



Instrumenting the Future (an attempt to explain myself)

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Experimental tools to watch reactions

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PROTON PICTURES OF HIGH-ENERGY NUCLEAR COLLISIONS

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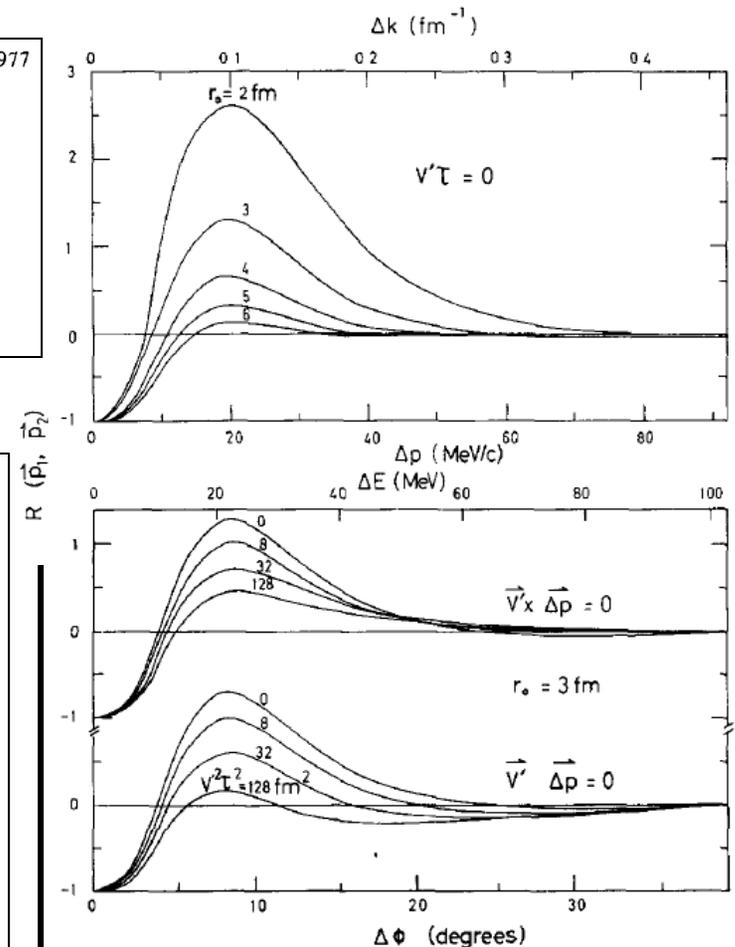
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Knock-Out Nucleons from Relativistic Nuclear Collisions

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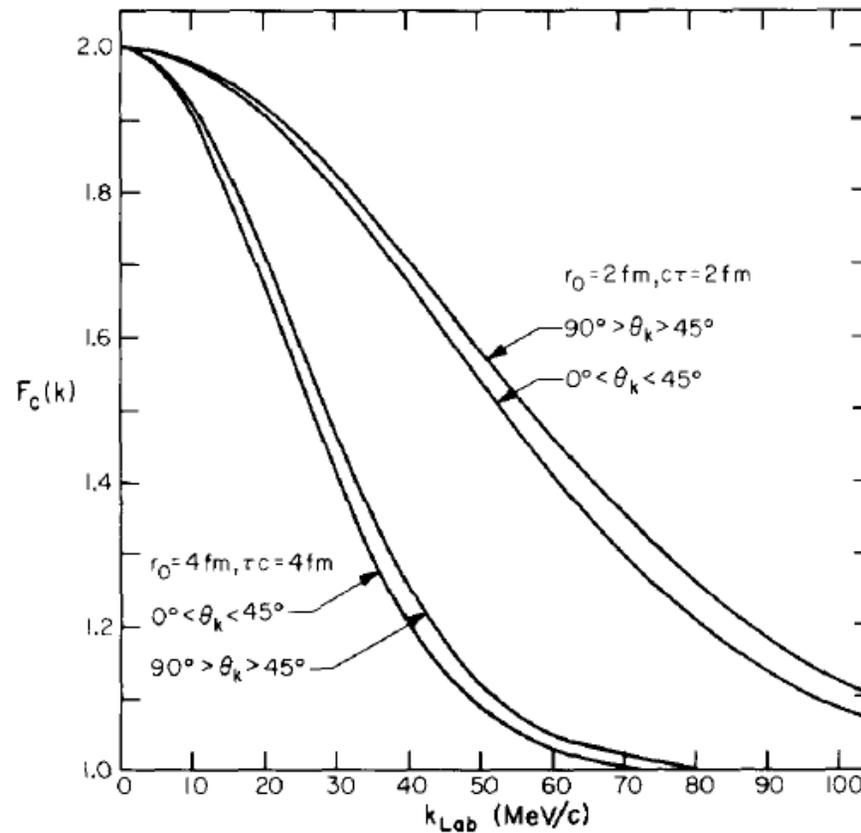
A nonequilibrium single-scattering mechanism is proposed to describe the inclusive proton spectrum from relativistic heavy-ion collisions. Data from $^{20}\text{Ne} + \text{U}$ and $^4\text{He} + \text{U}$ collisions are shown to be consistent with a simple model of the knock-out process. Two-proton azimuthal angle correlations are suggested as a **unique signature of this reaction mechanism.**



DETERMINING PION SOURCE PARAMETERS IN RELATIVISTIC HEAVY-ION COLLISIONS ☆F.B. YANO ¹ and S.E. KOONIN ²*W.K. Kellogg Radiation Laboratory, California Institute of Technology,
Pasadena, CA 91125, USA*

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Two-pion inclusive spectra from relativistic heavy-ion collisions are related to single-particle inclusive measurements in a Lorentz-invariant formulation of the Hanbury–Brown–Twiss effect. A thermal pion source with a gaussian space–time distribution is assumed. The angular anisotropy and moments of the correlation function are computed to facilitate the determination of pion source parameters from the ratios of the two-pion to single-pion inclusive data.



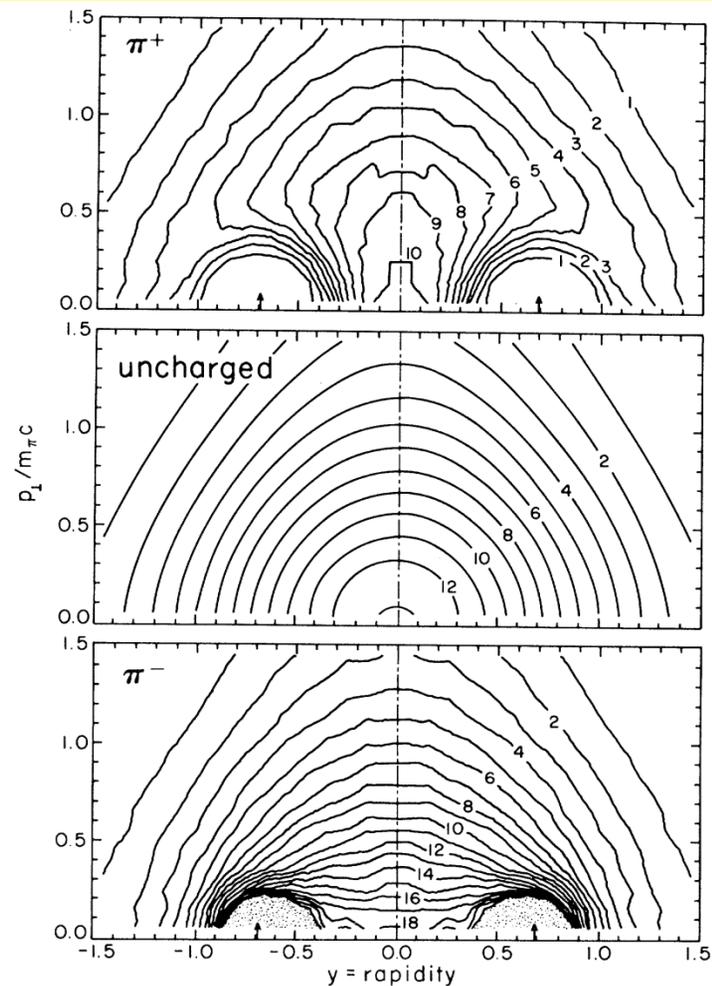
Coulomb Distortion of Pion Spectra from Heavy-Ion Collisions

