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FOIA Case 2000-0K-98

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In response to FOIA Case 2000-0K-98, my staff conducted a review of National Ignition Facility (NIF) Project files for the requested information. We believe the following documents to be both responsive and releasable:

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- NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria of March 1997 (Attachment A)
- Level 1 BCP 96-002 (Attachment B)
- Level 1 BCPs 96-004, 96-005, and 96-006 (Attachment C)
- Levels 1 and 2 BCPs 97-001 and 97-002 (Attachment D)
- Level 1 BCP 97-004 (Attachment E)
- Level 1 BCP 97-008 (Attachment F)
- Level 1 BCP 98-012 (Attachment G)
- Level 0 BCP 00-015 (Attachment H)

Please note that there have been no revisions/updates to BCP 00-015 or its attachments.

This completes our response to FOIA Case 2000-0K-98. If you have any questions, please contact Helen Gladden at (925) 422-2600.

Sincerely



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NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria

The attached letter provides the DOE transmittal of: 1) the approved NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria (FR/PC, Rev. 1.6), 2) the approved Work Smart Standards (WSS) Process document, and 3) the Directive to include the NIF FR/PC in Contract-48 (DE-ACO3-76SFOO048). Incorporation of these criteria into the contract is proceeding.

The NIP construction start in March 1997 necessitated an early resolution of the ES&H requirements for the NIF design and construction. To ensure protection of the institution, James Jackson, Deputy Department Head of the Hazards Control Department and a member of the LLNL WSS committee, was directly involved in the selection of the regulatory requirements (e.g., DOE Orders, Code of Federal Regulations, etc.). We also included members of the DOE Field NIF Project Office, Ken Zahora and Chuck Taylor, in the preparation of the Work Smart Standards Process document.

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Attachments

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I. Common Requirements for Weapons-Physics Experiments

1. Shot rate

The weapons program anticipates approximately 1800 shots in the first three to four years of NIP operation. This implies that NIP will have a sustained shot rate of six per day. Because not all the proposed shots will require the full energy of NIP, much useful work can be done while it is being brought up to full potential. For example, some experiments involving the development of new diagnostic techniques can start as soon as light is delivered to the target chamber. Thus, the weapons program needs 80% of the available shots from the beginning of operations.

2. Spot size

All beams must be capable of focusing 50% of the laser energy into a spot with a 100-micron diameter and focusing 95% of the laser energy into a spot with a 200-micron diameter for an average of 6 shots per day. In addition, it must be possible to switch in less than eight hours from the large smooth spots currently planned for ICF applications to the small spot sizes needed for weapon applications. Last, it must be possible to align each beam so that 100% of the energy hits a 100-micron fiber attached to a target inside the target chamber.

3. Power

To create the weapons conditions required for many experiments, the weapons program needs 1 megajoule (MJ) of 300-ps energy delivered in a 1-nanosecond (ns) pulse. Weapons program

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Ignition-capsule experiments will require the standard 1.8 MJ of energy, but the pulse will need to last for 5 ns. A comprehensive laser design effort is necessary if both requirements are to be met.

4. Target chambers

The weapons program needs a second target chamber that is initially fed by 10 to 20% of the NIP beams. An additional design requirement will be the capability for upgrading this second chamber to provide it with all the capabilities of the first. This upgrade will permit sustaining a high shot-frequency rate by switching to the alternate chamber as the other cools.

5. Laser wavelength

The laser will deliver both 2(1) and 3(1) light to the center of each target chamber.

6. Target positioners

Three separate target positioners are needed; however, only one requires cryogenics.

7. Pulse forming

Pulse lengths will be variable from 100 picoseconds (ps) to 21 ns. Gaussian, square, rising, falling, and picket-fence-shaped pulses must be available. Each beam must be capable of independent timing (in groups of 4) and have up to 200-ns relative delays.





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8. Line focus

At least 200/0 of the beams must provide a 6-an x 100im' line focus with > 1QIS w / an2 at both the 2m and 3CI> energy levels.

9. Stayout zone

The ability to accommodate pinholes that are wi d'Iin 5 cm of the target is necessary.

13. Materials capabilities

The facility must be capable of handling small amounts of uranium and other radioactive materials. The am:>unts required are small ~ugh for NIF to maintain its designation as a non-nuclear facility.

10. Unconverted light

When operating at 3(1), there must be a region extending perpendicularly away from the center of the hohlraum that is free from unconverted light. It must have at least a cylindrical shape that is 2 mm in ~er and 5 cm long. For other geometries, the ability to shield experimental packages external to the hohlraum from stray light must be maintained.

11. Diagnostic stations

There will be at most twelve, 12-in. manipulator tubes (11M) with both complementary orthogonal views and views separated by about 200 of latitude. These are required to increase the amount of data returned from each shot. The TIMs must be capable of supporting instruments weighing up to 500 pounds each. This will allow for x- and gamma-ray shielding of instruments.

12. Target alignment

All target positioners must allow for target alignment with 5 degrees of freedom (2 rotations and 3 translations) within .1: .10 ~ and .1: .010 of accuracy.

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II. Requirements for Opacity Experiments

Introduction

The advent of a > (XX)..terrawatt (1W) NIP will lead to the creation of laboratory conditions that nearly replicate some physical processes found in nuclear weapons. Based on simple scaling of the conditions measured at Nova with the NIP design calculations, it is clear that NIP will access qualitatively new physics and advance studies begun at Nova into regill'e more directly relevant to secondary design. For example, radiative properties will be studied in opacity experiments using uranium ionized to the same electronic configurations found in a weapon, although at lower densities. For the first time in aboveground laboratories, hydrodynamic-mix experiments will last long enough to track instabilities from perturbative growth through turbulence at high compression. Also, for the first time, we can take equation-of- state (EOS) measurements at pressures above a gigabar (Gbar), which will provide data in high- energy-density regimes. And finally, some integral experiments designed to simulate stockpile dynamics will use actual stockpile materials rather than lighter surrogates. If the NIF is equipped with a laser power that is less than 600 1W, it will significantly limit our ability to directly simulate conditions created by stockpile materials. Of course, scaled experiments using lower-density and lower-Z materials will still have of some benefits.

Role of opacity studies

Opacities control fue transport of radiative energy in nuclear weapons. As such, they affect many important aspects of weapons performance. Opacity m>dels are complex, requiring knowledge of atomic structure, level populations, spectral-line shapes, and plasma interactions. Current m>dels often rely on

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simplified assumptions and use approximations because of the enormous amount of atomic data required and the intractable nature of many- body problems. Opacity experiments are crucial for e'lsuring that our simplified models are reliable. Increased confidence in calculating opacities is essa\tial to the goal of moving from an empirical to a predictive understanding of weapons performance.

Nova opacity experiments

To date, Nova experinetts have provided highly resolved, frequency-dependent opacities for several mid-Z elements in L TE at temperatures from 10 -&> eV and densities around 1% of nonna1. In Nova experiments, an exceptional amount of effort went into simultaneously measuring the opacity, temperature, and density of plasmas. These experiments provided highly constraining benchmark data that significantly and unambiguously d\allenged the capabilities of

our standard opacity codes. In response, new opacity models were developed for heavy elements. As a consequence, Nova experinetts are driving new theoretical developments. The subsequent success of the new opacity rodels in explaining previous nuclear underground-test data represents a major demonstration of the role of laser experiments in improving the predictive capability of nuclear-design codes.

Because of the limited capabilities of Nova, opacity-modeling techniques have been benchmarked only in a fairly narrow temperature and density regime for a range of -low~Z'elements not directly applicable to weapons. In addition, significant uncertainties persist in the treatment of solid and higher densities, and of course, nothing can entirely take the place of measurements using actual stockpile materials, such as uranium. We have determined through straightforward extrapolation of techniques proven on Nova that

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NIF will be capable of extending our understanding of radiative opacities into these crucial regimes.

NIF opacity experiments

The advent of the NIF will significantly enhance the study of radiative opacities. Its ability to produce higher energy densities will permit accessing significantly higher temperatures and usher opacity research into qualitatively new regimes where radiation more nearly dominates the energy balance in a target. This provides opportunities to study relevant ions of high-Z elements, including uranium, and plasma conditions approaching solid density. It also allows us to directly connect opacity data from laboratory experiments to opacity data from underground nuclear tests.

Laser conditions

Many areas of weapons-physics research, in addition to opacity studies, need high-temperature hohlraums to access material conditions relevant to weapons. Many also require higher powers, shorter pulses, and better focusing than those needed for ignition experiments. A study must be undertaken to identify a cost-effective laser design that is consistent with achieving both ignition and high peak-focused power. Models indicate that for the high-temperature radiative environments produced by NIF, radiative losses through laser-entrance and diagnostic holes in hohlraums will begin to dominate hohlraum energetics. These losses can be minimized by making the targets and laser entrance holes small (provided this is consistent with maintaining laser-target coupling, obtaining suitable plasma conditions, and performing diagnosable experiments).

Opacity experiments on the NIF will be driven to equilibrium using radiative processes that mandate a hohlraum environment that minimizes radiative losses and produces a

Planckian radiation spectrum. In a model of a proposed NIF opacity experiment that used stockpile materials, we assumed the following: a laser power of ~ 1W; a 1-ns square pulse; and a 200- μ m spot size. Losses from laser back reflection, due to stimulated Brillouin scattering, were neglected. Our low-density uranium sample was stripped into an open-M-shell configuration and provided a target lifetime sufficient to establish both a steady state (i.e., nearly in LTE) and allow taking measurements. We found that even though laser-target coupling losses were not included and there were no provisions for backlighting, laser powers above ~ 1W are probably necessary.

Hohlraum conditions

Approximately 50 NIF shots will be needed to develop, optimize, and characterize high-temperature hohlraum conditions. An additional 15 shots will be required to develop and optimize the high-intensity x-ray backlighters that produce an absorption spectra with high-temperature samples. Approximately 125 shots will be required for collecting actual opacity data. Most of the emphasis of these shots will focus on the emission spectra in

the thermal region of the highest-temperature samples and include spectroscopic diagnostics of sample conditions and equilibrium. Some absorption experiments will explore the high-energy L-shell spectra of open-M-shell high-Z plasmas, where plasma emission does not complicate measurements. Opacity experiments in the thermal region will require simultaneously measuring both the emission and absorption spectra of moderate-temperature samples and then comparing these measurements to each other to ensure that LTE conditions are obtained. Finally, integral opacity measurements from foil burnthrough experiments will test energy balance and albedo questions related to the role of wall loss in radiation flow. Foil burnthrough measurements will also access conditions up to near solid density.

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Proposed opacity experiments*

1. Creating and characterizing high- temperature hohlraums

1.1. Energy coupling and plasma instabilities .Laser requirements:

Energy = 500 kJ. '

Pulse = 1 ns, square shaped (or equivalent) with fewer beams.

.Number of shots: 10.

.Special diagnostics:

Optical and x-ray spectro-meters, x-ray imaging, and calorimetry.

.Goals:

Confirm models and perform scaled experiments on laser-matter energy coupling at the high-intensity short scale length needed to create high-temperature radiation environments. Measure intensity of laser back reflection from stimulated Brillouin scattering (SBS), stimulated Raman scattering (SRS), and test models for laser coupling and conversion efficiency to x rays.

.Deliverables:

Characterize and test designs for laser-matter coupling to guide the design of high-temperature hohlraums and provide understanding of hohlraum energetics.

1.2. Hohlraum filling and lifetime

.Laser requirements:

Energy = 500 kJ.

Pulse = 1 ns, square shaped.

.Number of shots: 20.

.Goals:

Test designs (vacuum or gas/foam fill) for limiting hohlraum closure, providing optimal laser coupling, and optimizing target lifetime.

.Deliverable:

Provide a proven hohlraum design with a lifetime that allows for target heating, equilibration, and taking measurements.

Approximately 210 shots for the first three years.

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1.3. Hohlraum conditions

.Laser requirements:

Energy = 500 kJ.

Pulse = 1 ns, square shaped. .Number of shots: 20.

.Goals:

Measure the x-ray-drive spectrum, time-dependent equivalent valent temperature, shock breakout, and average ionization in high-Z foam targets. Optimize the high-temperature hohlraum design models used to produce a nearly Planckian spectrum and LTE conditions.

.Deliverable:

Provide the highest temperature hohlraum to date with a characterized Planckian spectrum that allows for the smallest corrections to any non- equilibrium process.

2. Backlighter techniques development"

.Laser requirements:

Energy = 200 kJ.

Pulse = 500 PS, square shaped. .Number of shots: 10.

.Goals:

Develop methods for providing broad- band high-brightness backlighters needed for absorption measurements both in the multi-kilovolt range and in the thermal spectral regions of high- radiation-temperature plasmas.

.~liverables:

High-energy backlighters for measuring absorption in the multi kilovolt regime where target emission is small. High- radiation-temperature backlighters for spectroscopically measuring the Rosseland mean opacity for the highest possible temperatures.

..Shots are for technique validation and may take place during the NIF phase-in period.

3. High-temperature emission experiments using optimized hohlraums

.Laser requirements :

Energy = 700 kJ.

Pulse = 1 N.

Risetime = 10 -9()O!o in < 100 ps.

Spot size = 200 J1m.

.Number of shots: SO.

.Goal:

Measure the thermal emission spectra of well-characterized, high-temperature high-Z targets. The plasma condition and equilibrium will be determined by using spectroscopic diagnostics of tracer elements. Sample conditions and materials will vary.

.Deliverables:

High-resolution measurements of the LTE emission spectra and high-Z- sample conditions. Data should allow reasonable estimates of the Rosseland mean opacities (which are needed for calculating radiative heat flow) and provide highly detailed spectroscopic measurements of opacity. These are also necessary for testing the accuracy of approximations used in opacity models. This should allow for nmrlly' direct comparisons with existing underground nuclear-test data.

4. High-temperature inner-shell absorption experiments

.Laser requirements:

Energy = 700 kJ.

Pulse = 1 ns.

Risetime = 10 -900/0 in < 100 ps. .Number of shots: 25.

.Goals:

Measure the L-shell (inner-shell) absorption spectra of well characterized, open-M-shell high-Z samples using high-energy x-raybacklighters in a spectral region where the sample emission is low. Test the inner-shell absorption spectra as a possible diagnostic of plasma conditions.

Deliverables:

Inner-shell absorption spectra data that can be used for testing aspects of line-broadening models used for outer shells that strongly influence radiative heat transfer. Develop plasma diagnostic techniques for other measurements.

S. High-temperature spectroscopic

emission and absorption opacity measurements in the thermal region

.Laser requirements:

Energy = 700 kJ.

Pulse = 1 ns.

Risetime = 10 -90% in < 100 ps.

Spot size = 200 μm.

.Number of shots: 50.

.Goal:

Measure the thermal emission and absorption spectra of well characterized, moderate-temperature high-Z targets. High-radiation-temperature thermal backlighters will be required to measure the absorption of the highest-temperature samples. Proximity to LTE conditions will be verified by applying Kirchhoff's law which relates the emission and absorption spectra.

Plasma conditions (including radiation and electron temperatures, electron density and the population distribution of atomic energy levels) will be determined using spectroscopic diagnostics and tracer elements. Sample conditions and materials will vary. The x-ray backlighting requirements in the thermal region will restrict measurements to lower temperature samples and necessitate scaling results to materials and conditions relevant

to weapons.

.Deliverables:

High-resolution measurements of LTE emission and absorption spectra and conditions for high-Z samples. Data should allow for accurate determinations of Rosseland mean opacities, which are necessary for calculating radiative heat flow. Data should also provide highly detailed

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spectroscopic measurements of opacity, which are necessary for testing the accuracy of approximations used in opacity models. Using both emission and absorption spectra to characterize conditions will improve the accuracy of the data, ensure that the data meet quality standards, and provide the data needed to determine if these are appropriate for LTE opacities.

6. High-Z burnthrough wedge foils

.Laser requirements:

Energy = 700 kJ.

Pulse = 1 ns.

Risetime = 10 -90 % in < 100 ps. Spot size = 200 μm.

.Number of shots: 25.

.Goal:

Measure the rate of radiation-energy penetration and the propagation of a Marshak wave in a high-Z foil by

comparing spectral brightness versus time as a function of sample thickness using a high-Z wedge target. With careful drive characterization, this will be an integral measurement of the Rosseland mean opacity at high densities. This can also be used to identify energy-loss mechanisms, a requirement for understanding radiation flow.

Deliverable:

Enhanced understanding of radiation penetration versus albedo in high-Z materials, which is needed for testing energy-loss mechanisms and radiation-flow models in weapons.

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III. Requirements for Radiation-Flow Experiments

Introduction

Radiation-flow experiments on NIF will study the transport of energy by x rays through one-, two-, and three-dimensional (1-D, 2-D, and 3-D) geometries. Energetic x-ray drives will be needed to create regions where the relative contributions of radiation and material energy densities can be varied as much as possible. Considerable flexibility in laser irradiation conditions and diagnostic positioning will also be required to investigate complicated 2-D and 3-D radiation-flow geometries.

Special system and diagnostic requirements

1. SOP (ultraviolet) and adjacent FXI/SXI (x-ray) diagnostic ports capable of supporting simultaneous, almost colinear, views of shock breakouts from the rear surfaces of foils.
2. A short, 1-ns, pulse delivering 1 MJ of laser energy at 3CD to drive energetic hohlraums.
3. A gas-fill system that delivers 1-10 atmospheres of gases such as krypton, xenon, or radon. The gas-fill reservoirs and delivery tubes must be thermostatically controllable at temperatures up to -700 C and capable of containing chemically corrosive gases such as UF₆.
4. Shielding for experimental packages external to the hohlraum to protect them from stray laser light
5. Complementary diagnostic views.
6. A Dante-like instrument with channels sensitive to higher photon energies.
7. A 200-μm spot size for smaller, hotter hohlraums and brighter x-ray backlighters.
8. The capability for placing diagnostic pinholes within a 5-cm radius of the target.

Proposed radiation-flow experiments.

1. Hohlraum characterization

.Number of shots: ~.

.Goal:

Detailed characterization of the x-ray drive from a variety of hohlraum sources. This is of prime importance for design and diagnosis of NIF radiation-flow experiments. Problems related to shot-to-shot reproducibility should be carefully examined.

.Deliverables:

Measurement of the time-, frequency-, and angular-dependence of the x-ray spectra produced by different NIF hohlraum drivers. Both cylindrical and spherical hohlraums will be used as well as possible alternative hohlraum designs. The production of hot, Planckian spectra will be optimized.

2. One-dimensional burn through foils

.Number of shots: 50.

.Goal:

Simultaneously measure the shock breakout and x-ray radiative burnthrough from high-Z foils. This data can be used to constrain theoretical high-Z opacity models.

.Estimates by topic (total number of shots, ~350) for the first three years.



~variable:

Measurements of the time-, frequency-, and 1-D spatial dependence of radiation and shock-front propagation through foils with different atomic numbers. This data will be used in conjunction with opacity code calculations and radiation hydrodynamic simulations of shock- and Marshak-wave propagation.

3. Two-dimensional radiation flow in high-Z tubes

.Number of shots: 80.

.Goal:

Characterize radiation flow through cylindrical tubes.

.Deliverables:

Measurements of the radiation flow down tubes as a function of: opacity of wall materials, tube length, and x-ray- drive strength. A variety of materials of interest will be experimentally quantified for use in conjunction with code simulations.

4. Radiation flow in more complicated geometries

.Number of shots: 50.

.Goal:

Characterize radiation flow through 2- and 3-D geometries.

.Deliverable:

Measurement of the time- and spatial- dependence of radiation and material temperatures at various locations in

complicated geometries.

S. Mass **ablation** rates of x-ray-driven foils

.Number of shots: 50.

.Goal:

Study a suite of materials with different atomic numbers and sample densities to quantify the I-D process describing the x-ray heating and subsequent radiation hydrodynamics caused by x-ray ablation by materials. This study will also include interaction at boundaries of layered materials.

.Deliverable:

Measurement of the time- and spatial- dependence of the density and temperature of x-ray-ablated materials (both doped and undoped) using a variety of initial material densities, compositions, and x-ray drive conditions.

6. Advanced diagnostic development

.Number of shots: 30.

.Goal:

Develop advanced diagnostic techniques for a variety of radiation- flow experiments.

.Deliverable:

New capabilities and experimental methods.

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IV. Requirements for Equation-of-State Experiments

Introduction

Program guidelines

An equation of state (EOS) is a mathematical expression of the fundamental relationship between pressure, density and temperature of a material. An accurate EOS describes how materials react and interact and is crucial to any hydrodynamic description of a system.

All weapons performance and effects simulations and laser experiments supporting the stockpile stewardship program require accurate equation-of-state information in regimes where experimental data are very sparse or non-existent. For most materials, some fundamental (interpretation-independent) data may be available at pressures less than 5 Mbar. However, at higher pressures there are only sparse interpretation-dependent data available for a few materials. (Most of these are based on impedance-matching data.) Virtually all EOS data required for stockpile-stewardship applications are in high-pressure regimes that are far above 5 Mbar. Because calculations, require EOS information over a large parameter space encompassing pressure, density, and temperature, EOS models providing interpolation and extrapolation must be used. We use experiments to gather baseline data that is used to validate models. Our experimental data, to date, show inconsistencies and errors in our EOS database.

High-energy-density EOS are needed for stockpile stewardship and laser applications in these particular areas:

.Implosion dynamics.

.Single- and multiple-shock timing. .Radiation-matter interactions. .Ionization and thermal-wave propagation.

.Hydrodynamics.

.Effects on diagnostics in high-energy- density environments.

Equation-of-state experiments on the NIF will concentrate on the region of maximum uncertainty, which is typically in the 3- to 100 Mbar range. Below 3 Mbar, accurate data is available from gas-gun experiments. At high pressures, the Thomas-Fermi theory is accurate, although 100 Mbar is probably still too low for Thomas-Fermi analysis of high-Z metals. Presently, fundamental data is only available under 5 Mbar. However, by

the time NIF is on line, this regime may have been extended through the use of other exotic schemes or by Nova experiments. In any case, some data will have to be obtained in NIF low-pressure regimes to normalize it to known data and thus begin a bootstrap method of collecting EOS data for higher-energy-density regimes.

We will begin by obtaining fundamental data for standard materials (i.e., materials used in impedance-matching experiments). Experimental data for standard materials must be as code- or model-independent as possible with regard to interpretation.

Measuring temperatures in EOS experiments has a high priority because temperature and density are explicit variables in both EOS and opacity models. We have learned that:

- .Temperature is a more sensitive test of EOS models.
 - .There is higher uncertainty surrounding temperature than pressure or density.
 - .Temperature is a more sensitive measure of shock stability than velocity.
- Determining the temperature of shocked and compressed matter is a problem yet to be solved, and it is expected to remain difficult. However, experiments in this area can provide an enormous amount of EOS information.

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We expect that to conduct EOS measurements at 1 Gbar, we will need shocks stronger than 10 Gbar. With the planned NIF capabilities, this can only be done using small-scale hohlraums, beams at nearly hill energy levels, and a laser spot size smaller than 200 fUn.

Further metrology for Eas targets will require routine measurements of 0.1% flatness over wedges and step plates that are tens-of-microns thick.

Proposed EOS experiments.

The anticipated program has been divided into seven areas. Additional notation regarding required instrumentation is included at the end of this section.

1. Method characterization

.Number of shots: 20.

.Goal:

Evaluate methods of steady shock production and shock uniformity in direct, indirect, and hohlraum drives and measure the x-ray preheat of targets. (If a temperature diagnostic is developed on Nova, before NIF is operational, it will be evaluated on NIF during these shots.)

.Special requirements:

X-ray laser (XRL) interferometer or a Nova-demonstrated reflectometry setup, which is as yet untested.

.Deliverables:

1. Quantified demonstration of uniform single-shock breakout using three different drives each with timing benchmarked to code predictions. These experimental results will lead to the selection of a preferred method for driving different types of experiments.
2. Measurement of preheat due to ambient x rays from heating source in targets.
3. Measurement of preheat ahead of a shock created by radiation emitted from the shock front.

Approximately 405 shots over 5 years.

2. Temperature diagnostic development

.Number of shots: 20.

.Goal:

Evaluate emission and absorption spectroscopy used to infer electron temperatures between 10 and 100 eV in compressed (> solid density) matter.

.Special requirements:

A sub-picosecond time-resolved streak camera operating in the ultraviolet spectrum with a hard x-ray (i.e., 4-7 keV) continuum backlighter.

.Deliverables:

1. A spectroscopic method for evaluating temperatures of shocked matter.
2. Identification of a preferred method for driving EOS experiments.

3. Hugoniot measurements of fundamental materials

.Number of shots: 100.

.Goal:

Obtain interpretation-independent Hugoniot curves for standard materials.

.Special requirements:

A temperature diagnostic and sub-picosecond time-resolved streak camera

.Deliverables:

Principal Hugoniot data in the 1-Mbar to 1-Gbar range for aluminum, molybdenum, and gold.

4. Hugoniot measurements of secondary materials

.Number of shots: 30 shots per material (200 shots minimum).

.Goal:

Obtain interpretation-independent (impedance-matched) Hugoniot curves for additional materials.

.Special requirements:

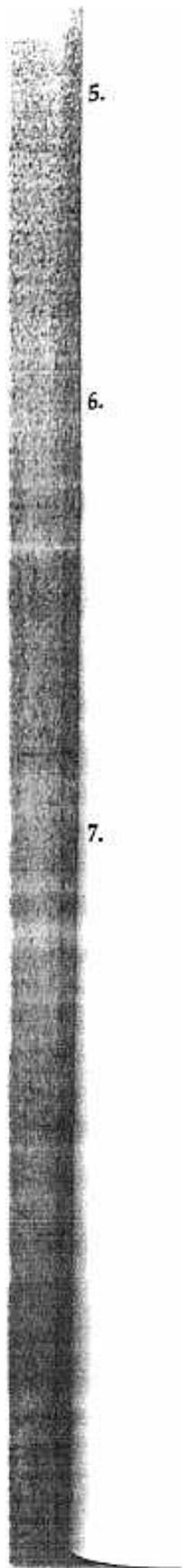
A temperature diagnostic and a sub-picosecond time-resolved streak camera

.Deliverables:

Principal Hugoniot data in the 1-Mbar to 1-Gbar range for plastic (0-1), solid deuterium-tritium, uranium, and plutonium.

