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COST ($ in Millions)	**Prior Years**	**FY 2019**	**FY 2020**	**FY 2021 Base**	**FY 2021 OCO**	**FY 2021 Total**	**FY 2022**	**FY 2023**	**FY 2024**	**FY 2025**	**Cost To Complete**	**Total Cost**
Total Program Element	-	202.638	226.775	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing
623012: *Advanced Propulsion Technology*	-	24.875	29.802	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing
623048: *Combustion and Mechanical Systems*	-	9.920	11.134	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing
623066: *Turbine Engine Technology*	-	48.640	56.582	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing
623145: *Aerospace Power Technology*	-	47.873	44.213	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing
624847: *Rocket Propulsion Technology*	-	67.114	80.302	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing
625330: *Aerospace Fuel Technology*	-	4.216	4.742	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This effort develops propulsion and power technologies to achieve enabling and revolutionary aerospace technology capabilities. The effort has six projects, each focusing on a technology area critical to the Air Force. The Advanced Propulsion Technology project develops high-speed air breathing propulsion engines to include combined cycle, ramjet, and hypersonic scramjet technologies to enable revolutionary propulsion capability for the Air Force. The Combustion and Mechanical Systems project develops engine mechanical system technologies: bearings, seals, drives, and lubricants as well as combustion components, concepts, and technologies for legacy and advanced turbine engines. The Turbine Engine Technology project develops enabling capabilities to enhance performance and affordability of existing weapon systems and develops component technologies for ultra high pressure ratio, substantially improved durability, and adaptive cycle engine architecture to provide optimized performance, fuel efficiency, and life for widely varying mission needs. The Aerospace Power Technology project develops electrical power and thermal control technologies for military applications that remove operational limitations and enable advanced vehicle designs and high-power mission systems. The Rocket Propulsion Technology project develops advances in rocket propulsion technologies for space access, space maneuver, missiles, the sustainment of strategic systems, and tactical rockets. The Aerospace Fuel Technology project evaluates hydrocarbon-based fuels for legacy and advanced turbine engines, scramjets, pulse detonation, and combined-cycle engines. Efforts in this program have been coordinated through the Department of Defense (DoD) Science and Technology (S&T) Executive Committee process to harmonize efforts and eliminate duplication.

In FY 2021, the Aerospace Systems RDT&E Budget Activity 02 (BA02) efforts and activities under PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, and PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, are realigned and consolidated into PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of internal

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Air Force Research Laboratory Aerospace Systems Technology Directorate operations to finalize the 2012 merger of the Air Vehicles Directorate and Propulsion Directorate; and to better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept, and the Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019.

All transfers detailed below are administrative realignments for consolidation, and not new starts. This work will continue to be executed by the Air Force Research Laboratory Aerospace Systems Technology Directorate located either in Wright Patterson Air Force Base, OH or Edwards Air Force Base, CA.

In FY 2021, the entirety of PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology.

In FY 2021, the entirety of PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, Project 623048, Combustion & Mechanical Systems is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology.

In FY 2021, the entirety of PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology.

In FY 2021, the entirety of PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, Project 624847 , Rocket Propulsion Technology, is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology.

In FY 2021, the entirety of PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, Project 623012, Advanced Propulsion Technology is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622405, High Speed Systems Technology.

This program element may include necessary civilian pay expenses required to manage, execute, and deliver science & technology capabilities. The use of such program funds would be in addition to the civilian pay expenses budgeted in program elements 0601102F, 0602102F, 0602202F, 0602203F, 0602204F, 0602602F, 0602605F, 0602788F, 1206601SF, and 0602298F.

This program is in Budget Activity 2, Applied Research because this budget activity includes studies, investigations, and non-system specific technology efforts directed toward general military needs with a view toward developing and evaluating the feasibility and practicality of proposed solutions and determining their parameters.