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The effects of final-state π -nucleus electromagnetic interactions in heavy-ion collisions are investigated in a covariant classical formulation. Experimentally observed mid-rapidity peaks in π^+ spectra are reproduced by a simple model and are shown to be sensitive to the gross features of the time-dependent nuclear charge distribution.



Watching nuclear collisions thru TDHF

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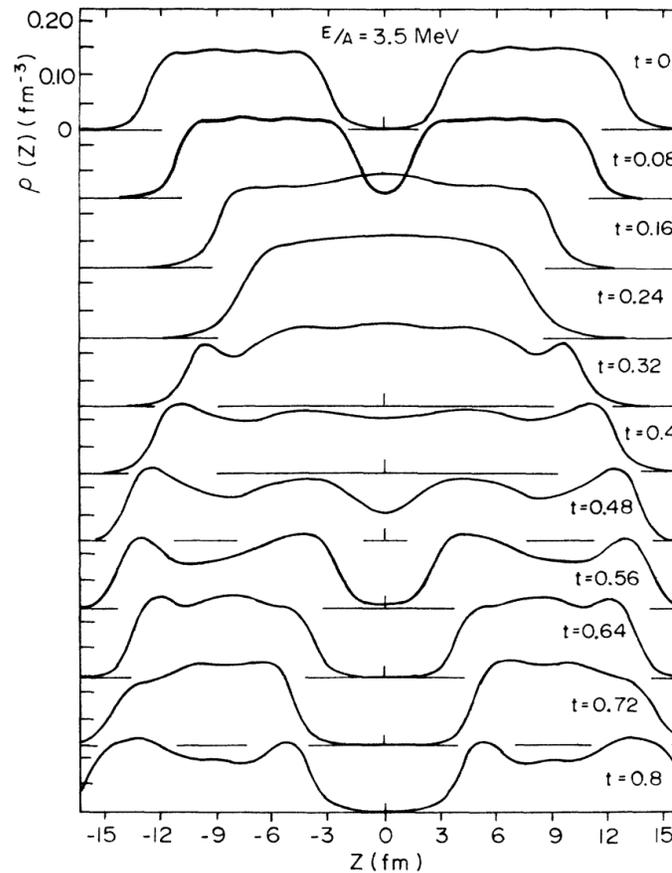
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One-dimensional nuclear dynamics in the time-dependent Hartree-Fock approximation*

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Time-dependent Hartree-Fock calculations for $^{16}\text{O} + ^{16}\text{O}$ and $^{40}\text{Ca} + ^{40}\text{Ca}$ reactions*

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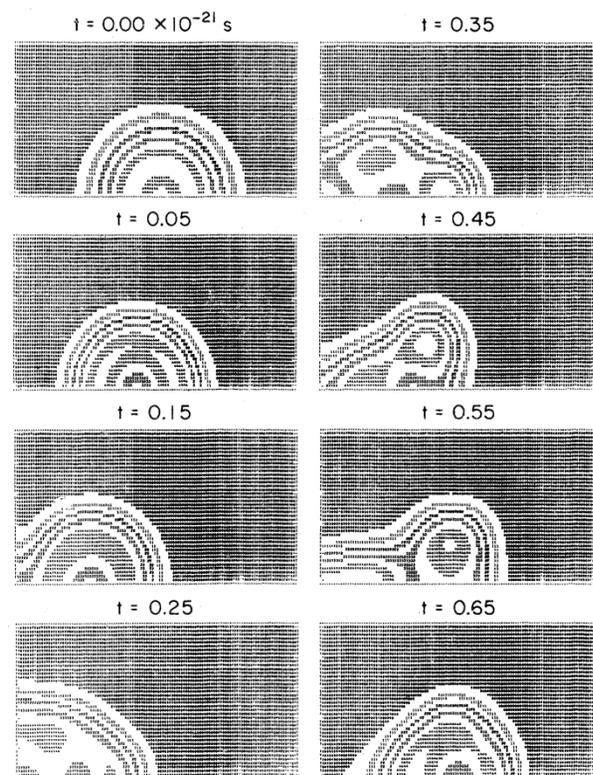
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Three-dimensional time-dependent Hartree-Fock calculations of $^{16}\text{O} + ^{16}\text{O}$ and $^{40}\text{Ca} + ^{40}\text{Ca}$ fusion cross sections*

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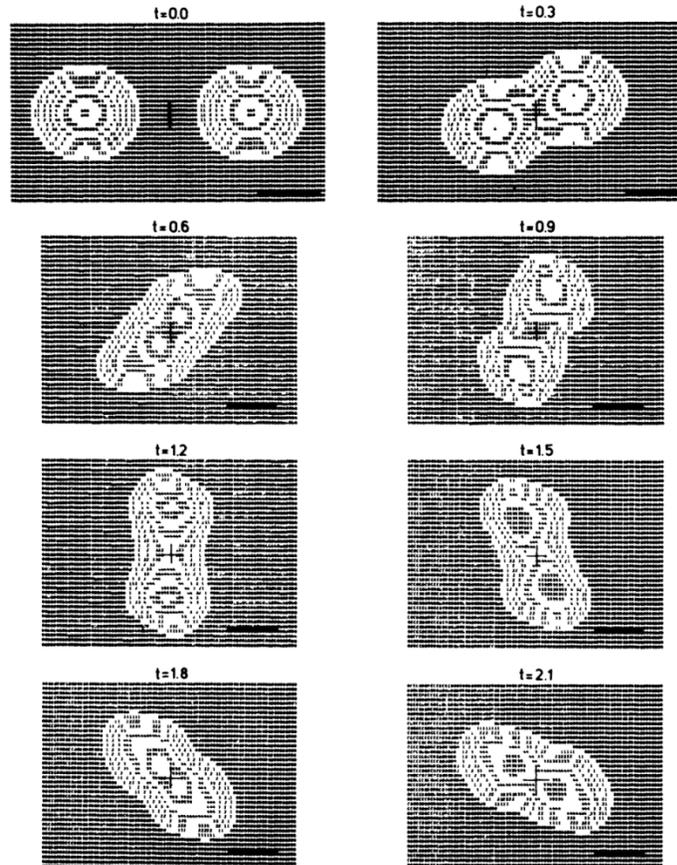
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$^{40}\text{Ca} + ^{40}\text{Ca}$ $E_{\text{Lab}} = 278 \text{ MeV}$ $\ell = 40$



