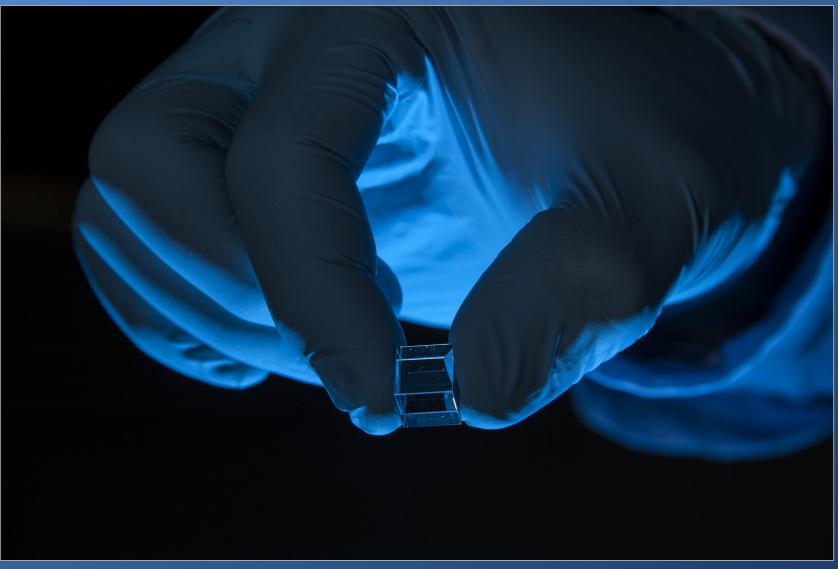
National Spherical Torus Experiment at Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory 14

#### **Critical Materials**



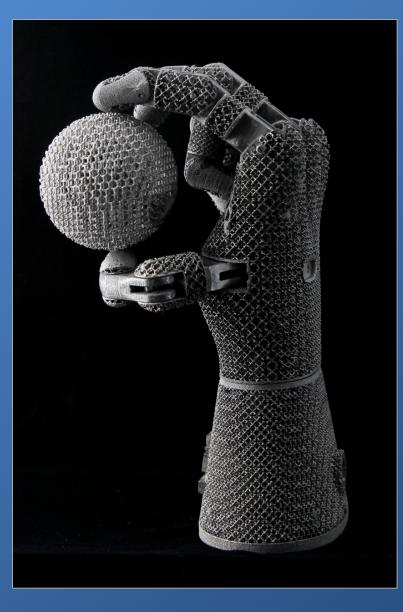
Retech plasma furnace used in Ames Laboratory's Materials Preparation Center 15

#### **Advanced Materials for Radiation Detection**



Researchers at Savannah River National Laboratory are developing photonic crystals for<sub>16</sub> enhanced radiation detectors

### **Additive Manufacturing**





Robotic hand fabricated at Oak Ridge National Laboratory using additive manufacturing technology

### Technologies Being Developed and Accomplishments

### **Competitive Solar Generation**

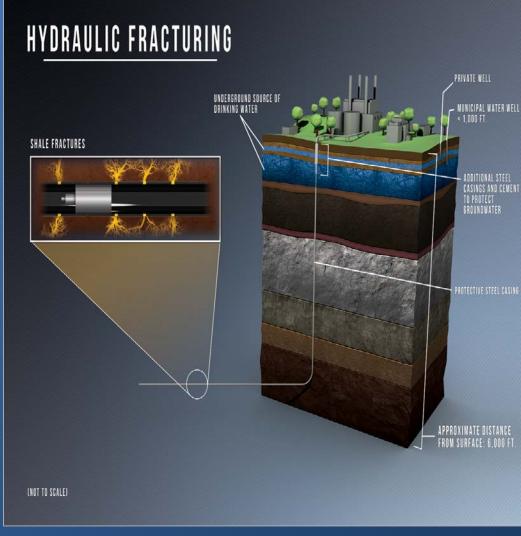


A First Solar associate at the company's Ohio manufacturing plant, which uses technology developed at the National Renewable Energy Laboratory Courtesy of First Solar

### **Shale Gas Revolution**



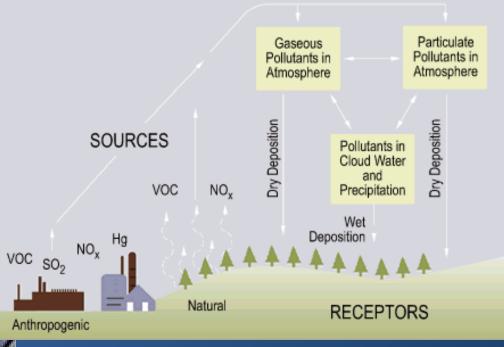
Prototype drill bit used for an experiment in Sandia National Laboratory's Hard-Rock Drilling Facility



### **Advanced Emissions Controls**

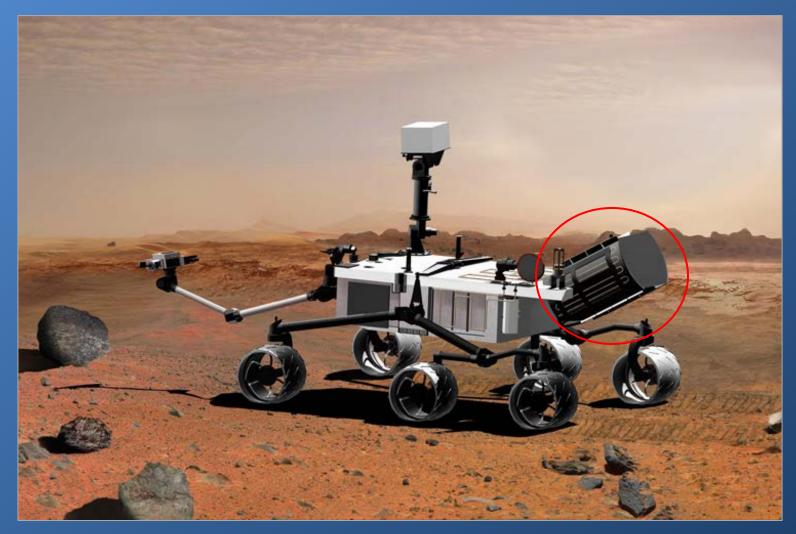


Candle Filter System at the National Energy Technology Laboratory



Acid Rain Cycle

### **Space Exploration**



Mars Rover, Curiosity, powered by the Multi-Mission Radioisotope Thermoelectric Generator Advancement designed at Idaho National Laboratory Photo courtesy of NASA/JPL-Caltech 22

### **SuperTruck Initiative**



Supercomputing simulations at Oak Ridge National Laboratory led to the UnderTray System, dramatically reducing drag and increasing fuel mileage



### **Small Modular Nuclear Reactor**



#### NuScale Nuclear Power Reactor

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### **Carbon Capture & Storage**



Carbon capture technology testing at the National Carbon Capture Center located in Wilsonville, Alabama

### **Smart Grid Technologies**