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**Release experiments**

.Number of shots: 40.

.Goal:

Investigate off-Hugoniot data of released isentropes.

.Special requirements:

XRL interferometer setup and also temperature diagnostics.

.Deliverables:

Released isentrope data for deuterium- tritium and gold.

### Isochoric heating experiments

.Number of shots: 15

(5 -10 require ignition).

.Goal:

Investigate off-Hugoniot data of non- ablative isochoric heating by neutrons and Ka line photons.

.Special requirements:

Ignition hohlraums, extremely high- intensity laser source, XRL interferometer, and temperature and neutron diagnostics.

.Deliverable:

Evaluation of short-burst Ka heating, neutron heating of thin samples and comparisons of EOS models.

### Exotic experiments

.Number of shots: 10.

.Goal:

Generate extremely high pressures using plasma jets or colliding flyer plates to approach the regime where the Thomas-Fermi theory is valid.

.Special requirements:

Extremely high intensity backlighter, XRL interferometer setup, and temperature diagnostic.

.Deliverable:

Comparison to Thomas-Fermi theory of inferred pressures in the > 10 Gbar regime.

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### Required instrumentation

.Goal:

Develop a high-speed high-dynamic-range streaked camera,

.Equipment specifications:

Time resolution = 200 fs for very high velocity shocks. For many experiments, 100 fs resolution is preferred,

Dynamic range = > 50.

This camera needs to operate in both the

UV and XUV spectrum, (i.e., 4 -150 eV),

but not simultaneously.

.Special requirements:

A pulsed optical-laser interferometry / reflectometry station on the equator that is either movable or fixed at 90 degrees. The optical laser must be capable of producing at least 100 mW with pulse lengths greater than 10 ns.

### Additional considerations

It will be necessary to have an instrumentation diagnostic checkout facility so that full-system shots are not wasted on this required, but mundane, task. It seems that there are three options:

1. Perform checkouts only as ride-alongs to other experiments.

This is the least favorable option, but the ability to perform instrument debugs as ride-alongs must be available.

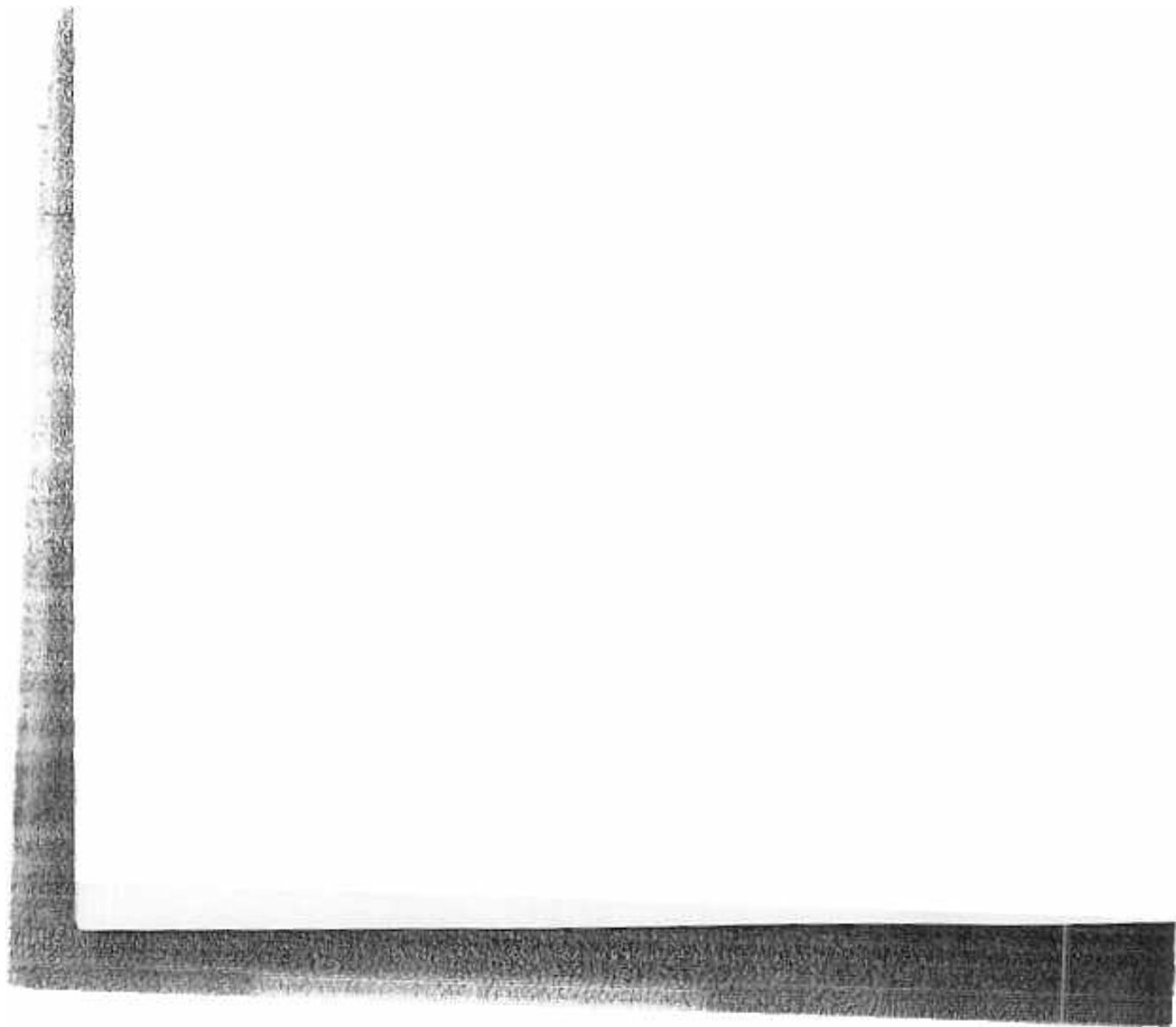
2. Perform checkouts at another, but comparable facility.

This may mean using the Omega facility in Rochester, NY, which would be approximately adequate for our needs, or using the second target chamber at the megajoule laser facility in France.

3. Build a second target chamber at LLNL similar to the French design.

The third option is the most flexible, but presumably the most expensive. However, a second target chamber at LLNL would provide the opportunity for conducting lower-intensity (Nova energy level) experiments in parallel with higher-energy shots.





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## Introduction

density physics that cannot be accessed in the absence of underground nuclear testing. following is a proposed three-year experimental plan for non-LTE x-ray laser experiments on NIF, totaling 200 shots. needed to maintain our core competency in non-LTE design and to develop short-wavelength x-ray lasers for dual-benefit applications. To perform x-ray laser research on NIF, we must have narrow ( $\sim 100 \mu\text{m}$  at FWHM) line-focused beams available.

Our plan includes developing a testbed for non-LTE physics, exploring new regimes and schemes in x-ray laser research, and using x-ray lasers for plasma-imaging diagnostics. These lasers are used for plasma imaging because they provide absolute plasma-density measurements. validate codes and benchmark data for both the ICF and weapon-physics communities. report we describe the goals, plans, and facility requirements for each type of experiment over a three-year period.

## Proposed experiments

## V. Requirements for Non-LTE and X-Ray Laser Experiments

The NIF will allow us to study high-energy-

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target from the backlighter beams and debris.

Alignment for x-ray laser imaging:

Use an in-situ technique.

Facility requirements:

Single-sided line-focused illumination that is 6 cm x 100 ~ and >1015 W / cm<sup>2</sup> at 2C1> (until we demonstrate x-ray laser operation at 3CJ».

Goals:

With its short wavelength (35 -400 Å), controllable short-pulse duration, high- peak brightness, and spatial and temporal coherence, the x-ray laser is ideally suited as a plasma diagnostic for imaging rapidly evolving « 1 ns) laser- driven plasmas with high electron densities (10<sup>21</sup> cm<sup>-3</sup> < n<sub>e</sub> < 10<sup>24</sup> cm<sup>-3</sup>). We have recently applied technological advances in multilayer mirrors and beam splitters to the soft x-ray regime and used the unique properties of x-ray lasers to develop a soft-x-ray laser interferometer that operates at 155 Å on Nova. The continued development and application of short-wavelength x-ray lasers to probe rapidly evolving high-

density laser plasmas on NIF is of great interest to both the ICF and weapon- physics communities. The shots in this series of experiments are needed to test x-ray laser configurations for interferometry applications using different types of targets in a variety of experimental setups.

Deliverable:

The ultimate objective is to develop a reliable diagnostic instrument for the ICF and weapon-physics communities. A short-wavelength x-ray laser interferometer will permit measuring 2-D electron-density profiles. This

This information is needed to

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## plasma imaging

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Pulse requirements:

Shaped and delivered on target at least 200 ns before the main beams arrive. Number of shots: SO.

Special diagnostics: X-ray laser

Stay-out zone for x-ray laser target Depends on ability to shield the primary

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information is important for benchmarking and validating code physics in numerical simulations.

### Proposed ionization balance experiments

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Number of shots: 50.

We propose using 20 shots to characterize the x-ray spectrum of the source and the backlighter. The remaining 30 shots study the temporal evolution of uniform plasmas, such as argon and krypton gas cells.

Facility requirements:

These point-projection backlighter experiments use a hohlraum as the radiation source and include a backlighter beam. The backlighter beam

needs to be focused to a spot of the order of 100  $\mu\text{m}$  in diameter with intensities of the order of  $10^{16} \text{ W / cm}^2$ . Goal:

Develop a radiatively driven gas or

foam cell, which will be used to develop a testbed for photoionization and recombination kinetics and radiation transfer in non-LTE plasmas. Using either a hohlraum or other x-ray converters, such as a high-Z slab, we can irradiate and photoionize spatially uniform plasmas. We can then measure ionization states of these plasmas using inner-shell point-projection absorption spectroscopy. Potentially, this testbed could be used to measure radiation-transfer properties of optically thick plasmas and line-profile variations of optically thick lines using a cavity design. By carefully controlling experimental configurations, we can use this testbed to calibrate our codes. Deliverable:

Development of a testbed for non-LTE physics and the initial study of non-LTE physics issues relevant to high-energy-density regimes.

Similar to the requirements for radiation-flow experiments in Section 4.

### New regimes and schemes for x-ray lasers

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Pulse requirements:

Picket-fence shape, including the pre-pulse, with traveling-wave capability. Number of shots: 100.

Facility requirements:

Double-sided line-focused illumination that is 6 cm x 100  $\mu\text{m}$  and  $> 10^{16} \text{ W / cm}^2$  on each side at  $2\tau_0$  (until we demonstrate x-ray laser operation at  $3\tau_0$ ). A set of the backlighter beams capable of pointing

$\sim 15 \text{ cm}$  away from the primary target

to test long x-ray laser architectures. These long lasers deliver double-sided line-focused illumination that is 6 cm x 100  $\mu\text{m}$  and  $> 10^{15} \text{ W / cm}^2$  on each

side at  $2\tau_0$ . Delays should be of the order of 1 ns.

Goal:

Gain understanding of the physics of short wavelength x-ray lasers and x-ray- laser architectures required to produce more efficient and brighter x-ray source. The large energy available on NIP will allow us to extend existing x-ray-laser schemes into new regimes and to test new schemes for producing short-wavelength x-ray lasers. The addition of flexible pointing, in the x-y direction, will allow us to study extreme saturation effects and to test X-ray-laser architectures, such as the oscillator- amplifier configurations.

Deliverable:

Development of an efficient, bright, and coherent x-ray source is important in the study of non-LTE plasmas. These shots are needed to test new schemes and to explore new x-ray-laser regimes. Ultimately, the information gathered will be used to study various laser architectures and test architectural components.

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Other facility requirements

Second target chamber

An additional target chamber, with up to 25% of all the beams able to be directed at the target chamber, would allow us to test diagnostics with greater flexibility and faster shot turnaround.

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## VI. Requirements for Hydrodynamic Experiments

### Introduction

Experiments for the NIF hydrodynamic program will look at instability behaviors in two and three dimensions. They will also be used to study instabilities, develop advanced experimental techniques, and examine other topics of hydrodynamic interest. Requirements for hydrodynamics experiments include the following:

1. A long drive pulse, lasting more than 25ns.
2. Flexibly timed, independently pointable beams that can be used to make x-ray backlighting sources. The pointable beams must contain up to 500 kJ of laser energy and must be capable of being delayed up to 40 ns.
3. Pinholes that can be placed within a 5-on radius of the target, as needed.
4. Shielding from stray light, as needed, for experimental packages located external to the hohlraum.
5. Diagnostic stations that provide complementary orthogonal views of the target are very desirable. These will

increase the amount of data returned by each shot.

- 6. Target alignment with 5 degrees of freedom (2 rotations and 3 translations) within: 10 I.Lm and :t 0.10 of accuracy.
- 7. A smaller laser-focus spot (i.e., 200ilm diameter). As many as 25% of the experiments could benefit from the capability to produce a smaller fOCUsed spot.
- 8. A second target chamber, with energy levels on the order of 200 kJ. This could be used to test diagnostics and new

configurations and to conduct related experiments that do not require the full power of the NIP. This last request, while expensive, is necessary if we are to properly utilize the NIP for these types of experiments.

### Proposed hydrodynamic experiments .

#### 1. Rough-surface Richtmyer-Meshkov instability

.Number of shots: roo

.Goal:

Investigate Richtmyer-Meshkov instability, at internal interfaces, in a regime thh initial perturbations driven through large amp lification.

.Deliverable:

Measurement of the development of the mixing region as a function of time for varying Atwood numbers, shock strengths, and surface roughnesses.

#### 2. Rough-surface Rayleigh-Taylor instability

.Number of shots: 40.

.Goal:

Investigate Rayleigh-Taylor instability, at internal interfaces, in a regi~ that has small, rough initial perturbations driven through large amplification.

.--Deliverable:

Measurement of the development of the mixing region as a function of time for varying Atwood numbers, acceleration speeds, and surface roughnesses.

\* A total of ~ 490 shots over three years.

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#### 3. Convergent 2-D instabilities

.Number of shots: 40.

.Goal:

Study imtabilities and mixing in 2-D convergent geo~es.

.Deliverable:

Measurement of instability growth in a 2-D convergent geometry for different drive conditions, initial perturbations, and cylindrical geometries.

4. Three-dimensional (3-D) instabilities

.Numberofshots: 50--.

.Goal:

Study instabilities and mixing in 3-D geometries.

.Deliverable:

Measurement of instability growth in a 3-D geometry for different drive conditions, initial perturbations, and geometric configurations.

S. Atomic-scale turbulent mixing

.Number of shots: sc:r.

.Goal:

Study small-scale mixing in both turbulent and non-turbulent regimes.

.Deliverable:

Measurement of the fine-scale (atomic) mixing and analysis of its dependence on a variety of parameters including: surface roughnesses, Atwood numbers, and acceleration/shock conditions.

6. Large-scale flows

.Number of shots: 75.

.Goal:

Investigate large-scale structures, such as jets and shear layers, found in a variety of flows in an environment characterized by high temperature, high density, and high Mach number.

.Deliverable:

Experimental quantification of a variety of flows of interest for use in conjunction with code simulations.

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7. Advanced topics

.Number of shots: 75..

.Goal:

Develop advanced diagnostic techniques for use on a variety of hydrodynamics issues, such as radiochemistry, deuterium-tritium reactions, and direct drive.

.Deliverable:

New capabilities that can address other hydrodynamics issues, such as the measurement of atomic mixing.

8. Developmental work

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.Number of shots: 100 .

.Goals:

Develop new diagnostics, methods, and configurations for NIP experiments, as well as some sub-NIF experiments (with the addition of a second chamber).

.Deliverables:

New diagnostic capabilities and experimental methods that have been tested under realistic conditions and demonstration of proof-of-principle for high-risk ideas. Additionally, a second chamber would provide a matched facility for pursuing parameter variations over a much larger range than is logical for NIF. For example, quantities such as low-end shock strength could be explored in a range that doesn't require the full energy of NIF, but would, at the same time,

benefit from the NIF diagnostics, laser characteristics, and facility peculiarities, etc. Not everything will have been done in the earlier Nova regime leaving a portion of parameter space between NIP and Nova for experimentation.

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## VII. **Requirements**

**Overview**  
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The facility design requirements for weapons-physics capsule experiments are similar to those for ICF capsules (see the NIF Conceptual Design Report). The description, justification, and deliverables for these experiments are necessarily contained elsewhere; consequently, this section just summarizes the experimental shot plans.

- Ignition capsules containing uranium, 40 shots.
- X-ray output from ignition capsules, 40 shots.
- Sub-ignition capsules containing uranium, 40 shots.
- Special effects, 140 shots.

Note that because 160 of these are full-yield shots, they will only be possible after ignition and gain are demonstrated. They therefore will need to be scheduled three to four years after the first ignition experiments. Additional diagnostics required for these experiments will also include neutron spectrometers with spectral coverage from 100 keV to 20 MeV, electromagnetic-pulse detectors, and radiochemistry procedures for recovering most of the initial mass in the capsule for analysis.

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Dana Rowley (510) 422-9675.

Approximately 260 shots.

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## Capsule-Implosion

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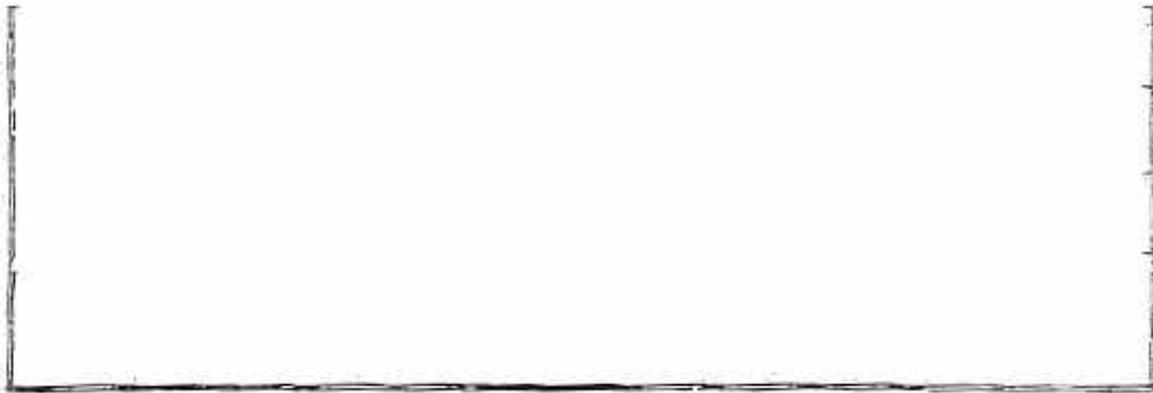
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**National Ignition Facility  
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Request Form and Record of Decision**

**1. BCP number 2. BCP title 3. Submitted by G.Deis/J. Yatabe BCP 96-005 Functionality Changes to the NIF Phone: 27657/26115**

**Baseline: 1. Optics assembly Fax: 36506/37651  
capability, 2. Addition of beam  
smoothing, 3. Addition of flashlamp  
cooling, 4. Addition of 4x2  
amplifiers, 5. Not to preclude direct  
drive, 6. Not to preclude radiation  
effects testing, 7. Laser spot size.**

**Date received: 1  
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Change Priority 7. Directed change  
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Priority Level No**

**0 Level 2 Basis: Add increased OLI3 functionality to meet user  
change requirements**

**8. Change description: Scope 0 Schedule (TBD) Cost  
This change incorporates the functionality changes to the NIF Baseline that have been identified as high priority needs to meet the Stockpile Stewardship mission. If  
approved the changes incorporated into the NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria and lower tier criteria will add these functionality changes into the Title  
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**9. Justification and impact of change (see worksheet)  
The proposed changes represent either required features to meet the current Primary Criteria such as optics assembly capability, addition of beam smoothing and the  
improved 4-laser amplifier architecture, associated flashlamp cooling needed for baseline turnaround, and laser spot size. It also adds the design features to not  
preclude future direct drive capability addition (note: see BCP 96-006 for full direct drive implementation as an option) and to not preclude future addition of radiation  
effects testing.**

**10. Impact of not approving BCP I  
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If the proposed functionality is not approved the improvements in technology that have occurred since the 1994 conceptual design will not be incorporated into the  
NIF, and the basis for future test capability for addition of direct drive and-radiation effects testing will not be added to the NIF capability.**

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| 8. Change description: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scope <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule (TBD) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost<br>This change incorporates the functionality changes to the NIF Baseline that have been identified as high priority needs to meet the Stockpile Stewardship mission. If approved the changes incorporated into the NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria and lower tier criteria will add these functionality changes into the Title I design.                                                                               |  |  |                 |                                                                                                                                                                         |  |         |  |                                                                                                                                                              |         |  |  |
| 9. Justification and impact of change (see worksheet)<br>The proposed changes represent either required features to meet the current Primary Criteria such as optics assembly capability, addition of beam smoothing, the improved 4x2 laser amplifier architecture, associated flashlamp cooling needed for baseline turnaround, and laser spot size. It also adds the design features to not preclude future direct drive capability addition (note: see BCP 96-006 for full direct drive implementation as an option) and to not preclude future addition of radiation effects testing. |  |  |                 |                                                                                                                                                                         |  |         |  |                                                                                                                                                              |         |  |  |
| 10. Impact of not approving BCP<br>If the proposed functionality is not approved, the improvements in technology that have occurred since the 1994 conceptual design will not be incorporated into the NIF, and the basis for future test capability for addition of direct drive and radiation effects testing will not be added to the NIF capability.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |  |                 |                                                                                                                                                                         |  |         |  |                                                                                                                                                              |         |  |  |
| <b>Record of BCCB decision</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |  |                 |                                                                                                                                                                         |  |         |  |                                                                                                                                                              |         |  |  |
| 11. Record of BCCB decision<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved (see II)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved<br><input type="checkbox"/> Returned for specific data                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |  |                 | 12. Passed to Higher Level BCCB<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input type="checkbox"/> BCCB                                                             |  |         |  | 13. Date of BCCB decision<br>3/1/96                                                                                                                          |         |  |  |

Approval signature  
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*Pen + ink changes based on input from Learn Morrow, DOE Oak, on 3/28/96*

National Ignition Facility  
 Baseline Change Proposal Worksheet

1. BCP nwr(ber  
 BCP96-GO5

**I 2. BCP title**

**IFunctionality Changes to th1 NIF Baseline !**

**4. Technical baseline change inputs**

**3. Submitted by**

**Gary Deis/Jon Yatabe**

**Phone #: 27657/26115 Fax #: 36506/37651**

**Other technical baseline documents: P..2AR**

**.Primary Criteria .System ,Design ReqUirement !.Functional Requirements. Interface Control Document**

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**I Inputs: TEC ./I~ -"\$'FBB I Contingency \$1.2M for new**

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**I \$34.7M Change to funding profile included**

**oPC**

**Other**

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**Original budgeted amount Project to date actual cost Current lien balance --**

**DYes (attached)**

**.No**

**\$33.5M**

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**I 6. Schedule input**

**0 Level 0 milestone 0 Levell milestone 0 Level 2 milestone 0 Level 3 milestone**

**7. ES&H impacts**

**Yes**

**.PSAR/FSAR**

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**8. Other impacts (e.g., security, stakeholders)**

**These changes will enhance user community support for NIF**

**Baseline Change Prol2osal 96-005**

## Impact Assessment and Change Description

Rev A

### Requirements changes

Functional- Requirements! Primary Criteria (based on Rev 1.3, March 1994) [New text in bold. Deleted text in stfilEet.,k.:'.=.. Editor's notes in *italics.*]

### **(Optics Assembly Capability)**

#### 1.4 Site-Specific Requirements

These requirements have been written for a generic site, such that NIF could be located at many different sites with only minor modifications. When a site selection is made, these requirements will be revised as necessary to include site-specific natural phenomena, environmental characteristics, and potential use of existing infrastructure, facilities, and services. The buildings functionality required at all candidate sites are: Laser and Target Area and the Optics Assembly Capability. If new facilities are necessary, the requirements are as described in these criteria.

#### 6.1 Design Life Requirements

The NIP faciities shall be designed for at least 30 years design life for permanent structures.

Systems or portions of systems for which that is impractical shall bedesigned for ease of replacement. Ease of replacement means that replacement is feasible at reasonable cost and can be accomplished in a timely manner, consistent with plant availability requirements. "Replacement" here also includes removal, refurbishment, and reinstallation of original equipment

The performance category for Target Area and Laser Structural sytems shall be category 2 with a graded approach for other systems.

Where alternative designs and modes of construction are possible at essentially equivalent cost, the design and construction method which most readily allows for future reconfiguration and modification should be selected.

#### 6.2 Vibration Requirements

Certain facilities or areas within facilities will house vibration-sensitive special equipment The structural design of these areas shall provide means to effectively isolate this equipment to control vibration within specified displacement and rotation requirements. ~Le lasef Bal" e~Ef'ef~7.e:".tal afea .;iBface:". li=.its =.:\:lstalle\':

Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements for NIF

Facilities.

#### 6.3 Cleanliness Requirements

The laser bays, experimental areas, and optical assembly rooms must be dust free to prevent laser damage to the optics. Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements for NIF Facilities.