Shell Model Monte Carlo Studies of γ -Soft Nuclei

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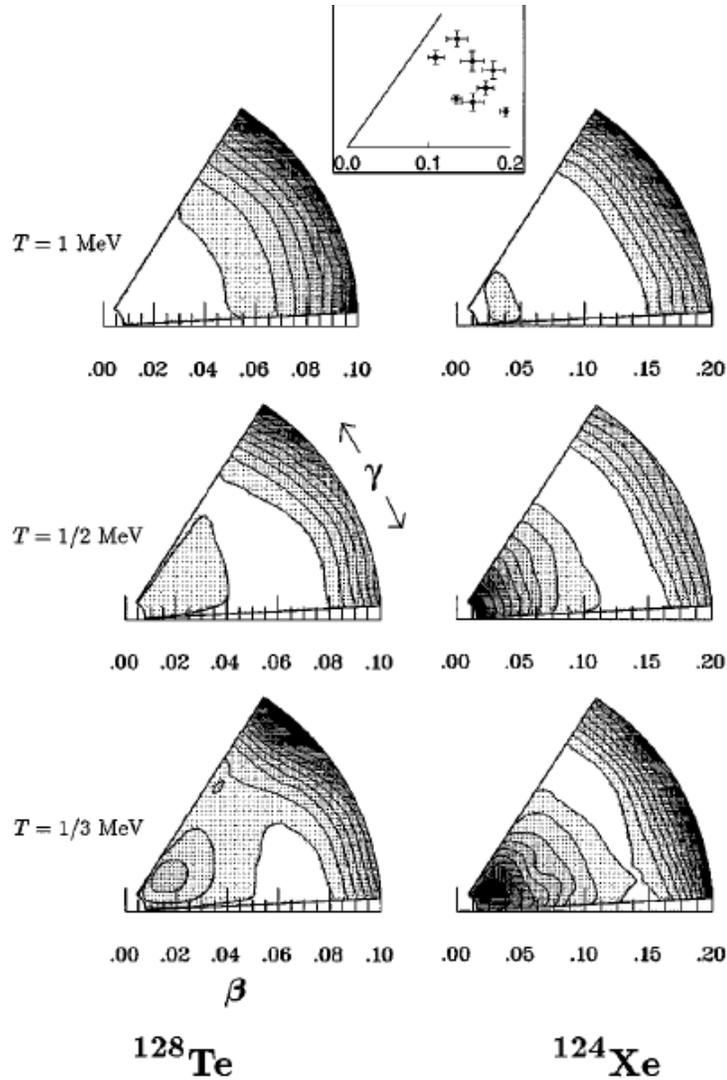
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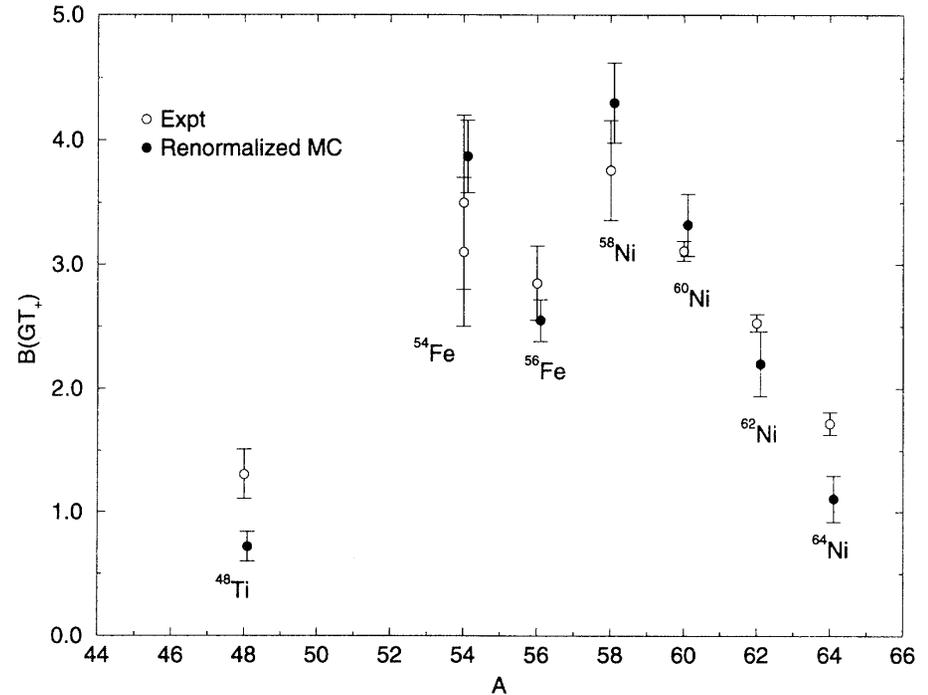
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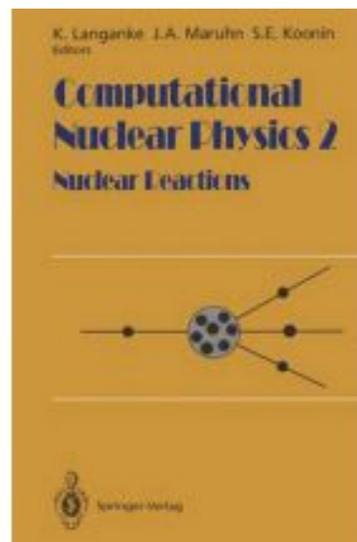
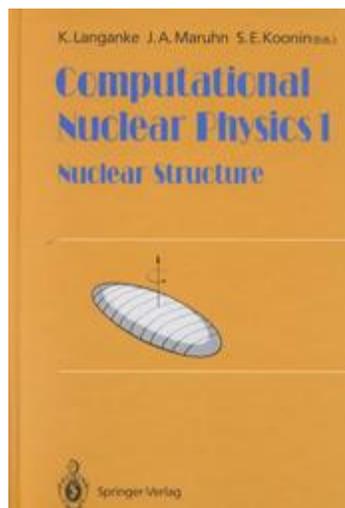
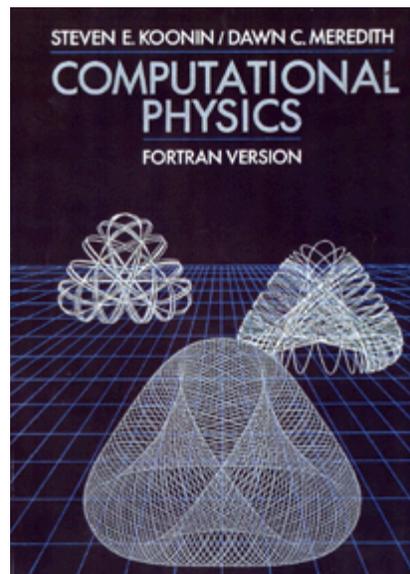
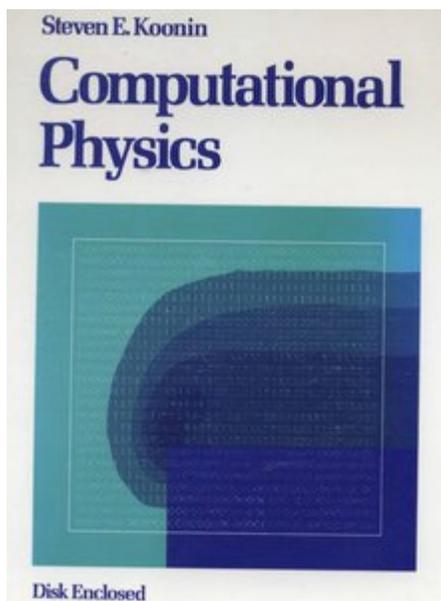
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CHAMMP (Computer Hardware, Advanced Mathematics and Model Physics) is a new DOE program designed to move climate models from the current generation of supercomputers to massively parallel computers of the future. The general computing goal of CHAMMP is to provide a ten thousandfold increase in computing speed. Within the current climate modeling community, the primary motivation for increased speed is the desire to achieve much higher geographical resolution in the models, which would allow the "regional" predictions desired by policy makers. As planning for CHAMMP has evolved, issues other than those of spatial resolution have received increased attention. These issues include predictability, improvement of model performance by use of modern software engineering, the relationship of CHAMMP to other proposed modeling efforts, etc. This report provides an overview of these issues.

