Energizing Innovation: Federal Energy RD&D in FY22 and Beyond

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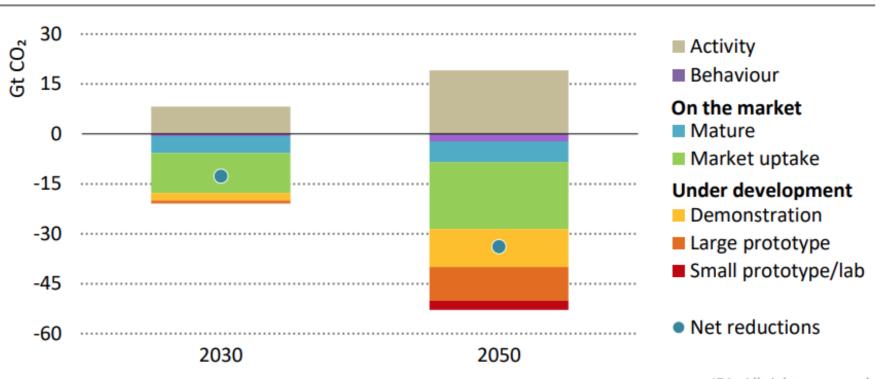
- In-depth analysis to subprogram level:
 - Analytic overview
 - 21 program briefs
- 80+ recommendations
- Interactive data visualization
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Emissions Reductions by Technology Maturity Category in IEA's Net Zero Emissions Scenario

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Global CO₂ emissions changes by technology maturity category in the NZE



Bipartisan Support

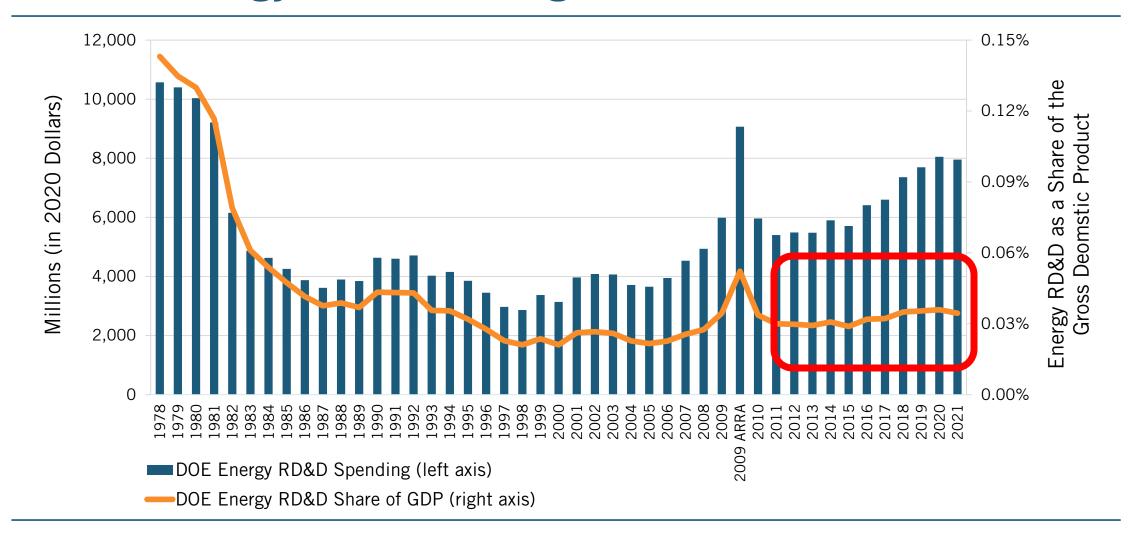
DOE energy RD&D budgets have increased by 40% over the past four years.

The Energy Act of 2020 reauthorized many DOE programs, and included measures sponsored by **100+ Members from both parties**

President Joe Biden has pledged to quadruple government-wide clean energy RD&D over four years.

