C. TASKS TO BE PERFORMED

Phase I: Development, Planning and Preparation of Integrated Biorefinery
The primary deliverable for this Work Breakdown Structure (WBS) element is to complete the planning and preparation of all aspects of the proposed Integrated Ethanol Biorefinery.

WBS Element A.1 Appoint Algenol/Dow Chemical Joint Project Team
Algenol and Dow will each assign employees to the Program Management Team (PMT). The PMT will be responsible for all final decisions related to the proposed Biorefinery project.

WBS Element A.2 Organism Development
This research and development component will involve the optimization of Algenol Biofuels 1st generation ethanogenic hybrid algae, as well as continued research on developing second-generation strains with improved ethanol production capabilities.

WBS Element A.3 Flexible Film Photobioreactor Development
Over the past three years, Algenol has conducted research and development on photobioreactor systems. The data generated during Phase I will be used to identify preliminary design specifications of the photobioreactor systems that will be used in the proposed pilot-scale biorefinery. The commercial scale photobioreactor research and development will be focused on the materials of construction and manufacturing of the photobioreactor, the materials, methods of construction and the mixing system for the photobioreactors.

WBS Element A.4 Process Engineering
Over the past three years, Algenol has conducted research and development on process engineering. The research and development to date has resulted in the design and construction of a commercial scale photobioreactor system and a process for operating these systems. Process engineering is broken down into two phases, Upstream Processes and Downstream Processes. Phase I will be used to define preliminary specifications for the various systems and develop Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs).

WBS Element A.5 Architect Search and Site Selection, Construction Planning, Employee Recruiting and SOP Development
The primary purpose of this element is to interview and hire architectural firms, and continue to evaluate the site location, all designs, preliminary blueprints, systems specifications and deliver all of this information to an architectural firm for the preparation of construction blueprints. In parallel, Algenol will identify and interview various general contractors for construction of the pilot plant and issue Request for Proposals to the top three candidate firms. Algenol will also start the recruiting process for the Plant Manager and other critical personnel to operate the Pilot Plant.

WBS Element A.6 NEPA Review and Determination
As with any federally funded project, a satisfactory NEPA determination will be required in order to proceed to Phase II of the project. Based on the favorable responses Algenol has received from APHIS and the EPA, as well as Algenol's assessment, Algenol remains optimistic that under DOE's own NEPA implementation regulations, Algenol's activities could be categorically excluded from additional NEPA environmental review. However, should the DOE determine that an environmental assessment of Phase II activities be required, Algenol is prepared to meet those requirements. The ultimate deliverable in this element will be finding of a categorical exclusion, or subsequent to an environmental assessment, a finding of no significant impact allowing the project to proceed as scheduled to Phase II.

WBS Element A.7 Regulatory Submissions and Approval
The primary purpose of this element is to prepare all regulatory submissions and approvals from all applicable regulatory agencies for the Biorefinery.

WBS Element A.8 Life Cycle Analysis (Phase I Update)
The purpose of this element is to update the life-cycle analysis of the projected Algenol commercial process in light of on-going research and development and evaluation of the carbon dioxide emission reduction in comparison to gasoline.

WBS Element A.9 Program Management of DOE Phase I Activities
The purpose of this element is to capture the activities of certain employees, the Principle Investigator, project management professionals and others, who are involved with overall management of the project as well as specific tasks. The goal of activities associated with this element is to provide effective and efficient communication, administration, and general support to advance the project successfully.

WBS Element A.10 Phase I Gate Review
The Phase I gate criteria will be finalized as part of the startup of the project. Phase I Gate Criteria will be proposed by the PMT at the initiation of the project, approved by the Internal Gatekeeper Team (IGT), and communicated to DOE. At the end of Phase I, the IGT will review the project reports prepared by the PMT. After review, the IGT will submit, with appropriate documentation, a recommendation to the DOE regarding the pass or fail or extension of the Phase.