Small Satellites and RPAs in Global-Change Research

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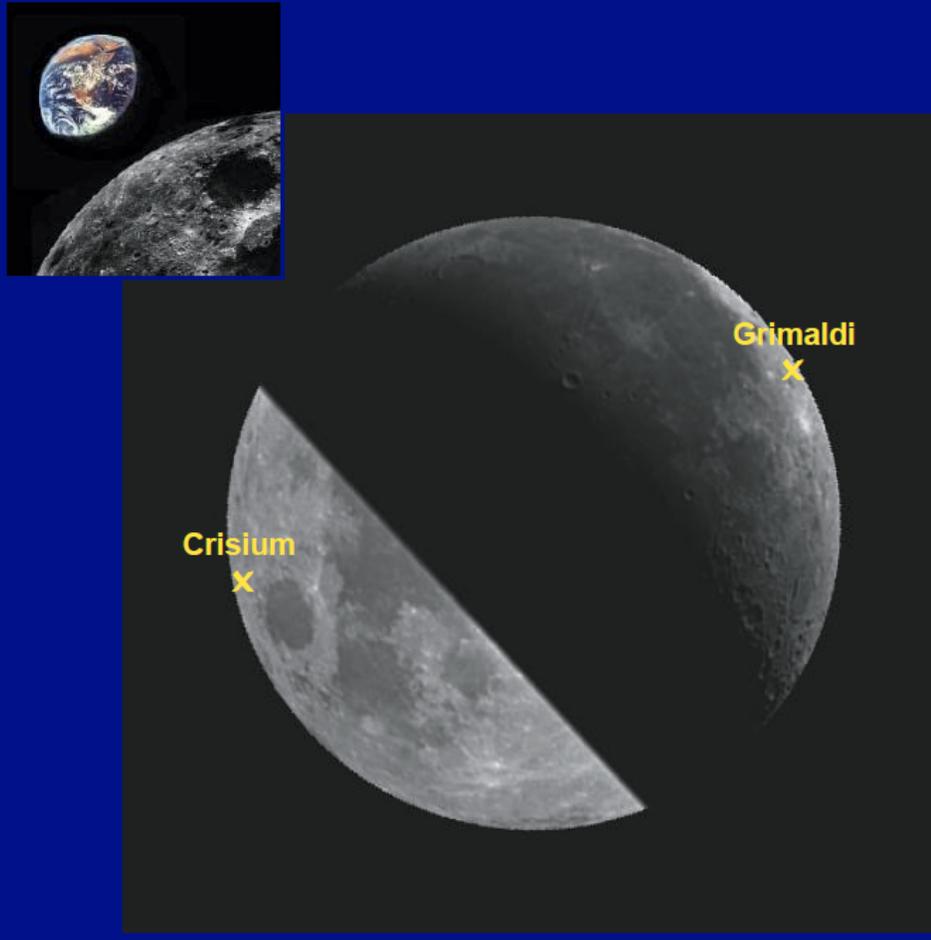
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Earthshine Observations of the Earth's Reflectance

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1.3 Study charge

•Technology:

- Survey the state-of-the-art in sequencing.
- What are the alternatives beyond gel electrophoresis?
- What strategies should be used for inserting new technologies into production sequencing?
- What are the broader uses of sequencing technologies?
- What are the technology needs beyond those of the Human Genome Project?

•Quality Assurance and Quality Control:

- What are the end-to-end QA/QC issues and needs of the Human Genome Project?
- What levels of sequence quality are required by various users of genome data?
- What steps can be taken to ensure these various levels of quality?

•Informatics:

- Survey the current database issues, including data integrity, submission, annotation, and usability?
- What is the current state of algorithm development for finishing and annotating sequence?

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Policy Forum: BIOMEDICINE

An Independent Perspective on the Human Genome Project

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Study origin and scope

- DARPA Director asked for studies by JASON, DSRC, and ISAT on defense of *civilians* against bioweapons/bioterrorism
- CIA's Non-Proliferation Center and Clandestine MASINT Operations Center are interested in BW intelligence collection and signatures
- Scope from intelligence through preparations through event to response and attribution
- Focus on technical and organizational issues
- Four notional scenarios to focus thinking



BP Confidential



**Identifying the Long Term Technology
Priorities for BP**



**Long Term Technology Strategy
Group Technology
June 2005**

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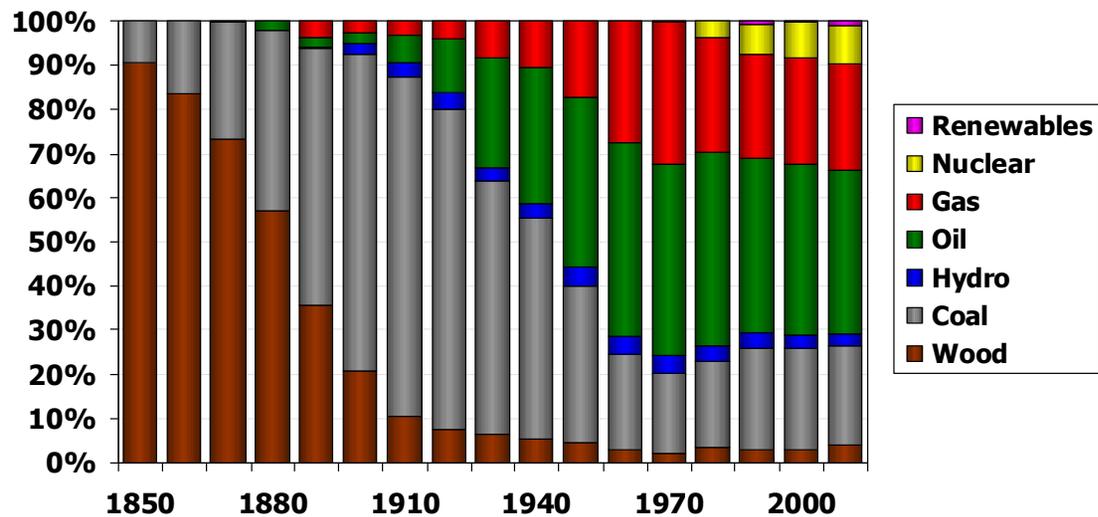


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REPORT ON THE FIRST
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TECHNOLOGY REVIEW**



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Accelerating the Pace of Energy Change

*The government's key role in catalyzing
 a transformation of the energy system is to
 mitigate risk for the private sector.*