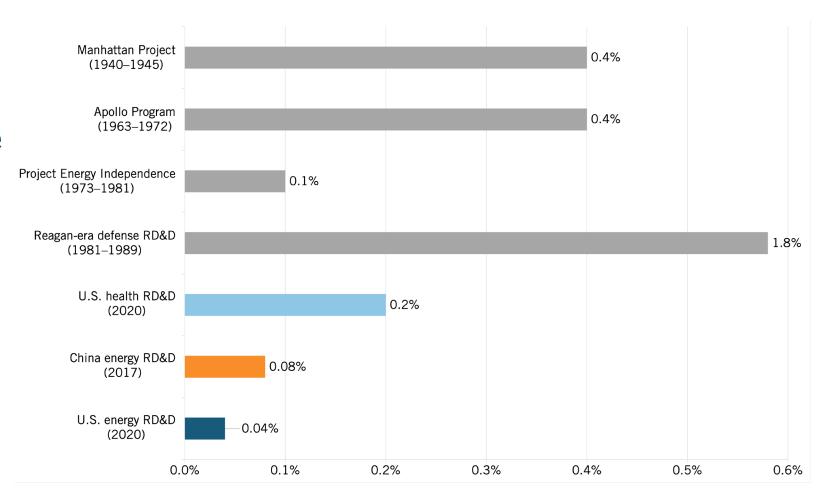


Federal Energy RD&D Funding, FY 1978–2021

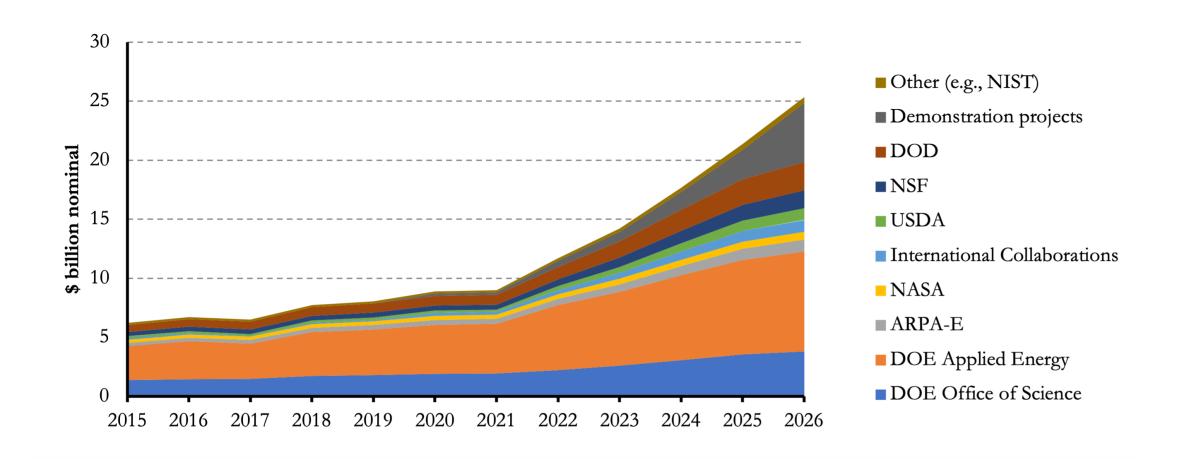


Time for A Moonshot to Match the Moment

- Current US federal energy RD&D investment as a share of GDP lags behind:
 - Past mobilizations
 - Health RD&D today
 - China energy RD&D

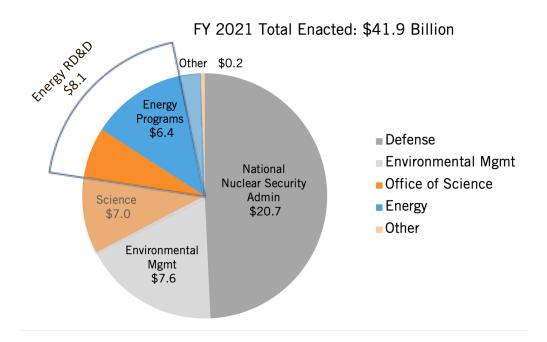


Govt-Wide 3X Growth Proposed in *Energizing America* (2020)

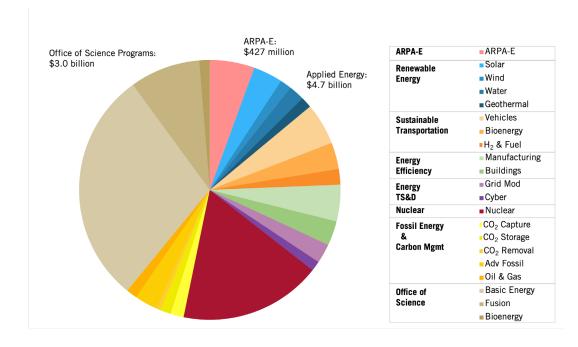


DOE Is the Department of Everything, Not Just Energy

DOE budget by major function, FY 2021 (in billions)

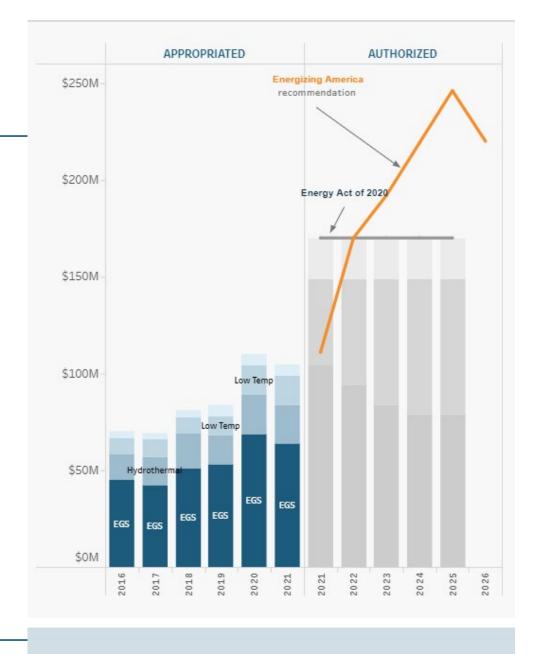


DOE's energy RD&D funding by program area, FY 2021



Program Level Views

- Drill down on 21 programs
- Find program & subprogram levels over time
- Look ahead to Energy Act authorizations and Energizing America proposals
- Download the data
- Check back for updates throughout the budget cycle



Thank You!

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