### **(Addition of 1D SSD)**

#### 2.1.11 Beam Smoothness

The NIF shall have spatial and temporal beam conditioning to control intensity fluc~ati~ns in the target plane. -hay.'e tle\*ible bea=-:-. 5=-:-. eet~:."-.g eapabilitj' f~f the eapabilitj' shall ~-LeIHele: eliametef eifele a:-.eI ~-.tegfateEi eY.'ef a f 7.e ei 19 ps. baj:'Ld~v'idtJ:-, tJ:-lat is a-y-ailable at 3 tD);

### **(Addition of Flashlamp Cooling)**

After BCP approval, future SDR and ICD revisions will be made.

### **(Addition of 4x2 Amplifiers)**

After BCP approval, future SDR and ICD revisions will be made.

*(Not to preclude Direct Drive)*

**2.1.12 Direct-Drive Requirements\***

Future upgrade to meet the following requirements, specific to direct-drive experiments, shall not be precluded in the baseline NIF design.

**2.1.12.1 Direct-Drive Irradiation Symmetry**

Direct-drive ICF targets shall be irradiated by three pairs of concentric cones, with midplane symmetry. The cone half-angles and number of beams on each cone shall be:

Direct- Drive

Cone

Inner Outer Waist

Cone Half-

Angle (approximate) Same as indirect drive Same as indirect drive

75 degrees

Fraction of Total

Beams

1/6 1/3 1/2

**(Not to Preclude Radiation Testing)**

**2.1.3 Laser Pulse Wavelength**

The wavelength of the laser pulse delivered to the target shall be 0.35 microns (I.Lm). The design should not preclude delivering 0.53 I.Lm and 1.053 I.Lm wavelength light to the target with reasonable modifications.

**2.1.13 Beam Focusing and Pointing**

The NIF should have flexibility in beam focusing and pointing to address the needs of radiation effects testing and other users.

**2.2 Experimental Area**

The National Ignition Facility shall be operated in a manner consistent with its role as a national resource. Whenever possible, the design shall accommodate the requirements of interested users with diverse needs. The baseline facility design shall not preclude future addition of target chambers for additional weapons physics experiments, and/or radiation effects testing of important national assets, up to system level components, to maintain and certify their reliability. The following requirements are intended to satisfy the most basic of these needs.

**2.2.12 Distributed Laser Plasma Radiation Source Compatibility \***

The NIF should provide the basic capability to allow laser irradiation of distributed target arrays with future upgrade. The target chamber should allow flexibility in beam dump placement.

*(Laser Spot Size)*

**2.1.10 Laser Pulse Spot Size**

Each beam shall deliver its design energy and power encircled in a 600 J.Lm diameter spot at the target plane or its equivalent. In the appropriate configuration, each beam should deliver 50% of its design energy and power encircled in a 100J.Lm diameter spot at the target plane or its equivalent.

### Request Form and Record of Decision

1. BCP number: 96-002 2. BCP title: Update of NIF Primary 3. Submitted by: Gary Deis/J Criteria/Functional Requirements Yatabe/John Hunt  
Phone: 2-7657/2-6115/2-5467  
Fax: 3-6506

.Date received: 1  
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8. Change description: !.§ -Scope ~ -Schedule X.§ -Cost  
The NIF Primary Criteria/Functional Requirements are updated for Laboratory Project, DOE Field Office, and DOE ONIF a~proval to p'rovide .the guil;ia~ce for !tle I desi~. The update~ include: 1. dire.cted changes in scope for: user requirements, direct drive, radIation testing, 2. addition of the Optics Assembly Building common to all sites, and 3. regulatory updates in DOE Orders, National Consensus Codes and standards.  
9. Justification and impact of change (see works eet)  
The NIF CDR completed in 1994 was based on the current approved Primary Criteria/Functional Requirements I (Attachment A for information). Since 1994, guidance has been received from: 1. Users directing that the ! capability for increased shot rate capability and increased yield capability were required (Attachment B, Reference .). 2. DOE directed evaluation of not precluding or adding full dIrect drive capability (Attachment B, Reference 2), and 3. DOE directed evaluation of not precluding the addition of full radiation testing capability in the future (Attachment B, Reference 3), 4. Site evaluation confirming that the OAB is required at each construction site, and 5. changes in DOE Orders and National Consensus Codes and Standards. The revised Primary Criteria/Functional Requirements is included as Attachment C. As a result of this BCP, the Title I design will be in accordance with the revISed Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements. At the end of Title I design a revised total Project cost and schedule will be provided.

10. Impact of not approving BCP I  
If this BCP is not approved and these issues were not resolved during the early phases of Title I design, the subsequent fixes would require significant design rework with attendant cost increases and schedule delays.

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### National Ignition Facility Baseline Change Proposal Worksheet

1. BCP .96-002 2. BC~ title: Update of N!F Primary 3. Submitted by: Gary Deis/Jon \..:ntena/Functional Requirements I Yatabe/John Hunt

4. Technical baseline change inputs

.Update top level design criteria impacts lower tier criteria: SDRs and ICDs.

Other technical baseline documents:

Impacts

.Primary Criteria .System Design Requirements .Functional Requirements. Interface Control Document

::>. Cost input

Inputs: TEC: ~\$ Contingency for new Title I design scope raising FY96 Title I total to 35.2M\$.

arc: \$ None at this time Other \$

Budget analysis: Original budgeted amount 33.4 M \$ mC for Title I design)

Project to date actual cost .2 M \$ (TEC) Current lien balance 4.2 M \$ mC)

Change to funding profile included: .Yes (See revised FY97 Project Data Sheet 0 No attached to BCP96-QO3)

6. Schedule input

0 Level 0 milestone

0 Level 1 milestone

0 Level 2 milestone

0 Level 3 milestone

.Determination required by March 1, 1996 or WUIImpact Title I design schedule

7. ES&H impacts

Yes

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0 PEIS

0 QA Program

.Other documents Titles: Securi- Plan-

.New DOE Order ES&H requirements and new CFRs impacting safety and environment to be incorporated.

Milestone title/months ~

8. Other impacts (e.g., security, stakeholders)

Proposed changes reflect incorporation of Weapons Physics, radiation effects testing and indirect/ drive Users needs.

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NATIONAL IGNITION FACILITY PROJECT LEVEL 2 -BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL RECORD OF DECISION

BCP NUMBER: BCP TITLE: Functionality Changes to the NIF Baseline:

1. Optics assembly capability, 2. Addition of beam smoothing, 3. Addition of flashlamp cooling, 4. Addition of 4x2 amplifiers, 5. Not to preclude direct drive, 6. Not to preclude radiation effects testing, 7. Laser spot size.

i MEMBERS (ReQuired) RECOMMENDATION

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Title: NIF Project Engineer Date

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Title: OAK ICF Program Manager Da~

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Title: Director, WRD

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ADVISORS (As Required)

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- Rejected
- Directed Change

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Department of Energy

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 REPLY TO ATTN OF:  
 SUBJECT:

TO:

April 2, 1996 DP-32:J.Beitz:3-3181

REVIEW OF BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL (BCP) FOR THE NATIONAL IGNITION FACILITY (96-0-111) I

L. Morrow, DOE Oakland Baseline Change Control Board Secretariat

Baseline Change Proposals 96-004, 96-005, and 96-006 for the National Ignition Facility were submitted to this office for processing.

The Board members provided their recommendations and the Chairman approved the BCPs. Attached are the original BCPs and a summary of the Board's actions.

Should there be questions concerning the BCP I

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903-3181 or Tom Finn at (202) 586-4797.

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Board

Attachment

cc:

- A. Tavares, FM-20
- T. Finn, DP-18
- K. Foley, DP-42
- M. Sluyter, DP-11

W. Simmons  
R. McCrory, UR LLE, Rochester S. Samuelson, DOE OAK  
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Tom Finn, DP-18

**Completion Of Recent National Ignition Facility (NIF) IChange Control Board Actions**

**NIF Levell Change Board Members and ICF Program Directors**

**Pumose** -This memo summarizes the disposition by the \$ Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) of proposed Levell changes 96-002 to 96-006 iqclusive.

**Background** -The first meeting of the DOE Headquartersilevel (level 1) NIP Baseline Change Control Board took place on February 27, 1996 in room

**t** -419 of the DOE Germantown

Facility. The Board consists of the following members:

- David Crandall, NIF Office, DP-I0 (Chairman)
- Marshall Sluyter, Office of Research and Inertial Fusion, DP-ll -Kathleen Foley, Office of Research and Development Programs, DP-42 - Robert McCrory, University ofRocheste
- 1** -William Simmons, private consultant

~r~%~e~t~mbers were in attendance. In addition repre,~tives from DP-32 and FM-20

**Initial ProQosed Changes** -The Board was presented with itwo change proposals approved by the level 2 Board, 96-002 and 96-003. The purpose of th

**i** proposed changes is to incorporate

into Title I activities that appropriately respond to recent hysics advances in the program and requests by user groups.

**1. 96-002** -This proposal recommended the fOllOwing  
1 three ~hanges to the NIF

Criteria/Functional Requirements:

- a. Change the scope to include the capability:
  - to increase the shot rate from 8 hours between shots to 4 hours
  - to carry out direct drive experiments, -to carry out radiation effects testing.
- b. Add the requirement for an Optics Assembly Building common to all sites.
- c. Update the requirements to incorporate changes  
1 in DOE Orders, and National  
Consensus Codes and Standards.

**2. 96-003** -This proposed change recommended addi~g to the Project Data Sheet the Optics Assembly Building, including optics assembly equipm4nt.

**Initial Board Action** -The Board disapproved the propostjd baseline changes because of their impact on cost, and directed the lower level

boards to re-submit the proposed changes to incorporate the functionality into the scope of the project Within the framework of no cost growth. This was done so that the design activities could be carried out in Title I but a decision on actual implementation of the proposed activities could be made at the end of Title I. In addition, the project was directed to conduct studies to identify capabilities which could be reduced in order to lower costs. It was also decided that an additional meeting of the level 2 Board was not necessary. I

**Revised Proposed Changes** -As a result of these directions the level 2 Board submitted by mail to each of the Board members the following proposed changes (summary sheets are enclosed):

**10 96-004** -This proposed change incorporates basic requirements which allow the project to update changes in DOE Orders, and Federal Regulations

**2. 2** -This proposal incorporates the following functionality changes into the NIF baseline: I

- Optics assembly capability,
- Addition of beam smoothing,
- Addition of flashlamp cooling,
- Change to of 4X2 amplifier architecture, -Not to preclude direct drive,
- Not to preclude radiation effects testing, -Reduce the spot size of each laser beam.

**3. 96-006** -This proposed change is to conduct two engineering design studies. The first is to increase the shot rate from 8 hours between shots to 4 hours. The second is to implement fully direct drive on the NIF. I

**Final Board Action** -All the Board members recommend approval of proposed changes 96-004, -005, and -006; and approval of the changes was signed by David H. Crandall on April 1, 1996.

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**National Ignition Facility  
Baseline Change Proposal  
Request Form and Record of Decision**

1. BCP number 2. BCP title 3. Submitted by G.Deis/J. Yatabe BCP 96-004 Directed Changes in DOE Orders Phone: 27657/26115  
and Federal Regulations Fax: 36506/37651

Date received:

Level 3 3/1/96 Level 2 Level 1 Level 0  
Change Priority : 6. 7. Direct Change  
0 Routine 0 Level 0 .Yes  
.Priority .Level 0 No

0 Level 2 Basis: Changes in DOE 0 Level 3 Orders and Federal Regulations

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8. Change description: .Scope 0 Sched

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This change incorporates basic requirements which will allow NIF to meet the new DOE Orders and Federal Regulations issued since the 1994 Conceptual Design Report and general text updates.

Y. justification and impact of change (see worksheet)

This change will result in a complete update of the DOE Orders and Federal Regulations (e.g., Code of Federal Regulations) that have occurred since the 1994 NIF Conceptual Design Report was published. The update includes the applicable national consensus codes and standards that have been revised or reissued during that period. Once approved by the Level 1 Baseline Change Control Board, the Orders, Federal Regulations, Codes and Standards will be frozen and the Project will be designed and constructed to these specifications.

10. Impact 0 not approving BCP

The NIF would be designed to DOE Orders, Federal Regulations, Code and Standards existant in 1994. Many of these Orders have been canceled and replaced by new requirements e.g., DOE Order 6430.1A replaced by DOE Orders 420.1 and 430.1.)

**Record of BCCB decision**

11. Record of BCCB decision 12. Passed to Higher Level BC B 113. Date of BCCB decision .Approved (see II) .Yes 3/1/96  
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Limitations:-

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*Ann Morrow, DOE OAK, on 3/28/96*

**National Ignition Facility  
Baseline Change Proposal Worksheet**

1. BCP number

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2. BCP title

Directed Changes in DOE orders and Federal Regulations .I

3. Submitted by

Gary Deis/Jon Yatabe

Phone #: 27657/26115

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4. Technical baseline change inputs

Other technical baseline documents:

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**Primary Criteria 0 System Design Requirements i. Functional Requirements 0 Interface Control Document**

5. Cost input ~ I.J.J. I.YI Budget analysis: Original budgeted amount \$33.4M Inputs: TEC :::1fi- ~m &A- prc>ject to date actual cost &2M

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6. Schedule input

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17. ES&H impacts

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8. Other impacts (e.g., security, stakeholders)

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Impact Assessment and Change Description

RevB I

Requirements changes

i Functional Requirements! Primary Criteria (based 0 Rev 1.3, March 1994) [New text in bold. Deleted text in st'iketl--Lr~. Editor's notes in *it lics.*]

1.2 Application I

The Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria se~es as a technical baseline for the project. Any modifications must be processed through the change control mechanism specified in the NIP Ge~Lee~t'..:al gesig:-L See~e aRe Pl~~ Project Execution Plan and formally approved. Each individual requirement or cr~teria has been placed in one of two hierarchy levels for control purposes. Those item~ which are Levell, Primary Criteria, are marked with either a single or a double asterisk and are controlled by DOE Headquarters. Nonasterisked items are classified as L~veI2, Functional requirements, and are controlled by the Gal~la~Le G~efatie~Ls GfHee ItIIF DOE Field Qffice Manager. The control of double asterisk requirements may be d

.1~eg~ted to Gal~';};FLe Gpefatie~..';; Gffice the NIF DOE Field Qffice Manager at some p mt m the future as part of the ongoing decentralization process.

1.3 Terms I

The terms "should" and "shall," have important impli~ations beyond what might be implied by common usage. "Shall" denotes a require~ent which is mandatory and must be met. "Should" denotes a feElHife~.e;".t ';;~.ie~. is ;".et .t.: date~F, BHt ~.;~.ie~. is a nonmandatory recommendation or goal. I

2.1.5 Beamlet l2e~Lf'"~Lg Positioning Accuracy\*

The rms deviation in pe~ti1'"Lg the position of the cen roids of all beams from their specified aiming points shall not exceed 50 micromet rs (~) at the target plane or its equivalent. *Lrrnf mfQf1 Sf'OI!Dd*

2.2.4 Classification Level of Experiments\* -I

The facility shall be designed to allow both classified (~at the SRD level) and unclassified experiments. Its design should permit Ch tning classification levels with minimal impact on operations and cost.

2.2.11 Personnel Access Inside the Target Chamber\* I

Personnel access to the inside of the target chamber sljtall be consistent with requirements for periodic cleaning necessary to main~ain radiological, low-hazard, non- nucl~ar operations and for inspection and maintenanc je consistent with operational requirements

3.0 Safety Requirements\*\*

The NIP shall be designed, constructed, and operated as a low-hazard, nonnuclear facility. Compliance with this classification shall be verified through a Preliminary Hazard Analysis assessment of bounding accidents involving those radionuclides and/or chemicals presenting the most significant hazards (see QGE-Gr-der-s-§48~,

Management, Safety Analysis Report, and DOE Order 5481.1B, Safety Analysis Review System). Administrative controls shall be established prior to K9-4 CD3 to ensure that inventory limits for a radiologically low-hazard, non-nuclear facility are not exceeded. I

### 3.1 Radiation Protection''

Collective and individual ionizing radiation doses to the public from all exposure pathways from the NIP shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment, and 40 CFR 61, National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities. These requirements state that exposure of members of the public from emissions of radionuclides in the ambient air from normal NIP operations shall remain below 10 mrem/y. The facility shall also meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5 [ICRP 60 540 (1990 Recommendation of the International Commission on Radiological Protection), 10 CFR 20.1301.a.1 (Code of Federal Regulations- Standards for Protection Against Radiation)] to ensure that the public dose limit of 100 mrem/y from all exposure modes and all sources of radiation at the site boundary to exceed 100 mrem/y.

The NIP personnel radiation protection program shall follow DOE Order 9489.11 N441.1, Radiation Protection for Occupational Workers and 10 CFR 835 Occupational Radiation Protection. The ALARA (as low as reasonably achievable) principle shall be utilized in both design and operation of the facility to eliminate unnecessary radiation dose to workers in the Laser and Target Area Building, co-located employees, and visitors from both rou

te and

off-normal operations. Radiation protection shall include: shielding; control of workplace ventilation; monitoring of personnel for external and internal radiation dose; establishment of a routine contamination monitoring program including air monitoring, and the proper containment of radiation and radioactive materials. The radiation shielding design shall be more conservative than required by DOE Order 64...9.1-A-... 420.1, Facility Safety, in that maximum doses to an individual worker shall be limited to one tenth (shielding design goal) of the occupational external dose limits specified in QGE Gfeef 9489.11 10 CFR 835. Concrete shielding shall comply with ACI 308 which provides adequate strength for DBE loads.

The requirements for the confinement of tritium for Fusion Test Facilities in DOE Order 64...9.1-A-... 420.1, Facility Safety, should be evaluated by the designers and incorporated when they are determined to be cost effective, even though the projected inventory of tritium in NIP (0.05g or 500 Ci) is well below the threshold for a nuclear facility. The target chamber and tritium processing systems shall form the primary confinement barrier. Leakage past these barriers shall be ALARA. The experimental area ventilation system shall be

designed to operate at negative pressures during and immediately after shots of greater than one megajoule and provide secondary tritium confinement. [...]

### 3.2 Life Safety\*\* I

The NIP shall fully comply with the requirements for life safety contained in DOE Order 420.1, Facility Safety. Particular focus shall be directed towards features related to egress means, such as protection of vertical openings, travel distances, capacities, and emergency lighting.

### 3.3 Laser Safety\* I

The laser safety shall comply with ANSI Z39.1-1968. Exposure to hazardous levels of laser light shall be prevented by the use of physical barriers, personnel training, interlocks, and personnel entry controls. Protective equipment, such as laser goggles, shall be used when necessary for operational purposes. Interlock systems shall be dedicated and designed to fail safe and shall activate laser shutters or shut off power to laser systems if access

is gained and hazardous exposures are possible.

### 3.4 Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Safety\* I

Industrial hygiene and occupational safety shall comply with 29 CFR 1910 and DOE Order 440.1, Worker Protection Management for DOE Federal and Construction Employees. QGB

Construction safety shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR 1926, OSHA and DOE Order 4489.9, Ge... 440.1, Worker Protection Management for DOE Federal and Contractor Employees.

Facility subsystems (e.g., capacitor banks, vacuum systems, tritium recovery, nitrogen supply, and personnel safety interlock systems) shall be designed to default to a safe state upon loss of power.

### 3.5 Fire Protection\*

The NIP shall meet the design and fire protection requirements of DOE Orders 6439.1.A, 6489.7.A, Fire Protection, 420.1, Facility Safety, and the Uniform Building Code (UBC). The structural members of the Experimental Building (including exterior walls, interior bearing walls, columns, floors, roofs, and supporting elements) shall, as a minimum, meet C fire resistive standards. Appropriate fire barriers shall be

provided to limit property damage, fire propagation, and loss of life by separating adjoining structures, isolating hazardous areas, and protecting egress paths. The NIP shall meet the requirements for an "improved risk" level of fire protection sufficient to attain DOE objectives. To achieve this level of protection, automatic fire sprinklers shall be installed throughout the complex. The sprinklers shall be coupled with adequate fire protection water supplies and automatic and manual means for detecting and reporting incipient fires. Fire hazard analyses will be completed as required by DOE Order 420.1 I

**3.6 Robotic System Safety I**

Robotic systems shall comply with the requirements of ANSI/RIA R15.06-1992, Industrial Robots and Robot System Safety Requirements.

**4.1 Waste Management\*\*\*\* I**

The NIP shall minimize the generation of wastes at the source per: DOE Geefs Policy 94QQ.1 P450.1, Environmental Safety and Health Policy for the DOE Complex, General Environmental Protection Program 94QQ.1, H-afeeHS ~ 4 Raeciaetiy:e ~.fuEee \A!aste l2fegFa~.j and DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management; and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USC 6901 e~ to 6992) and the Toxic Substance Control Act (15 U

~c 2601-2692). The NIP waste handling areas shall comply with the standards of confinement and ventilation requirements specified by DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management. The NIP will generate hazardous waste, low-level radioactive waste (LLW), and mixed (LLW and hazardous) waste. These wastes shall be collected in approved containers, labeled, packaged, sorted, treated, and shipped to an EPA DOE-approved treatment or disposal site according to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and the following regulations: hazardous waste per 40 CFR 260, 261, and 262; low-level waste per DOE Order 5820.2A; and mixed (LLW and hazardous) waste per DOE Orders 94QQ.1 a1'".el5820.2A, and 40 CFR 260. The LLW packages shall meet the radioactive solid waste acceptance criteria of the final approved disposal site.

**4.2 Effluents\* I**

Liquid effluent discharges from NIP discharge points shall be monitored and controlled in compliance with: 10 CFR 835; DOE Order 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment; the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C.1251 et. seq.; and by conditions on 40 CFR 125 criteria and standards for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System.

Gaseous effluent Air emissions shall meet the requirements of Section 3.1 (radiation shielding and confinement) for radionuclides and the requirements of the Clean Air Act, (42 U.S.C 7401) including National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAPs), and state and local air quality management district requirements. I

**5.0 Safeguards And Security\*\* I**

The NIP safeguards and security features shall meet the requirements of DOE Order Security Interests, and DOE Order 470.1, Safeguards and Security Program. The requirements include Physical protection of classified

data and equipment, materials and items in use and in storage. For the facility security areas and access control, requirements shall be established based on nature of the experiments (i.e., classified or unclassified) being performed. The limited areas shall be the target area, target receiving and inspection, final target alignment, classified data acquisition and office areas where classified computing is performed. Automated Data Processing (ADP) systems handling

classified information shall meet the requirements of DOE Orders 5637.1, Classified Computer Security Program, and 5300.4(D, Telecommunications: Protected Distribution Systems. Elements of DOE Orders 470.1 Safeguards and Security Program and 472.1 Personnel Security Activities will also be incorporated into the security plan.

The NIP complex shall also meet the requirements for physical protection of DOE property and unclassified facilities, protection program operations, and personnel security, including issuance, control, and use of badges, passes, and credentials. Because the continuous operation of the NIP is not required to prevent adverse impacts on national security or the health and safety of the public, it is not classified as a vital facility, per DOE Order ...  
Classification: Unclassified 5632.1C.

**6.4 Temperature Control**

Temperatures in the laser bays and experimental areas must be controlled to ±0.3°C in order to maintain a stable laser alignment. Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements. I

**6.5 Electrical Power**

\* Electric power shall be installed in accordance with NFPA 70, which includes details from the National Electrical Code, IEEE 49 ,





- .10 CFR 835- Occupational Radiation Protection i
- .10 CFR 20 -Standards for Protection Against Ra4iation
- .29 CFR 1910 -Occupational Safety and Health Aft (OSHA)-operation
- .29 CFR 1926 -Occupational Safety and Health A

~ t (OSHA)-construction

- .40 CFR 125 -Criteria and Standards for NPDES National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) i
- .40 CFR 260, 261, 262 -Hazardous Waste ManageFent System
- .40 CPR 61 Subpart H -National Emission Standard for Emissions of Radionuclides other than Radon from Department of Energy

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- .FED-Sill-209E -Airborne Particulate Cleanlines Classes in Cleanrooms and Clean Zones
- .33 USC ~ 1251 et seq., Clean Water Act
- .42 USC 7401, Clean Air Act
- .42 USC 4321 et seq.. NEP A (National Environm tal Policy Act)
- .40 USC 6901 et-seEt: to 6992, Resource Conservat on and Recovery Act (RCRA)
- .15 USC 2601-2692, Toxic Substance Control Act

1(;).4.3 10.3.3 National Consensus Standards

The order standards and codes listed as mandatory' DOE Orders are not referenced in this list.