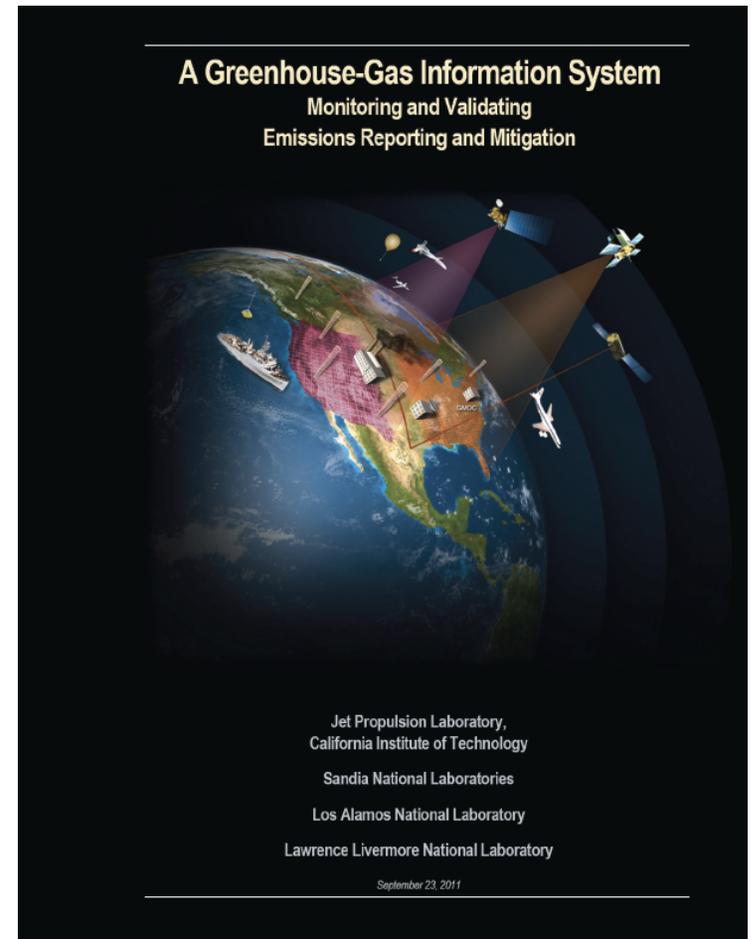
New technology is only part of a solution

- *“Moonshot”, “Manhattan Project”, “Inventing the Clean Energy Future”, ...*
- Structural features retard/mitigate the impact of technology change
- Societal levers are as (or more) important
 - Regulation, Economics, Behavior, Perceptions
 - Operation of existing technology, introduction of new technology
 - These are different from, but not independent of the technology
- US has had mixed success in combining the technical and societal dimension to accelerate change
- Social science has been with us for several centuries

So what's new???

Big data can be brought to bear on societal issues

- Greenhouse Gas Treaty Verification methodology
 - Fuse surveys, direct measurements, proxies to independently verify GHG emissions



What does it mean to “instrument a city”?

- Cities deliver services to citizens through infrastructure and processes
 - Shelter, safety/security, health, food, water, waste, energy, mobility, ...
- How do these systems operate and interact?
- How can we optimize?
 - Early successes in predictive policing, traffic management
- We need to instrument
 - Infrastructure (condition, operation)
 - Environment (meteorology, pollution, noise, ...)
 - People (location, economic and communication activities, health, ...)

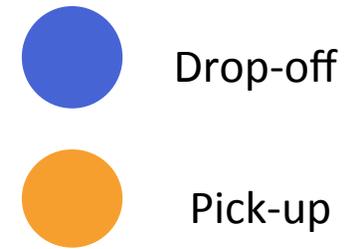
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Diverse interests in “instrumenting a city”

- Government (Local, Federal, Citizens)
- Private sector (retail, insurance, financial, political)
- Security organizations (local, national, international)
 - “Needle in the haystack” vs “Shape of the haystack”
- Social scientists
 - beyond surveys or aggregate data flows
 - “Pulse of the City”

Visualization of TLC GPS data

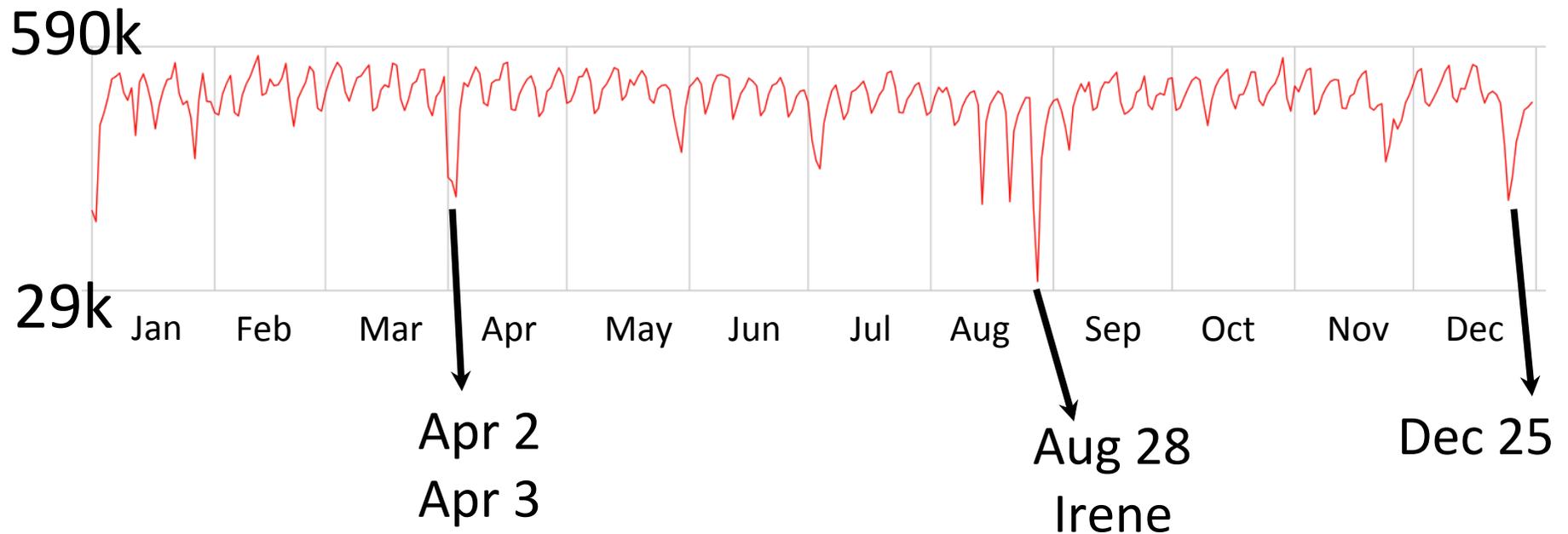


Most drop-off's occur on the avenues, most pick-up's on the streets

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(Data obtained from TLC on June 6th, 2012)

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NY Taxi Rides by Day in 2011