WBS Element A.11 Pre-award Look-back
The purpose of this element is to capture pre-award costs for budget period 1 that were incurred within the ninety (90) calendar day period immediately preceding the effective date of the award, but not prior to the signing of the selection statement; these costs are allowable in accordance with the applicable Federal cost principles and direction from the DOE.

Phase II: Build Pilot-Scale Integrated Biorefinery
After entering Phase II, Algenol and Dow will sign a construction contract with a general contractor and build the Pilot Plant according to the final construction blueprints prepared by the architect and approved by the local regulatory authorities. Key Pilot Plant personnel will be hired from the pool of applicants identified in Phase I. During the construction of the Pilot Plant, these personnel will be trained to run the facility at Algenol's PDU in Florida. In addition, Pilot Plant and PDU personnel will transfer and write Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the Pilot Plant based on the SOPs developed and used at the PDU. Upon completion of the construction of the Pilot Plant, systems checks and shake down runs will be performed.

Phase III: Ethanol Biorefinery Project – Optimize Pilot Plant Operations, Prepare and Submit Technical and Financial Reports to the DOE, Wind Down Operations and Decommission the Biorefinery
After entering Phase III, Algenol will continue with the operations of the facility and focus on the reduction of operating, feedstock, energy and capital cost. Part of the cost reduction effort will be to evaluate the cost and operation of the ethanol purification unit. During this time, technical and financial reports will be prepared and submitted to the DOE. Upon completion of negotiated plant operation duration, the operations of the Biorefinery will be wound down and decommissioned.

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Applicant Name: The Dow Chemical Company Award Number:

Budget Information - Non Construction Programs

OMB Approval No. 0348-0044

Section A - Budget Summary

Grant Program Function or Activity (a)	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number (b)	Estimated Unobligated Funds		New or Revised Budget		
		Federal (c)	Non-Federal (d)	Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)
1. DE-FOA-0000096	81.087			$4,625,118	Exemption 4	
2.						
3.						
4.						
5. Totals		$0	$0	$4,625,118		

Section B - Budget Categories

6. Object Class Categories	Grant Program, Function or Activity (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Total (5)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4				
b. Fringe Benefits					
c. Travel					
d. Equipment					
e. Supplies					
f. Contractual					
g. Construction					
h. Other					
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)					
j. Indirect Charges					
k. **Totals** (sum of 6i-6j)					
7. Program Income					$0

Section C - Non-Federal Resources

(a) Grant Program	(b) Applicant	(c) State	(d) Other Sources	(e) **Totals**
8. DE-FOA-0000096	$1,996,280	Exemption 4		
9.				
10.				
11.				
12. **Total** (sum of lines 8 - 11)	$1,996,280			

Section D - Forecasted Cash Needs

	Total for 1st Year	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th quarter
13. Federal	$2,150,008	$1,156,280	$1,156,280	$1,156,280	$1,156,280
14. Non-Federal	Exemption 4				
15. **Total** (sum of lines 13 and 14)					

Section E - Budget Estimates of Federal Funds Needed for Balance of the Project

	Future Funding Periods (Years)			
(a) Grant Program	(b) First	(c) Second	(d) Third	(e) Fourth
16. DE-FOA-0000096	$1,454,642	$428,295	$292,522	$299,651
17.				
18.				
19.				
20. **Total** (sum of lines 16-19)	$1,454,642	$428,295	$292,522	$299,651

Section F - Other Budget Information

21. Direct Charges

22. Indirect Charges

23. Remarks

Applicant Name: The Dow Chemical Company Award Number:

Budget Information - Non Construction Programs

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Section A - Budget Summary

Grant Program Function or Activity (a)	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number (b)	Estimated Unobligated Funds		New or Revised Budget		
		Federal (c)	Non-Federal (d)	Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)
1. DE-FOA-0000096	81.087			$2,150,008	Exemption 4	
2.						
3.						
4.						
5. Totals		$0	$0	$2,150,008		

Section B - Budget Categories

6. Object Class Categories	Grant Program, Function or Activity (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Total (5)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4				
b. Fringe Benefits					
c. Travel					
d. Equipment					
e. Supplies					
f. Contractual					
g. Construction					
h. Other					
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)					
j. Indirect Charges					
k. **Totals** (sum of 6i-6j)					
7. Program Income					$0