.Air Movement and Control Association (AMC ): Certified Program-Air Performance, 211-1994

.American Concrete Institute (ACI):

- Specifications for Structural Concrete for uildings, ACI 301 -1996 .American National Standards Institute (ANSI):
- ANSI B40.1 -1991, Gauges-Pressure, Indi ating Dial Type Elastic Element -ANSI MC96.1 -1982, Temperature Measur~ment

Thermocouples

- ANSI/ IEEE Sill 241 -1991, IEEE Reco ended Practice for Electric Power Systems in Commercial Buildings
- ANSI ZI36.1-1993 Laser Safety
- ANSI C2 -1993, National Electric Code
- ANSI C84.1-1989, Electrical Power Syst ms and Equipment -Voltage Rating (60 Hz) I
- ANSI/NFPA 110-1993, Standard for Emer~ency and Standby Power Systems
- ANSI/RIA R15.06-1992, Industrial Robo~ and Robot Systems -Safety Requirements

.American Society for Testing and Materials (AstM)

- ASTM CI50 -1995, Standard Specification Ifor Portland Cement
- ASTM C33 -1993, Standard Specification for Concrete Aggregates
- ASTM C94 -1994, Standard Specification for Ready-Mixed Concrete
- ASTM C260 -1994, Standard Specificati°ti for Air-Entraining Admixtures -ASTM C494 -1992, Standard speCificatio
- ~or Chemical Admixtures for Concrete

-ASTM C618 -1994, Standard Specification for Fly Ash and Raw or Calcined Natural Pozzolan for Use as a Mineral Ad .ture in Portland Cement Concrete

-ASTM A615 -1995, Standard specificati0

Ifor Deformed and Plain Billet- Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement

- ASTM A416 -1994, Standard Specificatio for Steel Strand. Uncoated Seven Wire Stress Relieved for Prestressed Concr~te
- ASTM A36 -1994, Standard Specification I for Structural Steel
- ASTM A307 -1994, Standard Specificatio for Carbon Steel Bolts and Studs, 60000 psi Tensile Strength
- ASTM A325 -1994, Standard Specificatio for High Strength Bolts for Structural Steel Joints
- ASTM A449 -1993, Standard Specificatio for Quenched and Tempered Steel Bolts and Studs
- ASTM A490 -1993, Standard Specification or Heat-Treated Steel Structural Bolts, 150 ksi Minimum Tensile Strength

.International Commission on Radiological Prot~ction:

-Publication 30 (methodology only) -Limi

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-Publication 60 -1990 Recommendations 0 the International Commission on Radiological Protection "c

-Publication 61 -Annual Limits on intake O

JRadionuclides by Workers Based on the1990 Recommendations

.Instrument Society of America (ISA):

- ISA S5.1 -1992, Instrument Symbols and I entification
- ISA-S50.1 -1992, Compatibility of Analog ~ignals for Electronic Industrial Process Instruments I

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DOE-STD-1020-94, Natural Phenomena Hazard\$ Design and Evaluation Criteria for DOE Facilities

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# Components

NFPA 70 -1996, National Electric Code

NFPA 72 -1993, National Fire Alarm Code

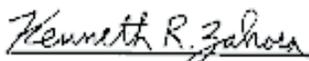
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**BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSALS (BCP) FOR THE NATIONAL IGNITION FACILITY**

**L. Morrow, DOE Oakland Baseline Change Control Board Secretariat**

BCPs 97-001 (Rev 8) and 97-002 (Rev 8) for the National Ignition Facility were submitted to this office for processing. On December 18, 1996 a Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) meeting was held to discuss the proposed changes. The meeting minutes are attached.

Based on the recommendations of the board members, the Chairman dispositioned the BCPs as follows.

**BCP 97-001 (Rev 8).** Approval is conditional on external review of orders and standards applicable to construction prior to Construction Approval (CD-3) and full revalidation of applicable orders and standards through the revised "Work Smart" process to be established at LLNL within one year.

**BCP 97-002 (Rev 9).** The BCP was revised and endorsed by the Chairman and submitted to the Level 0 BCCB for action on December 24, 1996.

Should you have any questions regarding this BCP I you can reach me at (301) 903-3181 or Tom Finn at (202) 586-4797.

  
**Jamie M. Beltz, Secretariat**  
**DP-Baseline Change Control Board**

Attachments

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- cc:
- A. Tavares, FM-20
- D. Crandall, DP-18
- K. Foley, DP-41
- R. McCrory, LLE, UR
- W. Simmons, System Solutions D. Giovanelli, Sumner Associates J. Wolfe, DP-41
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**Level 1 National Ignition Facility**  
**Baseline Change Control Board Meeting Minutes**  
**December 18, 1996**

**Pre-Session**

Steve Kumpan gave a background briefing to representatives of the Level 0 Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) functional organizations and the NIF Level 1 BCCB. He went through each NIF system, summarizing the key design features. The purpose of the briefing was to provide the technical basis for the Level I BCCB meeting. I

**Level 1 Baseline Change Control Board Meeting**

The Level I BCCB meeting convened at 10:30 a.m. December 18, 1996 at DOE Headquarters. Members present included: Da'Jid Crandall, Chairperson, Director of the Office of Inertial Confinement Fusion and the National Ignition Facility; Kate Foley, DP Financial

Management Representative; Robert McCrory from University of Rochester, Laboratory for Laser Energetics; William Simmons from Systems Solutions (formerly LLNL); and Damon Giovanelli from Sumner Associates (formerly LANL). Attachment 1.2 lists the representatives that attended the meeting. A I.

Jamie Beitz-Heard, the Secretary of the BCCB, stated that the Level I Baseline Change Proposal (BCP) along with the BCCB recommendation will be submitted to the DOE Level a BCCB since it exceeds established Level 1 thresholds. Representatives from the Office of Field Management recommended an action decision memorandum be transmitted to the Level a BCCB. The Level a BCCB will have 15 working days to provide their recommendation to the Secretary.

Dave Crandall stated that today's actions could be viewed as the culmination of the project design phase and preparation for construction. He summarized the Mission Need Statement approved in 1993 and reaffirmed during KD1 and KD1 Prime (Nonproliferation Study). We are examining the functionality and flexibility of the NIF to meet the Mission Need. A primary boundary condition is the cost. He explained that the ICE cost estimate agrees to within -1 % of the Project Office estimate and that higher level DOE and OMB authorities have been informed of potential cost growth of about 10%. TEC increases by \$203.1 M from \$842.6M to \$1045.7M. OPC decreases by \$77.8M from \$231.0M to \$153.2M. TPC increases by \$125.3M from \$1073.6M to \$1198.9M.

Scott Samuelson, Chairperson of the Level 2 BCCB, presented Baseline Change Proposals 97-001 and 97-002 (Attachments 1.3 and 1.4). He discussed the Project data sheet and the two engineering studies requested by the Level 1 BCCB in BCP 96-006. He first described 97-001 to update the Primary Criteria

and Functional Requirements to be used as a basis for Title II design. Note: This BCP also updates the Section on applicable Orcifiers, Codes and Standards. In response to deferring the shield doors to the ICF program, the board inquired when the shield doors would be installed. The response was -3-5 years into operation; the installation should not interfere with operation since all mounting hardware will be in place. Charlie Tiplitz, FM leader of the ICE team, agreed the cost could be relegated to the Program and removed from the TPC.

Scott Samuelson described 97-002 which updates the Project Data Sheet. This reflects the cost and schedule estimates from Title I Design. Dave Crandall emphasized that the DOE guidance of \$229.1 M ,obligational authority in FY98 is a probable request limit, to be decided within the Administration. He requested further discussion of the funding option strategy at the end of the meeting.

Kate Foley clarified the definitions of both Budget Authority (BA) and Budget Outlay (BO). Although the implementation of the new OMB policy is still to be worked out, the project will have a specific obligational profile that will be lower than the total Congressionally approved BA. Scott went on to describe possible FY98 funding options and their impact on Total Project Cost and schedules. Scott completed his discussion on the integrated nature of Title I design that incorporates all of the functionality additions requested by the Board in BCP 96-005. Dave Crandall emphasized that the Project cost is based on the preferred site which will be verified by the Record of DeCision on the PEIS for Stockpile Stewardship and Management.

Jeff Paisner (Attachment 1.5) presented details of the functionality changes approved by the Board in its April 1, 1996 decisions on design scope. He went through each functionality change (e.g., flash lamp cooling, 2x4 amplifiers, etc.). There were technical questions on 1 D-SSD (beam smoothing), optics assembly capability, and flash lamp cooling from the Board members. Producing adequate crystals for doubling and tripling wavelengths involved a lengthy discussion, as did design features to not preclude direct drive. Bob McCrory addressed the issue of cost for 2D-SSD including an additional third crystal. Jeff Paisner replied that the Project has put into place a procurement plan to provide crystals produced using existing technology if the rapid growth crystals are not successful. The cost exposure for this option is estimated at \$20M. The question on the extent of Defense Special Weapons Agency (DSWA) funding support for their experiments was raised by the Board. The cost for DSWA features for radiation testing was discussed. The Board members (Giovanelli and McCrory) questioned the inclusion of \$6.9M for DSWA work when DSWA had not committed to its development of experimental capability to use the NIF. Dave Crandall stated that DSWA had funded some modeling and design efforts and that their actual implementation of experiments was under discussion.

Jeff Paisner described the cost of each functionality change requested by the Level Board. Kate Foley stated that the cost for the optics assembly capability

was not included in the original Project Data Sheet.

Jeff Paisner discussed the net savings if functionality additions were disapproved (e.g., DSWA future test capability cost \$6.9M, but removal would save only \$1.7M to account for lost design and redesign costs). He went on to discuss other Project costs. Kate Foley asked Charlie Tiplitz about ICE reconciliation. The open issues are operating spares and associated maintenance protocol. Charlie Tiplitz stated that the overall agreement

of the ICE and higher Project estimates is within \$7M (-1 %, with ICE higher) which is in the "noise" (good agreement), but that the ICE had not looked at t

re cost of the schedule stretch out.

Lunch break

Jeff Paisner presented the beneficial impact of selecting the preferred site. With the infrastructure available, the first laser bundle would be activated for Stockpile Stewardship experiments as early in FY2001 as: possible. Nova shutdown timing was discussed. Kate Foley asked when Nova shuts down under the 12/10/96 DOE funding guidance case. The answer was, "about two years before first NIF laser bundle operation". Alternatively, Charlie Iliplitz asked when NOVA would be shut down if there were no Project acceleration. Jeff Paisner responded that it would be around two years before NIF became operational in order to provide necessary training. The DOE guidance was discussed by Kate Foley. A discussion on safety analysis reviews and reports was held by Bob McCrory and Charlie Tiplitz. I

Jeff Paisner completed his presentation with the two engineering studies 1) increased shot rate and 2) fully implementing direct drive, requested by the Board in BCP 96-006. Jeff Paisner showed reports documenting each engineering study. There was discussion of full costs for actual implementation of direct drive with a conclusion that at least \$19M (FY97 dollars) should be included in the Inertial Confinement Fusion Program planning around 2006 for direct drive implementation.

Scott Samuelson concluded by reiterating that BCP 97-002 shows the cost and schedule impacts of proceeding with the integrated NIF Title 1 design, incorporating DOE's 12/10/96 guidance of \$229.1M in FY98 (i.e., a year slip and a \$51 M cost increase). He then presented the impacts of four funding options evaluated by the Laboratory Project Office, and recommended an option which is constrained to \$325M in FY98 BA and saves \$36M and 9 months in schedule over the 12/10/96 guidance. Scott Samuelson concluded by stating that the Level 3 and Level 2 BCCB's recommended the i;evel1 BCCB approve/endorse the BCPs, but strongly preferred Option 2 (FY98 limited to \$325M) over Option 3 (FY98 funding limited to \$229M). He emphasized that the confidence in the cost estimate is high based on the ICE review (i.e., overall agreement within 1 %). Charlie Tiplitz supported this conclusion for the baseline case.

Following questions by Arnold Epstein, DP-40, regarding changes to the Project list of codes, orders, and standards, Kate Foley recommended a review of BCP 97 -001 with regards to the updates and change\$ to the section on applicable orders, codes and standards by the DP staff. Also, Headquarters DP budget needs to review the Project Data Sheet which is part of BCP 97-002. She pointed out that the correct funding scenario must be selected and agreement reached with DP-1 and the Level 0 BCCB. It was agreed that the schedule to get early first bundle testing for Stockpile Stewardship is part of every option. The incremental cost of this is comparable to continued Nova operation. Dave Crandall went over the funding options and contluded that the BCCB incorporate cases 2 and 3. The funding options decision will be made by Vic Reis, DP-1, for recommendation to the Level 0 BCCB. Jeff Paisner suggested full FY98 appropriations should be requested. Kate Foley stated full BA funding in FY 1998 is an OMB policy, but that does not mean unconstrained obligations in FY 1998. „]

The BCPs will be conditionally accepted pending these internal reviews. The action decision memorandum will go up to the Level 0 BCCB.

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(NIF Project ECR 80) Criteria Phone #: 2-7657  
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8. Change description: 1:§ -Scope ~ -Schedule ~ -Cost Proposed changes to Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria) Revision 1.4, are detailed in Attachment 1.  
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consensus standards, to move detailed standards on material and wrkmanShip to proper level in requirements hierarchy; 4. Miscellaneous minor changes. I

\*Cost ..10M, and is in~luded in BCP97-002.  
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Adoption 0 t IS C ange wi up ate t e F Functional RequiremqtS and Primary Criteria (FR/PC) to Revision  
1.5, Eased on the results of Title I design, and of the Title I design reljriew. The cost impact of these changes is included in BCP97-002.  
The changes corresponding to category 1 in Section 8, above, result ~n a cost avoidance of approximately \$9M, by deferring the acquisition of items which are not  
required until three 'to five years after the start of operation, and which might be significantly rescoped, redesigned, optimized, or otherwise modified as result of early  
operational data. These items, and the justification for their deferral, are as follo~s: ~  
, .Target Bay shield doors -these are not required until wel~ into the experimental program, when significant yielA is attained. Prior to that time, they will adversely  
affect system operability and increase operating cost. If acquired now, these doors will probably be significantly ovEjr-designed because o( the inherent  
conservatism required in shield design. Deferral of ilie doors will a~low dosimet!Y to be used to refine the requirements ana analysis, resulting in less-conservative, and  
henceI less-costly doors. This deferral will result in adaitional operating cost to add the doors later, but this cost is expej:ted to be less than the deferred cost, \$4M.  
Hardware which must be built into the facility to allow later addition of the doors remains in the l?roject scope.  
.Decontamination equipment -This equipment is modular in nature, and sufficient equIpment for the  
first 3 to 5 years of operation is included in the project scope. Additonal units may be required for high-yield operation, and this cost will be borne by the operating  
program wh~n the equipment is determined by the program to be needed. However, early operational experience, combined with technology development (e.g. in first  
walI materials) may reduce or eliminate the need the this equipment. A \$ignificant fraction of the \$4.5M deferred may  
be permanently avoided.  
.Mamtenance equipment -Projections of the quantity of \$aintenance devices that are required for continuous high-ayailability operation are extremely uncertain  
at t~s time. Actual needs will depend strongly on  
Ithe manner in which the facility is operated, the kind of experiment~ that are performed, and the failure rate of individual components. Deferring the acquisition of  
extra maintenance devices will allow an optimized selection  
I to be made, which will best address the actual needs and priorities <l>f the operating program. All maintenance equipment will be designed, and one unit of each will  
be provided within the project scope. Acquisition of additional units, if and when it is determined to be necessary, will be an operating cost. The cost deferred in this  
manner is approximately \$1.5M.  
The changes in the list of OOE orders and national ~onsensus stand rds (items 2, 3, and 4 listed in Section 8) have no cost or schedule impact.  
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**National Ignition Facility  
Baseline Change Proposal Worksheet**

1. BCP number: 97-001

**4. Technical baseline change inputs**

**Other technical baseline documents:**

**.Primary Criteria 0 System Design Requirements .Functional Requirements 0 Interface Control Docume~~**

..>. Cost input

Inputs: TEC: n/a -see BCP97-002 OPC: n/a -see BCP97-002 Annual Operation: n/a -see BCP97 -002

**Budget analysis:**  
**Original budgeted amount:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Project to date actual cost:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Current lien balance:** \_\_\_\_\_

n/a -see BCP97-002 n/a -see BCP97-002 n/a -see BCP97-002

Note: Change in DOE orders has no cost impact

**Change to funding profile included:**

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6. Schedule input: N/A -see BCP97-002 Milestone title/modths t1 0 Level 0 milestone ,~ ".c."j",c"" \_.", 0 Level milestone  
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**7. ES&H impacts**

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0 Other documents

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18. Other impacts (e.g., security, stakeholders)

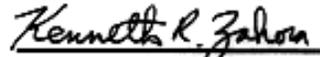
An operational requirement for Tritium accountability has been added via incorporation of DOE a 5633.2B. The quantity of tritium which requires accountability will occur in NIF after FY2005.

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The NIF shall be capable of performing yield shots with total DT fusion yield of 1200 MJ / year. The NIP shall be capable of performing up to 50 shots per year with a routine DT fusion yield of 20 MJ. The NIP design shall provide for life-cycle-cost-effective and decontamination equipment.

7.1 Reliability, Availability and Maintainability (RAM)*

The components, systems, and processes that impact overall facility availability shall be identified during the design process through analyses of turnaround times, mean times between failures, mean times to repair, preventive maintenance requirements, etc. Techniques such as in-site backups, on-hand spares, modular components, on-call maintenance forces, and more robust designs shall be used to increase availability if the following goals cannot otherwise be achieved:

The facility shall be available for three shift operations at least 253 days per year (73% availability).

The facility shall be available for at least 16 no-yield target shots per year. To address the possible future needs of direct-drive and other users, the design should not preclude an increase in the availability to approximately 1200 total shots per year. The Project shall provide the initial set of maintenance equipment, consisting of at least one unit of each piece of equipment that is required to maintain and operate NIP. Future addition of more units of

NIF operation, as defined above, may require future additional units of maintenance equipment

The lasers shall perform within specific tolerances (e.g., laser energy, beam balance, pointing accuracy) on at least 80 % of all shots.

The project should also use this RAM process to determine how to achieve availability in the most cost-effective manner, to determine what spares in what quantities should be kept in inventory, to optimize turnaround procedures, to plan preventive maintenance and inspection programs, and to respond to unscheduled outages.

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Note: the following section is proposed to be added to the Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria I

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Directed changes in DOE Orders and Federal Regulations. Miscellaneous changes throughout document

Functional~ Changes to the NIF Baseline.

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Note: All of the following changes result directly from changes in Section 10 -Orders, Codes, and Standards. I

3.0 Safety Requirements**

The NIF shall be designed, constructed, and operated as a radiological low-hazard, non-nuclear facility. Compliance with this classification shall be verified through a Preliminary Hazard Analysis assessment of bounding accidents involving those radionuclides and/or chemicals presenting the most significant hazards (see IQ GI'R 8~Q.IIQ ~~Heleaf ~aie~" ~Ar.ageme:-.t, ~aie~" £A :.alj''sis Re¥eft, :'''''.e DOE Order 5481.1B, Safety Analysis Review System). Administrative controls shall be established prior to CD3 to ensure that inventory limits for a radiological low-hazard, non-nuclear facility are not exceeded.

3.1 Radiation Protection*

Collective and individual ionizing radiation doses to the public from all exposure pathways from the NIF shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment, and 40 CFR 61, National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other Than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities. These requirements state that exposure of members of the public from emissions of radionuclides in the ambient air from normal NIP operations shall remain below 10 mrem/y. The facility shall also meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5 [ICRP 60 540 (1990 Recommendations of the International Commission on Radiological Protection), 10 CFR 20.1301.a.1 (Code of Federal Regulations-Standards for Protection Against Radiation)] to not cause the public dose from all exposure modes and all sources of radiation at the site boundary to exceed 100 mrem/y.

The NIP personnel radiation protection program shall follow DOE Order *N441.-t-i*. Radiation Protection for Occupational Workers and 10 CFR 835, Occupational Radiation Protection. The ALARA (as low as reasonably achievable) principle shall be utilized in both design and operation of the facility to eliminate unnecessary radiation dose to workers in the Laser and Target Area Building, col19cated employees, and visitors from both routine and off-normal operations. Radiation protection shall include: shielding; control of workplace ventilation; monitoring of personnel for external and internal radiation dose; establishment of a routine contamin~tion monitoring program including air monitoring; and the proper containment of radi~tion and radioactive materials.

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goal) of the occupational external dose limits specified in 10 CFR 835. Concrete shielding shall comply with ACI 301, which provides adequate strength for DBE loads.

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The requirements for radiological safety in gQ~ Qfelef 42:Q~, ~aeilitj. ~afetj., 10 CFR 835. Occupational Radiation Protection, should be evaluated by the designers and incorporated when they are determined to be cost effective, even though the projected inventory of tritium in NIP (-0.05 g or 500 Ci) is well below the threshold for a nuclear facility. The target chamber and tritium processing systems shall form the primary confinement barrier. Leakage past these barriers shall be ALARA. The experimental- area ventilation system shall be designed to operate at negative pressures during and immediately after shots of greater than one megajoule and provide secondary tritium confinement.

The final exhaust release point from this system should be elevated for dispersion. Exhaust air shall be continuously monitored for radioactivity. The target area shall also be monitored to ensure that radiological conditions are safe for personnel entry.

3.2 Life Safety**

The NIP shall fully comply with the requirements for life safety contained in 4-9.1, all National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Codes. Particular focus shall be directed towards features related to the means of egress, such as protection of vertical openings, travel distances, capacities, and emergency lighting.

3.4 Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Safety*

Industrial hygiene and occupational safety shall comply with 29 CFR 1910- Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, 44 Q.I., all Federal and State Occupational Safety and Health Regulations.

Construction safety shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR 1926, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Regulations.

Facility subsystems (e.g., capacitor banks, vacuum systems, tritium recovery, nitrogen supply, and personnel safety interlock systems) shall be designed to default to a safe state upon loss of power.

3.5 Fire Protection*

The NIP shall meet the design and fire protection requirements in 4-9.1, all NFPA Codes and the Uniform Building Code (UBC). The structural members of the Experimental Building (including exterior walls, interior bearing walls, columns, floors, roofs, and supporting elements) shall, as a minimum, meet UBC fire-resistive standards. Appropriate fire barriers shall be provided to limit property damage, fire propagation, and loss of life by separating adjoining structures, isolating hazardous areas, and protecting egress paths. The NIP shall meet the requirements for an "improved risk" level of fire protection sufficient to attain DOE objectives. To achieve this level of protection, automatic fire sprinklers shall be installed throughout the complex. The sprinklers shall be coupled with adequate fire protection water supplies and automatic and manual means for detecting and reporting incipient fires.

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Fire hazard analyses will be completed as required by 4-9.1 all NFPA Codes.

8.0 Decontamination and Decommissioning

The NIP design shall meet the site-specific requirements. The NIP shall be designed for periodic cleaning of the interior of the test chamber to maintain tritium levels on interior surfaces as low as reasonably achievable. The NIP design shall include considerations that will allow for cost-effective future decommissioning of the structures and equipment.

A plan for NIP Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) shall be developed in accordance with DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management. A D&D assessment shall be made during conceptual design to ensure that features and measures are incorporated in NIP to simplify D&D. The NIP D&D plan will be prepared before the end of the Title I design.

10.0 Orders, Codes, and Standards

10.1 DOE Orders*

The NIP shall be designed and constructed in full compliance with DOE Orders and federal regulations. Exceptions shall be limited to those cases where the project has formally requested and been granted either an exemption or a finding of equivalency by Headquarters.

It is recognized that updates and additions to DOE Orders, federal regulations, and consensus industry standards are outside of the control of the project team and are a frequent source of cost and schedule growth. These requirements are all frozen as of March 1, 1996.

10.2 Codes and Standards

Technical codes, standards, and guides promulgated by nationally recognized organizations should be utilized by the NIP Project whenever available and practical. DOE Order 1300.2A. A partial listing of these documents and the applicable nationally recognized organizations is included in the following sections. Additional references may be identified and added during the development phases shall be formally cited and

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through the Project Change Control Process.

10.3 Applicable Orders, Codes, and Standards

This section lists DOE Orders, codes, and standards in effect as of March 1, 1996, that are considered to be applicable to the NIP Project. The listing begins with DOE and other federal regulations (e.g., Resource Conservation and Recovery Act), and is followed by a partial listing of national consensus standards

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applicable portions of these documents will apply.