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Studying Taxi Patterns

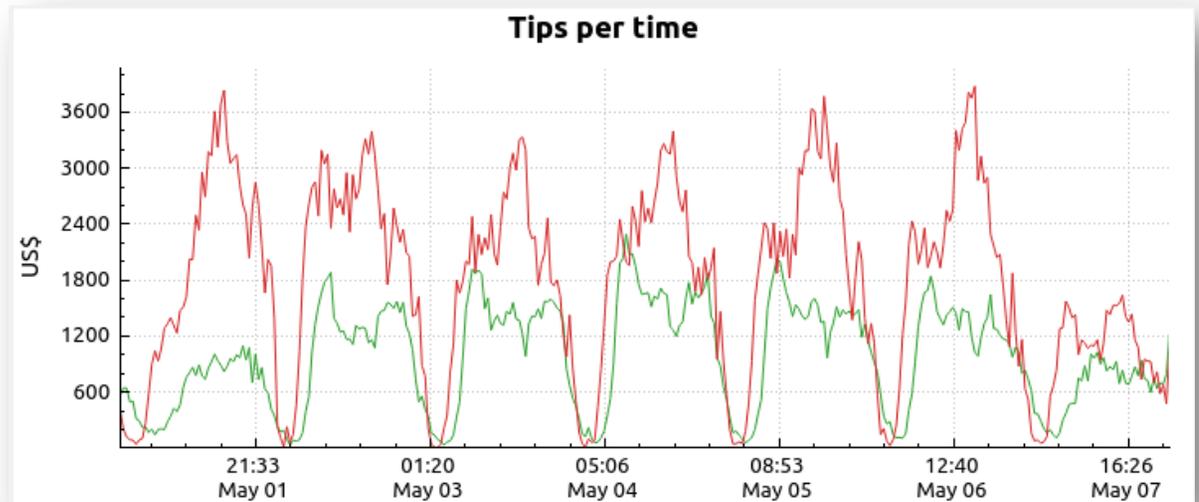
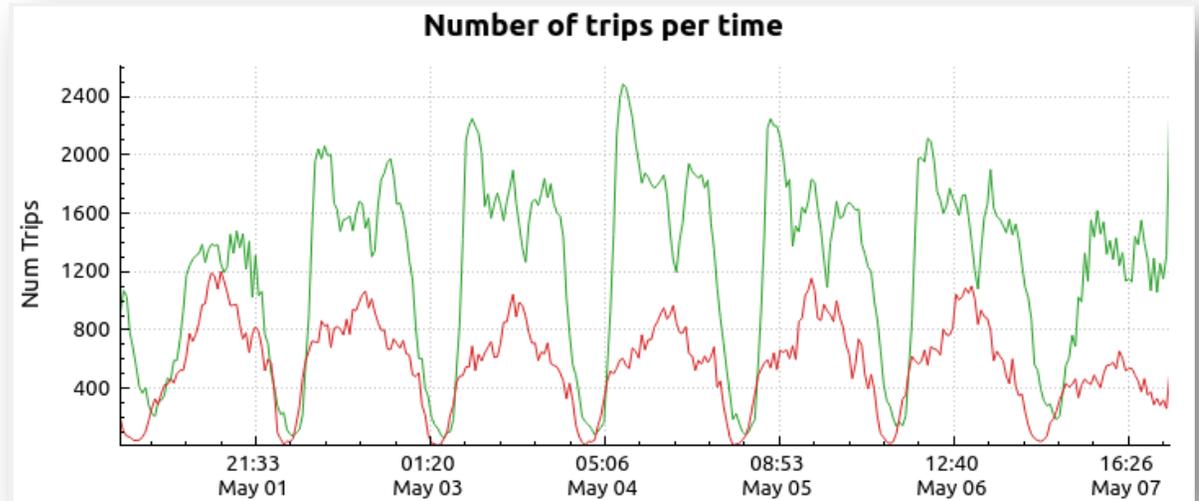


 Train Stations

 Airports

May 1st – May
7th 2011

3.6 Million Trips



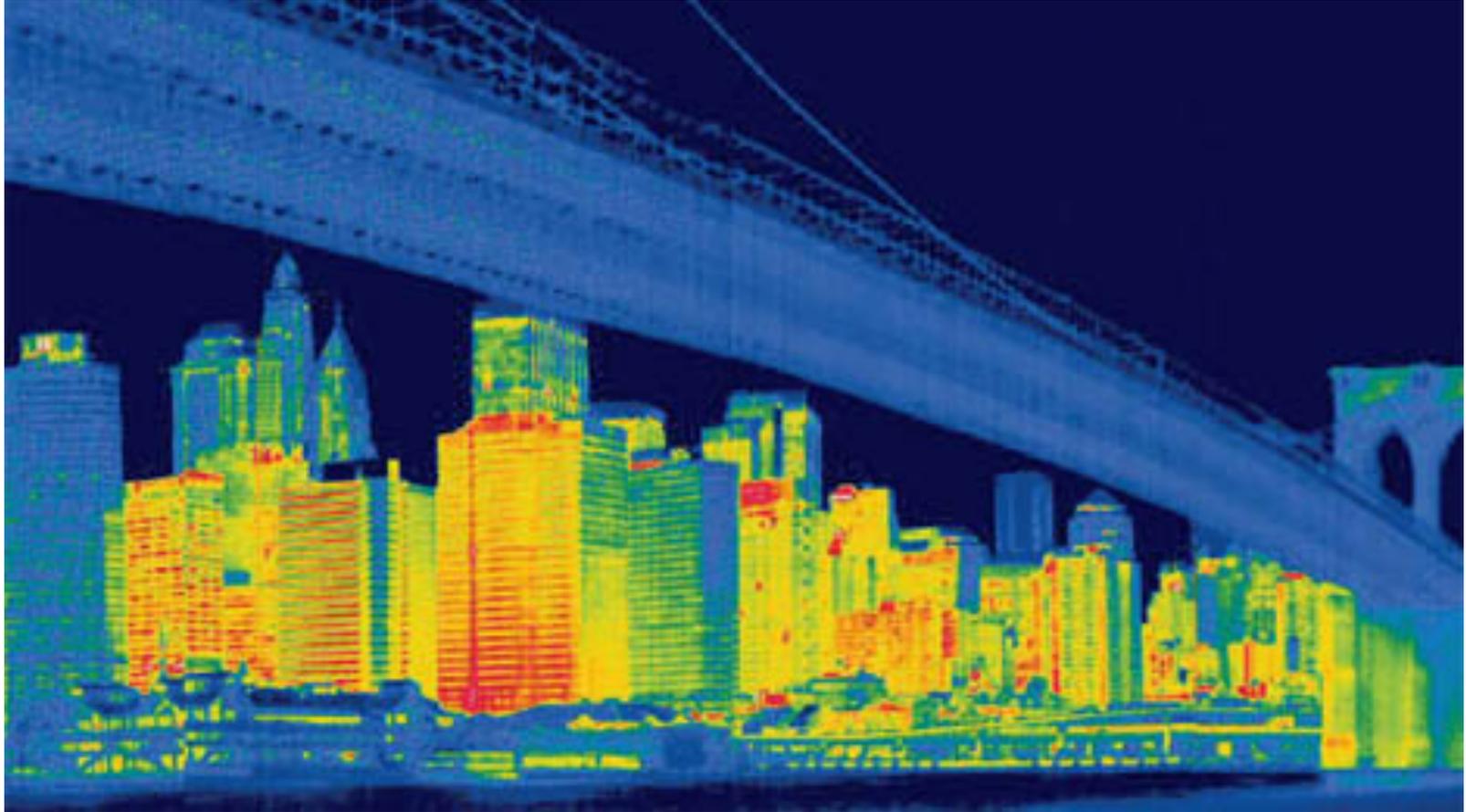
Urban data sources

- **Organic data flows**
 - Administrative records (census, permits, ...)
 - Transactions (sales, communications, ...)
 - Operational (traffic, transit, utilities, health system, ...)
- **Sensors**
 - Personal (location, activity, physiological)
 - Fixed *in situ* sensors
 - Crowd sourcing (mobile phones, ...)
 - Choke points (people, vehicles)
 - Remote
- **Opportunities for “novel” sensor technologies**
 - Infrared and spectral imagery
 - LIDAR
 - RF and magnetic
 - Seismic, acoustic
 - Ionizing radiation, biological, chemical
 - ...