Section C - Non-Federal Resources					
(a) Grant Program		(b) Applicant	(c) State	(d) Other Sources	(e) **Totals**
8. DE-FOA-0000096		$537,502	Exemption 4		
9.					
10.					
11.					
12. **Total** (sum of lines 8 - 11)		$537,502			

Section D - Forecasted Cash Needs					
	Total for 1st Year	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th quarter
13. Federal	$0				
14. Non-Federal	$0				
15. **Total** (sum of lines 13 and 14)	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section E - Budget Estimates of Federal Funds Needed for Balance of the Project				
	Future Funding Periods (Years)			
(a) Grant Program	(b) First	(c) Second	(d) Third	(e) Fourth
16.				
17.				
18.				
19.				
20. **Total** (sum of lines 16-19)	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section F - Other Budget Information	
21. Direct Charges	22. Indirect Charges

23. Remarks

Applicant Name: The Dow Chemical Company Award Number:

Budget Information - Non Construction Programs

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Section A - Budget Summary

Grant Program Function or Activity (a)	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number (b)	Estimated Unobligated Funds		New or Revised Budget		
		Federal (c)	Non-Federal (d)	Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)
1. DE-FOA-0000096	81.087			$1,454,642	Exemption 4	
2.						
3.						
4.						
5. Totals		$0	$0	$1,454,642		

Section B - Budget Categories

6. Object Class Categories	Grant Program, Function or Activity (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Total (5)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4				
b. Fringe Benefits					
c. Travel					
d. Equipment					
e. Supplies					
f. Contractual					
g. Construction					
h. Other					
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)					
j. Indirect Charges					
k. **Totals** (sum of 6i-6j)					
7. Program Income					$0

Section C - Non-Federal Resources

(a) Grant Program	(b) Applicant	(c) State	(d) Other Sources	(e) **Totals**
8. DE-FOA-0000096	$573,661	Exemption 4		
9.				
10.				
11.				
12. **Total** (sum of lines 8 - 11)	$573,661			

Section D - Forecasted Cash Needs

	Total for 1st Year	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th quarter
13. Federal	$0				
14. Non-Federal	$0				
15. **Total** (sum of lines 13 and 14)	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section E - Budget Estimates of Federal Funds Needed for Balance of the Project

(a) Grant Program	**Future Funding Periods (Years)** (b) First	(c) Second	(d) Third	(e) Fourth
16.				
17.				
18.				
19.				
20. **Total** (sum of lines 16-19)	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section F - Other Budget Information

21. Direct Charges	22. Indirect Charges

23. Remarks

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Budget Information - Non Construction Programs

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Section A - Budget Summary

Grant Program Function or Activity (a)	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number (b)	Estimated Unobligated Funds		New or Revised Budget		
		Federal (c)	Non-Federal (d)	Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)
1. DE-FOA-0000096	81.087			$428,295	Exemption 4	
2.						
3.						
4.						
5. Totals		$0	$0	$428,295		

Section B - Budget Categories

6. Object Class Categories	Grant Program, Function or Activity (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Total (5)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4				
b. Fringe Benefits					
c. Travel					
d. Equipment					
e. Supplies					
f. Contractual					
g. Construction					
h. Other					
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)					
j. Indirect Charges					
k. **Totals** (sum of 6i-6j)					
7. Program Income					$0

Section C - Non-Federal Resources

(a) Grant Program	(b) Applicant	(c) State	(d) Other Sources	(e) **Totals**
8. DE-FOA-0000096	$317,074	Exemption 4		
9.				
10.				
11.				
12. **Total** (sum of lines 8 - 11)	$317,074			

Section D - Forecasted Cash Needs

	Total for 1st Year	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th quarter
13. Federal	$0				
14. Non-Federal	$0				
15. **Total** (sum of lines 13 and 14)	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section E - Budget Estimates of Federal Funds Needed for Balance of the Project

