

NIST Overview

NRC Review of the NIST Communications Technology Laboratory

June 27th, 2019

NIST Past



Article 1, Section 8, of the Constitution of the United States (1789), “The Congress shall have power..To fix the standard of weights and measures”



U.S. Congress on March 3, 1901 chartered the creation of the National Bureau of Standards (NBS)



Standards provide a basis of trust for the U.S. consumer and International trade

To promote U.S. innovation and industrial competitiveness by advancing **measurement science**, **standards**, and **technology** in ways that enhance economic security and improve our quality of life.



World-Leading Scientific and Engineering Research



Advanced Manufacturing National Programs



Technology Transfer and U.S. Innovation

NIST AT A GLANCE

Industry's National Laboratory



3,400+
FEDERAL
EMPLOYEES



5
NOBEL PRIZES



2 CAMPUSES
GAITHERSBURG, MD [HQ]
BOULDER, CO



3,500+
ASSOCIATES



10
COLLABORATIVE
INSTITUTES



400+
BUSINESSES USING
NIST FACILITIES



NATIONAL OFFICE
COORDINATING 14
MANUFACTURING
INSTITUTES



51
MANUFACTURING
EXTENSION
PARTNERSHIP CENTERS



U.S. BALDRIGE
PERFORMANCE
EXCELLENCE PROGRAM

NIST's Biggest Strength: Our Reputation

NIST NOBEL WINNERS



Dave Wineland

2012 Nobel Prize in Physics
Experimental Quantum Mechanics



Dan Shechtman

2011 Nobel Prize in Chemistry
Quasicrystals



Jan Hall

2005 Nobel Prize in Physics
Frequency Combs



Eric Cornell

2001 Nobel Prize in Physics
Bose-Einstein Condensates

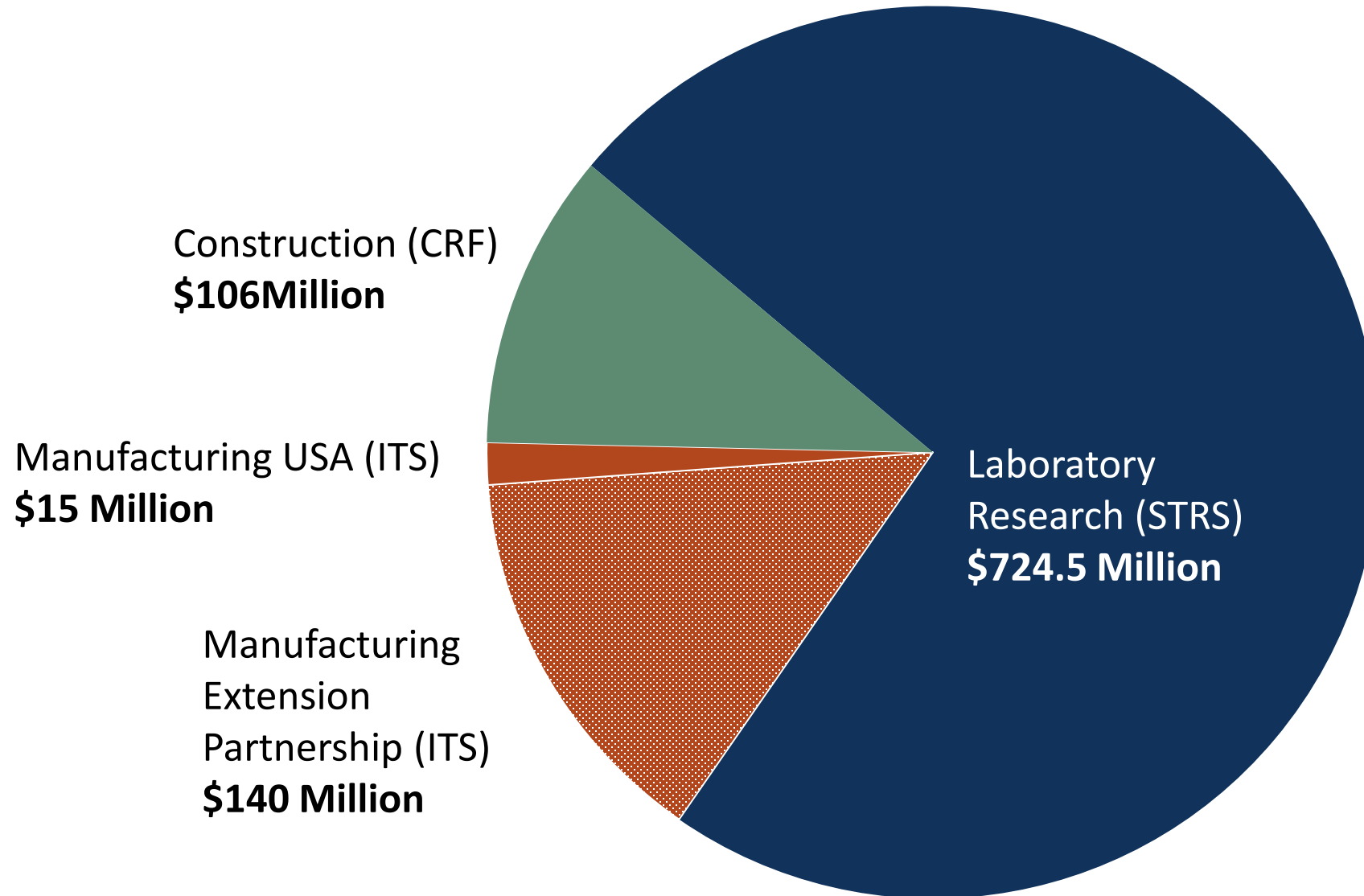


Bill Phillips

1997 Nobel Prize in Physics
Laser Cooling

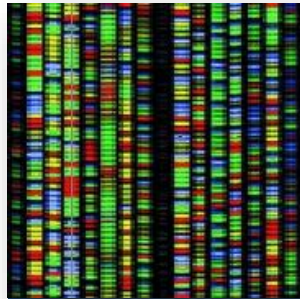
- Technical excellence
- Integrity
- Uncompromising
- Rigorous
- Unbiased
- Industry focused
- Non-regulatory