Looking South from the Empire State Building



Manhattan in the IR





What can cities do with the data?

- Optimize operations
 - traffic flow, utility loads, services delivery, ...
- Monitor infrastructure conditions
 - bridges, potholes, leaks, ...
- Infrastructure planning
 - zoning, public transit, utilities
- Improve regulatory compliance
- Public health
 - Nutrition, epidemiology, environmental impacts
- Abnormal conditions
 - Hazard detection, emergency management
- Monitor/predict effects of natural and deliberate policy experiments
- Better inform the citizenry

The CUSP Partnership

- **The University Partners:**
 - NYU, NYU-Poly, CMU, Univ. of Toronto, Warwick University, CUNY, IIT-Bombay
- **The Industrial Partners:**
 - IBM, Cisco, Siemens, Xerox, Con. Ed., National Grid, ARUP, IDEO, AECOM
- **City and State Agency Partners:**
 - NYC Agencies, MTA, Port Authority

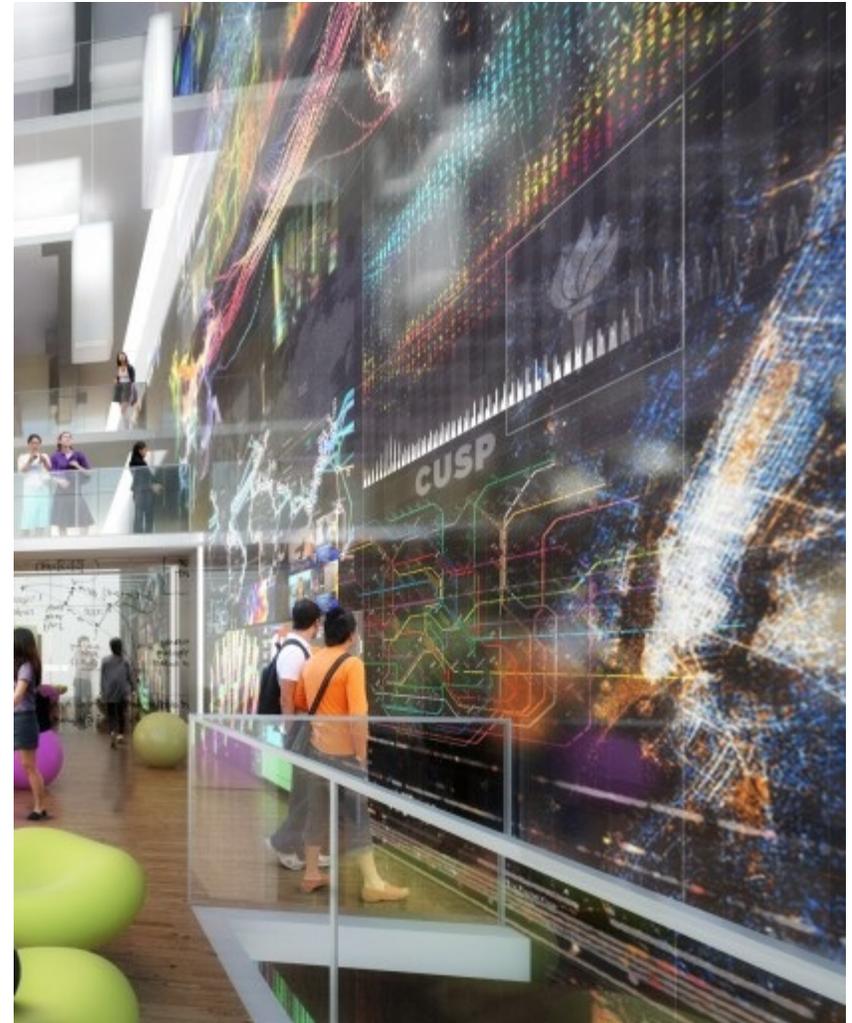
A diverse set of other organizations have expressed interest in joining the partnership





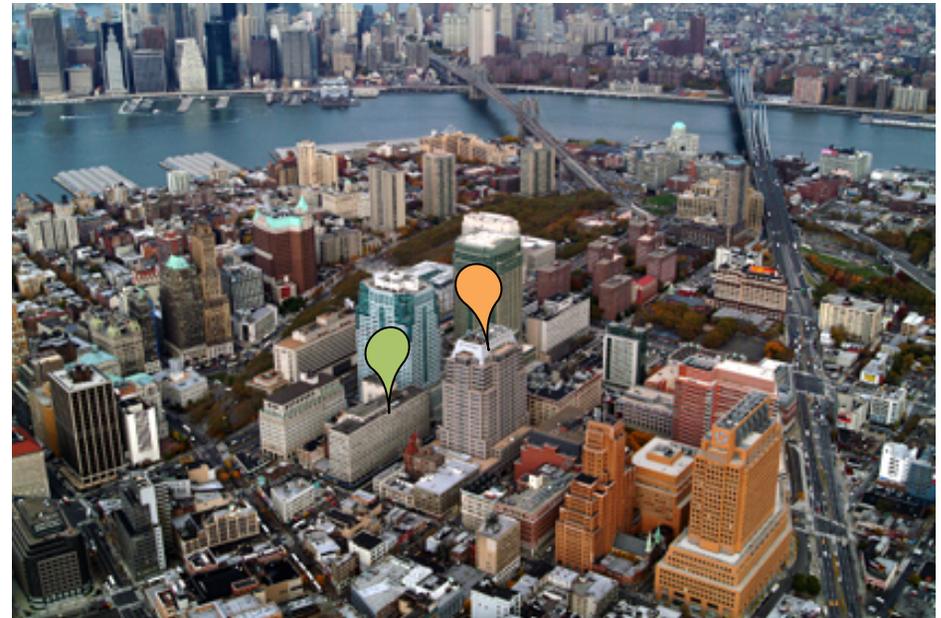
The CUSP Vision includes New York City as its laboratory

The Center for Urban Science and Progress (CUSP) is a unique public-private research center that uses **New York City as its laboratory** and classroom to help cities around the world become more productive, livable, equitable, and resilient. CUSP observes, analyzes, and models cities to optimize outcomes, prototype new solutions, formalize new tools and processes, and develop new expertise/experts. These activities will make CUSP the world's leading authority in the emerging field of "Urban Informatics"



Some defining characteristics of CUSP

- Part of New York urban fabric
- Academic/corporate/government
- Integrated physical and tabular data
- Multidisciplinary / trans-disciplinary
 - “Sensors to sociologists”
- Real-world research and educational experience
- Citizen/User engagements
 - Living Lab, Open Science
- Open Innovation/Commercialization/Entrepreneurship





In 5 years, CUSP will be a major center for research and education in Urban Informatics



