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Appropriation/Budget Activity 0400: <i>Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Defense-Wide / BA 3: Advanced Technology Development (ATD)</i>					R-1 Program Element (Number/Name) PE 0603384BP / <i>CHEMICAL/BIOLOGICAL DEFENSE (ATD)</i>							
COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
Total Program Element	-	134.070	127.941	145.359	-	145.359	141.728	146.813	157.081	160.162	Continuing	Continuing
CB3: <i>CHEMICAL BIOLOGICAL DEFENSE (ATD)</i>	-	17.141	19.109	18.093	-	18.093	17.585	17.540	17.587	17.585	Continuing	Continuing
NT3: <i>TECHBASE NON-TRADITIONAL AGENTS DEFENSE (ATD)</i>	-	20.633	17.173	23.655	-	23.655	22.893	23.047	28.190	31.291	Continuing	Continuing
TM3: <i>TECHBASE MED DEFENSE (ATD)</i>	-	89.090	83.838	92.846	-	92.846	91.059	95.223	100.271	100.255	Continuing	Continuing
TT3: <i>TECHBASE TECHNOLOGY TRANSITION</i>	-	7.206	7.821	10.765	-	10.765	10.191	11.003	11.033	11.031	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

Demonstrates technologies supporting transition to advanced component development. This includes physical capabilities which cover biological and chemical detection, situational awareness and effects modeling, and protection and hazard mitigation. Other major efforts support enhanced chemical detection capabilities for aerosols and non-traditional agents, expanded capabilities for biosurveillance in pathogen detection and diagnosis, and pretreatments and therapeutics against a broader set of chemical and biological agents. Medical capabilities (pretreatments, therapeutics, diagnostics capabilities, and drug manufacturing and regulatory science technologies), include capabilities against non-traditional agents.

In the physical sciences area, Project CB3 focuses on demonstrations of CB defense technologies, including biological detection, chemical detection, information system technology for hazard prediction and systems performance, and protection, and decontamination. The Project continues to pursue solutions against traditional agents.

All non-traditional agent (NTA)-dedicated research (both medical and non-medical) is consolidated in Project NT3. This Project includes NTA chemical diagnostics, medical pretreatments, therapeutics, detection, and protection and hazard mitigation.

The medical program in Project TM3, aims to produce biological diagnostic assays and reagents, diagnostic device platforms, pretreatments and therapeutics for bacterial, viral, and toxin threats as well as for chemical threats, and medical devices, as countermeasures for CBR threat agents. Specific areas of medical investigation include: prophylaxis, pretreatment, antidotes and therapeutics, personnel and patient decontamination, and medical management of casualties.

Project TT3, Techbase Technology Transition, pursues efforts to enhance military operational capability, concepts of operation, WMD elimination, and hazard mitigation following a biological warfare or chemical warfare attack.

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One function of the CDBP S&T Advanced Technology Development budget is to preserve critical core competencies in the DoD Service laboratories which includes: United States Army Edgewood Chemical Biological Center (ECBC), United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), United States Army Medical Research Institute of Chemical Defense (USAMRICD), United States Army Natick Soldier Systems Center, Naval Research Lab (NRL), Air Force Research Lab (AFRL), among others. The intent is to maintain strategic partnerships with the DoD Service communities for mission success across the enterprise through collaborative planning and programming maintaining budget assurance.

The PE is dedicated to conducting proof-of-principle field demonstrations, and testing system-specific technologies to meet specific military needs. Work conducted under this PE will transition to and will provide risk reduction for PE 0603884BP/PE 0604384BP activities.

B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total
Previous President's Budget	140.094	127.941	142.815	-	142.815
Current President's Budget	134.070	127.941	145.359	-	145.359
Total Adjustments	-6.024	0.000	2.544	-	2.544
• Congressional General Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Rescissions	-	-			
• Congressional Adds	0.000	-			
• Congressional Directed Transfers	0.000	-			
• Reprogrammings	-6.024	-			
• SBIR/STTR Transfer	0.000	-			
• Other Adjustments	0.000	-	2.544	-	2.544

Change Summary Explanation

Funding: N/A

Schedule: N/A

Technical: N/A

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Project CB3 develops technology advancements for joint service application in the area of information systems and modeling and simulation technologies, protection/hazard mitigation and detection. These activities will speed maturing of advanced technologies to reduce risk in system-oriented integration/demonstration efforts. Information systems advanced technology focuses on areas of advanced warning and reporting, hazard prediction and assessment, simulation analysis and planning, and systems performance modeling. Protection/hazard mitigation works to provide technologies that protect from and reduce the impact of both chemical and biological threats and hazards to the Warfighter, weapons platforms, and structures. Detection strives to develop technologies for point and standoff detection and identification of both chemical and biological agents.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Title: 1) Expeditionary Collective Protection	0.503	0.566	0.722
Description: Develop new technologies for soldiers to determine the remaining chemical vapor service life of their chemical warfare agent (CWA) filters.			
FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued Residual Life Indicator (RLI) satellite filter cartridge system integration and surveillance of prototype RLI filters.			
FY 2017 Plans: Assess performance of optimized RLI satellite filter cartridge. Verify the RLI performance is correlated to that of the carbon bed in a CBRN collective protection filter. Establish the filter bed performance is effectively correlated with the RLI and extended with Guard Bed.			
FY 2018 Plans: Continue filter bed research to investigate how and if various formulation constituents affect coating chemistry and morphology in filter bed. Continue integration and surveillance of Guard Bed and RLI systems.			
Title: 2) Material Contamination Mitigation	1.221	2.230	1.696
Description: Develop highly effective non-traditional or novel decontamination technologies that integrate with current procedures and support non-material improvements of the overall decontamination effort.			
FY 2016 Accomplishments:			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
<p>Completed Point-of-Use Formulation (previously named Dial a Decon) effort and transitioned data to the program of record Joint Service General Purpose Decontaminant - Hardened Military Equipment (JSGPD-HME). Initiated laboratory scale development and testing for hot air biological decontamination effort to address sensitive equipment, platform interior, and aircraft decontamination needs, focusing on viral and vegetative bacterial efficacy and using a germinant to reduce the time needed to kill bacterial spores. Initiated laboratory scale development and test for responsive and resistant coatings efforts to enhance decontaminability as part of the systems approach to achieving efficacy goals.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Transition sorbent decontaminant formulation effort to advanced development for immediate decontamination, focusing on efficacy testing and final formulation compatibility testing. Initiate room temperature ionic liquid decontaminant effort to address sensitive equipment decontaminant need (enzyme and catalytic) projects, specifically focusing on efficacy testing and formulation. Continue application of data gathered from surface science investigations to inform design to initiate development of the next generation of hazard mitigation technologies that include integration of multiple systems to achieve efficacy goals. Continue enhanced CB survivability and responsive coatings projects to enhance decontaminability as part of the systems approach to achieving efficacy goals. Demonstrate the wide-area decontamination hazard mitigation effort, which focuses on biological spore decontamination in a representative outdoor environment.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans: Complete agent resistant coatings effort and transition to the Air Force Item manager. Continue to optimize the decontamination parameters for the hot air biological decontamination effort to address sensitive equipment, platform interior, and aircraft decontamination needs. Continue and develop the laboratory scale test to optimize decontamination parameters for the chemical hot air decontamination effort to address sensitive equipment, platform interior, and aircraft chemical warfare agent decontaminant needs. Continue to optimize parameters for responsive and resistant coatings efforts to enhance decontaminability as part of the systems approach to achieving efficacy goals. Continue Wide Area Decontamination of Bacillus anthracis projects, which focus on maturing the biological spore decontamination in a broadened set of outdoor terrains and materials.</p>					
<p>Title: 3) Percutaneous Protection</p> <p>Description: Develop advanced ensemble prototypes with state-of-the art materials that address the full spectrum of threats and provide a range of solutions optimized for protection, thermal comfort, and mission performance.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued efforts to engineer and manufacture system integration of multifunctional materials. Developed system integration approaches for incorporation of those materials in protective garments. Continued development of the Integrated Protective Fabric System (IPFS) lightweight ensembles with composite materials and omniphobic coatings optimized for lower thermal burden.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans:</p>			2.699	0.453	0.687