	Future Funding Periods (Years)			
(a) Grant Program	(b) First	(c) Second	(d) Third	(e) Fourth
16.				
17.				
18.				
19.				
20. **Total** (sum of lines 16-19)	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section F - Other Budget Information

21. Direct Charges

22. Indirect Charges

23. Remarks

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Budget Information - Non Construction Programs

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Section A - Budget Summary

Grant Program Function or Activity (a)	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number (b)	Estimated Unobligated Funds		New or Revised Budget		
		Federal (c)	Non-Federal (d)	Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)
1. DE-FOA-0000096	81.087			$292,522	Exemption 4	
2.						
3.						
4.						
5. Totals		$0	$0	$292,522		

Section B - Budget Categories

6. Object Class Categories	Grant Program, Function or Activity (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Total (5)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4				
b. Fringe Benefits					
c. Travel					
d. Equipment					
e. Supplies					
f. Contractual					
g. Construction					
h. Other					
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)					
j. Indirect Charges					
k. **Totals** (sum of 6i-6j)					
7. Program Income					$0

Section C - Non-Federal Resources

(a) Grant Program	(b) Applicant	(c) State	(d) Other Sources	(e) **Totals**
8. DE-FOA-0000096	$283,131	Exemption 4		
9.				
10.				
11.				
12. **Total** (sum of lines 8 - 11)	$283,131			

Section D - Forecasted Cash Needs

	Total for 1st Year	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th quarter
13. Federal	$0				
14. Non-Federal	$0				
15. **Total** (sum of lines 13 and 14)	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section E - Budget Estimates of Federal Funds Needed for Balance of the Project

	Future Funding Periods (Years)			
(a) Grant Program	(b) First	(c) Second	(d) Third	(e) Fourth
16.				
17.				
18.				
19.				
20. **Total** (sum of lines 16-19)	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section F - Other Budget Information

21. Direct Charges

22. Indirect Charges

23. Remarks

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Budget Information - Non Construction Programs

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Section A - Budget Summary

Grant Program Function or Activity (a)	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number (b)	Estimated Unobligated Funds		New or Revised Budget		
		Federal (c)	Non-Federal (d)	Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)
1. DE-FOA-0000096	81.087			$299,651	Exemption 4	
2.						
3.						
4.						
5. Totals		$0	$0	$299,651		

Section B - Budget Categories

6. Object Class Categories	Grant Program, Function or Activity (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Total (5)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4				
b. Fringe Benefits					
c. Travel					
d. Equipment					
e. Supplies					
f. Contractual					
g. Construction					
h. Other					
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)					
j. Indirect Charges					
k. **Totals** (sum of 6i-6j)					
7. Program Income					$0

Section C - Non-Federal Resources				
(a) Grant Program	(b) Applicant	(c) State	(d) Other Sources	(e) **Totals**
8. DE-FOA-0000096	$284,912	Exemption 4		
9.				
10.				
11.				
12. **Total** (sum of lines 8 - 11)	$284,912			

Section D - Forecasted Cash Needs					
	Total for 1st Year	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th quarter
13. Federal	$0				
14. Non-Federal	$0				
15. **Total** (sum of lines 13 and 14)	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section E - Budget Estimates of Federal Funds Needed for Balance of the Project				
	Future Funding Periods (Years)			
(a) Grant Program	(b) First	(c) Second	(d) Third	(e) Fourth
16.				
17.				
18.				
19.				
20. **Total** (sum of lines 16-19)	$0	$0	$0	$0

Section F - Other Budget Information	
21. Direct Charges	22. Indirect Charges

23. Remarks

PMC123.1 - Budget Justification for SF 424A Budget

Instructions and Summary

Award Number: DE-FOA-0000096
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Date of Submission: Jun-09
Form submitted by: The Dow Chemical Company
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SUMMARY OF BUDGET CATEGORY COSTS PROPOSED

(Note: The values in this summary table are from entries made in each budget category sheet.)