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B. Program Change Summary ($ in Millions)	**FY 2019**	**FY 2020**	**FY 2021 Base**	**FY 2021 OCO**	**FY 2021 Total**
Previous President's Budget	218.419	198.775	196.753	0.000	196.753
Current President's Budget	202.638	226.775	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total Adjustments	-15.781	28.000	-196.753	0.000	-196.753
• Congressional General Reductions	0.000	0.000			
• Congressional Directed Reductions	0.000	0.000			
• Congressional Rescissions	0.000	0.000			
• Congressional Adds	0.000	28.000			
• Congressional Directed Transfers	0.000	0.000			
• Reprogrammings	-0.283	0.000			
• SBIR/STTR Transfer	-7.168	0.000			
• Other Adjustments	-8.330	0.000	-196.753	0.000	-196.753

Congressional Add Details ($ in Millions, and Includes General Reductions)	FY 2019	FY 2020
Project: 623066: *Turbine Engine Technology*		
Congressional Add: *Program increase - advanced turbine technologies*	0.000	2.000
Congressional Add Subtotals for Project: 623066	0.000	2.000
Project: 623145: *Aerospace Power Technology*		
Congressional Add: *Program increase - thermal management technologies*	5.813	7.000
Congressional Add: *Program increase - next generation heat exchangers*	6.298	0.000
Congressional Add Subtotals for Project: 623145	12.111	7.000
Project: 624847: *Rocket Propulsion Technology*		
Congressional Add: *Program increase - centers of excellence*	4.844	0.000
Congressional Add: *Program increase - next generation hall thrusters*	9.689	14.000
Congressional Add: *Program increase - next generation liquid propulsion*	0.000	5.000
Congressional Add Subtotals for Project: 624847	14.533	19.000
Congressional Add Totals for all Projects	26.644	28.000

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Change Summary Explanation

Decrease in FY 2019 in Other Adjustments of $8.330 million is due to realignment of funds to PE 0602212F to support Research and Development Projects, 10 U.S.C. Section 2363, an amendment to PL 110-417, 10 U.S.C. Section 2358 and 10 U.S.C. 2805(d)(1)(B).

Decrease in FY 2021 of $196.753 million is due realignment of the entirety of PE 0602203F, Aerospace Propulsion, to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of internal Aerospace Systems Technology Directorate operations to finalize the 2012 merger of the Air Vehicles Directorate and Propulsion Directorate.

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COST ($ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
623012: *Advanced Propulsion Technology*	-	24.875	29.802	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This project develops combined/advanced cycle air breathing high-speed (up to Mach 5) and hypersonic (Mach 5 to 7) propulsion technologies to provide revolutionary propulsion options for the Air Force. These new engine technologies will enable future high-speed/hypersonic weapons and aircraft concepts. The primary focus is on hydrocarbon-fueled engines capable of operating over a broad range of flight Mach numbers. Efforts include modeling, simulations, and proof of concept demonstrations of critical components; advanced component development; and ground-based demonstrations.

In FY 2021, the entirety of Project 620312, Advanced Propulsion Technology is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622405, High Speed Systems Technology in order to realign technology areas that better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept and Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019. This is an administrative realignment for consolidation, and not a new start.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Title: Hypersonic Scramjet Technologies	24.875	29.802	0.000
Description: Develop robust hydrocarbon fueled scramjet engine components and technologies to improve performance, operability, durability, and scalability for future platforms. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue to develop and demonstrate advanced engine components to improve scramjet operating margin and to refine scramjet scaling laws for reusable applications. Continue to develop low internal drag flame stabilization devices and flight test engine components. Initiate propulsion studies and design efforts required for the development and demonstration of an engine flight test in FY 2022 that expands the flight environment of current high speed propulsion systems. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622405, High Speed Systems Technology, Hypersonic Scramjet Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $29.802 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Hypersonic Scramjet research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622405, High speed Systems Technology, Hypersonic Scramjet Technologies effort.			
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	24.875	29.802	0.000

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C. Other Program Funding Summary ($ in Millions)

N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A

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COST ($ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
623048: *Combustion and Mechanical Systems*	-	9.920	11.134	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This project evaluates lubricants, mechanical systems, and combustion concepts for advanced turbine engines, pulse detonation engines, and combined cycle engines. This project also develops technologies to increase turbine engine operational reliability, durability, mission flexibility, maintainability, and performance while reducing weight, fuel consumption, and cost of ownership. Applications include: missiles, aircraft, and re-usable high-speed vehicles. Analytical and experimental areas of emphasis include: lubricants, bearings, mechanical systems diagnostics, mechanical systems prognostics, rotor dynamics, oil-less engine technology, optical diagnostics, fundamental combustion, detonations, combustors, and afterburners. Lubricants for these engines must be thermally stable, cost-effective, and operate over a broad range of conditions. Advanced combustion concepts must be cost-effective, durable, and reduce pollutant emissions. A portion of this project supports adaptive cycle technologies. Adaptive cycle technologies develops component technology for an adaptive cycle engine architecture that provides both optimized performance and fuel efficiency for widely varying mission needs.