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Develop and demonstrate fully integrated ensembles for full-spectrum hazards that support tactical operations for all services. Develop ensembles that include novel garment designs that integrate with body armor, helmet, cooling systems, breathing apparatuses, and combat loads that are scalable to mission demands which will fill a broad set of existing capability gaps for many diverse DoD units. FY 2018 Plans: Continue development of Level A/B All Hazards ensembles. Develop and scale up novel materials for protection, emerging SCBA technologies, and novel rebreather technologies. Continue to develop biofeedback parameters for enhanced cooling systems. Initiate the development of biocidal fabrics for personal protection in warfighter ensembles. Continued materials development for multifunctional materials with focus on additional materials development and completing performance evaluations.					
Title: 4) Personnel Contamination Mitigation Description: Develop new technologies to mitigate the risk associated with contaminated human remains and personnel effects (materials) exposed to and contaminated by chemical agents by neutralizing and/or physically removing the residual chemical agents. FY 2017 Plans: Continue to develop new technologies to alleviate the risk associated with contaminated human remains and personnel effects (materials) exposed to and contaminated by chemical agents by neutralizing and/or physically removing the residual chemical agents to support warfighter operations, including the homeland defense mission. This effort also leverages the related BA2 development effort started in FY16.			-	0.085	-
Title: 5) Respiratory and Ocular Protection Description: Develop novel filtration media that are lighter weight and lower burden while capable of protecting against a broader range of challenges that includes toxic industrial chemicals. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued efforts to develop, fabricate, and evaluate hybrid system respirator technology prototypes. Transitioned a synthetic nano-structured material focused on toxic industrial chemical removal to the Joint Service General Purpose Mask (JS-GPM). FY 2017 Plans: Continue integration of respirator component technologies into a full-spectrum protection system which provides scalable protection. Research and development efforts will include nanotechnologies, anti-fogging materials, dynamic response breathing, oxygen storage and CO2 scrubbing. FY 2018 Plans:			0.905	0.905	1.136

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Continue to develop new add-on technologies for SCBA and hybrid system respirators. Continue to demonstrate performance envelop of existing air purification technologies towards emerging threats. Continue to develop nano-structured porous materials for air purification.					
Title: 6) Biosurveillance (BSV) Description: Integrate existing disparate military and civilian datasets, investigate methodologies to appropriately integrate open source data into advanced warning systems, and leverage and enhance advanced epidemiological models and algorithms for disease prediction, forecasting, impact and biological threat assessment. Contribute to the development of global, near real-time, disease monitoring and surveillance systems that address secondary infection, fuse medical syndromic, environmental, and clinical data, and feed into disease modeling, medical resource estimation and decision support tools. FY 2017 Plans: Continue biosurveillance analytic evaluations and various analytic capability development, including sequence data sharing, disease reemergence analytics, and pathogen spread visualizations in support of the Joint Program Management Office - Information Systems (JPM-IS). These efforts were developed in FY16 under BA3 TM3 Biological Diagnostics. FY 2018 Plans: Complete biosurveillance capabilities aimed at analyzing and facilitating sharing of sequence data, predicting areas of disease reemergence, and visualizing pathogen dynamics in support of the Global Biosurveillance Portal. Initiate the development of analytic applications to acquire, synthesize and interrogate multiple sources of data (open source information, medical diagnostic devices, wearable technology, environmental sensors, unmanned platforms and genomic sequences) to provide high confidence in the prediction and early warning of chemical or biological events.			-	2.643	2.532
Title: 7) Detection Description: Focuses on the detection and identification of chemical and biological threats in near real-time at a distance from the detector. Future programs focus on the improvement of algorithms, excitation sources, and detector elements to increase range, reduce false positives, increase sensitivity, and reduce cost. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued sequence based comprehensive identification and characterization platform development for field forward capability. FY 2017 Plans: Continue handheld sequencer based platforms for comprehensive identification and characterization for field forward capabilities. FY 2018 Plans:			4.159	4.066	3.235

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Complete the development of genomic sequencing based platforms protocols for comprehensive identification and characterization for field forward capabilities.					
<p>Title: 8) Hazard Prediction</p> <p>Description: Improve battlespace awareness by accurately predicting hazardous material releases, atmospheric transport and dispersion, and resulting human effects. Develop predictive capability for the source term of releases of chemical, biological, and industrial materials.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued implementation of new numerical schemes and performance optimization for transport and dispersion models. Continued enhancement of high-fidelity urban transport and dispersion. Continued configuration management of science and technology prototype to establish upgraded capabilities listed as valid requirements for HPAC/Joint Effects Model (JEM). Continued validation studies for waterborne transport models.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Continue implementation of new numerical schemes and performance optimization for transport and dispersion models. Continue enhancement of high-fidelity urban transport and dispersion. Continue configuration management of science and technology prototype to establish upgraded capabilities listed as valid requirements for HPAC/JEM.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans: Continue implementation of new numerical schemes and performance optimization for transport and dispersion models. Continue enhancement of high-fidelity urban transport and dispersion. Continue configuration management of science and technology prototype to establish upgraded capabilities listed as valid requirements for HPAC/JEM. Initiate littoral validation studies for next phase of waterborne transport models.</p>			3.713	3.006	3.551
<p>Title: 9) Data Analysis</p> <p>Description: Develop chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear data-sharing capabilities. Develop chapters of the Chemical and Biological Warfare Agent Effects Manual Number 1 (CB-1), an authoritative source capturing analytical methods for evaluating the effects of CB warfare agents on equipment, personnel, and operations. Create a framework for implementing CB-1 and provide CBRN defense community access to CB-1.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Investigated potential methods for implementation of the CB-1.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans:</p>			0.208	0.313	0.029

