

Is This Project Export Controlled?

Fundamental Research (FR) & Publicly Available (PI) Information**	Gray Area Moving From FR/PI to Export Controlled (EC) Technology	Export Controlled Areas, Applications and Intended Use
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Research – fundamental & applied • Found in the public domain – released without restriction • No proprietary or intellectual property considerations • Not associated with an area excluded by General Prohibitions, End Use and End User Restrictions • Intended or held out for the General Public • Issued by the U.S. Government with the intent of Openly Releasable • Data gathering or note taking 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Author or Sponsor begin to discuss restricting dissemination • Approaching or getting close to application • Knowing or suspecting that the ultimate achievement of the objective will be controlled • Thinking about intellectual property • Thinking about licensing the technology • Preliminary optimization leading to design alternative • Thinking about making the technology or information proprietary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An area identified by the U.S. Government Agency as being Export Controlled • Technology/information held out as proprietary or has intellectual property (declaration) • Conveying or teaching technology, processes with the intent of transferring Know-How abroad • Detailed Design that conveys Know-How • Operating & Maintenance Manuals • Technology Transfer - Material that helps or supports EC Technology
<i>No Export Control</i>	<i>Grey Area</i>	<i>Export Control</i>

* Note: Each technology area may use different terms/processes that needs to be taken into account. The degree of rigor is highly dependent on the criticalness of the technology under development.

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