NIST Budget: \$985.5 M

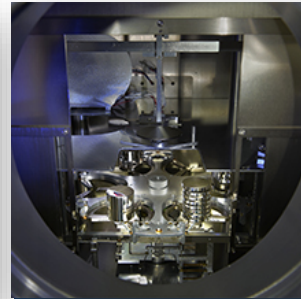


FY 2019 Appropriated Budget

NIST Laboratory Programs



Material
Measurement
Laboratory



Physical
Measurement
Laboratory

Metrology Laboratories

Driving Innovation through
measurement science



Communication
Technology
Laboratory



Engineering
Laboratory



Information
Technology
Laboratory

Technology Laboratories

Accelerating the adoption and deployment of
advanced technology solutions



NIST Center
for Neutron
Research

User Facility

Providing world class,
unique, user facilities

NIST User Facilities



National scientific user facilities provide researchers with the most advanced tools of modern science

- More than 5,700 researchers per year from academia, industry and government use the unique facilities of NIST
- Users perform leading edge scientific research and advance new product development
- Different modes of access include reduced cost/free or proprietary

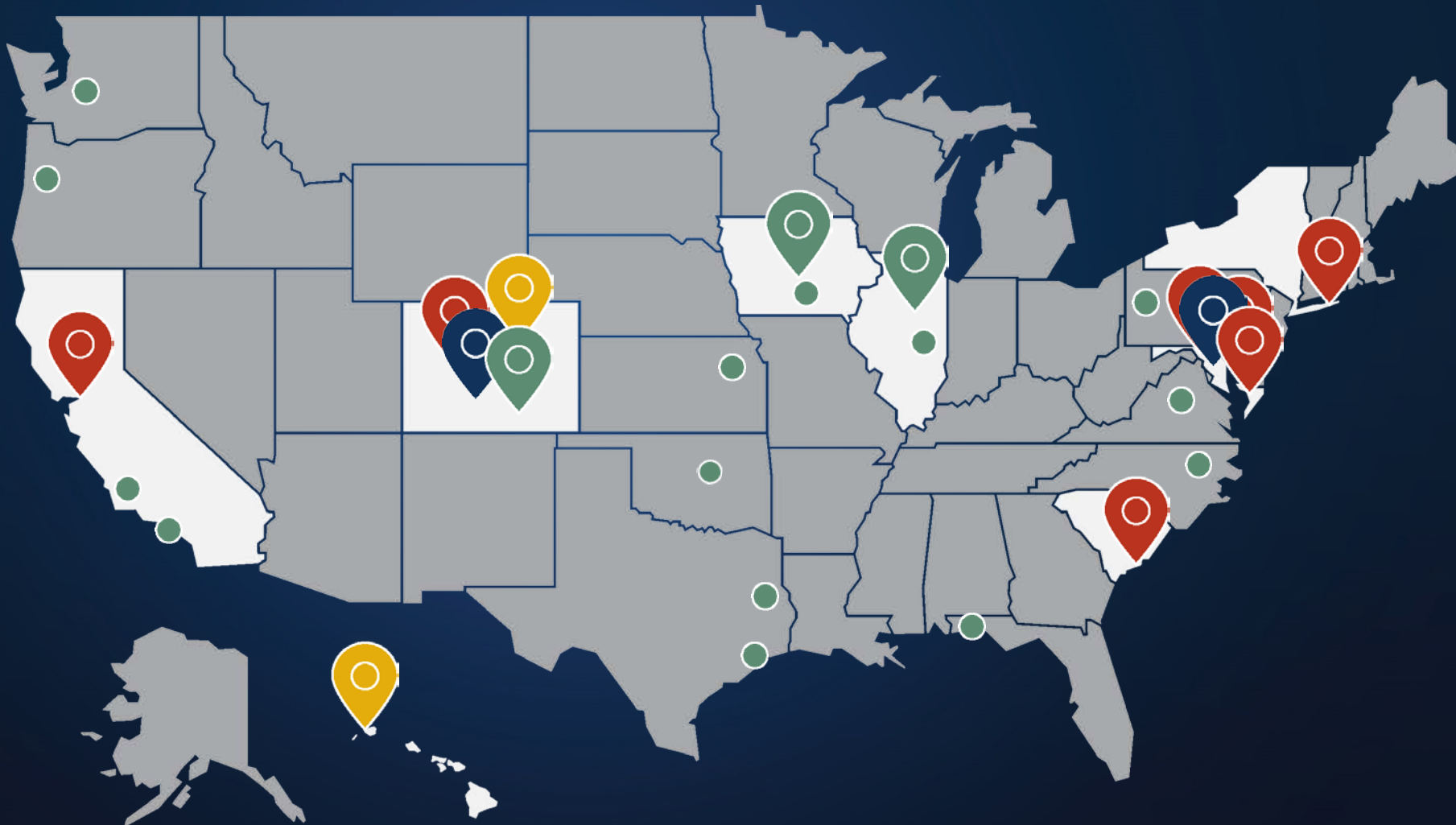


**NIST Center for
Neutron Research**
50 Years of Impact



**NIST Center for Nanoscale
Science & Technology**
**National Nanotechnology
User Facility**

NIST Joint Institute and Center Locations



NIST Campuses



Gaithersburg, MD
Boulder, CO

Joint Institutes and Centers



National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence

Institute for Bioscience & Biotechnology Research

Joint Institute for Quantum Computer Science

Joint Quantum Institute

JILA

Hollings Marine Laboratory

Brookhaven National Laboratory

Joint Initiative for Metrology in Biology

Atomic Clock Signal Stations



NIST Kauai HI WWVH

NIST Ft. Collins CO WWV

NIST Centers of Excellence



Forensic Science

Disaster Resilience

Advanced Materials

NIST Extramural Programs



Public-private
partnerships
strengthening
America's
manufacturing core
and organizational
performance