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)								FY 2016		FY 2017		FY 2018	
Continue to implement the Chemical and Biological Agent Effects Manual Number 1 (CB-1) on DTRIAC STARS. Provide CBRN defense community access to CB-1.													
FY 2018 Plans: Continue to provide CBRN defense community access to CB-1.													
Title: 10) Operational Effects								3.733		4.842		4.505	
Description: Develop decision support tools and information management capabilities for planning and real-time analysis to determine and assess operational effects, risks, and overall impacts of CBRN incidents on decision-making. Focus areas include consequence management, population modeling, and knowledge management.													
FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued system performance model (SPM) integration and advanced development for program-wide exploitation for collective and individual protection and contamination avoidance. Continued operational effects research and analysis efforts to provide objective, quantitative analysis in support of science and technology initiatives, material developments, operational guidance, and requirements setting.													
FY 2017 Plans: Continue system performance model integration and advanced development for program-wide exploitation for collective and individual protection and contamination avoidance. Continue operational effects research and analysis efforts to provide objective, quantitative analysis in support of science and technology initiatives, material developments, operational guidance, and requirements settings.													
FY 2018 Plans: Continue operational effects research and analysis efforts to provide objective, quantitative analysis in support of science and technology initiatives, material developments, operational guidance, and requirements settings. Complete verification and validation of Joint Expeditionary Collective Protection System Performance model and initiate transition of these efforts to the Joint Expeditionary Collective Protection (JECPP) program.													
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals								17.141		19.109		18.093	
C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)													
Line Item	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost		
• CA4: CONTAMINATION AVOIDANCE (ACD&P)	74.684	42.308	29.211	-	29.211	33.181	27.908	20.208	14.131	Continuing	Continuing		

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Line Item	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
• DE4: <i>DECONTAMINATION SYSTEMS (ACD&P)</i>	2.753	0.500	9.900	-	9.900	7.477	6.281	12.773	9.539	Continuing	Continuing
• IS4: <i>INFORMATION SYSTEMS (ACD&P)</i>	7.224	5.928	5.941	-	5.941	0.854	0.291	0.075	0.071	Continuing	Continuing
• TE4: <i>TEST & EVALUATION (ACD&P)</i>	11.763	14.887	9.157	-	9.157	6.581	5.170	5.165	3.549	Continuing	Continuing
Remarks											
D. Acquisition Strategy N/A											
E. Performance Metrics N/A											

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A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

Project NT3 develops future capabilities against emerging and novel threats and verifies current capabilities against Non-Traditional Agents (NTAs). This project focuses on demonstrating fast and agile scientific responses to enhance or develop capabilities that address emerging threats. Efforts in this project support an integrated approach to develop new or enhanced countermeasures against novel and emerging threats through innovative science and technology (S&T) solutions for detection, protection, decontamination and medical countermeasures (MCMs). Efforts supply test methodologies and supporting science to verify capabilities, develop protection and hazard mitigation options, expand hazard assessment tools, and develop MCMs against NTAs. This project is a comprehensive and focused effort for developing NTA defense capabilities, coordinated with specific interagency partners for doctrine, equipment, and training for the Warfighter and civilian population for defense against NTAs. This project supports advanced technology development of NTA defense science and technology initiatives and transitions them to Budget Activities 4 and 5.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Title: 1) Diagnostics - Medical Description: Focuses on state-of-the-art laboratory/fieldable methods that detect exposure to non-traditional agents in clinical samples. It also targets the identification of biomolecular targets that can be leveraged as analytical methodologies, as well as, laboratory and animal studies characterizing time-course and longevity of a particular analyte/biomarker. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued development of mature technologies that can quickly diagnose pre-symptomatic NTA exposure. Continued transition method development for identification and validation of NTAs in clinical samples to the Laboratory Response Network. All efforts transition to TM3 (Techbase Med Defense)/Assays and Reagents in FY17.	0.606	-	-
Title: 2) Material Contamination Mitigation Description: Develop highly effective non-traditional or novel decontamination technologies that integrate with current procedures and support non-material improvements of the overall decontamination effort. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Completed Point-of-Use Formulation (previously named Dial a Decon) effort and transitioned data, including NTA efficacy data to the Joint General Purpose Decontaminant - Hardened Military Equipment program of record. Initiated laboratory scale	0.714	1.585	1.115

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development and testing for zirconium hydroxide (Zr(OH) ₄) to meet warfighter immediate and operational NTA decontamination needs. Integrated NTAs, including newly identified emerging threats, into all material contamination mitigation projects. FY 2017 Plans: Continue integration of a Government owned decontaminant formulation system, specifically addressing other classes of emerging threats. Integrate NTAs into the continuing responsive coatings projects to enhance decontaminability as part of the systems approach to achieving efficacy goals. Complete NTA efficacy testing for primary and other emerging threat NTAs to support the transition of the sorbent decontamination formulation effort. Examine room temperature ionic liquid decontaminant efficacy against representative agents from three categories of NTAs. FY 2018 Plans: Continue development and optimization of the full range of NTAs into the material contamination mitigation portfolio. Integrate NTA testing into hot air decontamination effort to address sensitive equipment, platform interior, and aircraft NTA decontaminant needs. Continue responsive coatings development and optimization to enhance NTA decontaminability as part of the systems approach to achieving efficacy goals. Continue optimization efforts to develop/enhance NTA mapping (disclosure/assurance) technologies.					
Title: 3) Personnel Contamination Mitigation Description: Develop new technologies to mitigate the risk associated with contaminated human remains and personnel effects (materials) exposed to and contaminated by chemical agents by neutralizing and/or physically removing the residual chemical agents. FY 2017 Plans: Continue exploring combinations of complementary technologies to reduce the NTA contamination hazard faster with less outside support and develop revolutionary prototype systems that sense, respond, and signal contamination to support warfighter operations, including homeland defense mission; specifically, advancing formulation options and concepts of operations that include efficacy testing for multiple classes of NTAs. FY 2018 Plans: Transition technology data developed by efforts to develop an alternative to RSDL, including efficacy data against representative NTAs and continue effort to develop a new personnel contamination mitigation formulation (decontaminant). Initiate personnel decontamination efforts to enhance current processes and support mass casualty personnel decontamination warfighter operations, including homeland defense mission, including efficacy data against representative NTAs.			-	0.623	0.807
Title: 4) Respiratory and Ocular Protection			0.693	0.226	0.357