CATEGORY	Budget Period 1 Costs	Budget Period 2 Costs	Budget Period 3 Costs	Budget Period 4 Costs	Budget Period 5 Costs	Total Costs	Project Costs %	Comments (Add comments as needed)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4							
b. Fringe Benefits								
c. Travel								
d. Equipment								
e. Supplies								
f. Contractual								
Sub-recipient								
FFRDC								
Vendor								
Total Contractual								
g. Construction								
h. Other Direct Costs								
i. Indirect Charges								
Total Project Costs								

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

The data contained in pages a,h, and i of this application have been submitted in confidence and contain trade secrets or proprietary information, and such data shall be used or disclosed only for evaluation purposes, provided that if this applicant receives an award as a result of or in connection with the submission of this application, DOE shall have the right to use or disclose the data herein to the extent provided in the award. This restriction does not limit the government's right to use or disclose data obtained without restriction from any source, including the applicant.

PMC123.1 - Budget Justification for SF 424A Budget

Instructions and Summary

Award Number: DE-FOA-0000096
Award Recipient: Algenol Biofuels, Inc.

Date of Submission: Jun-09
Form submitted by: The Dow Chemical Company
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Phase 1 summary

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(Note: The values in this summary table are from entries made in each budget category sheet.)

	Budget Period 1 Costs	Budget Period 2 Costs	Budget Period 3 Costs	Budget Period 4 Costs	Budget Period 5 Costs	Total Costs	Project Costs %	Comments (Add comments as needed)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4							
b. Fringe Benefits								
c. Travel								
d. Equipment								
e. Supplies								
f. Contractual								
Sub-recipient								
FFRDC								
Vendor								
Total Contractual								
g. Construction								
h. Other Direct Costs								
i. Indirect Charges								
Total Project Costs								

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

PMC123.1 - Budget Justification for SF 424A Budget

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Phase 2 summary

SUMMARY OF BUDGET CATEGORY COSTS PROPOSED

(Note: The values in this summary table are from entries made in each budget category sheet.)

	Budget Period 1 Costs	Budget Period 2 Costs	Budget Period 3 Costs	Budget Period 4 Costs	Budget Period 5 Costs	Total Costs	Project Costs %	Comments (Add comments as needed)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4							
b. Fringe Benefits								
c. Travel								
d. Equipment								
e. Supplies								
f. Contractual								
Sub-recipient								
FFRDC								
Vendor								
Total Contractual								
g. Construction								
h. Other Direct Costs								
i. Indirect Charges								
Total Project Costs								

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

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Phase 3 summary

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SUMMARY OF BUDGET CATEGORY COSTS PROPOSED

(Note: The values in this summary table are from entries made in each budget category sheet.)

CATEGORY	Budget Period 1 Costs	Budget Period 2 Costs	Budget Period 3 Costs	Budget Period 4 Costs	Budget Period 5 Costs	Total Costs	Project Costs %	Comments (Add comments as needed)
a. Personnel	Exemption 4							
b. Fringe Benefits								
c. Travel								
d. Equipment								
e. Supplies								
f. Contractual								
Sub-recipient								
FFRDC								
Vendor								
Total Contractual								
g. Construction								
h. Other Direct Costs								
i. Indirect Charges								
Total Project Costs								

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

a. Personnel

PLEASE READ!!!

List costs solely for employees of the entity completing this form (award recipient or sub-recipient). All other personnel costs (of subrecipients or other contractual efforts of the entity preparing this) must be included under f., Contractual. This includes all consultants and FFRDCs.

Identify positions to be supported. Key personnel should be identified by title. All other personnel should be identified either by title or a group category. State the amounts of time (e.g., hours or % of time) to be expended, the composite base pay rate, total direct personnel compensation and identify the rate basis (e.g., actual salary, labor distribution report, technical estimate, state civil service rates, etc.).

Add rows as needed. Formulas/calculations will need to be entered by the preparer of this form. Please enter formulas as shown in the example.