Hollings
Manufacturing
Extension
Partnership



Manufacturing
USA



Baldrige
Performance
Excellence
Program

Measurement Science, Standards & Technology **NIST**



1,200 Standard Reference Material (SRM) products

100 Standard Reference Data (SRD) products

600 measurement services

32,000 SRM units sold per year

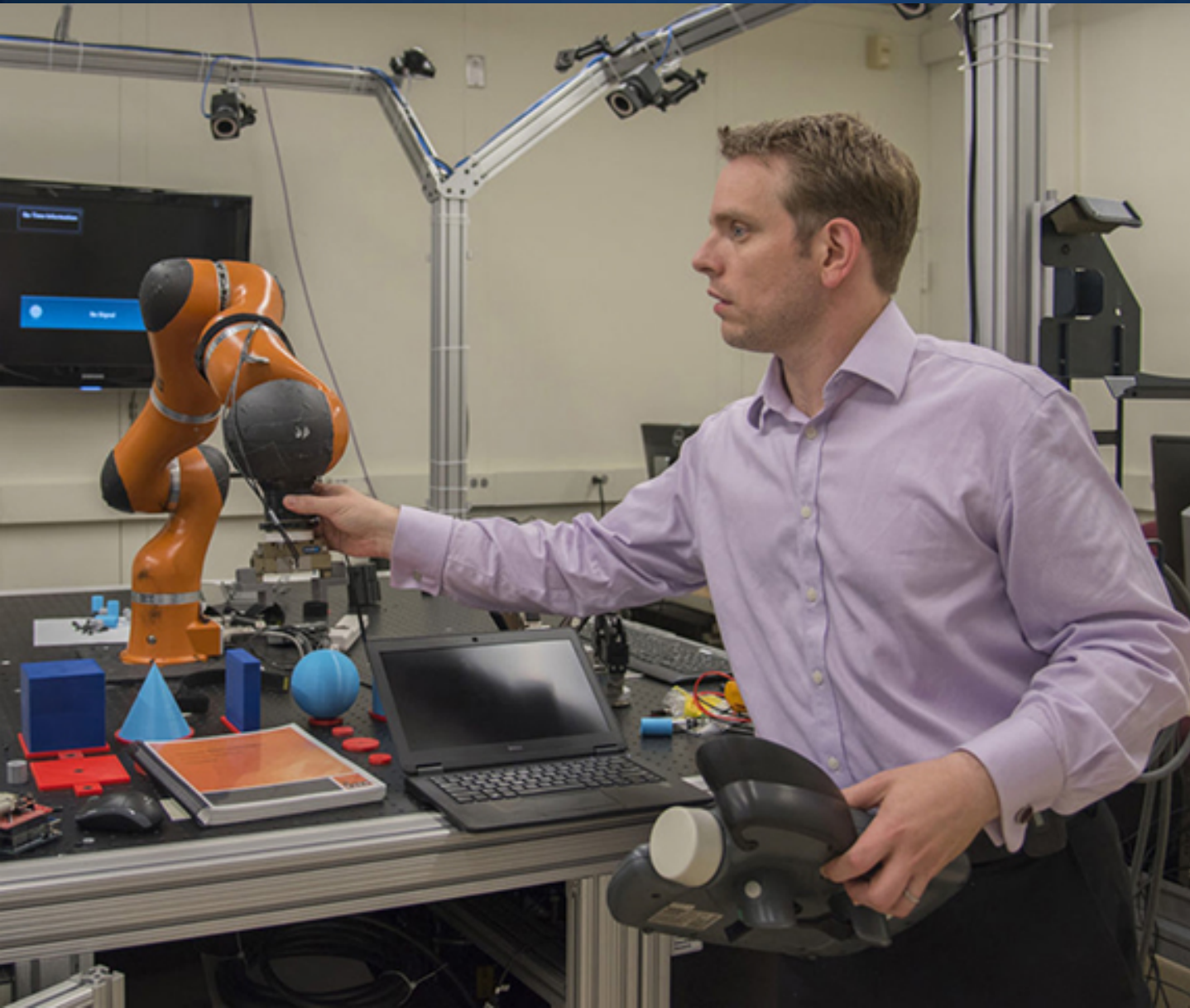
13,000 calibrations and tests per year

800 accreditations of testing and calibration laboratories per year

Calibrated Equipment is Essential

Boeing force
measurements are
traceable to the SI





Important Role

- 400+ NIST technical staff in 100+ standard committees
- Leadership in international standards bodies

NIST's technical expertise results in improved standards and U.S. competitiveness

NIST Addresses National R&D Priorities



Security



Cybersecurity and Privacy ·
NCCoE · Forensics · Body
Armor & Materials · Public
Safety Communications · AI ·
Autonomous Systems ·
Microelectronics

AI, Quantum & Computing



Cybersecurity and Privacy ·
Quantum Science · Quantum
Computing · JILA · JQI · QuICS
· nCORE · AI Standards & Test
Methods · Machine Learning