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<p>Description: Development and analysis of design alternatives for chemical and biological air-purifying respirators that provide enhanced protection with lower physiological burden and improved interface with mission equipment.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Initiated efforts to investigate performance limitations of current and developmental respiratory protection systems against NTA challenges and investigate counter-measures to these specific limitations.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Continued to investigate performance limitations current and developmental of respiratory protection systems against NTA challenges and investigate counter-measures to these specific limitations.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans: Continue to develop closed circuit SCBA and novel respirator technologies against NTA challenges.</p>					
<p>Title: 5) Pretreatments - Medical</p> <p>Description: Develop pretreatments and prophylactics that provide protection against NTAs and emerging chemical threats. Prophylactic bioscavengers should rapidly bind and detoxify a broad spectrum of compounds of interest (COIs).</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Completed efforts to demonstrate proof-of-concept for IM and pulmonary delivery of a stoichiometric bioscavenger. Completed effort on alternate manufacturing processes for rBuChE (recombinant butyryl cholinesterase). Demonstrated impact of the ADMET CoE across multiple medical countermeasure product development efforts to provide in vitro data early in the candidate identification and downselection process.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Continue studies to advance recombinant bioscavenger MCM through established animal models and pre-IND efforts.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans: Initiate preclinical studies for adeno associated virus expressed BuChE. Continue to explore whether OPNA scavengers administered as a post-exposure therapy (either pre- and/or post-symptomatic) affords desired protection. Continue efforts to determine whether co-administration of standard therapy, in conjunction with OPNA scavengers, is substantially more effective after onset of signs of intoxication.</p>			6.649	2.129	5.164
<p>Title: 6) Therapeutics - Medical</p> <p>Description: Efforts in this area support the confirmation of mechanisms of action for NTAs and emerging chemical threats by probable routes of field exposure and seek to refine standard experimental routes in order to identify/assess targets for</p>			1.872	1.217	3.175

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therapeutic development. Physiological parameters and pathological assessments will be used to establish the general mode and mechanisms of toxicity required for therapeutic development.					
<p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Supported enabling technology to facilitate delivery of therapeutic regimen to the brain. Evaluated compounds in high-throughput in vitro screens for reactivation of cholinesterases in relevant species. Separated enantiomers of novel therapeutic and performed experiments to determine which isomer should be further developed as a medical countermeasure. Developed in vivo microdialysis assay to measure cholinesterase function in brain and effects of centrally active reactivators. Continued to refine and validate small animal models to support FDA licensure.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Continue support of enabling technology to facilitate delivery of therapeutics to the brain. Continue to validate small animal models to support FDA licensure of therapeutics used in the treatment of NTA exposures.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans: Continue to enable technologies to deliver therapeutics to the brain. Continue evaluating novel therapeutics using high-throughput in vitro screens. Continue lead optimization on novel therapeutic compounds. Continue validating animal models for use in NTA exposure studies.</p>					
<p>Title: 7) Detection</p> <p>Description: Detection NTA: Focuses on technologies to provide NTA detection capabilities.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued integration studies for Next Generation Chemical Detector (NGCD) Variant 1 based on Micro Electro-Mechanical Systems components for Gas Chromatography and Mass Spectrometry. Completed the development of test methodology to validate signatures for chemical aerosol threat materials, including traditional and non-traditional agents, and toxic industrial chemicals. Completed the transfer of validated signatures into the NGCD Variant 2.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Complete integration studies and prototype delivery for transition to NGCD based on Micro Electro-Mechanical Systems components for Gas Chromatography and Mass Spectrometry.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans:</p>			8.569	10.351	11.840

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Continue the advanced development and rapid prototyping of chemical sensors for persistent sensing and chemical reconnaissance applications. Complete and transition the developed low-cost chemical detection capability utilized for identification of liquid threats.					
Title: 8) Modeling & Simulation Description: This effort develops NTA technology advancements for joint service application in the area of information systems and modeling and simulation technologies. These activities will speed maturation of advanced technologies to reduce risk in system-oriented integration/demonstration efforts. Information systems advanced technology focuses on areas of advanced warning and reporting, hazard prediction and assessment, simulation analysis and planning, and systems performance modeling. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued system performance model integration and development for program-wide exploitation for decontamination. FY 2017 Plans: Continue sensitivity and validation studies on NTA source term models and update and expand NTA databases. FY 2018 Plans: Continue system performance model integration and development for program-wide exploitation for decontamination.			0.204	0.240	0.238
Title: 9) Percutaneous Protection Description: Develop advanced ensemble prototypes with state-of-the art materials that address the full spectrum of threats and provide a range of solutions optimized for protection, thermal comfort, and mission performance. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Completed NTA evaluation and testing of IPFS lightweight ensembles. FY 2018 Plans: Initiate evaluation of multifunctional systems for protection in relevant configurations at scale. Continue integration, engineering, and scaling of CB relevant multifunctional materials and garment configurations.			0.650	-	0.157
Title: 10) Test & Evaluation Description: Develops test and evaluation technologies and processes in support of NTA activities. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Completed methodology and protocol development to support the evaluation of Next Generation Chemical Detector technologies. FY 2017 Plans:			0.676	0.802	0.802

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)										FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Initiate rapid prototyping and evaluation of chemical detection platforms.												
FY 2018 Plans: Continue rapid prototyping and evaluation of chemical detection platforms.												
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals										20.633	17.173	23.655
C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)												
Line Item	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	
• CA4: <i>CONTAMINATION AVOIDANCE (ACD&P)</i>	74.684	42.308	29.211	-	29.211	33.181	27.908	20.208	14.131	Continuing	Continuing	
• DE4: <i>DECONTAMINATION SYSTEMS (ACD&P)</i>	2.753	0.500	9.900	-	9.900	7.477	6.281	12.773	9.539	Continuing	Continuing	
• IP4: <i>INDIVIDUAL PROTECTION (ACD&P)</i>	5.473	3.235	5.145	-	5.145	2.000	1.000	0.000	0.000	0	16.853	
• MC4: <i>MEDICAL CHEMICAL DEFENSE (ACD&P)</i>	1.060	5.681	5.165	-	5.165	2.790	4.675	3.975	7.098	Continuing	Continuing	
• TE4: <i>TEST & EVALUATION (ACD&P)</i>	11.763	14.887	9.157	-	9.157	6.581	5.170	5.165	3.549	Continuing	Continuing	
Remarks												
D. Acquisition Strategy N/A												
E. Performance Metrics N/A												