In FY 2021, the entirety of Project 623048, Combustion & Mechanical Systems is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology in order to realign technology areas that better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept and Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019. This is an administrative realignment for consolidation, and not a new start.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Title: Combustion Technologies	4.130	4.600	0.000
Description: Develop, test, and evaluate revolutionary combustion and propulsion concepts for gas turbine, pulse detonation, and combined cycle engines for missiles, manned and unmanned systems.			
FY 2020 Plans: Continue to explore interactions and effects of compressor and turbine components on the combustor and combustor materials to reduce engine weight and increase efficiency. Continue using advanced diagnostics to obtain high-quality datasets that can be made available to and used by academia and industry for model development and verification. Continue the determination of necessary reference performance and operability combustion systems and metrics to decrease the cost of certifying new and alternative fuels in weapon systems. Continue to support development of advanced computational fluid dynamics (CFD) models to reduce combustor and augmentor design costs. Continue development of computations, modeling and simulation, and research experimentation of advanced combustion concepts including pressure gain combustion components and system level architectures. Continue to explore advanced combustion and flameholding concepts working towards improved understanding at relevant operating conditions such as sub-atmospheric (less than 1 atmosphere) and high pressure (greater than 10 atmospheres); this includes initiating fundamental combustion modeling and fluid-dynamic phenomena on high speed systems			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
and rocket propulsion and advanced turbine engine applications, identifying modeling and simulation concepts/approaches to address combustion chemistry and physics and light/matter interactions, for high speed systems exploring turbulent combustion modeling in advanced configurations, exploring advanced combustion including pressure gain propulsion as it relates to new applications and architectures. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $4.600 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Combustion research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies effort.			
Title: Diagnostic Technologies ***Description:*** Develop and demonstrate optical, electromechanical, and laser diagnostic tools and sensors for application to revolutionary propulsion technologies. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue development and demonstration of diagnostic systems for high-bandwidth kilohertz to megahertz (kHz-MHz) measurements of combustion chemistry and physics: expand the diagnostic-technologies portfolio beyond current efforts to detonation devices and pressure-gain combustion (e.g., rotating-detonation engines), hypersonic/scramjet propulsion, and munitions; increase focus on high-pressure combustion, such as that associated with rocket systems, including propulsion at near-critical and supercritical conditions. Continue the development of diagnostic techniques to include 1) time-division-multiplexed hyperspectral absorption spectroscopy, 2) pulse-burst lasers, and 3) ultrashort-pulse (picosecond, femtosecond) lasers. Continue application of the insights gained to engine test cells and fielded systems including development and deployment of fiber-coupled sensor systems based on hyperspectral absorption spectroscopy. Continue to provide sufficient data to support computational fluid dynamics (CFD) combustion model development, including development and application of fast laser systems and various atomic tracers for high-speed, planar visualization of mixing as applied in gas-turbine and hypersonic/scramjet propulsion systems. Continue development of diagnostic tools/methods for robust measurement capability in engine test cells and full annular ground test environments. Continue development of portable measurement capability for engine testing. Initiate advanced algorithms for tomographic reconstruction and spatiotemporal nonlinear data analysis to assess the rich data sets generated in the fundamental experiments and system testing described above. ***FY 2021 Plans:***	0.657	0.790	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Diagnostic Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $0.790 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Diagnostic Technology research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Diagnostic Technologies effort.			
Title: Lubricant Technologies ***Description:*** Develop, test, and qualify advanced turbine engine lubricants. Generate and maintain military specifications for aviation engine lubricants. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue developing innovative fluids (i.e., ionic fluids/additives) as potential high temperature lubricants for high-Mach and future high performance engines. Complete demonstration of Enhanced Ester (EE) oils in rig testing and design studies of turbine engines. Complete transitioning EE oil to F-35 and F-22 fleet. Continue identification and development on in-line mechanical system health monitoring sensor technology. Continue the implementation of new lubricant traction models into updated bearing design codes. Refine bearing design codes to include advanced traction, rheological, and heat generation models: develop advanced algorithms for mechanical system health monitoring and condition based maintenance, apply high-temperature lubricant technologies to magneto and electro-rheological fluids for smart dampers and engine vibration control. Continue supporting the warfighter on field-related mechanical system issues. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Lubricant Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $2.734 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Lubricant research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Lubricant Technologies effort.	2.534	2.734	0.000
Title: Bearing Technologies ***Description:*** Develop and test advanced bearing material technology and bearing concepts for small, intermediate, and large-scale turbine engine applications. ***FY 2020 Plans:***	2.599	3.010	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Continue developing physics-based bearing life model based on bearing alloy fatigue & microstructural investigations, including bearing life factors for advanced bearing materials. Include fatigue life, fault evolution, and parametric heat generation of advanced material systems into the models. Continue development of oil-free bearing technologies for small & medium scale unmanned aircraft system, expendable and low-cost engines. Continue the integration of new bearing modeling simulation tools into full-engine design models. Continue development of active thrust-balance/prognostic health management system for large man-rated and medium-scale propulsion: demonstrate algorithms for active bearing thrust modulation for optimum performance and life in large turbine engines, demonstrate smart damper capabilities for control of turbine engine vibration, initiate investigation into the potential of additive manufacturing to develop robust, high-performance bearing compartment seals. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $3.010 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Bearing research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Technologies effort.			
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	9.920	11.134	0.000