10.3.1 DOE Orders

- .1300.2A - Technical Standards Program
- .5300AD - Telecommunications: Protected Distribution System
- .5400.1 - General Environmental Protection Program
- .5400.5 - Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment
- .5480.19 - Conduct of Operations
- .5481.1B - Safety Analysis and Review System (for non-nuclear facilities and hazards only)
- .5632.1C - Protection of Safeguards and Security Interests
- .5633.3B - Control and Accountability of Nuclear Material
- .5637.1 - Classified Computer Security Program
- .5700.6C - Quality Assurance
- .5820.2A - Radioactive Waste Management
- .151.1 - Comprehensive Emergency Management System - Quality Facilities
- .430.1 - Life Cycle Asset Management
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- .N441.1-2 - Radiological Protection for DOE Regulatory Activities
- .P450.1 - Environment, Safety and Health Policy for the Department of Energy Complex
- .46Q.1 - Safeguards and Security Program
- .470.1 - Safeguards and Security Program
- .471.1-2 - Information Security Program
- .472.1 - Personnel Security Activities

10.3.2 Other Government Regulations

- .10 CFR 835 - Occupational Radiation Protection
- .10 CFR 20 - Standards for Protection Against Radiation
- .29 CFR 1910 - Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) - Operation
- .29 CFR 1926 - Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) - Construction

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- 40 CFR 125 -Criteria and Standards for NPQES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) i
- 40 CFR 260,261,262 -Hazardous Waste Marlagement System
- 40 CFR 61 Subpart H -National Emission Standard for Emissions of Radionuclides other than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities
- FED-Sill-209E -Airborne Particulate Clean-less Classes in Cleanrooms arid Clean Zones i

j 33 USC 1251 et seq. -Clean Water Act

- 42 USC 7401 -Clean Air Act
- 42 USC 4321 et seq. -NEP A (National Envir nmental Policy Act)
- 40 USC 6901-6992 -Resource Conservation ~d Recovery Act (RCRA)
- 15 USC 2601-2692 -Toxic Substance Control [Act

10.3.3 National Consensus Standards

The NIP ProJect shall comI2l~ with the following national consensus standards. as noted elsewhere in this document:

- _____ -ACI 301 -1996 ecifi ations f r tru ncrete for Builidin s
- _____ -ANSI C2 -1993. National Electric Code
- _____ -ANSI 4.1 -1989 Electrical P wer terns and E ui ment-Volta . (60HZ)
- _____ -ANSI Z136.1 -1993. Laser Safet,Y
- _____ -ANSI/RIA R15.06 -1992. Industrial Robots and Robot S~stem-Safet,Y Requirements
- _____ -DOE-STD-1020-94 Natural Phenom na Hazards Desi and Evaluation Criteria for DOE Facilities
- _____ -D E-STD-1021-93 Natural Phenomena Hazards Performance Cate orization uidelines for Structures S stems & om onents.
- _____ -IEEE 4931990. IEEE Recommended Practice for the Design of Industrial and Commercial Power S~stems
- _____ -All NFP A Codes
- _____ -NFPA 701996. National Electric Code
- _____ -NFP A 72 1993. National Fire Alarm Code
- _____ -NFP A 1011994. Code for safet,Y to Life from Fire in Buildings and Structures -ANSI/NFPA 110-1993. Standard for Emergenc~ and Standb~ Power S~stems -Uniform Building Code (UBC) 1994

Orders, standards, and codes listed as mandatow in DOE Orders are not necessaril~ referenced in this list. i

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- ABMA American Boiler Manufacturers Association
- ACI American Concrete Institute
- A IH American Council of vernm nt Industrial H ienists
- AISC American Institute of Steel Construction
- AISI American Iron and Steel Institute
- AMCA Air Movement and Control Association
- ANSI American National Standards Institute
- AP A American PI~ood Association
- ARI Air onditionin and Refri eration Institute
- ARMA AsI}2halt Roofing Manufacturers Association
- ASCE American Socie~ of Civil Engineers
- ASHRAE Ame~can Societ~ of Heating, Refrigerating & Air Conditioning Engineers
- ASME American Socie~ of Mechanical Engineers
- ASTM American Socie~ for Testing and Materials
- A WS American W elding Socie~
- A WW A American Water Works Association
- BHMA Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association
- CI CA Ceilin and Interior stems ntractors Association

- CGA Compressed Gas Association
- CMAA Crane Manufacturers Association of America
- CRSI Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute
- EPRI Electric Power Research Institute
- FM Facto- Mutual Engineering and Research
- GA G-sum Association
- ICB International Council of Building Officials Uniform Building
- ICEA Insulated Cable Engineers Association
- IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
- IES Illuminating Engineering Society of North America
- ISA Instrument Society of America
- NAPHCC National Association of Plumbing, Heating, & Cooling Contractors NCMA National Concrete Masonry Association
- NEC National Electric Code (NFP A)
- NEMA National Electrical Manufacturers Association
- NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
- NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology
- NFPA National Fire Protection Standards
- RFCI Resilient Floor Covering Institute
- SDI Steel Deck Institute
- SDI Steel Door Institute
- SMACNA Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors National Association SSPC Steel Structures Painting Council
- STI Steel Tank Institute
- SWI Steel Window Institute
- TCA Tile Council of America
- TIMA Thermal Insulation Manufacturer Association

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A modification of the Project Data Sheet is required to reflect the current project design and its associated cost and schedule estimates. as well as to provide accurate input in support of the FY98 Budget Submission. Failure to update the data sheet at this time could result in a funding request that does not accurately reflect the project's total funding needs.

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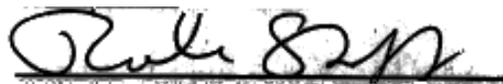
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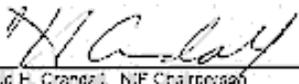
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This change will result in two Title I design studies, on: 1. increased hot rate; and 2. full implementation of direct drive. The changes in the Functional Requirements and Primary Crit ria to incorporate increased shot rate capabilities are shown in Attachment A; these modified requirements will be used as the basis of Title I design, and the increased shot rate is highly desirable if it can be provided within the Project funding constraints. The full implementation of increased snot rate will be determined after Title I ompletion.

! 9. justification and impact of change (see worksheet)

I The proposed changes will initiate Title I design of two additional NI capabilities. Increased shot rate is an extremely important capabilit:Y, and has been requested by all user groups, includin't; Weapons Physics, Radiation Effects Testing, and ICF. Full implementation of direct drive is a major decision, which can be implemented by DOE at any time in the future, because the basis for not precluding its inclusion is incorporated in BCP96-005.

10. Impact 0 not approving BCP

If the proposed designs are not performed, then: 1. the present shot te (8 hours between shots, 616 total shots per year) wilrbe the maximum achievable in NIF; and 2. the design and c st impact of full direct drive implementation will not be known at the end of Title I design.

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1.4. Technical baseline change inputs
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Gary Deis/Jon Yatabe

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Other technical baseline documents:

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8. Other impacts (e.g., security, stakeholders)

Baseline Change Proposal 96-006

Impact Assessment and Change Description

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Requirements changes I

Functional Requirements/ Primary Criteria (based off Rev 1.3, March 1994) [New text in bold. Deleted text in stfiket1-L~~' Editor's notes in *italics.*]

2.2.2 Annual Number of Shots with Fusion Yield for hamber Design*

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yield of 1200 MJ/year. The NIF should be capable of performing up to 50 shots per year with a routine DT fusion yield of 20 MJ.

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2.2.6 Time Between Shots with No Fusion Yield

To address the needs of indirect-drive, direct-drive and other users, the laser and experiment area shall be capable of conducting no fusion yield experiments with a time between shots of 8 hours with a goal of 4 hours.

7.1 Reliability, Availability and Maintainability (RAM)

The components, systems, and processes that limit overall facility availability shall be identified during the design process through analyses of turnaround times, mean-times-between-failures, mean-times-to-repair, preventative maintenance requirements, etc. Techniques such as in-site backups, on-hand spares, modular components, on-call maintenance forces, and more robust designs shall be used to increase availability if the following goals cannot be achieved:

The facility shall be available for three shift operations at least 253 days per year (72% availability).

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The facility shall be available for at least 6160 target shots per year. To address the possible future needs of direct-drive and other users, the design should not preclude an increase in the availability to approximately 1200 shots per year.

The lasers shall perform within specification (e.g., laser energy, beam balance, pointing accuracy) on at least 80% of all shots.

The project should also use this RAM process to determine how to achieve availability in the most cost effective manner, to determine what spares in what quantities should be kept in inventory, to optimize turnaround procedures, to plan preventive maintenance and inspection programs, and to respond to unscheduled

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DATE: March 20, 1997
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 SUBJECT: REVIEW OF BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL (BCP) FOR THE NIF PROJECT

TO:

Leann Morrow, DOE Oakland (NIF) Baseline Change Control Board Secretariat

A Baseline Change Proposal BCP 97-004 for the NIF project was submitted to this office for processing. BCP 97-004 incorporated minor word changes to the "NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria" which officially closes out BCP 97- 001 as directed by the Level 1 Baseline Change Control Board.

On this date, the Chairman approved the BCP

Should there be questions concerning the BCP I please contact me at (301 ) 903-3181 or D. Crandall at (202) 586-7349.



Jamie M. Beltz, Secretariat  
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BCP NUMBER: 97-004

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| ECR No: 96                           | Date: 3/10/97 | Title: Functional Requirements & Primary Criteria Minor Wording Changes |

Submitted by:

Gary Deis, 2-7657

Technical baselines affected:

- .Primary Criteria .Functional Requirements 0 Specifications
- 0 Sub-system Design Requirements

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- System Design Requirements
- Interface Control Document
- Drawings (see below)
- Other

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i Miscellaneous changes received from DOE reviewers. Some typographical changes.  
! Some changes to reflect completion of PEIS ROD, and LLNL site selection. No project impact.

: Changes detailed in attached marked-up copy of FR/PC.

This ECR/BCP closes out the documentation of the process for the development of the NIF Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements, see NIF-00001566. Approval of this ECR/BCP will also approve Revision 1.6 of the NIF Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements.

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David H. Crandall, DP-18

The NIF Baseline Change Proposal (BCP) 97-004 incorporates minor word changes to the "NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria" which officially closes out BCP 97-001 as directed by the Level Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB). The Level 3 and Level 2 BCCBs have unanimously endorsed the minor word changes in the BCP 97-004 and recommend that you approve and sign the enclosed document (NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria, Revision 1.6).

Attached is a copy of the complete change proposal package, meeting minutes, and subsequent record of decision from the Level 3 BCCB. The Level 2 BCCB review notes and Record of Decision is also being forwarded to you at this time.

If you have questions regarding the minor words changes in BCP 97-004, please contact me at (510) 423-0593.



Scott L. Samuelson

Chairperson, Level 2, BCCB

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**Leann Morrow, Level 2 BCCB Secretary**

**March 12, 1997, DOE/OAK NIF Level 2 Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) Review of the Baseline Change Proposal 97 -004 I**

**NIF Level 2 Board Member Participants**

**Scott Samuelson, Chairperson NIF DOE Field Manager**

**Walter Von Flue, Member  
Director, Weapons Research Division**

**Kenneth Zahora, Member OAK NIF Project Engineer**

**John Gonzales, Member  
Director, Engineering & Facilities Management**

**Jim Shakiba, Member  
OAK ICF Program Manager**

**Leann Morrow, BCCB Secretary NIF Project Coordinator**

**Advisor Present  
Charles Taylor ICFD/ES&H Manager**

The DOE/OAK National Ignition Facility (NIF) Level 2 Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) Chairperson elected to circulate and poll the members on their acceptance and endorsement of the minor word changes included in the Baseline Change Proposal (BCP) 97-004. Each Level 2 BCCB Member and Advisor was given a copy of the minor word changes made to the 'NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria' (Rev. 1.6). These minor word changes were recommended by the Level 2 CCB as part of the official action to close out BCP 97 -001 (December 11, 1996). Members were also provided a copy of the Level 3 BCCB documentation and Record of Decision. After reviewing the proposed minor word changes all Level 2 BCCB Members and Advisor elected to endorse the BCP 97-004 and forward to the Level 2 BCCB for acceptance and approval.

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RECORD OF DECISION**

**BCP NUMBER: 97-004**

BCP TITLE: NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria-Minor Wording Changes

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## **Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory**

March 10, 1997

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**Mr. Scott L. Samuelson  
U.S. Department of Energy  
Oakland Operations office  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory P.O. Box 808, L-293  
Livermore, CA 94550**

**Dear Mr. Samuelson:**

**Subject:**

**BCP 97-004, NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria-Minor Wording Changes**

The Level 3 Baseline Change Control Board has approved BCP 97-004 which incorporates minor wording changes to the NIP Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria. This completes the action from the December 18, 1997 Level 1 BCCB to update the project criteria (97-001).

Rev. 1.6 of the NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria is included for your approval.

The minutes of the Board review are attached.

Sincerely,

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**Wfr~; A. Paisner  
Project Manager  
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D. Crandall, Chairman of Level BCCB J. Gartner, Secretary of Level BCCB  
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1. BCP number: 97-004 2. BCP title: Functional 3. Submitted by Requirements & Primary Criteria Gary Deis  
(NIF Project ECR 96) Minor Wording Changes Phone #: 2-7657 Fax #: 4-5195

8. Change description: --- -Scope ~ -Schedule M!! -Cost

Proposed changes to Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria, Revision 1.5, are detailed in Attachment 1. These are minor changes, primarily to reflect the selection of LLNL as the official NIF site, as a result of release of the ROD for the PEIS.

This action also closes out the "conditional" status of the approval of BCP97-001, by incorporating final changes to the necessary and sufficient set of standards. Approval of this BCP results in approval of Revision 1.6 of the NIF Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria.

~Jus-tilication and impact of change (see worksheet)

There is no cost or schedule impact from the proposed changes. (No worksheet is required.)

**10. Impact of not approving BCP**

Presently, BCP97-001 has been "conditionally" approved, but the resulting revision, Rev 1.5, of the Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria has not been si-ed. If this BCP is not approved, the proposed changes would notoe made, and the new revision (Rev 1.6) would also not be approved. This would require the approval of the previous revision, Rev 1.5, by DOE.

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SUBJECT: Minutes o~the March 10, 1997 NIP Level 3 Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) Meeting

The Secretary of the Level 3 BCCB polled all of the voting members individually on March 10, 1997. Minor corrections to the NIP Functional Requirements were received from Allen Levy, Dave Rardin, and Mike Sorem. These were incorporated, and BCP 97-004 was approved unanimously.

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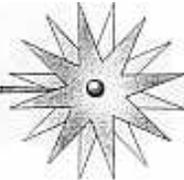
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# National Ignition Facility Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria

Revision 1.6

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**1.0 Introduction**

**1.1 Objectives**

This document establishes the scientific and engineering requirements that must be achieved by the National Ignition Facility (NIP). The process useq for developing these requirements is described in "Process for the Devel<l>pment of the NIP Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements," NIF-0001566, March 1997. Mission goals, as defined in the Justification of Mission Need, are translated into laser power, laser beam characteristics, and other performance specifications. Top-level operability, safety, and environmental requirements are defined and discussed. Finally, key requirements that must be met to satisfy Department of Energy (DOE) Orders, state, and federal regulations, national consensus standards and preferred procedures are highlighte~ to help ensure that they are incorporated by the design teams. I

**1.2 Application**

The Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria serves as a technical baseline for the project. Any modifications must be processed through the change control mechanism specified in the NIP Project Execution Plan and implementing procedures and formally approved. Each individual requirement or criterion has been placed in one of two hierarchy levels for control purposes. Those items which are Level 1, Primary Criteria, are marked with either a single or double asterisk and are controlled by DOE Headquarters. Nonasterisked items are classified as Level 2, Functional Requirements, and are controlled by the NIF DOE Field Manager. The control of double-asterisk requi;ements may be delegated to the NIP DOE Field Manager at some point in the future as part of the ongoing decentralization process.

**1.3 Terms**

The terms "should" and "shall" have important implications beyond what might be implied by common usage. "Shall" denotes a requirment that is mandatory and must be met. "Should" denotes a nonmandatory recommendation or goal.

**1.4 Site-Specific Requirements**

These requirements are applicable to the LLNL s~te, selected by the DOE in the Record of Decision for the Programmatic Environmental Impatt Statement for Stockpile Stewardship and Management. i

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## 2.0 Mission-Related Requirements

The laser system shall be designed to meet the following requirements simultaneously, although all performance requirements need not be demonstrated simultaneously on a single event.

### 2.1 Laser

#### 2.1.1 Laser Pulse Energy\*

The laser shall be capable of routinely producing a temporally-shaped pulse of energy at least 1.8 million joules (MJ) incident on the entrance hole of the target hohlraum.

#### 2.1.2 Laser Pulse Peak Power'''

The laser shall be capable of producing a pulse with peak power of at least 500 trillion watts (TW).

#### 2.1.3 Laser Pulse Wavelength\*

The wavelength of the laser pulse delivered to the target shall be 0.35 microns (J.Lm). The design should not preclude delivering 0.53 J.Lm and 1.05 J.Lm wavelength light to the target with reasonable modifications.

#### 2.1.4 Beamlet Power Balance\*

The rms deviation in the power delivered by the laser beams from the specified power shall be less than 8% of the specified power averaged over any 2 nanosecond (ns) time interval.

#### 2.1.5 Beamlet Positioning Accuracy\*

The rms deviation in the position of the centroids of all beams from their specified aiming points shall not exceed 50 micrometers (~m) at the target plane or its equivalent.

#### 2.1.6 Laser Pulse Duration

The laser shall be capable of producing a pulse with overall duration of up to 20 ns.

#### 2.1.7 Laser Pulse Dynamic Range

The laser shall be capable of delivering pulses to the fusion target with a dynamic range of at least 50:1, where the dynamic range is defined as the ratio of intensity at the peak of the pulse to the intensity in the initial "foot" portion of the pulse.

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#### 2.1.8 Capsule Irradiation Symmetry

Variations in the x-ray energy deposited on the fusion capsule, located in the target hohlraum, should be :52% rms. Current target design and performance calculations indicate that this level of irradiation uniformity can be achieved by two-sided laser illumination of the hohlraum. Multiple laser beams on each side enter the hohlraum along two concentric cones with cone half-angles of approximately 27 degrees and

53 degrees, and with two-thirds of the beams on the outer cone and the remaining one-third on the inner cone. Each cone shall consist of 8 or more beams. The capability shall be provided for the pulse shape delivered by beams on the inner cone to be different from the shape delivered by those on the outer cone.

#### 2.1.9 Prepulse Power

The laser intensity delivered to the target during the 20-ns interval prior to arrival of the main laser pulse shall not exceed 108 W / cm.<sup>2</sup>.

#### 2.1.10 Laser Pulse Spot Size

Each beam shall deliver its design energy and power encircled in a 600 ~ diameter spot at the target plane or its equivalent. In this appropriate configuration, each beam should deliver 50% of its design energy and power encircled in a 100 J.Lm diameter spot at the target plane or its equivalent.

**2.1.11 Beam Smoothness**

The NIP shall have spatial and temporal beam conditioning to control intensity fluctuations in the target plane.

**2.1.12 Direct-Drive Requirements\***

Future upgrade to meet the following requirements, specific to direct-drive experiments, shall not be precluded in the baseline NIP design.

**2.1.12.1 Direct-Drive Irradiation Symmetry.** Direct-drive ICF targets shall be irradiated by three pairs of concentric cones, ~with midplane symmetry. The cone half- angles and number of beams on each cone shall be:

**Direct-drive cone Cone half-angle (approximate) Fraction of total beams**  
Inner same as indirect drive 1/6 Outer same as indirect drive 1/3 Waist 75 degrees 1/2

**2.1.13 Beam Focusing and Pointing**

The NIP should have flexibility in beam focusing and pointing to address the needs of radiation effects testing and other users.

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**2.2 Experimental Area**

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The National Ignition Facility shall be operated in a manner consistent with its role as a national resource. Whenever possible, the design shall accommodate the requirements of users with diverse needs. The baseline facility design shall not preclude future addition of target chambers for additic)nal weapons physics and/or radiation effects testing. The baseline design and operation should be capable of performing radiation effects testing of important national assets, up to system level components, to maintain and certify their reliability. The following requirements .are intended to satisfy the most basic of these needs.

**2.2.1 ICF Target Compatibility\***

The target chamber and target area support systems shall be capable of target operations with both cryogenic and noncryogenic targets containing fusion fuel. Provisions shall be made to accommodate and support experimenter-supplied cryostats for cryogenic targets.

**2.2.2 Annual Number of Shots with Fusion Yield for Chamber Design\***

The NIF shall be capable of performing yi~~ld shots with total DT fusion yield of 1200 MJ / year. The NIF shall be capable of perfoimling up to SO shots per year with a routine DT fusion yield of 20 MJ. The NIF design shall provide for life-cycle-cost-effective future addition of components that are needed only for high yield operations and are therefore not needed in the first three to five ),ears of operations, such as shield doors and decontamination equipment.

**2.2.3 Maximum Credible DT Fusion Yield\***

The target chamber shall be designed based on routine DT fusion yield of 20 MJ f with the capability to withstand a DT fusion yield produced by a single shot of up to 45 MJ (a 45 MJ yield corresponds to 1.6 x 10<sup>19</sup> neutrons).

**2.2.4 Classification level of Experiments\***

The facility shall be designed to allow botl.1 classified (at the SRD level) and unclassified experiments. Its design should permit changing classification levels with minimal impact on operations and cost.

**2.2.5 Target Positioner**

The target positioner shall be capable of placing and holding targets within 3 cm of target chamber center, with accuracy, repeatability, and stability consistent with the relative laser/target alignment specified in Section 2.1.5 and operations specified in Section 2.2.1.

**2.2.6 Time Between Shots with No Fusion 'Y'ield**

To address the needs of indirect-drive, direct-drive, and other users, the laser and experimental area shall be capable of conducting no fusion yield experiments with a

time between shots of 8 hours, with a goal of 4 hours.

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### 2.2.7 Target Chamber Vacuum Capability

The target chamber shall be capable of achieving a vacuum level of  $<1 \times 10^{-5}$  Torr.

### 2.2.8 Diagnostic Instrument Capabilities to Verify Laser Performance

The facility shall have the following measurement capabilities that are required to verify the Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements:

- .Laser pulse energy and power.
- .Laser pulse duration and dynamic range.
- .Laser beam power balance.
- .Simultaneity of arrival of pulses from individual beamlines at target chamber center with 10 ps accuracy.
- .Laser beam pointing accuracy with 10--20 micron spatial resolution.
- .Laser prepulse intensity.
- .Laser pulse spot size.
- .Laser pulse smoothness.
- .Laser beam thermal recovery time.

### 2.2.9 Diagnostic Instrument Capabilities for Ignition and Applications Experiments

The target chamber and area shall be capable of accommodating diagnostic

instruments for the following measurements necessary for fusion ignition and applications experiments:

- .Symmetry of x-ray emission from imploded cores with 5- to 10-micron spatial resolution.
- .Motion of the x-ray emitting volumes in hohlraums with 20 micron spatial resolution.
- .Laser light backscattered into the focusing lens.
- .Radiation flux out of hohlraums within the photon energy range 0.15-2.5 keV with 100-ps time resolution and 20% accuracy.
- .Strength of radiation driven shocks with 5- to 10-micron resolution and time resolution of 10 ps.
- .Fusion yield over a range from  $10^{11}$  to  $10^{19}$  neutrons.
- .Symmetry of neutron emission from imploded cores with 20-micron spatial resolution.
- .Temperature of the compressed fusion fuel with 20% accuracy for ion temperatures of 2 keV or greater.
- .Number and energy distribution of fast electrons in hohlraums in the band from 5 keV to 300 keV.
- .Radiation flux out of hohlraums within the photon energy range 2.5-100 keV with 20% accuracy.

### 2.2.10 Removal and Replacement of Diagnostic Instruments\*

Rapid removal and replacement of diagnostic instruments consistent with the shot frequency specified in Section 2.2.6 shall be accomplished by diagnostic inserters and manipulators for close-in target diagnostics.

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### 2.2.11 Personnel Access Inside the Target Chamber\*

Personnel access to the inside of the target chamber shall be consistent with requirements for periodic cleaning necessary to maintain

radiological, low-hazard, non- nuclear operations and for inspection and maintenance consistent with operational requirements.

**2.2.12 Distributed Laser Plasma Radiation Source Compatibility\***

The NIP should provide the basic capability to allow laser irradiation of distributed target arrays with future upgrade. The target chamber should allow flexibility in beam dump placement.

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**3.0 Safety Requirements\*\***

The NIF shall be designed, constructed, and operated as a radiological low-hazard facility. Compliance with this classification shall be verified through a Preliminary Hazard Analysis assessment of bounding accidents involving those radionuclides and/ or chemicals presenting the most significant hazards (see DOE Order 5481.1B, Safety Analysis Review System). Administrative controls shall be established prior to the first use of tritium-bearing targets to ensure that inventory limits for a low-hazard radiological facility are not exceeded.

**3.1 Radiation Protection\***

Collective and individual ionizing radiation doses to the public from all exposure pathways from the NIF shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment, and 40 CFR 61, National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other Than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities. These requirements state th,lt exposure of members of the public from emissions of radionuclides in the ambient air J:rom normal NIF operations shall remain below 10 mrem/y. The facility shall also meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5 to not cause the public dose from all exposure modes and all sources of radiation at the site boundary to exceed 100 mrem/y.

The NIF personnel radiation protection program shall follow DOE Order N441.2 Radiation Protection for Occupational Workers and 10 CFR 835, Occupational Radiation Protection. The ALARA (as low as reasonably achievable) principle shall be utilized in both design and operation of the facility to eliminate unnecessary radiation dose to workers in the Laser and Target Area Building, collocated employees, and visitors from both routine and off-normal operations. Radiation protection shall include: shielding; control of workplace ventilation; monitoring of personnel for external and internal radiation dose; establishment of a routine contamination monitoring program including air monitoring; and the proper containment of radiation and radioactive materials.

The radiation shielding design limit the maximum doses to an individual worker to one- tenth (shielding design goal) of the occupational external dose limits specified in 10 CFR 835. Concrete shielding shall comply with ACI 301, which provides adequate strength for DBE loads.

The requirements for radiological safety in 10 CFR 835, Occupational Radiation Protection, should be evaluated by the designers and incorporated when they are determined to be cost effective, even though the projected in\ventory of tritium in NIF (-0.05 g or 500 Ci) is well below the threshold for a nuclear facility. The target chamber and tritium processing systems shall form the primary confinem-nt barrier. Leakage past these barriers shall be ALARA. The experimental-area ventilation system shall be designed to operate at negative pressures during and immediately after shots of greater than one megajoule and provide secondary tritium confinement.

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The final exhaust release point from this system should be elevated for dispersion. Exhaust air shall be continuously monitored for radioactivity. The target area shall also be monitored to ensure that radiological conditions are safe for personnel entry.

**3.2 Life Safety\*\***

The NIF shall fully comply with the requirements for life safety contained all National Fire Protection Association (NFP A) Codes. Particular focus shall be directed towards features related to the means of egress, such as protection of vertical openings, travel distances, capacities, and emergency lighting.

### 3.3 Laser Safety\*

The laser safety shall comply with ANSI 2136.1. Exposure to hazardous levels of laser light shall be prevented by the use of physical barriers, personnel training, interlocks, and personnel entry controls. Protective equipment, such as laser goggles, shall be used when necessary for operational purposes. Interlock systems shall be dedicated and designed to be fail-safe and shall activate laser shutters or shut off power to laser systems if access doors are opened and hazardous exposures are possible.

## Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Safety\*

Industrial hygiene and occupational safety shall comply with 29 CFR 1910 Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) -Operation. Construction safety shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR 1926, OSHA- Construction.

Facility subsystems (e.g., capacitor banks, vacuum systems, tritium recovery, nitrogen supply, and personnel safety interlock systems) shall be designed to default to a safe state upon loss of power.

### Fire Protection\*

The NIP shall meet the design and fire protection requirements, all NFP A Codes and the Uniform Building Code (UBC). The structural members of the Experimental Building (including exterior walls, interior bearing walls, columns, floors, roofs, and supporting elements) shall, as a minimum, meet UBC fire-resistive standards. Appropriate fire barriers shall be provided to limit property damage, fire propagation, and loss of life by separating adjoining structures, isolating hazardous areas, and protecting egress paths. The NIF shall meet the requirements for an " improved risk" level of fire protection sufficient to attain DOE objectives. To achieve this level of protection, automatic fire sprinklers shall be installed throughout the complex. The sprinklers shall be coupled with adequate fire protection water supplies and automatic and manual means for detecting and reporting incipient fires. Fire hazard analyses will be completed as required by all NFP A Codes.