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COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
TM3: TECHBASE MED DEFENSE (ATD)	-	89.090	83.838	92.846	-	92.846	91.059	95.223	100.271	100.255	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

Project TM3 supports preclinical and early phase clinical development of vaccines, therapeutic drugs, and diagnostic capabilities to provide safe and effective medical defense against validated biological threat agents or emerging infectious disease biothreats including bacteria, toxins, and viruses. Innovative biotechnology approaches to advance medical systems designed to rapidly identify, diagnose, prevent, and treat disease due to exposure to biological threat agents will be evaluated. In addition this project supports the advanced development of medical countermeasures to include prophylaxes, pretreatments, antidotes, skin decontaminants and therapeutic drugs against identified and emerging chemical warfare threat agents. Entry of candidate vaccines, therapeutics, and diagnostic technologies into advanced development is facilitated by the development of technical data packages that support the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Investigational New Drug (IND) processes, DoD acquisition regulations, and the oversight of early phase clinical trials in accordance with FDA guidelines.

The Medical Countermeasures Initiative (MCMI) was established to coordinate inter-related advanced development and flexible manufacturing capabilities, and these efforts within science and technology (S&T) have been concentrated in advancing two areas: 1) regulatory science and 2) flexible manufacturing technologies and processes for MCMs. These MCMI efforts are enablers supporting the DoD Medical Countermeasures Advanced Development and Manufacturing (MCM-ADM) capability. The focus of these efforts is unchanged, but starting in FY17 all MCMI efforts under TM3 are transitioned into Bacterial Therapeutics to reduce budget management complexity and highlight the range of MCM efforts ongoing with the ADM.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Title: 1) Assays and Reagents	11.335	16.488	25.878
Description: Development and verification of rapid, sensitive, and specific tests for the identification of BWAs and their expressed pathogens and toxins in clinical specimens from Warfighters for the diagnosis of exposure/infection. Discovery of host biomarkers generated in response to exposure to biological threat agents.			
FY 2016 Accomplishments: Initiated efforts and studies on host response biomarker classifiers. Completed the development of 50 multi-plex assays utilizing the MAGPIX format (multiplexing platform capable of performing qualitative and quantitative analysis) for the detection of Burkholderia pseudomallei and its near neighbors. Completed process to extend Republic of Korea (ROK) Project Agreement to include a Phase II. Transitioned thirty-three molecular transition packages (MTP) to the Defense Biological Product Assurance Office (DBPAO). Transitioned 888 genomic sequences for Burkholderia pseudomallei and its near neighbors to Next Generation Diagnostics System, Increment 1 (NGDS Inc 1). Transitioned Nucleic Acid-Programmable Protein Array and clone library data for Vaccinia virus to DBPAO. Transitioned clinical laboratory improvement amendments (CLIA)-Waived protocols for the FilmArray Respiratory Panel to NGDS Inc 1. Transitioned genomic sequence data for Crimean -Congo hemorrhagic fever, Makona			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
and Kikwit Ebola virus, and a number of hemorrhagic fever viruses to DBPAO. Transitioned biomedical informatics platform Empowering the Development of Genomics Expertise (EDGE) version 1.1 to Global Biosurveillance Technology Initiative (GBTI).					
FY 2017 Plans: Continue the development and production of thermostable reagents. Continue the development of assays and technologies for biothreat agent detection and characterization. Continue verification and testing performance of biomarker assays and reagents for point-of-need diagnostic platforms. Continue to optimize pipelines to improve unbiased pathogen discovery and/or detection in clinical and environmental samples. Continue optimization and enhancement of updated bioinformatics platform to support genomic and clinical informatics. Evaluate optimization and enhancement of updated bioinformatics platform in the field including efforts in the ROK.					
FY 2018 Plans: Continue efforts and studies on host response biomarker classifiers. Continue the development and production of thermostable reagents. Continue the development of assays and technologies for biological and chemical agent detection and characterization. Continue verification and testing performance of biomarker assays and reagents for point-of-need diagnostic platforms. Continue to optimize pipelines to improve unbiased pathogen discovery and/or detection in clinical and environmental samples. Continue optimization and enhancement of updated bioinformatics platform to support genomic and clinical (biomedical) informatics. Continue evaluating optimization and enhancement of updated bioinformatics platform in the field including efforts in the ROK. Initiate investigations to mature chemical and/or NTA diagnostic assays for use in forward field settings or at point-of-need. Initiate efforts to integrate or converge platform technologies to detect antimicrobial resistance/multidrug resistant (AMR/MDR) microbes at the single molecular level. Initiate incorporation of stability and pre-clinical studies for diagnostic assays in development to further support pre-EUA submissions.					
Title: 2) Bacterial Therapeutics			8.698	16.033	19.386
Description: Identify, optimize and evaluate potential therapeutic compounds effective against bacterial threat agents.					
FY 2016 Accomplishments: Conducted evaluation of an FDA approved compound for efficacy in pivotal GLP NHP studies against an aerosolized challenge of <i>F. tularensis</i> in support of submission of a supplemental new drug application (sNDA) under the Animal Rule. Down selected between novel ribosome inhibitors and a novel topoisomerase inhibitor as therapeutics for priority bacterial pathogens. Continued non-clinical research required to submit IND applications to the FDA for additional products. Continued supportive pivotal GLP studies to further the advancement of both novel and approved therapeutics for limited priority pathogen indications under the Animal Rule.					
FY 2017 Plans:					