Connectivity & Autonomy



Advanced Communications ·
Networks & Scientific Data
Systems · 5G · Wireless
Coexistence · UAS Challenge

Manufacturing



Advanced Manufacturing &
Material Measurements ·
Machine Learning · Materials
Genome Initiative · Robotics ·
Additive Manufacturing

Space



Advanced Manufacturing ·
Materials Development and
Measurements · Aerospace
Manufacturing · Sensors for
Space Measurements

Energy Dominance



Smart Grid · Net-Zero
Energy House · Energy
Efficiency · Fuels ·
Sustainability

Medical Innovation



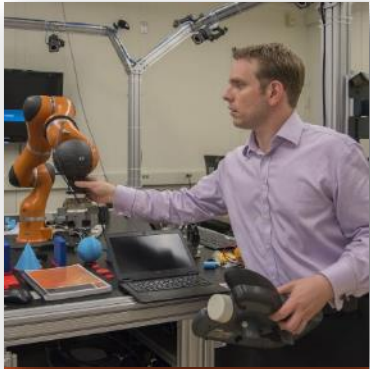
Health and Bioscience · IBBR
Diagnostic Standards · JIMB ·
Biomufacturing Process and
Development Standards ·
Health IT · Medical Imaging

Agriculture



Water · GPS Technology ·
Measurements for
Aquafarming · MRI of living
plant roots

Programmatic Priorities



Advanced
Manufacturing



Cybersecurity



Disaster
Resilience



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Engineering
Biology



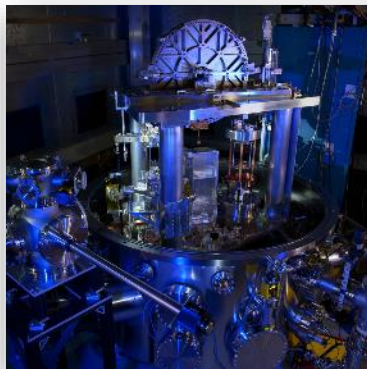
Internet of
Things



Documentary
Standards



Technology
Transfer



Measurement
Dissemination



Quantum
Science



Artificial
Intelligence

Advanced Manufacturing



Advanced Materials



Smart Manufacturing



Advanced Sensing



Nanomanufacturing



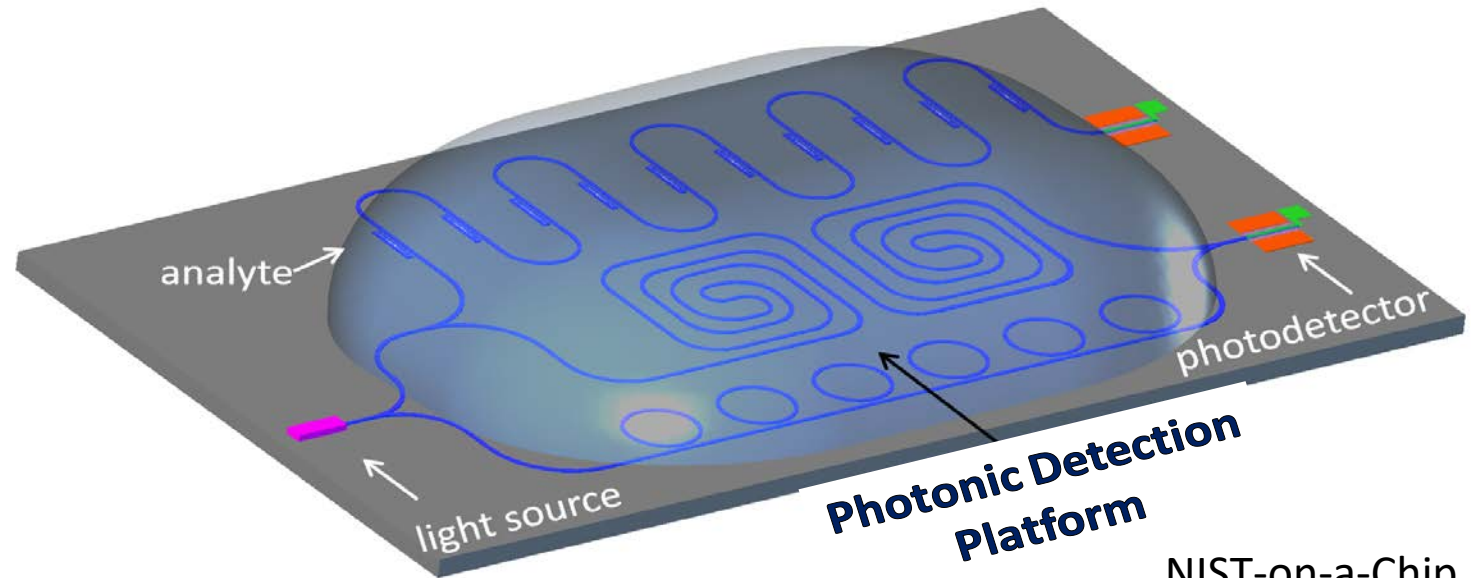
Biomanufacturing



MEP



Manufacturing USA



NIST-on-a-Chip
Platform vision

Cybersecurity & Privacy



NIST's cybersecurity programs enable greater development and application of practical, innovative security technologies and methodologies that enhance the country's ability to address current and future computer and information security challenges