Task # and Title	Position Title	Budget Period 1			Budget Period 2			Budget Period 3			Budget Period 4			Budget period 5			Project Total Hours	Project Total Dollars	Rate Basis
		Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 1	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 2	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 1	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 1	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 3			
1. Generation 2A Receiver Design		10000		$423,000	600		$24,000							800		$31,000	11400	$478,000	Actual Salary
EXAMPLE	Sr. Engineer	2000	$85.00	$170,000	200	$50.00	$10,000							200	$50.00	$10,000	2400	$190,000	Actual Salary
ONLY!!!	Electrical engineers	6200	$35.00	$217,000	400	$35.00	$14,000							600	$35.00	$21,000	7200	$252,000	Actual Salary
	Technician	1800	$20.00	$36,000	0	$0.00	$0							0	$0.00	$0	1800	$36,000	Actual Salary

Exemption 4

Task # and Title	Position Title	Budget Period 1			Budget Period 2			Budget Period 3			Budget Period 4			Budget period 5			Project Total Hours	Project Total Dollars	Rate Basis
		Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 1	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 2	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 1	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 1	Time (Hours)	Pay Rate ($/Hr)	Total Budget Period 3			
Exemption 4	Exemption 4																		
	Total Personnel Costs																		

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

b. Fringe Benefits

	Budget Period 1	Budget Period 2	Budget Period 3	Budget Period 4	Budget Period 5	Total
Rate applied:	Exemption 4					
Total fringe requested:						

A federally approved fringe benefit rate agreement, or a proposed rate supported and agreed upon by DOE for estimating purposes is required if reimbursement for fringe benefits is requested. Please check (X) one of the options below and provide the requested information. Calculate the fringe rate and enter the total amount in Section B, line 6.b. ("Fringe Benefits") of form SF-424A.

____ **A fringe benefit rate has been negotiated with, or approved by, a federal government agency. A copy of the latest rate agreement is included with this application, and will be provided electronically to the Contracting Officer for this project.**
**In the area designated below, identify the full calculations used to derive the total fringe costs. See further information below.*

____ **There is not a current, federally approved rate agreement negotiated and available.**
*When this option is checked, the entity preparing this form shall submit a rate proposal in the format provided at the following website, or a format that provides the same level of information and which will support the rates being proposed for use in performance of the proposed project. Go to https://www.eere-pmc.energy.gov/forms.aspx and select PMC 400.2 Sample Rate Proposal. * In the area designated below, identify the full calculations used to derive the total fringe costs. See further information below.*

Additional explanation/comments (as necessary)

*IMPORTANT: In the space provided below (or as an attachment) provide a complete explanation and the full calculations used to derive the total fringe costs. If the total fringe costs are a cumulative amount of more than one calculation or rate application, the explanation and calculations should identify all rates used, along with the base they were applied to (and how the base was derived), and a total for each (along with grand total). The rates and how they are applied should not be averaged to get one fringe cost percentage. NOTE: The fringe benefit rate should be applied to both the Federal Share and Recipient Cost Share.

c. Travel

PLEASE READ!!!

Provide travel detail as requested below, identifying total Foreign and Domestic Travel as separate items. Purpose of travel are items such as professional conference, DOE sponsored meeting, project management meeting, etc. The Basis for Estimating Costs are items such as past trips, current quotations, Federal Travel Regulations, etc.

All listed travel must be necessary for performance of the Statement of Projecct Objectives.

Add rows as needed. If rows are added, formulas/calculations may need to be adjusted by the preparer.

Purpose of travel	No. of Travelers	Depart From (not required for domestic travel)	Destination (not required for domestic travel)	No. of Days	Cost per Traveler	Cost per Trip	Basis for Estimating Costs
Budget Period 1							
Domestic Travel							
EXAMPLE ONLY!!! Visit to PV cell mfr. to set up vendor agreement	2			2	$650	$1,300	Internet prices
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
Domestic Travel subtotal						$0	
International Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
International Travel subtotal						$0	
Budget Period 1 Total						**$0**	