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
<p>Expand evaluation of FDA approved compounds for efficacy in pivotal GLP non-human primate models against aerosolized challenge of Yersinia pestis, Bacillus anthracis, or Francisella tularensis in support of submission of a sNDA under the Animal Rule. Combinatorial testing of FDA approved drugs for efficacy and decreased development of resistance. Submission of an IND to the FDA for a small molecule inhibitor for the treatment of Burkholderia pseudomallei. Continue non-clinical research to advance additional therapeutic products with the goal of submission of an IND to the FDA. Work previously funded under TM3/MCMI to evaluate and develop platforms for enablers of the advanced development of medical countermeasures will be continued here.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans:</p> <p>Initiate multiple efforts to advance candidate therapeutics, with a focus on non-traditional candidates, through preclinical evaluation toward IND and phase I clinical studies. Establish optimal dosing regimen of novel orally-delivered therapeutic in models of B. pseudomallei infection. Continue strategy to engage industry in the development of therapeutics for BWA indications through the evaluation of late development and/or FDA approved compounds for efficacy in pivotal GLP NHP models against aerosolized challenge of Yersinia pestis, Bacillus anthracis, or Francisella tularensis in support of submission of a sNDA under the Animal Rule.</p>					
<p>Title: 3) Bacterial/Toxin Vaccines</p> <p>Description: Evaluate the best single agent bacterial and toxin vaccines for effectiveness against aerosol challenge in large animal models.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments:</p> <p>Initiated transition of ricin vaccine. Utilized ongoing clinical work to support generation of monoclonal antibodies against ricin toxin. Demonstrated proof-of-concept efficacy for lead Tularemia Vaccine in nonhuman primate model. Continued development of a monoclonal antibody-based pretreatment against botulinum neurotoxins. Explored technology transfer of manufacturing to a suitable long-term manufacturing partner. Developed and evaluated bridging strategies for interim fielding capability readiness.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans:</p> <p>Conduct feasibility studies to assess efficacy of lead type A Francisella tularensis (Tularemia) vaccine prototypes. Demonstrate feasibility and efficacy of combinations of vaccines designed with different antigens to protect against aerosolized, engineered pathogens in animal models. Assess feasibility of prototype oral Bacillus anthracis (anthrax) vaccines in small animal model. Complete tri-target and penta-target formulations of monoclonal antibody-based pretreatment against botulinum neurotoxin. Continue studies utilizing human monoclonal antibodies against ricin toxin in assay development and post-exposure prophylaxis models.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans:</p>			6.393	15.698	17.724

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Complete initial T cell and B cell antigen discovery for Q Fever vaccine design and testing. Continue evaluation of live attenuated Tularemia vaccine candidates. Evaluate efficacy of mucosal delivery of ricin monoclonal antibody against ricin toxin in relevant animal model. Evaluate efficacy of next generation anthrax vaccine in combination with Protective-antigen (PA)-based vaccine in relevant animal models. Identify mechanism of immunity of next generation anthrax vaccine. Continue evaluation and manufacturing development of Burkholderia OMV vaccine. Complete botulinum toxin mAb manufacturing development and release assay development. Manufacture product for clinical trials. Initiate new manufacturing and formulation studies and continue IND enabling preclinical animal modeling and GLP safety evaluation of bot mAb's.					
Title: 4) Biosurveillance			9.264	4.552	4.326
Description: Integrate existing disparate military and civilian datasets, investigate methodologies to appropriately integrate open source data into advanced warning systems, and leverage and enhance advanced epidemiological models and algorithms for disease prediction, forecasting, impact and biological threat assessment. Contribute to the development of global, near real-time, disease monitoring and surveillance systems that address secondary infection, fuse medical syndromic, environmental, and clinical data, and feed into disease modeling, medical resource estimation and decision support tools.					
FY 2016 Accomplishments: Completed the development and testing of a fieldable "smart trap" for long-term autonomous surveillance of arboviruses. Continued the development of the BSV Ecosystem to include analyst collaboration tools, advanced analytics, and analyst workbench. Continued the development of various biosurveillance analytic capabilities including a surveillance window app (SWAP), a suite of five epidemiological tools for integration into the BSV Ecosystem, and a BSV Ecosystem evaluation support capability. Completed OCONUS clinical testing of first set of devices initially established during the 24 Month Challenge and identified the second set of devices, including new platforms and assay, that will be deployed to the OCONUS sites for clinical testing.					
FY 2017 Plans: Complete the development of the BSV Ecosystem platform to include analyst collaboration tools, advanced analytics, and analyst workbench. Complete the development of various biosurveillance analytic capabilities including a SWAP, and a suite of epidemiological forecasting and prediction tools. Continue the field forward diagnostic evaluation capability to assess technical feasibility and limitations of deploying point of need diagnostics in austere environments.					
FY 2018 Plans: Devices will continue to be tested at the OCONUS sites and data will be submitted to the BSVE and DTRA for analysis.					
Title: 5) Chemical Diagnostics			0.342	-	-

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)			FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
<p>Description: Focuses on state-of-the-art laboratory/fieldable methods that detect exposure to chemical warfare agents (CWA) (e.g., nerve agents and vesicants) in clinical samples. It also targets the identification of biomolecular targets that can be leveraged as analytical methodologies, as well as laboratory and animal studies characterizing time-course and longevity of a particular analyte/biomarker.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued the current set of analytical methods to more sensitive analytical platforms for the detection of CWAs in clinical samples. All efforts transition to TM3 (Techbase Med Defense)/Assays and Reagents in FY17.</p>					
<p>Title: 6) Diagnostic Device Platforms</p> <p>Description: Diagnostic device development to include systems able to harness next generation technologies to revolutionize clinical diagnostics in care facilities and in hospital laboratories. This investment will incorporate capabilities such as next generation sequencing and advanced biomolecular methods to harness both host and pathogen biomarkers in a threat agnostic approach that will serve all echelons of military medical care. Technology transitions to the Next Generation Diagnostic System.</p> <p>FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued to develop candidate devices for potential transition to support the development of point of care diagnostic capabilities. Continued development of hardware solutions and assay formats to enable point of need diagnostic capabilities. Continued to verify clinical utility of host and pathogen biomarkers and integrate onto diagnostic platform prototypes that confer(s) the ability to identify and type novel infectious agents as a function of their relationship to previously characterized pathologies. Continued sequence based comprehensive identification and characterization platform development for field forward capability.</p> <p>FY 2017 Plans: Continue developing point-of-need diagnostic platforms with host biomarker diagnostic assays and testing performance. Continue evaluating metrics of host-based diagnostics with pathogen detection approaches in analytical and/or clinical environments. Complete the development of candidate devices for potential transition to support the development of point of care diagnostic capabilities, and initiate the verification and test validation for these candidate devices. Continue development of hardware solutions and assay formats to enable point of need diagnostic capabilities. Continue genomic-based and initiate proteomic-based comprehensive identification and characterization platform development for field forward capabilities. Continue optimization and enhancement of updated bioinformatics platform to support genomic and clinical informatics.</p> <p>FY 2018 Plans: Continue developing point-of-need diagnostic platforms with host biomarker diagnostic assays and testing performance. Continue evaluating metrics of host-based diagnostics with pathogen detection approaches in analytical and/or clinical environments.</p>			19.149	16.354	8.482