Cybersecurity Framework

Post-quantum Cryptography



Enterprise risk management tool for organizations



The Department of Commerce's only Federally Funded R&D Center

NIST and Disaster Resilience



9/11/2001

WTC Towers Collapse



5/22/2011

Joplin Tornado



6/23/2012

Waldo Canyon Wildfire



August 2017

New construction
performs well in TX



Now

Hurricane Maria



Infrastructure Resilience


40+ NIST-led investigations of disaster and failure events since 1969

Resulting in >40 significant changes to building codes and design guidelines

Measurement Dissemination



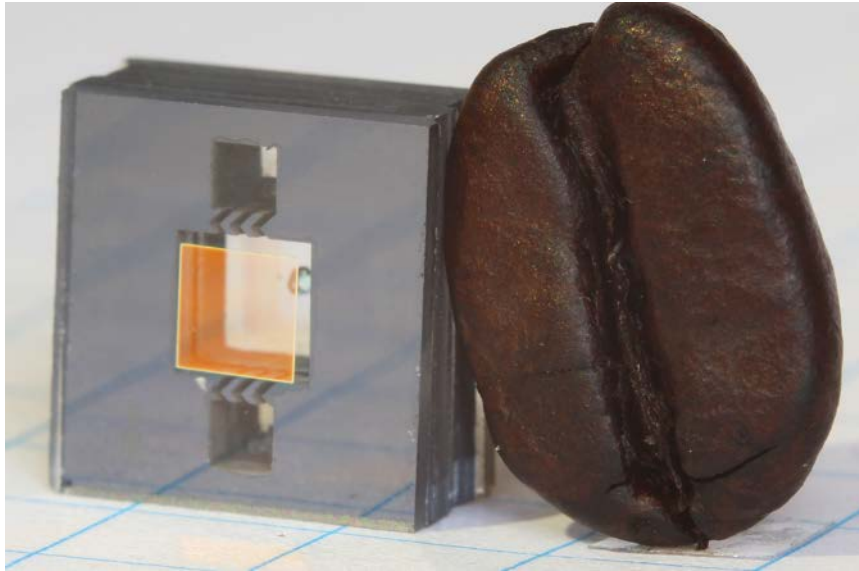
NIST

A group of approximately 20 people, including men and women in professional attire, are standing on a stage. Behind them is a large screen displaying a colorful graphic with the SI logo and the text 'Thank you for joining the Open session to consider the revision of the SI'. The screen also shows the words 'desired definition' at the bottom. A large, colorful floral arrangement is visible in the foreground on the right side of the stage.

Thank you for joining the
Open session to consider the
revision of the SI

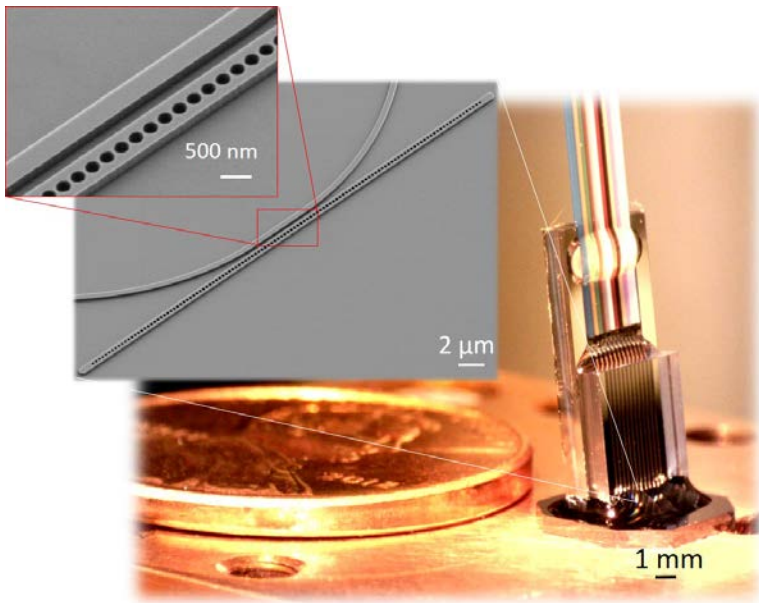
- Historic vote at the 26th General Conference of Weights and Measures on November 16, 2018 in Versailles, France
- The most significant change to the International System of Units (SI) in more than 130 years
- Unanimous positive vote representing all Treaty of the Metre member nations
- For the first time, all key measurement units will be defined by natural constants rather than physical artifacts

NIST on a Chip – The Next Generation of Measurement



Next-Generation Atomic Clock

- Smaller than a coffee bean
- Vapor cell on a chip contains rubidium atoms
- Patent submitted
- Designed for manufacturability



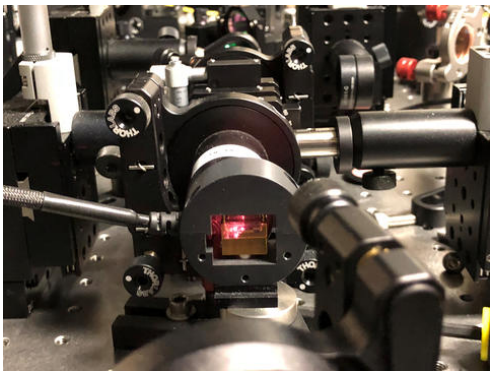
Chip-Scale Photonic Thermometer

- Uses optical properties of materials to measure changes in temperature
- In joint development with an industry partner

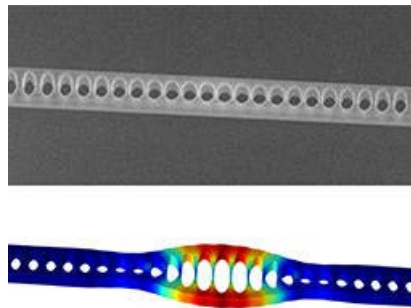
Strategic Focus Area: Quantum Science



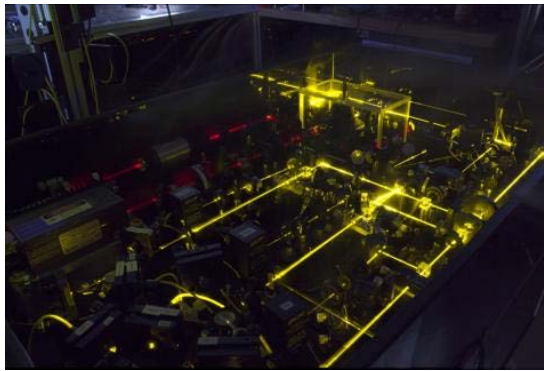
NIST laboratories and joint institutes are leading and preparing for the second quantum revolution through basic research, applied research and engineering, and measurement mission delivery.