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### 3.6 Robotic Systems Safety

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Robotic systems shall comply with the requirements of ANSI/RIA R15.06-1992; Industrial Robots and Robot System-Safety Requirements.

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## 4.0 Environmental Protection

### 4.1 Waste Management\*\*

The NIF shall minimize the generation of wastes at the source per: DOE Policy P450.1, Environmental Safety and Health Policy for the Department of Energy Complex, General Environmental Protection Program, and DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management; and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USC 6901 to 6992); and the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA 2601-2692). The NIP waste handling areas shall comply with the standards of confinement and ventilation requirements specified by DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management.

The NIF will generate hazardous waste, low-level radioactive waste (LLW), and mixed (LLW and hazardous) waste. These wastes shall be collected in approved containers, labeled, packaged, sorted, and shipped to an EPA/DOE-approved treatment or disposal site according to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and the following regulations: hazardous waste per 40 CFR 260, 261 and 262; low-level waste per DOE Order 5820.2A; and mixed (LLW and hazardous) waste per DOE Order 5820.2A, and 40 CFR 260. The LLW packages shall meet the radioactive solid waste acceptance criteria of the final approved disposal site. Pollution prevention will be considered in the NIP design as required by DOE Order 430.1.

#### 4.2 Effluents\*

Liquid effluent discharges from NIP discharge points shall be monitored and controlled in compliance with 10 CFR 835, DOE Order 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment; the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.); and by conditions on 40 CFR 125 Criteria and Standards for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System.

Air emissions shall meet the requirements of Section 3.1 (radiation shielding and confinement) for radionuclides and the requirements of the Clean Air Act, (42 U.S.C. 7401) including National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP), and state and local air quality management district requirements.

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#### 5.0 Safeguards and Security\*\*

The NIF safeguards and security features shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5632.1C, Protection of Safeguards and Security Interests, and DOE Order 470.1, Safeguards and Security Program. These requirements include physical protection of classified data and equipment and items in use and in storage. For the facility security areas and access control, requirements shall be established based on the nature of experiments (i.e., classified or unclassified) being performed. The limited areas shall be the target area, target receiving and inspection, final target alignment, classified data acquisition, and office areas where classified computing is performed. Automated Data Processing (ADP) systems handling classified information shall meet the requirements of DOE Orders 5637.1, Classified Computer Security Program, and 5300AD, Telecommunications: Protected Distribution Systems. Elements of DOE Orders 470.1, Safeguards and Security Program, and 472.1, Personnel Security Activities, will also be incorporated into the security plan.

The NIF complex shall also meet the requirements for physical protection of DOE property and unclassified facilities, protection program operations, and personnel security, including issuance, control, and use of badges, passes, and credentials.

Because the continuous operation of the NIF is not required to prevent adverse impacts on national security or the health and safety of the public, it is not classified as a vital facility, per DOE Order 5632.1C.

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## 6.0 Building Systems

### 6.1 Design Life Requirements

The LTAB and the Optics Assembly Building (GAB) represent the only newly constructed facilities at LLNL. The NIP facilities shall be designed for at least 30 years design life for permanent structures. Systems or portions of systems for which that is impractical shall be designed for ease of replacement. Ease of replacement means that replacement is feasible at reasonable cost and can be accomplished in a timely manner consistent with plant availability requirements. "Replacement" here also includes removal, refurbishment, and reinstallation of original equipment.

The performance category for target area and laser structural systems shall be category 2 with a graded approach for other systems.

Where alternative designs and modes of construction are possible at essentially equivalent cost, the design and construction method that most readily allows for future reconfiguration and modification should be selected.

### 6.2 Vibration Requirements

Certain facilities or areas within facilities will house vibration-sensitive special equipment. The structural design of these areas shall provide means to effectively isolate this equipment to control vibration within specified displacement and rotation requirements. Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements for NIP Facilities.

### 6.3 Cleanliness Requirements

The laser bays, experimental areas, and optical assembly rooms must be dust free to prevent laser damage to the optics. Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements for NIP Facilities.

### 6.4 Temperature Control

Temperatures in the laser bays experimental areas must be controlled in order to maintain a stable laser alignment. Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements.

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## 6.5 Electrical Power

Electric power shall be installed in accordance with NFP A 70, which includes details from the National Electrical Code; IEEE 493, Recommended Practices for Design of Reliable Industrial and Commercial Power Systems; and ANSI C2, the National Electrical Safety Code.

### 6.5.1 Voltage Quality

Voltage shall be maintained in compliance with ANSI C84.1, Electrical Power Systems and Equipment-Voltage Rating (60 HZ). Electrical supply systems shall operate within the limits specified for Range A of this specification. Voltage occurrences outside these limits should not exceed the Range B limits. These variances should be limited in extent, frequency, and duration. Computers shall be protected with low voltage dropouts requiring manual restart.

### 6.5.2 Standby Power

Standby power shall be available for health, life, property, and safeguards and security loads, including emergency egress lighting, fire alarms and sensors, security systems, and radiation monitors. Power for safety and security functions shall be installed and operated according to NFP A 101, the Life Safety Code; ANSI/NFP A 110- 1993, the Standard for Emergency and Standby Power Systems; NFP A 72, National Fire Alarm Code; and other applicable NFP A and OSHA standards.

### 6.5.3 Uninterruptible Power

Uninterruptible power systems (UPS), are not required for the NIP facilities or special equipment.

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## 7.0 Operational Availability

User demands for shot time are expected to be high, therefore, the facility shall be designed for maximum reasonable availability and rapid recovery from unplanned shutdowns.

### 7.1 Reliability, Availability and Maintainability (RAM)\*

The components, systems, and processes that limit overall facility availability shall be identified during the design process through analyses of turnaround times, mean times between failures, mean times to repair, preventive maintenance requirements, etc. Techniques such as in-site backups, on-hand spares, modular components, on-call maintenance forces, and more robust designs shall be used to increase availability if the following goals cannot otherwise be achieved:

.The facility shall be available for three shift operations at least 253 days per year (73% availability).

.The facility shall be available for at least 616 no-yield target shots per year.

To address, the possible future needs of direct-drive and other users, the design should not preclude an increase in the availability to approximately 1200 total shots per year. The project shall provide the initial set of maintenance equipment, consisting of at least one unit of each piece of equipment that is required to maintain and operate NIP. Future addition of more units of maintenance equipment shall not be precluded. Continuous high-availability NIP operation, as defined

above, may require future additional units of maintenance equipment.

.The lasers shall perform within specification (e.g., laser energy, beam balance, pointing accuracy) on at least 80% of all shots.

The project should also use this RAM process to determine how to achieve availability in the most cost-effective manner, to determine what spares in what quantities should be kept in inventory, to optimize turnaround procedures, to plan preventive maintenance and inspection programs, and to respond to unscheduled outages.

### 7.2 Recovery Time\*

Because of its importance to the DOE, the NIP shall be designed to survive any abnormal event, including accidents and natural phenomena, expected to occur more frequently than once in 2000 years. The time required to recover from such events is allowed to vary in accordance with the probability of occurrence. Maximum recovery times are specified below.

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| <b>Probability of Occurrence Per Year, P</b>             | <b>Maximum Recovery Time</b>                                                                           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>P = 1</b>                                             | <b>24 hours</b>                                                                                        |
| <b><math>1 &gt; P \geq 10^{-2}</math></b>                | <b>1 week</b>                                                                                          |
| <b><math>10^{-2} &gt; P \geq 5 \times 10^{-4}</math></b> | <b>3 months for laser, target, and associated building structures<br/>6 months for support systems</b> |

The probabilities of occurrence listed in DOE-Sill-1020-94 and DOE-Sill-1021-93 shall be utilized for natural phenomena.

Standby power shall be available to preserve process continuity in cases designated by the NIF Project and specified in the System Design Requirements. Neither uninterruptible power systems nor standby power is required for the computer systems. .

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## **8.0 Decontamination and Decommissioning**

The NIP design shall meet the site-specific requirements. The NIF shall be designed for periodic cleaning of the interior of the test chamber to maintain tritium levels on interior surfaces as low as reasonably achievable. The NIF design shall include considerations that will allow for cost-effective future decommissioning of the structures and equipment.

A plan for NIP Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) shall be developed in accordance with DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management. A D&D assessment shall be made during conceptual design to ensure that features and measures are incorporated in NIP to simplify D&D. The NIP D&D plan will be prepared before the end of the Title n design.

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## **9.0 Quality Assurance\*\***

The NIP Quality Assurance Program shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5700.6C, Quality Assurance. As specified in this DOE Order, a graded approach using quality levels based on risk assessment shall be spelled out in the NIP Quality Assurance Program Plan and utilized throughout the project. The QA Program Plan shall cover all aspects of the NIP Project in a phased implementation, beginning with conceptual design.

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## **10.0 Orders, Codes, and Standards**

### 10.1 DOE Orders\*

The NIP shall be designed and constructed in full compliance with DOE Orders and federal regulations. Exceptions shall be limited to those cases where the project has formally requested and been granted either an exemption or a finding of equivalency by Headquarters.

It is recognized that updates and additions to DOE Orders, federal regulations, and consensus industry standards are outside of the control of the project team and are a frequent source of cost and schedule growth. These requirements are all frozen as of March 1, 1996.

### 10.2 Codes and Standards

Technical codes, standards, and guides promulgated by nationally recognized organizations should be utilized by the NIF Project whenever available and practical, per DOE Order 1300.2A. A partial listing of nationally recognized organizations is included in the following sections. Additional references identified during the developmental phases shall be formally cited and controlled in system and subsystem design requirements documents and specifications through the Project Change Control Process.

### 10.3 Applicable Orders, Codes, and Standards

This section lists DOE Orders, codes, and standards in effect on March 1, 1996, that are considered to be applicable to the NIF Project. The listing begins with DOE and other federal regulations (e.g., Resource Conservation and Recovery Act), and is followed by a partial listing of national consensus standards organizations. The applicable portions of these documents will apply.

#### 10.3.1 DOE Orders

- .1300.2A -Technical Standards Program
- .5300.4D -Telecommunications: Protected Distribution System
- .5400.1- General Environmental Protection Program
- .5400.5 -Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment
- .5480.19 -Conduct of Operations
- .5481.1B -Safety Analysis and Review System (for non-nuclear facilities and hazards only)
- .5632.1C -Protection of Safeguards and Security Interests
- .5633.3B -Control and Accountability of Nuclear Material

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- 5637.1- Classified Computer Security Program
- 5700.6C -Quality Assurance
- 5820.2A -Radioactive Waste Management
- 151.1 -Comprehensive Emergency Management System
- 430.1 -Life Cycle Asset Management
- N441.2 -Radiological Protection for DOE Activities
- P450.1- Environment, Safety and Health Policy for the Department of Energy Complex
- 470.1- Safeguards and Security Program
- 471.2 -Information Security Program
- 472.1- Personnel Security Activities

10.3.2 Other Government Regulations

- ~ JC; .10 CFR 835 -Occupational Radiation Protection
- .10 CFR 20 -Standards for Protection Against Radiation
- .29 CFR 1910 -Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) -Operation .29 CFR 1926 -Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) -Construction .40 CFR 125 -Criteria and Standards for NPD S (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System)
- .40 CFR 260,261,262 -Hazardous Waste Management System
- .40 CFR 61 Subpart H -National Emission Standard for Emissions of Radionuclides other than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities
- .FED-Sill-209E -Airborne Particulate Cleanliness Classes in Cleanrooms and Clean Zones
- .33 USC 1251 et seq. -Clean Water Act
- .42USC 7401- Clean Air Act
- .42 USC 4321 et seq. -NEPA (National Environmental Policy Act)
- .40 USC 6901-6992 -Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) .15 USC 2601-2692 -Toxic Substance Control Act

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~ 10.3.3 National Consensus Standards :!

The NIP Project shall comply with the following national consensus standards, as noted elsewhere in this document: !

- ACI 301 -1996, Specifications for Structural Concrete for Buildings
- ANSI C2 -1993, National Electric Code
- ANSI C84.1-1989, Electrical Power Systems and Equipment-Voltage Rating (60 HZ)
- ANSI Z136.1 -1993, Laser Safety
- ANSI/RIA R15.06 -1992, Industrial Robots and Robot System-Safety Requirements
- DOE-STD-1020-94, Natural Phenomena Hazards Design and Evaluation Criteria for DOE Facilities
- DOE-STD-1021-93, Natural Phenomena Hazards Performance Categorization Guidelines for Structures, Systems, & Components.

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- IEEE 493 ~990, IEEE Recommended Practice for the Design of Industrial and Commercial Power Systems
  - I -All NFP A Codes
  - .-NFPA 701996, National Electric Code I.
  - NFPA 721993, National Fire Alarm Code
  - NFPA 1011994, Code for safety to Life from Fire in Buildings and Structures -ANSI/NFP A 110-1993, Standard for Emergency and Standby Power Systems -Uniform Building Code (UBC) 1994 I
- Orders, standards, and codes listed as mandatory in DOE Orders are not necessarily referenced in this list. I

In addition to complying with these specific standards, the NIP Project shall utilize applicable and appropriate national consensus codes and standards in the design, procurement, fabrication, installation, construction; inspection, and testing of structures, systems, and components, per DOE Order 1300.2A.i Codes, standards, and guides of recognized technical and professional organizations, such as those in the following list, shall be applied as appropriate to NIP materials and workmanship:

- AA
- AASHTO ABMA
- ACI ACGIH
- AISC
- AISI ' AMCA
- ANSI
- APA
- ARI ARMA ASCE ASHRAE
  
- ASME
- ASTM
- AWS AWWA BHMA CISCA CGA CMAA CRSI EPRI FM

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- Aluminum Association
- American Association of State Highway Officials
- American Boiler Manufacturers Association
- American Concrete Institute
- American Council of Government Industrial Hygienists
- American Institute of Steel Construction
- American Iron and Steel Institute
- Air Movement and Control Association
- American National Standards Institute
- American Plywood Association I
- Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute
- Asphalt Roofing Manufacturers Association
- American Society of Civil Engineers
- American Society of Heating, Refrigerating & Air Conditioning Engineers
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- American Society for Testing and Materials
- American Welding Society I
- American Water Works Association
- Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association
- Ceiling and Interior Systems Contractors Association
- Compressed Gas Association
- Crane Manufacturers Association of America
- Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute
- Electric Power Research Institute
- Factory Mutual Engineering and Research

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- GA Gypsum Association !
- ICBO International Council of Building Officials (Uniform Building Code) ICEA Insulated Cable Engineers Association
- IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
- IES Illuminating Engineering Society of North America

ISA Instrument Society of America  
NAPHCC National Association of Plumbing, Heating, & Cooling Contractors NCMA National Concrete Masonry Association  
NEC National Electric Code (NFP A)

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NEMA National Electrical Manufacturers Association.  
NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology  
NFPA National Fire Protection Standards  
RFCI Resilient Floor Covering Institute

SDI Steel Deck Institute

SDI Steel Door Institute

SMACNA Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors National Association SSPC Steel Structures Painting Council

Steel Tank Institute

SWI Steel Window Institute

TCA Tile Council of America

IMA Thermal Insulation Manufacturers Association

UL Underwriters Laboratories

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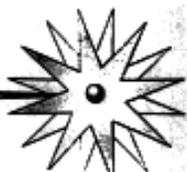
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### 1.4 Site-Specific Requirements

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## 1.0 Introduction

### 1.1 Objectives

This document establishes the scientific and engineering requirements that must be achieved by the National Ignition Facility (NIF). The process used for development in the requirements is described in "Process for the Development of the NIF Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements // NIF-0001566 March 1997. Mission goals, as defined in the Justification of Mission Need, are translated into laser power, laser beam characteristics, and other performance specifications. Top-level operability, safety, and environmental requirements are defined and discussed. Finally, key requirements that must be met to satisfy Department of Energy (DOE) Orders, state, and federal regulations, national consensus standards and preferred procedures are highlighted to help ensure that they are incorporated by the design teams.

### 1.2 Application

The Functional Requirements and Primary Criteria serves as a technical baseline for the project. Any modifications must be processed through the change control mechanism specified in the NIP Project Execution Plan and implementing procedures and formally approved. Each individual requirement or criterion has been placed in one of two hierarchy levels for control purposes. Those items which are Level 1, Primary Criteria, are marked with either a single or double asterisk and are controlled by DOE Headquarters. Nonasterisked items are classified as Level 2, Functional Requirements, and are controlled by the NIP DOE Field Manager. The control of double-asterisk requirements may be delegated to the NIP DOE Field Manager at some point in the future as part of the ongoing decentralization process.

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## 2.2 Experimental Area

The National Ignition Facility shall be operated in a manner consistent with its role as a national resource. Whenever possible, the design shall accommodate the requirements of users with diverse needs. The baseline facility design shall not preclude future addition of target chambers for additional weapons physics and/ or radiation effects testing. The baseline design and operation should be capable of performing radiation effects testing of important national assets, up to system level components, to maintain and certify their reliability. The following requirements are intended to satisfy the most basic of these needs. ,

### 2.2.1 ICF Target Compatibility\*

The target chamber and target area support systems shall be capable of target operations with both cryogenic and noncryogenic targets containing fusion fuel. Provisions shall be made to accommodate and support experimenter-supplied cryostats

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for cryogenic targets. I

### 2.2.2 Annual Number of Shots with Fusion Yield for Chamber Design\*

The NIF shall be capable of performing yield shots with total DT fusion yield of 1200 MJ / year. The NIF shall be capable of performing up to 50 shots per year with a routine DT fusion yield of 20 MJ. The NIF design shall provide for life-cycle-cost-effective future addition of components that are needed only for high yield operations and are therefore not needed in the first three to five years of operations, such as shield doors and decontamination equipment. ;

### 2.2.3 Maximum Credible DT Fusion Yield\* ii

The target chamber shall be designed based on routine DT fusion yield of 20 MJ, with the capability to withstand a DT fusion yield produced by a single shot of up to 45 MJ (a 45 MJ yield corresponds to  $1.6 \times 10^{19}$  neutrons).

### 2.2.4 Classification level of Experiments\* !

The facility shall be designed to allow both classified (at the SRD level) and unclassified experiments. Its design should permit changing classification levels with minimal impact on operations and cost. I

### 2.2.5 Target Positioner

The target positioner shall be capable of placing and holding targets within 3 cm of target chamber center, with accuracy, repeatability, and stability consistent with the relative laser/target alignment specified in Section 1.1.5 and operations specified in Section 2.2.1. I

### 2.2.6 Time Between Shots with No Fusion Yield \

To address the needs of indirect-drive, direct-drive, and other users, the laser and experimental area shall be capable of conducting no fusion yield experiments with a time between shots of 8 hours, with a goal of 4 hours.

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**j** " 2.2.7 Target Chamber Vacuum Capability ::'1

The target chamber shall be capable of achiev. g a vacuum level of <1 x 10<sup>-5</sup> Torr.

**2.2.8 Diagnostic Instrument Capabilities to Veri' Laser Performance**

The facility shall have the following measurem t capabilities that are required to verify the Primary Criteria and Functional Require ents:

- .Laser pulse energy and power.
- .Laser pulse duration and dynamic range.
- .Laser beam power balance.
- .Simultaneity of arrival of pulses from indivi ual beamlines at target chamber center with 10 ps accuracy.
- .Laser beam pointing accuracy with 10-20 spatial resolution.
- .Laser prepulse intensity.
- .Laser pulse spot size.
- .Laser pulse smoothness.
- .Laser beam thermal recovery time.

**2.2.9 Diagnostic Instrument Capabilities for Igni 'on and Applications Experiments**

The target chamber and area shall be capable of accommodating diagnostic instruments for the following measurements neces ary for fusion ignition and applications experiments:

- .Symmetry of x-ray emission from imploded ores with 5- to 10-micron spatial resolution. I
- .Motion of the x-ray emitting volumes in ho~raums with 20 micron spatial resolution. I
- .Laser light backscattered into the focusing Ie s.
- .Radiation flux out of hohlraums within the hoton energy range 0.15-2.5 keY with 100-ps time resolution an 20% accuracy.
- .Strength of radiation driven shocks with 5- t 10-micron resolution and time resolution of 10 ps.
- .Fusion yield over a range from 10<sup>11</sup> to 10<sup>19</sup> neutrons.
- .Symmetry of neutron emission from implod d cores with 20-micron spatial resolution.
- .Temperature of the compressed fusion fuel ith 20% accuracy for ion temperatures of 2 keY or greater.
- .Number and energy distribution of fast elec ons in hohlraums in the band from 5 ke V to 300 ke V .
- .Radiation flux out of hohlraums within the hoton energy range 2.5-100 keY with 20% accuracy.

**2.2.10 Removal and Replacement of Diagnostic I struments\***

Rapid removal and replacement of diagnostic' struments consistent with the shot frequency specified in Section 2.2.6 shall be accomplished by diagnostic inserters and manipulators for close-in target diagnostics.

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**2.2.11 Personnel Access Inside the Target Chamber\***

Personnel access to the inside of the target chaf1ber shall be consistent with require~ents for periodic cleaning necessary to maintain radiological, low-hazard, non- nuclear operations and for inspection and mainten4nce consistent with operational requirements.

**2.2.12 Distributed Laser Plasma Radiation Source: Compatibility\***

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The NIF should provide the basic capability to allow laser irradiation of distributed target arrays with future upgrade. The target chamber should allow flexibility in beam

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### 3.0 Safety Requirements\*\*

The NIP shall be designed, constructed, and op rated as a radiological low-hazard, :'' .9R:'' .ueleaf facility. Compliance with this classific tion shall be verified through a Preliminary Hazard Analysis assessment of bound. g accidents involving those radionuclides and/or chemicals presenting the mos significant hazards (see DOE Order 5481.1B, Safety Analysis Review System). Ad inistrative controls shall be established prior to the first use f tritium-bearin t r ets GOO to ensure that inventory limits for a faei919gieallow-hazard, :'' .9:'' . ~.ueleaf radiological facility are not exceeded.

#### 3.1 Radiation Protection \*

Collective and individual ionizing radiation dos s to the public from all exposure pathways from the NIP shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment, and 4 CFR 61, National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other Th Radon from Department of Energy Facilities. These requirements state that exp sure of members of the public from emissions of radionuclides in the ambient air from ormal NIF operations shall remain below 10 mrem/y. The facility shall also meet the reuirements of DOE Order 5400.5

.A~gai:.,st RaetiaticR)1 to not cause the public dose fro all exposure modes and all sources of radiation at the site boundary to exceed 1 0 mrem/y.

The NIP personnel radiation protection program shall follow DOE Order N441.;f-l- Radiation Protection for Occupational Workers and 0 CFR 835, Occupational Radiation Protection. The ALARA (as low as reasonably achie able) principle shall be utilized in both design and operation of the facility to eliminat unnecessary radiation dose to workers in the Laser and Target Area Building, coIl cated employees, and visitors from both routine and off-normal operations. Radiation p otection shall include: shielding; control of workplace ventilation; monitoring of pers nnel for external and internal radiation dose; establishment of a routine contamin tion monitoring program including air monitoring; and the proper containment of radia ion and radioactive materials.

The radiation shielding design limit the maxim doses to an individual worker to one- tenth (shielding design goal) of the occupation 1 external dose limits specified in 10 CFR 835. Concrete shielding shall comply with ACI 01. which provides adequate strength for DBE loads.

The requirements for radiological safety in 10 C R 835, Occupational Radiation Protection, should be evaluated by the designers an incorporated when they are determined to be cost effective, even though the pro ected inventory of tritium in NIF (-0.05 g or 500 Ci) is well below the threshold for a uclear facility. The target chamber and tritium processing systems shall form the prim ry confinement barrier. Leakage past these barriers shall be ALARA. The experiment I-area ventilation system shall be

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designed to operate at negative pressures during a d immediately after shots of greater than one megajoule and provide secondary tritium onfinement.

The final exhaust release point from this system hould be elevated for dispersion. Exhaust air shall be continuously monitored for rad oactivity. The target area shall also be monitored to ensure that radiological conditions Te safe for persox:mel entry.

**3.2 Life Safety\*\***

The NIF shall fully comply with the reqUiremen tfor life safety contained all National Fire Protection Association (NFP A) Codes. Particular focus shall be directed towards features related to the means of egress, suc as protection of vertical openings, travel distances, capacities, and emergency lighting.

**3.3 Laser Safety\***

The laser safety shall comply with ANSI 2136.1. xposure to hazardous levels of laser light shall be prevented by the use of physical arriers, personnel training, interlocks, and personnel entry controls. Protective quipment, such as laser goggles, shall be used when necessary for operational purpo es. Interlock systems shall be dedicated and designed to be fail-safe and shall acti ate laser shutters or shut off power to laser systems if access doors are opened and hazardous exposures are possible.

**3.4 Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Safety\***

Industrial hygiene and occupational safety shall omply with 29 CFR 1910 Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) -aper tion. Construction safety shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR 1926, OS -Construction.

Facility subsystems (e.g., capacitor banks, vacuu systems, tritium recovery, nitrogen supply, and personnel safety interlock syst ms) shall be designed to default to a safe state upon loss of power.