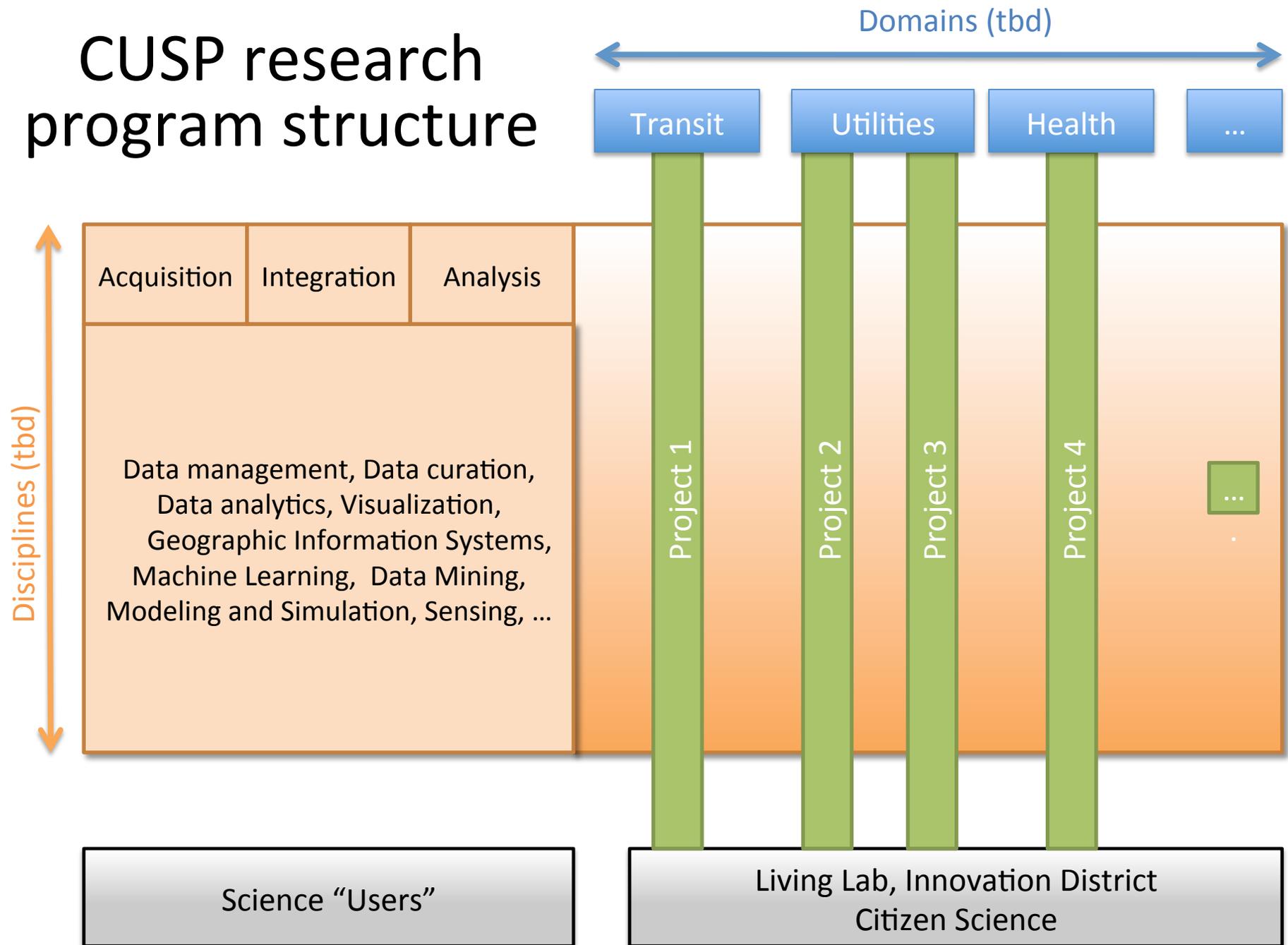
- 50 full-time senior researchers
 - 30 faculty, 20 industrial
- 30 Postdocs
- 430 Masters students and 100 PhD candidates
- Located in Downtown Brooklyn
 - 60,000 sq ft leased;
 - 150,000 sq ft post-2017 in 370 Jay Street (pending assessment)
- Government (esp. Federal), corporate, philanthropic, academic funding to \$70M/yr



CUSP Educational Programs

- **Fall 2013 (FY14) - M.S. in Applied Urban Science and Informatics**
 - 1-year, 3-semester full-time; related certificate program
 - Curriculum of Informatics disciplines + Urban domains + governance / organization /finance /entrepreneurship/...
 - Strong project component
- **Following years**
 - PhD in Urban Systems
 - 2-year, 5-semester full-time M.S. in Urban Systems program
 - Global Executive Masters in Urban Analytics and Innovation program
 - Dual/joint degrees
 - Executive education and corporate training
 - Distance learning options
- Training of future and current people who will know the agencies and know urban informatics
- Employment opportunities through city agencies, corporate suppliers, startups, NGOs

CUSP research program structure



Learnings - Big data

- Big data brings new capabilities
 - Better identification of outliers
 - Finer stratification
 - Better construction of proxies
 - Better validation of models
 - The power of correlation
- Big data brings new challenges
 - Data quality
 - Data in diverse hands
- Data access concerns in several dimensions (CUSP will have a Chief Data Officer)
 - Proprietary
 - Critical infrastructure vulnerabilities
 - Privacy

Figure 17: Histogram of Multifamily EUIs

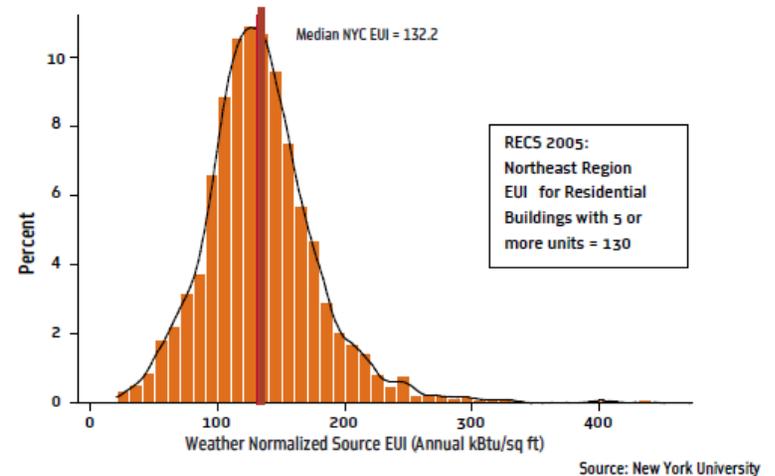
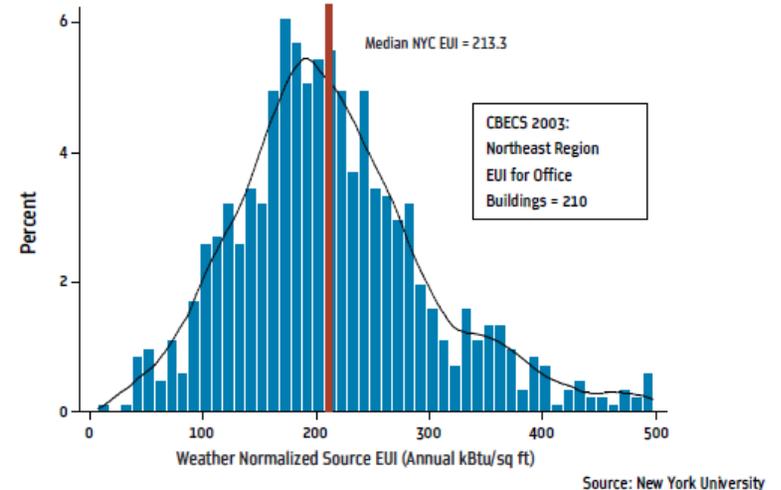


Figure 18: Histogram of Office Building EUIs





Projects under consideration

- Normalization, interoperability of city data sets
- 3D Urban GIS capability
- Multi-data correlations to improve city resource allocation
- Noise / Temperature / Pollution
- Mobility
- Novel sensing of public health
- Building efficiency



Questions/Comments

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