Quantum-based
Random Number
Generator



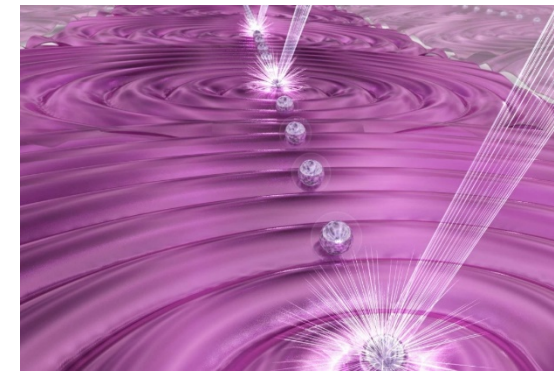
Quantum
Photonics



Stable Atomic
Clocks

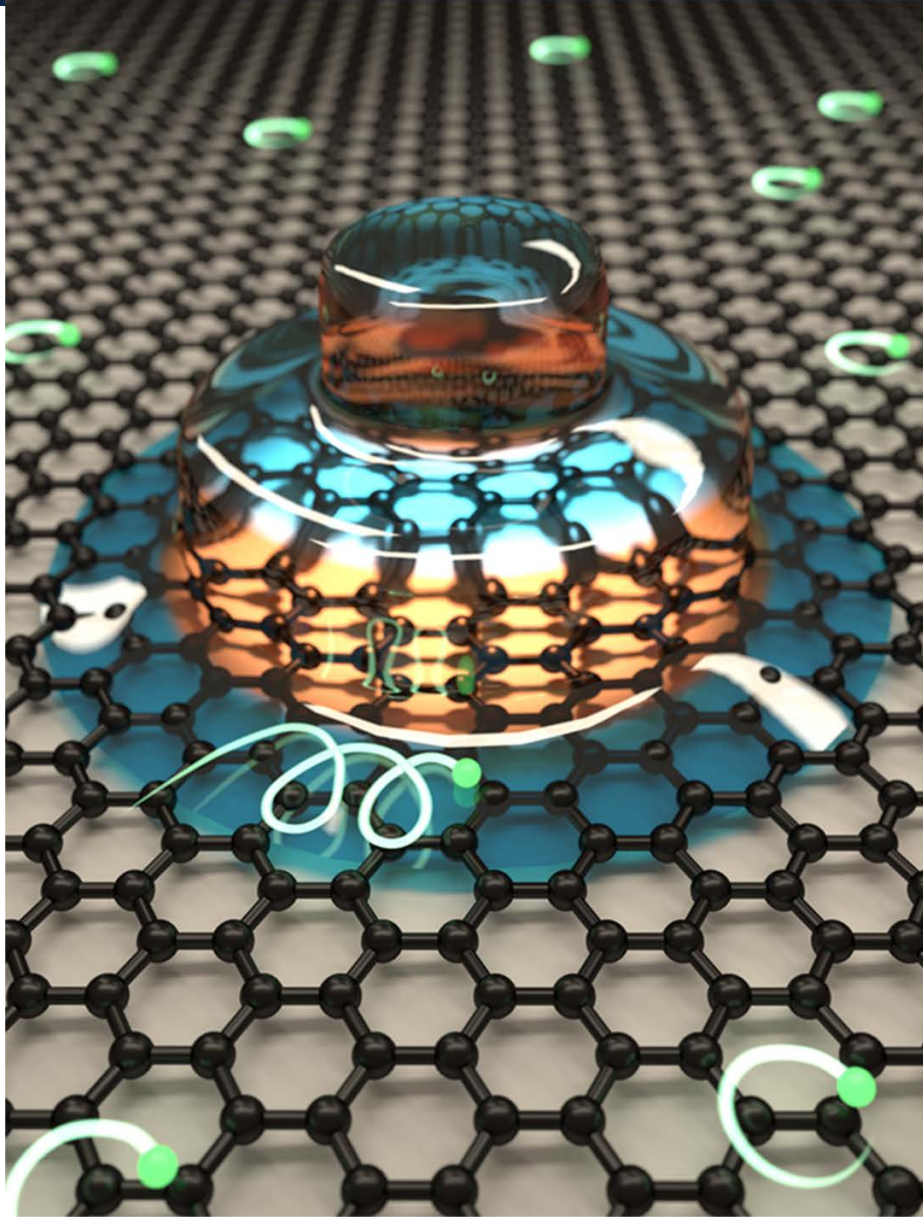


Post-Quantum
Cryptography



Quantum
Simulators

Quantum Economic Development Consortium (QED-C)



Aims to expand U.S. leadership in global quantum research and development and the emerging quantum industry



Foster wide-ranging interaction between academia, industry, national laboratories and government agencies



Co-led with SRI International, the consortium currently has 50+ industry partners

Strategic Focus Area: Artificial Intelligence



NIST is helping to realize the full promise of artificial intelligence (AI) as an enabler of American innovation across industry and economic sectors, through measurement science, standards development, research and data