**3.5 Fire Protection\***

The NIP shall meet the design and fire protectio requirements, all NFP A Codes and the Uniform Building Code (UBC). The structural m mbers of the Experimental Building (including exterior walls, interior bearing alls, columns, floors, roofs, and supporting elements) shall, as a minimum, meet UB fire-resistive standards. Appropriate fire barriers shall be provided to limit roperty damage, fire propagation, and loss of life by separating adjoining structures, is lating hazardous areas, and protecting egress paths. The NIP shall meet the requ rements for an "improved risk" level of fire protection sufficient to attain DOE objec ives. To achieve this level of protection, automatic fire sprinklers shall be installe throughout the complex. The sprinklers shall be coupled with adequate fire prote tion water supplies and automatic

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and manual means for detecting and reporting incipient fires. Fire hazard analyses will be completed as required by all NFP A Codes. I

### 3.6 Robotic Systems Safety

Robotic systems shall comply with the requirements of ANSI/RIA R15.06-1992; Industrial Robots and Robot System-Safety Requirements.

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### 4.0 Environmental Erotection

#### 4.1 Waste Management\*\*

The NIP shall minimize the generation of waste~ at the source per: DOE Policy P450.1, Environmental Safety and Health Policy for lthe Department of Energy Complex, General Environmental Protection Program, and D<DE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management; and the Resource ConservatioI} and Recovery Act (USC 6901 to 6992); and the Toxic Substances Control Act (USC ~601-2692). The NIP waste handling areas shall comply with the standards of confinement and ventilation requirements specified by DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Wast~ Management.

The NIF will generate hazardous waste, low-Iev~1 radioactive waste (LLW), and mixed (LLW and hazardous) waste. These wastes shall be collected in approved containers, labeled, packaged, sorted, and shipped fp an EP A/DOE-approved treatment or disposal site according to the Resource conserva

~on Recovery Act and the following regulations: hazardous waste per 40 CFR 260, 261 d 262; low-level waste per DOE Order 5820.2A; and mixed (LLW and hazardous) w ste per DOE Order 5820.2A, and 40 CFR 260. The LLW packages shall meet the radioac .ve solid waste acceptance criteria of the final approved disposal site. Pollution 12revention will be considered in the NIP design as required b~ DOE Order 430.1.

#### 4.2 Effluents\*

Liquid effluent discharges from NIP discharge pints shall be monitored and controlled in compliance with 10 CFR 835, DOE Or er 5400.5, Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment; the Clean Water A t (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.); and by conditions on 40 CFR 125 Criteria and Standards fo National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System.

Air emissions shall meet the requirements of Se tion 3.1 (radiation shielding and confinement) for radionuclides and the requiremen is of the Clean Air Act, (42 U.S.C. 7401) including National Emission Standards for H zardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP), and state and local air quality management district requirements.

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## 5.0 Safeguards and Security\*\*

The NIP safeguards and security features shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5632.1C, Protection of Safeguards and Security Interests, and DOE Order 470.1, Safeguards and Security Program. These requirements include physical protection of classified data and equipment and items in use and in storage. For the facility security areas and access control, requirements shall be established based on the nature of experiments (i.e., classified or unclassified) being performed. The limited areas shall be the target area, target receiving and inspection, final target alignment, classified data acquisition, and office areas where classified computing is performed. Automated Data Processing (ADP) systems handling classified information shall meet the requirements of DOE Orders 5637.1, Classified Computer Security Program, and 5300AD, Telecommunications: Protected Distribution Systems. Elements of DOE Orders 470.1, Safeguards and Security Program, and 472.1, Personnel Security Activities, will also be incorporated into the security plan.

The NIP complex shall also meet the requirements for physical protection of DOE property and unclassified facilities, protection program operations, and personnel security, including issuance, control, and use of badges, passes, and credentials.

Because the continuous operation of the NIF is required to prevent adverse impacts on national security or the health and safety of the public, it is not classified as a vital facility, per DOE Order 5632.1C. i

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## 6.0 Building Systems

### 6.1 Design Life Requirements

The LTAB and the Optics Assembly Building (O B) represent the only newly constructed facilities at LLNL. The NIF facilities shall be designed for at least 30 years design life for permanent structures. Systems or portions of systems for which that is impractical shall be designed for ease of replacement. Ease of replacement means that replacement is feasible at reasonable cost and can be accomplished in a timely manner consistent with plant availability requirements. "Replacement" here also includes major refurbishment and reinstallation of original equipment.

The performance category for target area and larger structural systems shall be category 2 with a graded approach for other systems.

Where alternative designs and modes of construction are possible at essentially equivalent cost the design and construction method that most readily allows for future reconfiguration and modification should be selected.

### 6.2 Vibration Requirements

Certain facilities or areas within facilities will house vibration-sensitive special equipment. The structural design of these areas shall provide means to effectively

isolate this equipment to control vibration within specified displacement and rotation requirements. Specific constraints are specified in the System Design Requirements for NIP Facilities.

### 6.3 Cleanliness Requirements

The laser bays, experimental areas, and optical

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prevent laser damage to the optics. Specific constrai' ts are specified in the System Design Requirements for NIF Facilities.

### 6.4 Temperature Control

Temperatures in the laser bays experimental are

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maintain a stable laser alignment. Specific constrain s are specified in th~ System Design Requirements.

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### 6.5 Electrical Power

Electric power shall be installed in accordance ~th NFP A 70~ which includes details from the-National Electrical Code; IEEE 493, Reconiffiended Practices for Design of Reliable Industrial and Commercial Power Syste ; and ANSI C2, the National Electrical Safety Code.

#### 6.5.1 Voltage Quality

Voltage shall be maintained in compliance with ANSI C84.1, Electrical Power Systems and Equipment-Voltage Rating (60 HZ). t;lectrical supply systems shall operate within the limits specified for Range A of t1{is specification. Voltage occurrences outside these limits should not exceed the Range B tiInits. These variances should be limited in extent, frequency, and duration. Comput~rs shall be protected with low voltage dropouts requiring manual restart.

#### 6.5.2 Standby Power

Standby power shall be available for health, life'lproperty, and safeguards and security loads, including emergency egress lightin

lfire alarms and sensors, security systems, and radiation monitors. Power for safety d security functions shall be installed and operated according to NFP A 101, the ife Safety Code; ANSI/NFP A 110- 1993, the Standard for Emergency and Standby Po~er Systems; NFP A 72, National Fire Alarm Code; and other applicable NFP A and osH4 standards.

6.5.~:::;::~;b:::~s;stems (UPS), are n::~:1 uired for the NIP facilities or special equipment. r

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## 7.0 Operational Availability

User demands for shot time are expected to be

~gh' therefore, the facility shall be designed for maximum reasonable availability and apid recovery from unplanned shutdowns.

### 7.1 Reliability, Availability and Maintainability (RAM)\*

The components, systems, and processes that l

\$'t overall facility availability shall be identified during the design process through an lyses of turnaround times,

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times between failures, mean times to repair, preve tive maintenance requirements, etc. Techniques such as in-site backups, on-hand spares~ modular components, on-call maintenance forces, and more robust designs shall e used to increase availability if the following goals cannot otherwise be achieved:

.The facility shall be available for three shift 0 erations at least 253 days per year (73% availability).

.The facility shall be available for at least 616 o-yield target shots per year.

To address, the possible future needs of dire -drive and other users, the design should not preclude an increase in th availability to approximately 1200 total shots per year. The project shall provide the initial set of maintenance equipment, consist' g of at least one unit of each piece of equipment that is required to mainta n and operate NIP. Future addition of more units of maintenance equip ent shall not be precluded. Continuous high-availability NIP operation, s defined above,

may

require future additional units of maintenanc equipment.

.The lasers shall perform within specification e.g., laser energy, beam balance, pointing accuracy) on at least 80% 0 all shots.

The project should also use this RAM process to etermine how to achieve availability in the most cost-effective manner, to det rmine what spares in what quantities should be kept in inventory, to optimize maround procedures, to plan preventive maintenance and inspection programs, d to respond to unscheduled outages.

### 7.2 Recovery Time\*

Because of its importance to the DOE, the NIP sh 11 be designed to survive any abnormal event, including accidents and natural ph nomena, expected to occur more frequently than once in 2000 years. The time require to recover from such events is allowed to vary in accordance with the probability f occurrence. Maximum recovery times are specified below.

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| Probability of Occurrence Per Year, P | Maximum Recovery Time                                                                          |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $P = 1$                               | 24 hours                                                                                       |
| $1 > P \geq 10^{-2}$                  | 1 week                                                                                         |
| $10^{-2} > P \geq 5 \times 10^{-4}$   | 3 months for laser, target, and associated building structures<br>6 months for support systems |

The probabilities of occurrence listed in DOE-STD-IO20-94 and DOE-STD-IO21-93 shall be utilized for natural phenomena. I

Standby power shall be available to preserve process continuity in cases designated by the NIP Project and specified in the System Design Requirements. Neither uninterruptible power systems nor standby power is required for the computer systems.

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## 8.0 Decontamination and Decommissioning

The NIP design shall meet the site-specific requirements. The NIP shall be designed for periodic cleaning of the interior of the test chamber to maintain tritium levels on interior surfaces as low as reasonably achievable. The NIP design shall include considerations that will allow for cost-effective future decommissioning of the structures and equipment.

A plan for NIP Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) shall be developed in accordance with DOE Order 5820.2A, Radioactive Waste Management. A D&D assessment shall be made during conceptual design to ensure that features and measures are incorporated in NIP to simplify D&D. The NIP D&D plan will be prepared before the end of the Title II design. I

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## 9.0 Quality Assurance\*\*

The NIP Quality Assurance Program shall meet the requirements of DOE Order 5700.6C, Quality Assurance. As specified in this DC1>E Order, a graded approach using quality levels based on risk assessment shall be specified in the NIP Quality Assurance Program Plan and utilized throughout the project. The QA Program Plan shall cover all aspects of the NIP Project in a phased implementation, beginning with conceptual design. ).

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## 10.0 Orders, Codes, and Standards

### 10.1 DOE Orders\*

The NIP shall be designed and constructed in full compliance with DOE Orders and federal regulations. Exceptions shall be limited to those cases where the project has formally requested and been granted either an ex

emption or a finding of equivalency by Headquarters.

It is recognized that updates and additions to DOE Orders, federal regulations, and consensus industry standards are outside of the CO

ntrol of the project team and are a frequent source of cost and schedule growth. These requirements are all frozen as of March 1, 1996.

### 10.2 Codes and Standards

Technical codes, standards, and guides promulgated by nationally recognized organizations should be utilized by the NIP Project whenever available and practical, per DOE Order 1300.2A. A partial listing of nationally recognized organizations is included in the following sections. Additional references identified during the developmental phases shall be formally cited and controlled in system and subsystem design requirements documents and specifications through the Project Change Control Process. I

### 10.3 Applicable Orders, Codes, and Standards

This section lists DOE Orders, codes, and standards in effect on March 1, 1996, that are considered to be applicable to the NIP Project. The listing begins with DOE and other federal regulations (e.g., Resource Conservation and Recovery Act), and is followed by a partial listing of national consensus standards organizations. The applicable portions of these documents will apply.

#### 10.3.1 DOE Orders

- .1300.2A -Technical Standards Program
- .5300AD -Telecommunications: Protected Distribution System
- .5400.1 -General Environmental Protection Program
- .5400.5 -Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment
- .5480.19 -Conduct of Operations
- .5481.1B -Safety Analysis and Review System (for non-nuclear facilities and hazards only)
- .5632.1C -Protection of Safeguards and Security Interests

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- 5633.3B -Control and Accountability of Nuclear Material
- 5637.1- Classified Computer Security Program
- 5700.6C -Quality Assurance
- 5820.2A -Radioactive Waste Management



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American Society of Mechanical ngeeners  
American Society for Testing and Materials  
American Welding Society  
American Water Works Associati n  
Builders Hardware Manufacturer Ass'ociation  
Ceiling and Interior Systems Con ractors Association  
Compressed Gas Association  
Crane Manufacturers Association of America  
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GA Gypsum Association  
ICBO International Council of Building Officials (Uniform Building Code) ICEA Insulated Cable Engineers Association  
IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers  
IES illuminating Engineering Society of North America  
ISA Instrument Society of America  
NAPHCC National Association of Plumbing, Heating, & Cooling Contractors NCMA National Concrete Masonry Association  
NEC National Electric Code (NFPA)  
NEMA National Electrical Man ufacturets Association  
NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology  
NFPA National Fire Protection Standards

**RFCI Resilient Floor Covering Institut~**  
**SDI Steel Deck Institute I**  
**SDI Steel Door Institute**  
**SMACNA Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors National Association SSPC Steel Structures Painting Council**  
**sn Steel Tank Institute I**  
**SWI Steel Window Institute \;**  
**TCA Tile Council of America I**  
**nMA Thermal Insulation Manufacturers Association**  
**UL Underwriters Laboratories**

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## 2.0 Mission-Related Requirements

The laser system shall be designed to meet the following requirements simultaneously, although all performance requirements need not be demonstrated simultaneously on a single event. I

### 2.1 Laser

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; 2.1.1 Laser pulse energy "c"

The laser shall be capable of routinely producing a temporally-shaped pulse of energy at least 1.8 million joules (MJ) incident on the entrance hole of the target hohlraum.

#### 2.1.2 Laser Pulse Peak Power\* I

The laser shall be capable of producing a pulse with peak power of at least 500 trillion watts (TW).

#### 2.1.3 Laser Pulse Wavelength\*

The wavelength of the laser pulse delivered to the target shall be 0.35 microns (Jlm). The design should not preclude delivering 0.53 Jlm d 1.05 -m wavelength light to the target with reasonable modifications.

#### 2.1.4 Beamlet Power Balance\*

The rms deviation in the power delivered by the laser beams from the specified power shall be less than 8% of the specified power averaged over any 2 nanosecond (ns) time interval.

#### 2.1.5 Beamlet Positioning Accuracy'''

The rms deviation in the position of the centroid of all beams from their specified aiming points shall not exceed 50 micrometers (Jlm) at the target plane or its equivalent,

#### 2.1.6 Laser Pulse Duration

The laser shall be capable of producing a pulse with overall duration of up to 20 ns.

#### 2.1.7 Laser Pulse Dynamic Range

The laser shall be capable of delivering pulses to the fusion target with a dynamic range of at least 50:1, where the dynamic range is defined as the ratio of intensity at the peak of the pulse to the intensity in the initial 'foot' portion of the pulse.

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#### 2.1.8 Capsule Irradiation Symmetry

Variations in the x-ray energy deposited on the fusion capsule, located in the target hohlraum, should be  $\leq 2\%$  rms. Current target design

and performance calculations indicate that this level of irradiation uniformity can be achieved by two-sided laser illumination of the hohlraum. Multiple laser beams on each side enter the hohlraum along two concentric cones with cone half-angles of approximately 27 degrees and 33 degrees, and with two-thirds of the beams on the outer cone and the remaining one-third on the inner cone. Each cone shall consist of four or more beams. The capability shall be provided for the pulse shape delivered by beams on the inner cone to be different from the shape delivered by those on the outer cone.

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2.1.9 Prepulse Power

The laser intensity delivered to the target during the 20-ns interval prior to arrival of the main laser pulse shall not exceed 108 W / cm<sup>2</sup>.

2.1.10 Laser Pulse Spot Size

Each beam shall deliver its design energy and power encircled in a 600 μm diameter spot at the target plane or its equivalent. In the appropriate configuration, each beam

should deliver 50% of its design energy and power encircled in a 100 μm diameter spot at the target plane or its equivalent.

2.1.11 Beam Smoothness

The NIF shall have spatial and temporal beam conditioning to control intensity fluctuations in the target plane.

2.1.12 Direct-Drive Requirements\*

Future upgrade to meet the following requirements, specific to direct-drive experiments, shall not be precluded in the baseline design.

2.1.12.1 Direct-Drive Irradiation Symmetry. Direct-drive ICF targets shall be irradiated by three pairs of concentric cones, with midplane symmetry. The cone half-angles and number of beams on each cone shall be:

Direct-drive cone Cone half-angle) Fraction of total beams  
Inner same as indirect drive 1/6 Outer same as indirect drive 1/3 Waist 75 degrees 1/2

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2.1.13 Beam Focusing and Pointing

The NIF should have flexibility in beam focusing and pointing to address the needs of radiation effects testing and other users.

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SUBJECT: REVIEW OF NIF BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL (BCP) 97-008 FOR LEVEL 1 BASELINE CHANGE CONTROL BOARD ACTION

TO:

K. Baynes, DOE Oakland (NIF) Baseline Change Control Board Secretariat

A NIF Baseline Change Proposal 97-008 providing an Updated NIF Project Data Sheet for FY 1999 was submitted to this office for processing.

The board members and advisors provided their recommendations. On this date, the Chairman approved the BCP.

Should there be questions concerning the BCP I please contact me at (301)

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

FY 1999 CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET REQUEST

(Changes from FY 1998/FY 1999 Congressional Budget Request are denoted with a vertical line in left margin.)

**WEAPONS ACTIVITIES**

(Tabular dollars in thousands. Narrative material in, whole dollars.)

**Weapons Stockpile Stewardship**

**Inertial Confinement Fusion**

Title and Location of Project: National Ignition Facility (NIF)

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Livermore, CA

**2a. Project No. 96-0-111 2b. Construction Funded**

**Preliminary Estimate**

Title I Baseline

**Current Baseline Estimate**

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**Date A-E Work Initiated,  
(Title I Design Start Scheduled): A-E Work (Titles I & II) Duration: Date physical Construction Starts: Date Construction Ends:  
Total Estimated Cost (TEC)  
Total Project Cost (TCP)**

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3rd Qtr. FY 1997 3rd Qtr. FY 2002 842, 600 1,073,600

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**Financial Schedule (Federal Funds):**

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Note:

ull funding of \$678,609,000 is requested in FY 1999.

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| <b>PROJECT TITLE: National Ignition Facility</b> |                                                     |
| <b>30) BCP NUMBER: BCP 97-008</b>                | <b>31) BCP TITLE: Updates to Project Data Sheet</b> |

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
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**Project Description, Justification and Scope**

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The mission of the National Inertial Confinement Fusion (ICF) program is to achieve controlled thermonuclear fusion in the laboratory. This program supports the DOE mandate of maintaining nuclear weapons science expertise required for stewardship of the stockpile, testing of nuclear weapons effects, and the development of fusion power by providing a database for inertial fusion ignition. As a key element of the Stockpile Stewardship Program, the NIF is designed to achieve propagating fusion burn and modest (1-10) energy gain within 2-3 years of full operation and to conduct high energy density experiments, both through fusion ignitions and through direct application of the high laser power. This mission was identified in the NIF Justification of Mission Need, which was endorsed by the Secretary of Energy. Identification of target ignition as the next important step in ICF development for both defense and non-defense applications is consistent with the earlier (1990) recommendation of OOE's Fusion Policy Advisory Committee, and the National Academy of Sciences Inertial Fusion Review Group. In 1995, the DOE's Inertial Confinement Fusion Advisory Committee affirmed the program's readiness for an ignition experiment. A review by the JASdNs in 1996 affirmed the value of the NIF for stockpile stewardship.

The NIF project supports the DOE mandate to maintain nuclear weapons science expertise required for stewardship of the stockpile. After the United States announcement of a moratorium on underground nuclear tests in 1992, the Department established the Stockpile Stewardship program to ensure the preservation of the core intellectual and technical competencies in nuclear weapons. In addition, as a means of reducing the danger posed by nuclear weapons proliferation, the President announced that the United States would seek a zero yield Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty (CTBT). The treaty was signed on September 24, 1996. One of the six safeguards that defines the terms of the CTBT is the conduct of the Stockpile Stewardship program to ensure the safety and reliability of the stockpile. The NIF is one of the most vital facilities in that program. The NIF will provide the capability to conduct laboratory experiments to address the high energy density and fusion aspects that are so important to both primaries and secondaries in stockpile weapons.

At present, the Nation's computational capabilities and scientific knowledge are inadequate to ascertain all of the performance and safety impacts from changes in the nuclear warhead physics packages due to aging, remanufacturing, or engineering and design alterations. Such changes are inevitable if the warheads in the stockpile are retained well into the next century, as expected. In the past, the impacts of such changes were evaluated through nuclear weapon tests. Without underground tests, we will require better, more accurate computational capabilities to assure the reliability and safety of the nuclear weapons stockpile for the indefinite future.

To achieve the required level of confidence in our predictive capability, it is essential that we have access to near-weapons conditions in laboratory experiments. The importance of nuclear weapons to our national security requires such confidence. For detonation of weapon primaries, that access is provided in part by hydrodynamic testing. For secondaries and for some aspects of primary performance, the NIF will be a principal laboratory experimental physics facility.

The most significant potential commercial application of ICF in the long term is the generation of electric power. Consistent with the recommendations of the 1995 Policy Advisory Committee, the NIF will provide a unique capability to address critical elements of the

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**Title and Location of Project:**

**National Ignition Facility**  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Livermore, CA

**2a. Project No. 96-0-111 2b. Construction Funded**

inertial fusion energy program by exploring moderate gain (1 to 10) target designs, establishing requirements for driver energy and target illumination for high gain targets, and developing materials and technologies useful for civilian inertial fusion power reactors.

The ignition of an inertial fusion capsule in the laboratory will produce extremely high temperatures and densities in matter. Thus, the NIF will also become a unique and valuable laboratory for experiments relevant to a number of areas of basic science and technology.

The NIF is an experimental fusion facility consisting of a laser and target area, and associated assembly and refurbishment capability. The laser will be capable of providing an output pulse with an energy of 1.8 megajoules (MJ) and an output pulse power of 500 terawatts (TW) at a wavelength of 0.35 micrometers (~) and with specified symmetry, beam balance and pulse shape. The NIF design calls for an experimental facility to house a multibeam line, neodymium (Nd) glass laser capable of generating and delivering the pulses to a target chamber. In the target chamber, a positioner would center a target containing fusion fuel, a deuterium-tritium mixture, for each experiment. Diagnostics provided by this project would provide the test data to demonstrate subsystem performance and initial operations.

The NIF experimental facility, titled the Laser and Target Area Building, would provide an optically stable and clean environment. This laser building would be shielded for radiation confinement around the target chamber and will be designed as a radiological, low-hazard facility capable of withstanding the natural phenomena

specified for the LLNL site. The baseline facility is for one target chamber, but the design shall not preclude future upgrade for additional target chambers.

The NIF project consists of conventional and special facilities.

Site and Conventional Facilities include the land improvements (e.g., grading, roads) and utilities (electricity, heating gas, water), as well as the laser building, which has an approximately 20,300 square meters footprint and 38,000 square meters in total area. It is a reinforced concrete and structural steel building that provides the vibration-free, shielded, and clean space for the installation of the laser, target area, and integrated control system. The laser building consists of two laser bays, each 31 meters (m) by 135 m long, and a central target area--a heavily shielded (1.8 m thick concrete) cylinder 32 m in diameter and 32 m high. The laser building includes security systems, radioactive confinement and shielding, control rooms, supporting utilities, fire protection, monitoring, and decontamination and waste handling areas. Optics assembly and refurbishment capability is provided for at LLNL by incorporation of an optics assembly area attached to the laser building and minor modifications of other existing site facilities.

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1. Title and Location of project:

National Ignition Facility  
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**a. Total project costs**

**1. Total facility costs**

- (a) Line item --Narrative not required.
- (b) PE&D --None.
- (c) Operating expense funded equipment --None. (d) Inventories --None.

**2. Other project costs**

- (a) R&D necessary to complete construction --Costs include optics vendor facilitization (\$73,200,000) and optics quality assurance (\$27,700,000).
- (b) Conceptual design and engineering studies -Includes the original conceptual design report completed in FY 1994 (\$12,000,000) and the conceptual design activities for the optical assembly and refurbishment capability and site infrastructure (\$300,000).
- (c) Decontamination and decommissioning (D&D) --None.
- (d) NEP A documentation --Preparation includes the NIP portion of the Stockpile Stewardship and Management Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (\$2,600,000) and environmental monitoring and permits (\$2,000,000).
- (e) Other project related costs -Engineering studies (including advanced conceptual design) of project options (\$5,800,000); assurances, safety analysis, and integration (\$9,300,000); start-up planning, management, training, and staffing (\$8,600,000); procedure preparation (\$1,500,000); operating spares (\$600,000); start-up (\$7,700,000); and ORR (\$1,900,000).

**D.- Related annual costs**

- 1. Facility operating costs --Includes operator labor, engineering support and materials for upgrades and modifications, and consumables for operation of special equipment.
- 2. Facility maintenance and repair costs --Includes cost of labor, engineering support, and consumables for special equipment maintenance and refurbishment, including optics. Also includes maintenance for the laser building and support buildings.
- 3. The current NOVA experimental program, including LLNL, LANL, SNL, and General Atomics, is approximately \$40,100,000 annually. Based on use of complex cryogenic targets, increased diagnostics support, and higher levels of three dimensional physics modeling, the annual direct NIF experimental program costs are estimated at \$59,600,000. Additional program costs will be associated with use of the facility.
- 4. Fabrication accounts, procurements, such as small lasers and some laser parts, Computer-Aided Design systems, etc. to support upgrades.
- 5. Minor additions and modifications to the facility related to programmatic effort.
- 6. Electricity only. Gas, sewer, water, etc. are paid out of the General and Administrative budget.
- 7. Nitrogen and argon for laser and transport beam tubes, stock inventory, and procurement support.



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**Title and Location of project:**

National Ignition Facility  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Livermore, CA

**2a. Project No. 96-D-III 2b. Construction Funded**

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Design and Construction of Federal Facilities

All DOE facilities are designed and constructed in accordance with applicable Public Laws, Executive Orders, OMB Circulars, Federal Property Management Regulations, and DOE Orders. The total estimated cost of the project includes the cost of measures necessary to assure compliance with Executive Order 12088, "Federal Compliance with Pollution Control Standards" section 19 of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, the provisions of Executive Order 12196, and the related Safety and Health provisions for Federal Employees (CFR Title 29, Chapter XVII, Part 1960) and the Architectural Barriers Act, Public Law 90-480, and implementing instructions in 41 CFR 101-19.6. The project will be located in an area not subject to flooding determined in accordance with Executive Order 11988. DOE has reviewed the GSA inventory of Federal Scientific laboratories and found insufficient space available, as reported by the GSA inventory.