Purpose of travel	No. of Travelers	Depart From (not required for domestic travel)	Destination (not required for domestic travel)	No. of Days	Cost per Traveler	Cost per Trip	Basis for Estimating Costs
Budget Period 2							
Domestic Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
Domestic Travel subtotal						$0	
International Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
International Travel subtotal						$0	
Budget Period 2 Total						**$0**	
Budget Period 3							
Domestic Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
Domestic Travel subtotal						$0	
International Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
International Travel subtotal						$0	
Budget Period 3 Total						**$0**	
Budget Period 4							
Domestic Travel							
						$0	
						$0	

Purpose of travel	No. of Travelers	Depart From (not required for domestic travel)	Destination (not required for domestic travel)	No. of Days	Cost per Traveler	Cost per Trip	Basis for Estimating Costs
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
Domestic Travel subtotal						$0	
International Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
International Travel subtotal						$0	
Budget Period 4 Total						**$0**	
Budget Period 5							
Domestic Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
Domestic Travel subtotal						$0	
International Travel							
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
						$0	
International Travel subtotal						$0	
Budget Period 5 Total						**$0**	
PROJECT TOTAL						**$0**	

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

d. Equipment

PLEASE READ!!!

Equipment is generally defined as an item with an acquisition cost greater than $5,000 and a useful life expectancy of more than one year. Further definitions can be found at 10 CFR 600 found on the PMC Recipient Resources Forms page at https://www.eere-pmc.energy.gov/Forms.aspx#regs .

List all proposed equipment below, providing a basis of cost such as vendor quotes, catalog prices, prior invoices, etc., and briefly justifying its need as it applies to the Statement of Project Objectives. If it is existing equipment, and the value of its contribution to the project budget is being shown as cost share, provide logical support for the estimated value shown. If it is new equipment which will retain a useful life upon completion of the project, provide logical support for the estimated value shown.

For equipment over $50,000 in price, also include a copy of the associated vendor quote or catalog price list.

Add rows as needed. If rows are added, formulas/calculations may need to be adjusted by the preparer.

Equipment Item	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Basis of Cost	Justification of need
Budget Period 1					
EXAMPLE ONLY!!! Thermal shock chamber	2	$20,000	$40,000	Vendor Quote	Reliability testing of PV modules- Task 4.3
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
Budget Period 1 Total			$0		
Budget Period 2					
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
Budget Period 2 Total			$0		

Equipment Item	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Basis of Cost	Justification of need
Budget Period 3					
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
Budget Period 3 Total			$0		
Budget Period 4					
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
Budget Period 4 Total			$0		
Budget Period 5					
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
			$0		
Budget Period 5 Total			$0		
PROJECT TOTAL			**$0**		

Equipment Item	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Basis of Cost	Justification of need

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)

e. Supplies

PLEASE READ!!!

Supplies are generally defined as an item with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or less and a useful life expectancy of less than one year. Supplies are generally consumed during the project performance. Further definitions can be found at 10 CFR 600 found on the PMC Recipient Resources Forms page at https://www.eere-pmc.energy.gov/Forms.aspx#regs.

List all proposed supplies below, providing a bases of cost such as vendor quotes, catalog prices, prior invoices, etc., and briefly justifying the need for the Supplies as they apply to the Statement of Project Objectives. Note that Supply items must be direct costs to the project at this budget category, and not duplicative of supply costs included in the indirect pool that is the basis of the indirect rate applied for this project.

Add rows as needed. If rows are added, formulas/calculations may need to be adjusted by the preparer.

General Category of Supplies	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Justification of need
Budget Period 1				
EXAMPLE ONLY!!! Wireless DAS components	10	$360.00	$3,600	For Alpha prototype - Task 2.4
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
Budget Period 1 Total			**$0**	
Budget Period 2				
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
Budget Period 2 Total			Exemption 4	
Budget Period 3				
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
Budget Period 3 Total			$0	
Budget Period 4				
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
Budget Period 3 Total			$0	
Budget Period 5				
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
			$0	
Budget Period 3 Total			$0	
PROJECT TOTAL			$Exemption 4	

Exemption 4

Additional Explanations/Comments (as necessary)