- Participate in the development of international standards that ensure innovation, public trust and confidence in systems that use AI technologies
- Research to understand the fundamental aspects that make an AI trustworthy, secure
- Applying AI to measurement problems in areas such as robotics, advanced materials, and genomics
- Per President Trump's ***Executive Order on Maintaining American Leadership in AI***: over the next six months, NIST is leading the development of a plan for Federal engagement in technical standards development

Strategic Focus Area: Engineering Biology



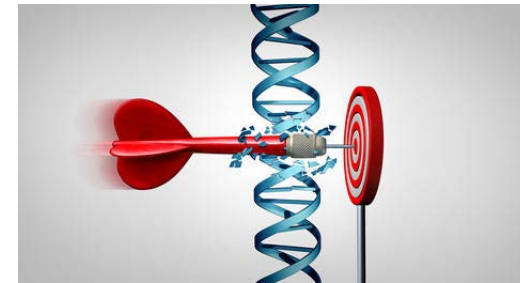
NIST tools bridge the gap between proof-of-concept and market realization by building the foundations of trust in bioscience



Recent Highlights:

NIST Genome Editing Consortium

- 22+ active member organizations
- Partnership to address measurements needed to increase confidence and lower risk of using genome editing technologies



NIST-Stanford Joint Initiative for Metrology in Biology (JIMB)

- New home at *SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory* combines NIST measurement mission with SLAC's unique facilities
- JIMB develops fundamental measurements and reference materials to give the biotech community confidence in their results



Strategic Focus Area: Internet of Things

NIST is building the foundations of trust in the Internet of Things through programs addressing cybersecurity, reliable connectivity, and interoperability



Smart and Secure Cities and Communities Challenge

- Global City Teams Challenge Expo July 10-12, Washington DC

Cybersecurity for IOT Program

- NIST IR 8200: Interagency Report on Status of International Cybersecurity Standardization for the IOT

Research to improve IOT in real-world environments such as the factory floor

- New NIST method could boost 5G wireless network and reduce costs

RETURN ON INVESTMENT INITIATIVE

TO ADVANCE
THE PRESIDENT'S
MANAGEMENT
AGENDA

DRAFT GREEN PAPER
DECEMBER 2018



- ROI is a national conversation about the enduring importance of technology transfer and innovation
- Draft Green Paper developed with stakeholders and interagency working groups
- Published as **NIST Special Publication 1234**

15 bold intended actions to remove existing impediments to innovation at the public-private sector interface, and to streamline and accelerate technology transfer

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FY2020 Request Compared to FY2019 Enacted



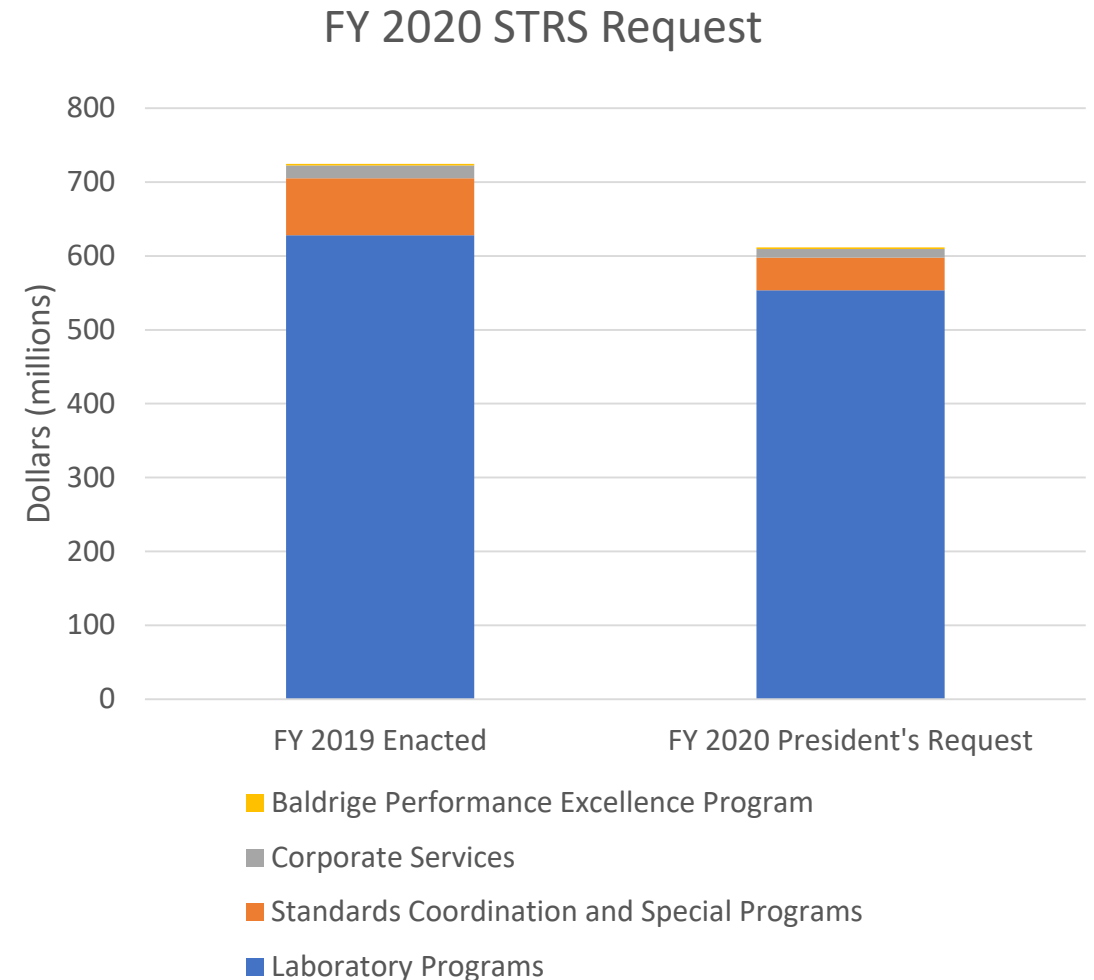
| | FY 2018 Enacted | FY 2019 Enacted | FY 2020 Request | FY 2020 Request +/(-) Over FY 2019 Enacted | % Over |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|---------------|
| STRS | \$724.5 | \$724.5 | \$611.7 | (\$112.8) | -15.6% |
| Laboratory Programs | 628.0 | 628.1 | 553.7 | (74.4) | -12% |
| Corporate Services | 17.3 | 17.3 | 11.9 | (5.4) | -31% |
| Stds Coord & Special Pgms * | 79.2 | 79.1 | 46.1 | (33.0) | -42% |
| ITS | \$155.0 | \$155.0 | \$15.2 | (\$139.8) | -90.2% |
| Hollings Mfg Ext Partnership | 140.0 | 140.0 ** | 0.0 | (140.0) | -100.0% |
| Manufacturing USA | 15.0 | 15.0 | 15.2 | 0.2 | 1.3% |
| CRF | \$319.0 | \$106.0 | \$59.9 | (\$46.1) | -43.5% |
| Construc & Major Renovations | 255.0 | 31.0 | 19.2 | (11.8) | -38% |
| Saf, Cap, Maint & Maj Repairs | 64.0 | 75.0 | 40.7 | (34.3) | -46% |
| Total, NIST Discretionary | 1,198.5 | 985.5 | 686.8 | (298.7) | -30.3% |

