

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

PLEASE REFER TO THE GENERAL FAQs SECTION OF ARPA-E'S WEBSITE ([HTTP://ARPA-E.ENERGY.GOV/?Q=FAQ/GENERAL-QUESTIONS](http://arpa-e.energy.gov/?q=faq/general-questions)) FOR ANSWERS TO MANY GENERAL QUESTIONS ABOUT ARPA-E AND ARPA-E'S FUNDING OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS. ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS SPECIFIC TO THIS FOA ONLY ARE INCLUDED BELOW. PLEASE REVIEW ALL EXISTING GENERAL FAQs AND FOA-SPECIFIC QUESTIONS BEFORE SUBMITTING NEW QUESTIONS TO ARPA-E.

I. Concept Paper Phase Questions:

Q1. HOW IS FUNDING PLANNED FOR AN FFRDC SUB ON A PROJECT UNDER THIS FOA? WILL THIS BE THROUGH AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PRIME SBIR AND FFRDC (AS IN THE PAST) OR WILL THE FFRDC BE FUNDED THROUGH WORK AUTHORIZATION

ANSWER: Please see CIRCULAR SBIR/STTR FOA Section II.C.2. "Funding Agreements with FFRDCs/DOE Labs, GOGOs, and Federal Instrumentalities.