



Sample Successes of the FLC Technology Locator

In cooperation with federal laboratories and the private sector, the FLC Technology Locator Service helps potential collaborators take advantage of the vast reservoir of technology and expertise located within federal laboratories.

Concurrent Technologies Corporation (CTC), Columbia, South Carolina, contacted the Technology Locator for information regarding laboratory capabilities, as well as past and ongoing research related to alternative fuels. CTC's goal was to identify laboratories conducting research in the area of enhanced bio-diesel products. The Technology Locator Service provided contact information for personnel and links to Department of Agriculture, Department of Energy and Department of Defense websites with research information in this area.

"The information provided by the FLC Technology Locator Service was on point and proved to be very useful. It is great to have one place to get input on such a broad set of federal labs."

—Michael Muthig, Principal Technology Transfer Specialist, Concurrent Technologies Corporation



AMTV, LLC would like to identify federal laboratories involved in or interested in collaborating on the development of next-generation lightweight computer hardware, specifically virtual keyboards, touch screens and other more robust, nonmechanical solutions that reduce the risk of contamination in various demanding (dirty/hazardous) environments.

"FLC's Technology Locator continues to provide a valuable service to AMTV by helping us to locate federal laboratories that address particular technology topics. A recent example is the swift identification of a defense organization that addresses emerging developments in virtual computer hardware. The relevance of results to such inquiries makes our own technology transfer services that much more expedient as we aim to connect private industry to the Department of Defense and similar federal laboratories in support of FirstLink and other projects that we address."

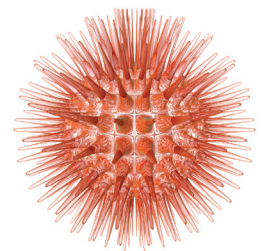
—Susan Zelicoff, Executive Vice President, AMTV, LLC



Decision Sciences Corp. requested assistance locating federal laboratories with expertise in rapid detection of biopathogens from an air matrix.

"As a result of the FLC Technology Locator referral, Decision Sciences Corp. signed a Nondisclosure Agreement with the Edgewood Chemical Biological Center (ECBC) and participated in a discussion with an ECBC inventor about a set of applicable technologies available for licensing."

—DG Parekh, ORTA, ECBC



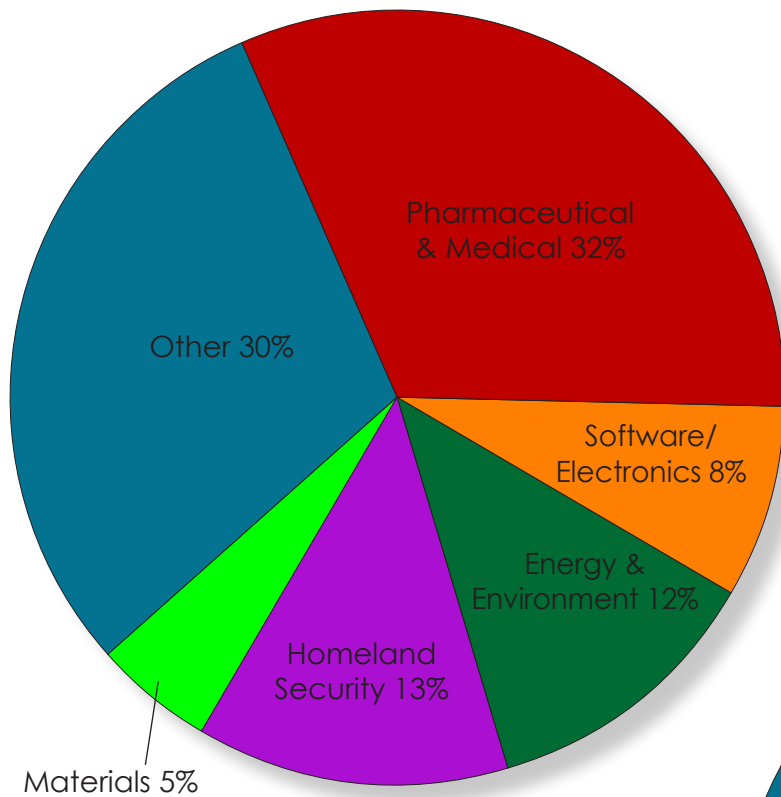
UTEK Corporation contacted the Technology Locator to investigate the possibility of collaborating with the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to license innovative emerging technologies that focus on detecting and monitoring diseases by conducting simple point-of-care tests in a physician's office.

"We are in the process of reviewing several NIH technologies to determine if there might be a collaborative opportunity for our clients." —Joel Edelson, UTEK Corporation



Technology Locator Requests by Category and Type

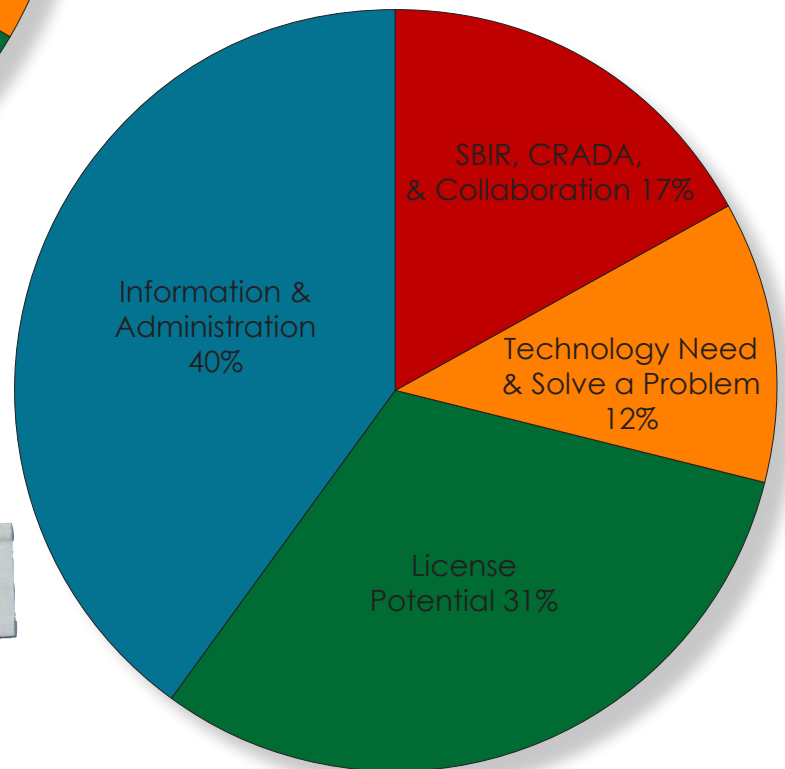
(April 2007-March 2008, based on 193 requests)



Category

Other Technology Locator Services

- Private sector companies seeking information about the FLC
- Federal laboratories seeking technologies at other federal laboratories
- Federal laboratories seeking use of facilities at other federal laboratories
- Federal laboratories seeking technical data from other federal laboratories



Type



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