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)		FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Continue genomic-based and proteomic-based comprehensive identification and characterization platform development for field forward capabilities. Continue high sensitivity immunoassay and protein detection platforms for clinical samples.				
Title: 7) Medical Countermeasures Initiative Description: The MCMI will integrate the regulatory science and manufacturing technologies and processes developed into the Advanced Development and Manufacturing (MCM-ADM) as enablers of the advanced development and flexible manufacturing capability. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued development of human in vitro immune mimetic assays for FDA acceptance to enable rapid and accurate prediction of the human response to experimental vaccines and other MCMs. Continued to develop and make practical improvements to existing agile, flexible, manufacturing bioprocesses for the purpose of accelerating access to biodefense MCMs. Continued to develop agile, flexible manufacturing processes that are amenable to the DoD Advanced Development and Manufacturing capability (ADMc). All efforts transitioned to TM3 (Techbase Med Defense)/Bacterial Therapeutics in FY17.		9.467	-	-
Title: 8) Neurologic Therapeutics Description: Focuses on therapeutic strategies to effectively minimize neurologic injuries resulting from exposure to chemical warfare agents (CWA). This effort involves the development of neuroprotectants, anticonvulsants, and improved therapies for brain enzyme reactivation. Supports eventual Food and Drug Administration (FDA) licensure of new compounds or to identify licensed products for use in the treatment of chemical warfare casualties. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Established high-throughput, in vitro assays to test known therapeutics for reactivation capability of cholinesterase inhibited by selected NTAs. Initiated development of real-time microdialysis system to monitor behavior of animal treated with reactivators. Initiated proof of concept, in vivo experiments to monitor neuroprotective properties of therapeutics. Maintained ADMET CoE to ensure capability for supporting regulatory science to facilitate FDA licensure. FY 2017 Plans: Maintain the ADMET CoE partnership and capability to ensure capability for development of and supporting regulatory science to facilitate FDA licensure of chemical therapeutics. FY 2018 Plans:		1.064	0.405	0.397

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)		FY 2016	FY 2017
Continue optimizing real-time microdialysis system. Continue using proof-of-concept in vivo experiments to measure neuroprotective effects of known and novel compounds. Continue maintaining the ADMET CoE to ensure capability for development and supporting regulatory science to facilitate FDA licensure of chemical therapeutics.			
Title: 9) Toxin Therapeutics Description: Identify, optimize and evaluate potential therapeutic candidates effective against biological toxin threat agents. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Completed characterization and evaluation of humanized pentavalent antibody cocktail to prevent and/or treat BoNT intoxication, advancing to preclinical studies. Completed testing of novel small molecule inhibitors in NHP model of BoNT A intoxication for efficacy. Finalized preclinical studies to advance antibody based therapeutic for staphylococcal enterotoxin B intoxication into phase I clinical trials.		1.961	-
Title: 10) Vaccine Platforms and Research Tools Description: Use novel technology and methods to support development of vaccine candidates. Conduct studies to determine potential immune interference between lead vaccine candidates, the effect of alternative vaccine delivery methods, and thermo-stabilization technologies on the efficacy of lead vaccine candidates. Identify correlates of protection in humans, and predict the success of lead vaccine candidates in humans. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Maintained studies that utilize clinical samples from Filovirus outbreaks in multiple international locations to refine definition of clinically relevant correlates of immunity. Evaluated novel adjuvants as platforms for utilization in biodefense vaccines. Developed and evaluated bridging strategies for interim fielding capability readiness. FY 2017 Plans: Down-select target antigens based on immunogenicity for Yersinia pestis (plague), Coxiella (Q-fever) and other relevant indications for production in plant-based vaccine platform. Continue platform vaccine assessment activities: Explore antigen candidates for type A Francisella tularensis (Tularemia) using the RNaActive vaccine platform technology. (Moved from TM3 - MCMI.) Further evaluate and define the DNA-based and nanoparticle vaccine platforms and targeted vaccine delivery systems. (Transitioned from TM2 - Vaccine Platforms and Research Tools.) FY 2018 Plans: Continue identification of bio-physiologic markers of alphavirus infection in NHPs. Continue development of OMV and nanoparticle vaccine platforms targeting Burkholderia and Francisella. Initiate development of native conformation membrane protein		6.614	2.610
			2.948

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)		FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
expression and presentation system. Select Venezuelan equine encephalitis virus (VEEV) and Eastern equine encephalitis virus (EEEV) formulations for advancement to next round of clinical studies.				
Title: 11) Viral Therapeutics Description: Identify, optimize and evaluate potential therapeutic candidates effective against designated viral threat agents. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Evaluated immunotherapies for alphaviruses in small animal and NHP models. Continued a repurposing screening program to determine the efficacy of FDA approved compounds against emerging infectious diseases. Continued pre-clinical research required to submit IND applications to the FDA for additional products or additional product indications to refresh the viral therapeutics product pipeline. FY 2017 Plans: Continue to develop and evaluate broad spectrum therapies against various strains of alphaviruses. Evaluate human plasma from people exposed to the Sudan strain of Ebola to optimize a monoclonal or polyclonal cocktail for use as a prophylactic. Support diagnostic evaluation of clinical samples from West Africa to assess the efficacy of immune plasma from Ebola survivors as a potential treatment. FY 2018 Plans: Initiate small molecule and monoclonal antibody selection and evaluation in large NHP models for pan-ebola/ pan-filovirus and alphaviral therapeutic applications. Test efficacy of hemofiltration for treatment of cytokine-induced shock from filoviral infection. Continue monoclonal antibody development for broad spectrum capabilities.		6.870	6.198	7.495
Title: 12) Viral Vaccines Description: Evaluates the best vaccine candidates for Alphaviruses and Filoviruses for effectiveness and duration of protective immune response against aerosol challenge in large animal models. Animal models will be developed to support FDA licensure of mature vaccine candidates. FY 2016 Accomplishments: Continued to support Alphavirus and Filovirus vaccine candidates by determining correlates of protective immunity. Continued natural history studies for Alphaviruses (W/E/VEEV) to fulfill future FDA 'Animal Rule' requirements necessary for vaccine licensure. Demonstrated proof-of-concept safety and immunogenicity with a monovalent Filovirus vaccine candidate. Developed and evaluated bridging strategies for interim fielding capability readiness. FY 2017 Plans:		7.933	5.500	6.210