National Ignition Facility

Baseline Change Proposal  
Request Form and Record of Decision

1. BCP number 2. BCP title 3. Submitted by

D. Rardin  
Phone: 510-423-1186  
Fax:: 510-422-4667

4. Date receive:

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5. Change Priority / ~ Change

. Routine 0 Level 0 Yes (FY99 Budget Submittal)

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8. Change description:

Scope

Schedule

Cost

The Baseline Change Proposal provides the updated NIF Project Data Sheet for FY1999. The outyear funding profile has been revised as has the annual operations cost.

9. Justification and impact of change see worksheet

Annual update of the Project Data Sheet for the FY1999 budget submittal. There are no changes in TEC, TPC, or I schedule. There are minor changes in the budget and cost profiles. There are changes in the annual operating costs to reflect escalation (FY1998 to FY1999 basis) and a 4% change to reflect higher utility costs.

10. Impact of not approving BCP

The updated Project Data Sheet will be submitted with the President's FY1999 budget request provided that full funding is not appropriated in FY1998.

Record of BCCB decision

11. Record of BCCB decision 12. Passed 13. Date of BCCB decision . Approved (see II) . Yes

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14. Approval signature

*[Signature]* 6/10/97

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Updates to Project Data Sheet

**National Ignition Facility  
Baseline Change Proposal Worksheet**

**1. BCP number**

97-008

**2. BCP title**

Updates to Project Data Sheet

**4. Technical baseline change inputs**

None

**3. Submitted by**

D. Rardin

Phone #: 510-423-1186 Fax #: 510-422-4667

Other technical baseline documents:

0 Primary Criteria 0 System Design Requirements 0 Functional Requirements 0 Interface Control Document

**5. Cost input**

Inputs: TEC\$ 1045.7M \$ apc 153.2M \$ Annual Op (FY99) 68.4M \$

**6. Schedule input**

0 Level 0 milestone 0 Level 1 milestone 0 Level 2 milestone 0 Level 3 milestone

**7. ES&H impacts**

Yes

0 PSAR/FSAR

0 PEIS

0 QA Program

0 Other documents

Budget analysis: Original budgeted amount 1198.9M \$ Project to date actual cost 125.8M \$ Current lien balance -1.4M \$

Change to funding profile included:

.Yes (attached Proj. 0 No \_\_\_ Data Sheet)

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**8. Other impacts (e.g., security, stakeholders)**

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
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Inertial Confinement Fusion**

**Title and Location of Project: National Ignition Facility (NIF)  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Livermore, CA**

2a. Project No. 96-0-111  
2b. Construction Funded

3a. Date A-E Work Initiated, (Title I Design Start Scheduled): 1st Qtr. FY 1996

3b. A-E Work (Titles I & II) Duration: 27 months

4a. Date Physical Construction Starts: 3rd Qtr. FY 1997

4b. Date Construction Ends: 3rd Qtr. FY 2003

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Financial Schedule (Federal Funds):

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Previous Cost Estimate:  
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**Title and Location of Project:**

National Ignition Facility  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL) ,Livermore, CA

Project Description. Justification and Schedule

**2a. Project No. 96-D-III 2b. Construction Funded**

The Project provides for the design, procurement, construction, assembly, installation, and acceptance testing of the National Ignition Facility (NIF), an experimental inertial confinement fusion facility intended to achieve controlled thermonuclear fusion in the laboratory by imploding a small capsule containing a mixture of the hydrogen isotopes, deuterium and tritium. The NIF will be constructed at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Livermore, California as determined by the Record of Decision made on December 19, 1996, as a part of the Stockpile Stewardship and Management Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (SSM PEIS).

The mission of the National Inertial Confinement Fusion (ICF) program is to achieve controlled thermonuclear fusion in the laboratory. This program supports the DOE mandate of maintaining nuclear weapons science expertise required for stewardship of the stockpile, testing of nuclear weapons effects, and the development of fusion power by providing a database for inertial fusion ignition. As a key element of the Stockpile Stewardship Program, the NIF is designed to achieve propagating fusion burn and modest (1-10) energy gain within 2-3 years of initial operation and to conduct high energy density experiments, both through fusion ignitions and through direct application of the high laser power. This mission was identified in the NIF Justification of Mission Need, which was endorsed by the Secretary of Energy. Identification of target ignition as the next important step in ICF development for both defense and non-defense applications is consistent with the earlier (1990) recommendation of DOE's Fusion Policy Advisory Committee, and the National Academy of Sciences Inertial Fusion Review Group. In 1995, the DOE's Inertial Confinement Fusion Advisory Committee affirmed the program's readiness for an ignition experiment. A review by the JASONs in 1996 affirmed the value of the NIF for stockpile stewardship.

The NIF project supports the DOE mandate to maintain nuclear weapons science expertise required for stewardship of the stockpile. After the United States announcement of a moratorium on underground nuclear tests in 1992, the Department established the Stockpile Stewardship program to ensure the preservation of the core intellectual and technical competencies in nuclear weapons. In addition, as a means of reducing the danger posed by nuclear weapons proliferation, the President announced that 'the United States would seek a zero yield Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty (CTBT). The treaty was signed on September 24, 1996. One of the six safeguards that defines the terms of the CTBT is the conduct of the Stockpile Stewardship program to ensure the safety and reliability of the stockpile. The NIF is one of the most vital facilities in that program. The NIP will provide the capability to conduct laboratory experiments to address the high energy density and fusion aspects that are so important to both primaries and secondaries in stockpile weapons.

At present, the Nation's computational capabilities and scientific knowledge are inadequate to ascertain all of the performance and safety impacts from changes in the nuclear warhead physics packages due to aging, remanufacturing, or engineering and design alterations. Such changes are inevitable if the warheads in the stockpile are retained well into the next century, as expected. In the past, the impacts of such changes were evaluated through nuclear weapon tests. Without underground tests, we will require better, more accurate computational capabilities to assure the reliability and safety of the nuclear weapons stockpile for the indefinite future.

To achieve the required level of confidence in our predictive capability, it is essential that we have access to near-weapons conditions in laboratory experiments. The importance of nuclear weapons to our national security requires such confidence. For detonation of weapon primaries, that access is provided in part by hydrodynamic testing. For secondaries and for some aspects of primary performance, the NIF will be a principal laboratory experimental physics facility.

1. Title and Location of Project:

National Ignition Facility  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL) ,Livermore, CA

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The most significant potential commercial application of ICF in the long term is the generation of electric power. Consistent with the recommendations of the Fusion Policy Advisory Committee, the NIF will provide a unique capability to address critical elements of the inertial fusion energy program by exploring moderate gain (1 to 10) target designs, establishing requirements for driver energy and target illumination for high gain targets, and developing materials and technologies useful for civilian inertial fusion power reactors.

The ignition of an inertial fusion capsule in the laboratory will produce extremely high temperatures and densities in matter. Thus, the NIF will also become a unique and valuable laboratory for experiments relevant to a number of areas of basic science and technology.

The NIP is an experimental fusion facility consisting of a laser and target area, and associated assembly and refurbishment capability. The laser will be capable of providing an output pulse with an energy of 1.8 megajoules (MJ) and an output pulse power of 500 terawatts (1W) at a wavelength of 0.35 micrometers (J.lm) and with specified symmetry, beam balance and pulse shape. The NIF design calls for an experimental facility to house a multibeam line, neodymium (Nd) glass laser capable of generating and delivering the pulses to a target chamber. In the target chamber, a positioner would center a target containing fusion fuel, a deuterium-tritium mixture, for each experiment. Diagnostics provided by this project would provide the test data to demonstrate subsystem performance and initial operations.

The NIP experimental facility, titled the Laser and Target Area Building, would provide an optically stable and clean environment. This laser building would be shielded for radiation confinement around the target chamber and will be designed as a radiological, low -hazard facility capable of withstanding the natural phenomena specified for the LLNL site. The baseline facility is for one target chamber, but the design shall not preclude future upgrade for additional target chambers.

The NIP project consists of conventional and special facilities.

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Site and Conventional Facilities include the land improvements (e.g., grading, roads) and utilities (electricity/heating gas, water), as well as the laser building, which has an approximately 20/300 square meters footprint and 38/000 square meters in total area. It is a reinforced concrete and structural steel building that provides the vibration-free, shielded, and clean space for the installation of the laser, target area, and integrated control system. The laser building consists of two laser bays, each 31 meters (m) by 135 m long, and a central target area-a heavily shielded (1.8 m thick concrete) cylinder 32 m in diameter and 32 m high. The laser building includes security systems, radioactive confinement and shielding, control rooms, supporting utilities, fire protection, monitoring, and decontamination and waste handling areas. Optics assembly and refurbishment capability is provided for at LLNL by incorporation of an optics assembly area attached to the laser building and minor modifications of other existing site facilities.

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Title and Location of Project:

National Ignition Facility  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Livermore, CA

Project Description, Justification and Schedule (continued)

2a. Project No. 96-D-111 2b. Construction Funded

Special facilities include the Laser System, Target Area, Integrated Computer Control System, and Optics.

The laser system is designed to generate and deliver high power optical pulses to the target chamber. The system consists of 192 laser beamlets configured to illuminate the target surface with a specified symmetry, uniformity, and temporal pulse shape. The laser pulse originates in the pulse generation system. This precisely formatted low energy pulse is amplified in the main amplifier. To minimize intensity fluctuation, each beam is passed through a pinhole in a spatial filter on each of the four passes through the amplifier and through a transport spatial filter. The beam transport directs each high power laser beam to an array of ports distributed around the target chamber where the frequency of the laser light is tripled to 0.35  $\mu$ m, spatially modulated by phase plates and focused on the target. Systems are provided for automatic control of alignment and the measurement of the power and energy of the beam. Structural support and auxiliary systems provide the stable platform and utilities required.

The target area includes a 10 m diameter, low activation (i.e., activated from radiation) aluminum vacuum chamber located in the Target Area of the laser building. Within this chamber, the target will be precisely located. The chamber and building structure provide confinement of radioactivity (e.g., x-rays, neutrons, tritium/ and activation products). Diagnostics will be arranged around the chamber to demonstrate subsystem performance for project acceptance (TEC) and initial operations (TPC).

Structural/ utility and other support systems necessary for safe operation and maintenance will also be provided in the Target Area. The target chamber and staging areas will be capable of conducting experiments with cryogenic targets. The Experimental Plan indicates that cryogenic target experiments for ignition will be needed 2-3 years after completion of the project. Therefore, the targets and this cryogenic capability will be supplied by the experiments. The NIP project will make mechanical and electrical provisions necessary to position and align the cryogenic targets within the chamber. The baseline is for indirectly driven targets. An option for future modifications to permit directly driven targets is included in the design. --

The integrated computer control system includes the computer systems (note: no individual computer will cost over \$100,000) required to control the laser and target systems. The system will provide the hardware and software necessary to support NIF operations. Also included is an integrated timing system for experimental control of laser and diagnostic operations. Safety interlocks and access control will also be provided.

Thousands of optical components will be required for the 192 beamlet NIP. These components include laser glass, lenses, mirrors, polarizers, deuterated potassium dihydrogen phosphate crystals, pulse generation optics, debris shields and windows, and the required optics coatings. Optics includes quality control equipment to receive, inspect, characterize, and refurbish the optical elements.

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Details of Cost Estimate

- a. Design and Management Costs : \$ 220,100
  - 1. Engineering, design and inspection at approximately 21.9 percent of construction costs (Item c) \$ 152,000
  - 2. Construction management at approximately 3.1 percent of construction costs (Item c) 21,500
  - 3. Project management at approximately 6.7 percent of construction costs (Item c) 46,600
- b. Land and land rights 0
- c. Construction costs 693,800
  - 1. Improvements to land 1,800
  - 2. Buildings modification. 175,800
  - 3. Site-specific infrastructure 0
  - 4. Other Structures 0
  - 5. Utilities 500
  - 6. Special Facilities 515,700
- d. Standard equipment 0
- e. Major computer items 0
- f. Removal cost less salvage 0
- g. Design and project liaison, testing, checkout and acceptance (---1). h. Subtotal (a through g) \$ 913,900
- i. Contingencies of approximately 15.1 percent of remaining costs at completion of Title I Design 131,800
- j. Total line item cost [Section 11.a.1.(a)] ,...! \$1,045,700/ k. LESS: Non-Federal contribution 1).

1. Net Federal total estimated cost (TEC) , ~\$1,045,700

The cost estimate assumes a project organization and cost distribution consistent with the management requirements appropriate for a DOE Strategic System as outlined in the DOE Order 430.1/ Life Cycle Asset Management and the NIP Project Execution Plan. Actual cost distribution will be in conformance with accounting guidelines in place at the time of project execution.

1/ Based on 100 percent Title I design completion

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Method of Performance

National Ignition Facility  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL).Livermore. CA

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The NIP Laboratory Project Office (consisting of LLNL, LANL, SNL, and UR/LLE and supported by competitively-selected contracts with Architect Engineering firms, a Construction Manager, equipment and material vendors, and construction firms) will prepare the design, procure equipment and materials, and perform conventional construction, safety, system analysis, and acceptance tests. DOE will maintain oversight and coordination through the Headquarters Office of Inertial Fusion and the National Ignition Facility Project and the field office. DOE conducted the site selection and the NEP A determination. LLNL was selected as the construction site in the Record of Decision made on December 19, 1996. The procurement and installation/test of special equipment will be performed by the NIP Laboratory Project Office. Inspection and Title III engineering contracts for the conventional systems will be competitively awarded. NIP start-up will be conducted by the NIP laboratory operations staff.

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11. Schedule of Pro-ect Funding and Other Related Funding Requirements  
Prior Years FY 1997

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a. Total project costs

1. Total facility costs

(a) Line item (Section 9.j.) (b) Plant, Engineering and Design (PE&D) (c) Operating expenses funded equipment (d) Inventories

Total facility costs (Federal and Non-Federal) 2. Other project costs

(a) R&D necessary to complete construction (b) Conceptual design costs (c) Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) ,

(d) NEPA documentation costs , (e) Other project related costs (f) Total other project costs (g) Total project cost (h) LESS: Non-Federal contribution (i) Net Federal

total project (TPC) Note: Budget Authority (BA) requirements

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\_\_\_\_\_ Total related annual funding (in FY 1999 dollars) ~~~~~ .

- 2/ Specific long-lead procurements and contracts (e.g., building construction; major laser, optics, and target area special equipment) require BA in advance of costs.
- 3/ Specific long-lead procurements and contracts (e.g., optics facilitizati.on) require BA in advance of costs.
- 4/ This primary experimental operating expense will be included in the base Inertial Confinement Fusion Program budget.

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**a. Total project costs**

**1. Total facility costs**

- (a) Line item -Narrative not required.
- (b) PE&D-None.
- (c) Operating expense funded equipment --None. (d) Inventories -None.

**2. Other project costs**

**2a. Project No. 96-D-III 2b. Construction Funded**

- (a) R&D necessary to complete construction -Costs include optics vendor facilitization (\$73,200,000) and optics quality assurance (\$27,700,000).
- (b) Conceptual design and engineering studies -Includes the original conceptual design report completed in FY 1994 (\$12,000,000) and the conceptual design activities for the optical assembly and refurbishment capability and site infrastructure (\$300,000).
- (c) Decontamination and decommissioning (D&D) -None.
- (d) NEP A documentation -Preparation includes the NIF portion of the Stockpile Stewardship and Management Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (\$2,600,000) and environmental monitoring and permits (\$2,000,000).
- (e) Other project related costs -Engineering studies (including advanced conceptual design) of project options (\$5,800,000); assurances, safety analysis, and integration (\$9,300,000); start-up planning, management, training, and staffing (\$8,600,000); procedure preparation (\$1,500,000); operating spares (\$600,000); start-up (\$7,700,000); and ORR (\$1,900,000).

**b. Related annual costs 'I**

- 1. Facility operating costs -Includes operator labor, engineering support and materials for upgrades and modifications, and consumables for operation of special equipment.
- 2. Facility maintenance and repair costs -Includes cost of labor, engineering support, and consumables for special equipment maintenance and refurbishment, including optics. Also includes maintenance for the laser building and support buildings.
- 3. The current NOVA experimental program, including LLNL, LANL, SNL, and General Atomics, is approximately \$40,100,000 annually. Based on use of complex cryogenic targets, increased diagnostics support, and higher levels of three dimensional physics modeling, the annual direct NIP experimental program costs are estimated at \$59,600,000. Additional program costs will be associated with use of the facility.
- 4. Fabrication accounts, procurements, such as small lasers and some laser parts, Computer-Aided Design systems, etc. to support upgrades.
- 5. Minor additions and modifications to the facility related to programmatic effort.
- 6. Electricity only. Gas, sewer, water, etc. are paid out of the General and Administrative budget.
- 7. Nitrogen and argon for laser and transport beam tubes, stock inventory, and procurement support.

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**13. Design and Construction of Federal Facilities**

**2a. Project No. 96-D-III 2b. Construction Funded**

All DOE facilities are designed and constructed in accordance with applicable Public Laws, Executive Orders, OMB Circulars, Federal Property Management Regulations, and DOE Orders. The total estimated cost of the project includes the cost of measures necessary to assure compliance with Executive Order 12088, "Federal Compliance with Pollution Control Standards"; section 19 of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, the provisions of Executive Order 12196, and the related Safety and Health provisions for Federal Employees (CFR Title 29, Chapter XVII, Part 1960); and the Architectural Barriers Act, Public Law 90-480, and implementing instructions in 41 CFR

101-19.6. The project will be located in an area not subject to flooding determined in accordance with Executive Order 11988. DOE has reviewed the GSA inventory of Federal Scientific laboratories and found insufficient space available, as reported by the GSA inventory.

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**NIF BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL LOG**

| <b>BCP#</b> | <b>BCP Title</b> | <b>Date Received</b> | <b>Date Resolved</b> | <b>Level 3 BCCB Disposition</b> | <b>Level 2 BCCB Disposition</b> | <b>Level 1 BCCB Disposition</b> | <b>Change Submitted by</b> |
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Contingency Allocation  
Update of NIF Primary  
Criteria/Functional  
Requirements  
Addition of Optics  
Assembly Building  
to Project Data Sheet  
Directed Changes in DOE  
Orders and Federal  
Regulations  
Functionality Changes  
to the NIF Baseline

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Conduct Engineering  
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SDRs 1-4, Revision A  
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**Title I Update of Functional  
Requirements/Primary  
Criteria  
Project Data Sheet Update**

**Functional Requirements &  
Primary Criteria Minor  
Wording Changes  
Thermal Hat for Target Bay**

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Cooling the Amplifier with  
N2 Gas  
Flowdown of Gov't Orders  
& Standards  
Target Bay & Switch Yard  
Siding Exterior Finish

Updates to Project Data  
Sheet

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**NATIONAL IGNITION FACILITY PROJECT LEVEL 2 -BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL  
RECORD OF DECISION**

**Title: NIF Project Engineer Date**

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**BCP NUMBER:**

**97-008**

**I MEMBERS IRequired) RECOM:MENDATION**

**BCP TITLE: Updates to Project Data Sheet**

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**Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory**

**June 10, 1997  
NIF-0002457 WBS 1.1.1**

**Mr. Scott L. Samuelson  
U.S. Department of Energy  
Oakland Operations Office  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory Livermore, CA 94550**

**Re:**

**FY 1999 NIF Project Data Sheet**

**Dear Mr. Samuelson:**

**On June 10, 1997 the NIF Level 3 Baseline Change Control Board approved the FY 1999 NIF Project Data Sheet and is submitting it to the Level 2 Baseline Change Control Board. with a recommendation for approval.**

**Sincerely,**



Jeffrey

**A. Paisner  
Project Manager  
National Ignition Facility**

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**Attachment: Minutes from the Level 3 BCCB Meeting**

**cc:**

**David H. Crandall, Chairman of the Level BCCB Jane W. Gartner, Secretary of the Level BCCB Leann Morrow, Secretary of the Level 2 BCCB**

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**June 10,1997 NIF-0002459  
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**Minutes of the June 10, 1997 NIF Level 3 Baseline Change Control Board (BCCB) Meeting**

The Level 3 BCCB met to resolve BCP 97-007, Target Bay and Switchyard Metal Siding Exterior Finish, and BCP 97-008, Updates to Project Data Sheet. Dave Coats presented the added information from the Fire Marshall accepting the use of Drivit insulation for the NIP. Paul Kempel stated that an expert from Tinney and Associates is convinced that the application is completely feasible. This expert will be retained to consult on the LTAB application. Bob Kauffman asked about maintenance costs and was told that replacement might be needed in 15 years. The vote was unanimous to reject BCP 97-007. The represents cost avoidance, and no contingency is allocated.

Dave Rardin presented the proposed updates to the FY 1999 Project Data Sheet contained in BCP 97-008. He explained that there were no changes in total estimated cost, total project cost, and schedule. The cost profile was changed, and the annual operating cost increased by 4%, primarily due to increased utility costs. Allen Levy asked if there were federal requirements in Section 13 that contradicted the current Primary Criteria and Functional Requirements. Section 13 requirements are based on the January 1997 DOE Budget Formulation Handbook II-4.19 to 4.20. Gary Deis and Jon Yatabe were asked to review this section with Chuck Taylor. Chuck Taylor agreed to resolve the wording of that section.

Neither BCP involved the allocation of contingency I and the contingency log does not require updating. The updated baseline change log is attached.

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Attachments  
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Level 3 BCCB Members D. Coats, L-445  
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DATE: September 25, 1998 :

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SUBJECT: REVIEW OF BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL (BCP) 98-012 FOR LEVEL 1 BASELINE CHANGE CONTROL BOARD ACTION FOR THE NATIONAL IGNITION FACILITY PROJECT AT LIVERMORE, CALIFORNIA

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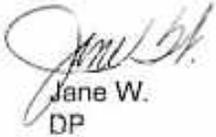
TO: 'H. Gladden~ DOE Oakland (ICF) Baseline Change Control Board Secretariat

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A Baseline Change Proposal for the National Ignition Facility project was submitted to this office for processing.

The board members and advisors provided their recommendations. On this date, the Chairman approved the BCP.

Should there be questions concerning the BCP I please contact me at (301) 903-8235 or Dave Crandall at (202) 586-7349.



Jane W.  
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Gartner,

Secretariat Baseline Change Control Board

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Attachment

cc: J. Wolfe, DP-41  
A. Tavares, FM-20

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| <b>DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY<br/>BASELINE CHANGE PROPOSAL<br/>LEVEL 1 DISPOSITION</b> |                                                                     |
| PROJECT TITLE: National Ignition Facility (NIF)                                  |                                                                     |
| 30) BCP NUMBER: 98-012                                                           | 31) BCP TITLE: Revision to FY2000 NIF (98-D-111) Project Data Sheet |

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DISPOSITION

DECISION

**National Ignition Facility  
Baseline Change Proposal**

BCP No.  
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Title: Revision to FY2000 NIF (96-0-111) Project Data Sheet

Submitted by: Dave Rardin Phone: 3-1186

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Change Description and Justification:

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I This BCP requests revisions to the FY2000 NIF (96-0-111) Project Data Sheet with a change to the Other Project Cost (OPC) funding requirement. The proposed changes are to reduce the FY2000 Budget Authorization (BA) requirement by \$4.1M (from \$10.0M to \$S.9M) and to increase the FY2001 BA by \$4.1M (from \$1.8M to \$S.9M). This proposed revision is reflected on Attachment 1, Item 11 of the current Project Data Sheet. This draft shows the changes since the ! data sheet was submitted in the FY2000 Field Budget Request (version shown in attachment 2).

This funding profile change is necessitated in order to meet the FY2000 Defense Programs site target for funding to LLNL and is in the interest of generating the \$16M needed to start the Terascale Computing Facility in FY2000. The NIF will not be adversely impacted by delaying this level of contract placements from FY2000 into FY2001.

Record of CCB Decisions

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Attachment 1 - NIF Project Data Sheet Item 11  
Revised to reflect proposed changes since FY2000 Field Budget Request

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Title and Location of Project

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National Ignition Facility  
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL) Livermore, CA

24. Project No. 96-0-111 2b. Construction Funded

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Schedule of Project Funding and Other Related Funding Requirements  
Prior Years FY 1998

a Total project costs 2/ 1 Total facility costs

- (a) Design
- (b) Construction

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FY 1999

2,750  
229,450

FY 2000

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Total facility costs (Federal and Non-Federal) 108,284

2 Other project costs

(a) R&D necessary to complete construction \$ 34,552 (b) Conceptual design costs 12,300 (c) Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) ...0 (d) NEPA documentation costs ..... 3,166 (e) Other project related costs ~ (f) Total other project costs \$ ~ (g) Total project cost \$ 174,687 (11) LESS: Non-Federal contribution \$ 0 (i) Net Federal total project (TPC) ..... \$174,687

Note: Budget Authority (BA) requirements .

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Total , \$ 270,300 \$ 229,100 \$ 291,000 I

Related annual costs (estimated life of project-30 years) ,

1. Facility operating costs , : : 2. Facility maintenance and repair costs 3. Programmatic operating expenses directly related to the facility 4. Capital equipment not related to construction, but related to the programmatic effort in the facility

5. CPP or other construction related to programmatic effort in the facility , 6 Utility costs ,... .., 7 Other costs

Total related annual funding (in FY 2000 dollars) .....

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2/ Prior Years actuals are changed to re:oncile with DO£ Financial Information System (FIS) through FY 1997 and cost profiles for FY 1998 and beyond are updated to reflect ProJect-to-date contractuals and contingency allocations as of March 31. 1998.

3/ Specific long-lead procurements and contracts (e.g.. building construction; major laser, optics, and target area special equipment! require BA in advance of costs



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