* Includes \$2.2M Baldrige Performance Excellence Program funding.

** Without a \$2M rescission of prior year unobligated balance to reduce budget authority.

STRS: \$611.7 M (-\$112.8 M and -421 Positions)

- Supports Administration priorities in quantum science, artificial intelligence, and microelectronics
- A reduction 16% from FY 2019 levels for NIST research programs
- Would necessitate a reduction of 400 staff which about 17 % reduction in scientists and engineers



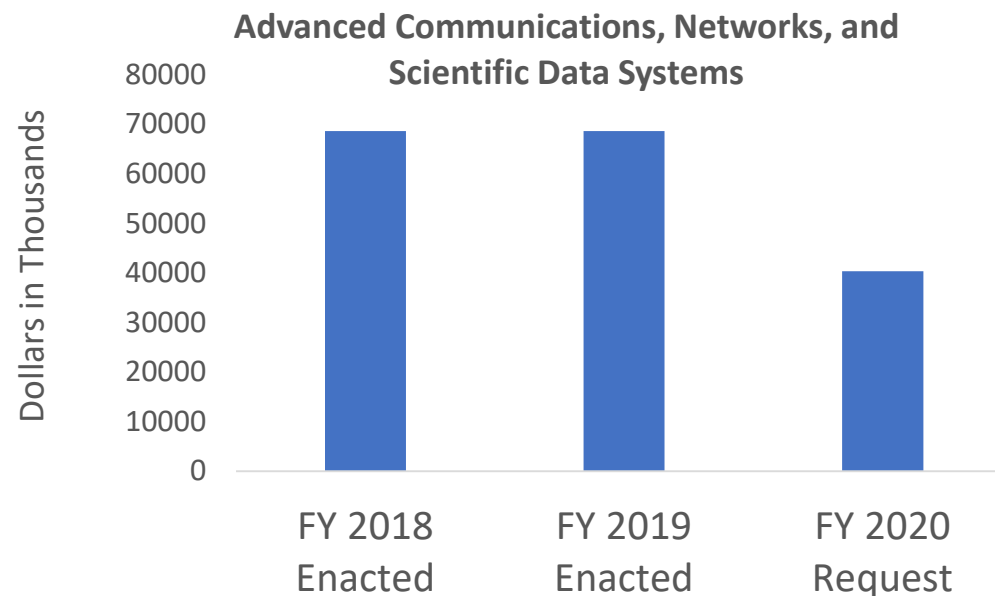
STRS Spending Changes by Focus Area



| Budget (Dollars in thousands) | FY 2019 Enacted | FY 2020 Request | Difference | |
|---|------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Advanced Communications, Networks, and Scientific Data Systems | \$68,643 | \$40,323 | (\$28,320) | -41.2% |
| Advanced Manufacturing and Material Measurements | \$147,874 | \$117,555 | (\$30,319) | -20.5% |
| Cybersecurity and Privacy | \$82,779 | \$83,997 | +\$1,218 | +1.4% |
| Exploratory Measurement Science | \$66,821 | \$65,804 | (\$1,017) | -1.5% |
| Fundamental Measurement, Quantum Science, and Measurement Dissemination | \$218,300 | \$191,438 | (\$26,862) | -12.3% |
| Health and Bioscience | \$19,536 | \$16,823 | (\$2,713) | -13.8% |
| NIST User Facilities | \$51,377 | \$47,036 | (\$4,341) | -8.4% |
| Physical Infrastructure and Resilience | \$66,969 | \$46,543 | (\$20,426) | -30.5% |
| Totals: | \$722,299 | \$609,519 | (-\$112,780) | -15.6% |

Totals do not include the \$2.2 M for BPEP

Advanced Communications, Networks, and Scientific Data Systems



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To focus on AI and 5G needs NIST will propose to eliminate programs addressing multiple IT and data challenges including internet infrastructure protection, cloud computing, medical record interoperability, data visualization and cyber physical systems interoperability.