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)										FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Continue studies toward the development of Alphavirus and Filovirus vaccine candidates. Develop multivalent Filovirus vaccine for Zaire and Sudan Ebolavirus and Marburg Marburgvirus, building on the Ebola Zaire vaccine (rVSV, ZEBOV) platform and experience. Continue FDA requested biodistribution and non-human primate efficacy studies for FDA Animal Rule licensure of the Ebola rVSV ZEBOV vaccine. Explore calibrated non-human primate animal models and challenges for Alphaviruses (W/E/VEEV). Continue non-clinical and clinical development of a Venezuelan equine encephalitis virus (VEEV) DNA vaccine. Explore accelerated pathways for VEEV DNA vaccine development [moved from TM2/Viral/Bacterial/Toxins Vaccines]. FY 2018 Plans: Continue manufacturing and formulation development for Alphavirus (WEVEE) vaccines. Continue assay development for Western, Eastern, and Venezuelan Equine Encephalitis Virus vaccines. Finalize manufacturing and assay development for vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV) trivalent Filovirus vaccine. Continue nonclinical and clinical safety development of trivalent filovirus vaccine covering Zaire Ebolavirus, Sudan Ebolavirus and Marburg Marburgvirus. Finalize animal model validation for filovirus vaccine licensure.												
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals										89.090	83.838	92.846
C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)												
Line Item	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	
• MB4: MEDICAL BIOLOGICAL DEFENSE (ACD&P)	68.160	65.648	83.999	-	83.999	73.090	35.432	26.460	13.317	Continuing	Continuing	
• MC4: MEDICAL CHEMICAL DEFENSE (ACD&P)	1.060	5.681	5.165	-	5.165	2.790	4.675	3.975	7.098	Continuing	Continuing	
• MB5: MEDICAL BIOLOGICAL DEFENSE (EMD)	80.412	106.223	136.553	-	136.553	107.315	141.385	170.160	146.138	Continuing	Continuing	
• MC5: MEDICAL CHEMICAL DEFENSE (EMD)	64.773	39.504	47.388	-	47.388	62.092	38.576	40.607	31.746	Continuing	Continuing	
• MB7: MEDICAL BIOLOGICAL DEFENSE (OP SYS DEV)	8.541	7.145	11.950	-	11.950	9.850	3.728	6.060	6.532	Continuing	Continuing	
Remarks												
D. Acquisition Strategy												
N/A												

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E. Performance Metrics N/A		

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Appropriation/Budget Activity 0400 / 3					R-1 Program Element (Number/Name) PE 0603384BP / CHEMICAL/BIOLOGICAL DEFENSE (ATD)				Project (Number/Name) TT3 / TECHBASE TECHNOLOGY TRANSITION			
COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Base	FY 2018 OCO	FY 2018 Total	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
TT3: TECHBASE TECHNOLOGY TRANSITION	-	7.206	7.821	10.765	-	10.765	10.191	11.003	11.033	11.031	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

Project TT3 validates high-risk/high-payoff technologies, concepts-of-operations, and a Joint Combat Developer concept development and experimentation process that could significantly improve Warfighter capabilities in preparation for transition of mature technologies to advanced development programs requiring chemical and biological (CB) defense technologies. These programs offer an opportunity to identify and efficiently mature emerging technologies including limited objective experiments, laboratory experiments, risk reduction efforts, engineering and integration. These demonstrations and programs seek to demonstrate the potential for enhanced military operational capability and/or cost effectiveness. Upon conclusion of the technical and operational demonstrations, the user or sponsor provides a determination of the military utility and operational impact of the technology and capability demonstrated. Successfully demonstrated technologies with proven military utility can remain in place for future extended user evaluations, accepted into the advanced stages of the formal acquisition process, proceed directly into limited or full-scale production or be returned to the technical base for further development. This project addresses four family of products areas: Biological Resiliency, to include Biosurveillance; Integrated Early Warning, to include Remote Detection; Chemical and Biological Warfare Agent Destruction and Disablement; and Hazard Mitigation. Biological resiliency efforts are targeted to reduce biological threats. Integrated Early Warning is conducted through a coordinated program approach focused on layering Chemical and Biological Detection technologies and integrating CB threat indicators with rapid response actions. WMD Disablement and Destruction addresses detection, identification, verification and baseline assessments in support of expeditionary forces deployed in non-permissive environments. Hazard Mitigation addresses Chemical, Biological, and Radiological (CBR) remediation and decontamination processes.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Title: 1) Experiment & Technology Demonstrations	7.206	7.821	10.765
Description: Project TT3 validates high-risk/high-payoff technologies and concepts-of-operations through the use of the Advanced Technology Demonstration (ATD), Rapid Military Utility Assessment (RMUA) processes and Warfighter Integration Demonstration, Joint Exercise and Transition initiative. The RMUA is a formal development and experimentation process with the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence (MSCOE) and the Joint Combat Developer that enables both material and non-material solutions. The Warfighter Integration initiative supports Combating WMD missions through the identification and integration of innovative technologies to demonstrate new capabilities via an agile, short-timeline (6-12 month) to enable transition of mature technologies to Advanced Component Development and Prototype programs. This project addresses enterprise priority areas of Early Warning and Integrated & Layered Defense.			
FY 2016 Accomplishments: Evaluated prototypes and existing technologies for disablement activities in support of key operational planning scenarios. For the DoD/DHS collaborative biosurveillance ATD, completed technology and CONOPS/TTP development and system integration of information systems for the whole of Government and demonstrated system operation. Continued to conduct rapid military utility			

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<p>assessments and field experiments process to assess early technology capability contributions, in collaboration with the CBDP Joint Combat Developer and with outcomes to support warfighter requirements and capability development. Initiated risk reduction activities for a comprehensive early warning ATD in FY17. Began development of an architecture for the integration of sensor and mobile platforms along with methods of information sharing to enable early warning in forward deployed locations.</p> <p><i>FY 2017 Plans:</i> Continue to develop and demonstrate prototypes and technologies for the WMD expeditionary disablement ATD which will address WMD rapid disablement and destruction program area in support of key operational planning scenarios. Initiate S&T integration activities for CB sensor technologies onto mobile platforms as part of the comprehensive early warning ATD. Conduct risk reduction activities for the development and integration of wearable sensors as part of the comprehensive early warning ATD. Continue to conduct rapid military utility assessments and field experiments to assess early technology capability contributions, in collaboration with the CBDP Joint Combat Developer. Continue risk reduction activities through baseline assessments in preparation for a mass casualty decontamination and medical support ATD.</p> <p><i>FY 2018 Plans:</i> Initiate situational understanding at the tactical level for the comprehensive early warning ATD. Continue S&T integration activities for CB sensor technologies onto mobile platforms as part of the second phase of the comprehensive early warning ATD. Begin integration of wearable sensors as Phase 3 of the comprehensive early warning ATD. Continue transition activities with JPEO early warning ECD. Continue to conduct rapid military utility assessments and field experiments to assess early technology capability contributions, in collaboration with the CBDP Joint Combat Developer. Initiate Warfighter Integration activities through baseline demonstrations and assessments in support of Integrated & Layered Defense.</p>			
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals		7.206	7.821
C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)			
N/A			
Remarks			
D. Acquisition Strategy			
N/A			
E. Performance Metrics			
N/A			