C. Other Program Funding Summary ($ in Millions)

N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A

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COST ($ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
623066: *Turbine Engine Technology*	-	48.640	56.582	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This project develops technology to increase turbine engine operational reliability, durability, mission flexibility, and performance, while reducing weight, fuel consumption, and cost of ownership. Analytical and experimental areas of emphasis are fans and compressors, high temperature combustors, turbines, internal flow systems, controls, augmentor and exhaust systems, integrated power and thermal management systems, engine inlet integration, mechanical systems, adaptive cycle technologies, and structural design. This project develops component technology for an adaptive cycle engine architecture that provides both optimized performance and fuel efficiency for widely varying mission needs. This project supports joint Department of Defense, agency, and industry efforts to focus turbine propulsion technology on national needs. The project plan is relevant across capability areas for global responsive strike, tactical and global mobility, responsive space lift, and persistent intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance (ISR).

In FY 2021, the entirety of Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology in order to realign technology areas that better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept and Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019. This is an administrative realignment for consolidation, and not a new start.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Title: Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Core Technologies	21.785	22.772	0.000
Description: Develop core turbofan/turbojet engine components (i.e., compressors, combustors, and turbines) for fighters, bombers, sustained supersonic/hypersonic cruise vehicles, and transports.			
FY 2020 Plans: Continue development and validation of modeling and simulation tools for the design and analysis of advanced turbine components with improved durability for adaptive cycle engines: develop and validate new architectures, critical technologies and new designs of adaptive core technologies; formulate a plan for detailed design, fabrication, and testing of component technology rigs for adaptive cores; conduct key technology rig tests to validate or determine new modeling cycles and designs; explore new approaches for variable core technologies, including use of high-temperature materials, integrated propulsion, power and thermal technologies and responsive controls. Continue development of improved compressor aerodynamic design tools and analysis methods to extend engine operability and efficiency.			
FY 2021 Plans: Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Technologies effort.			
FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $23.772 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Core research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turbofan/ Turbojet Engine Technologies effort.			
Title: Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Fan, Low Pressure Turbine, and Integration Technologies ***Description:*** Develop turbofan/turbojet engine components (i.e., fans, nozzles, etc.) used in engines for fighters, bombers, sustained supersonic strike and hypersonic cruise vehicles, and transports. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue development of modeling and simulation tools, including methods to predict behavior of serpentine inlets and nozzles. Continue to develop and validate modeling and simulation tools for the design and analysis of advanced low pressure turbine components to enable lower cost/weight systems with improved aero-performance for increased range and endurance at altitude. Continue to identify control technology elements applicable to integrated propulsion/power/thermal solutions. Initiate integration of power and thermal modeling of advanced architectures into aircraft system level multidisciplinary analysis and optimization tools: explore new control methods for integrated propulsion, power and thermal management, initiate evaluation of integration of advanced augmentors and ramburners, initiate exploration of new expendable and attritable architectures. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Revolutionary Propulsion Technology effort and Missile and Unmanned Aerial System (UAS) Engine Technology effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $23.936 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Turbofan/Turbojet Engine Fan, Low Pressure Turbine, and Integration research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Revolutionary Propulsion Technology effort and Missile and Unmanned Aerial System (UAS) Engine Technologies effort.	21.848	22.936	0.000
Title: Missile and Remotely Piloted Aircraft Engine Technologies ***Description:*** Develop limited life engine components for missile and remotely piloted aircraft (RPA) applications, including long-range supersonic and hypersonic vehicles. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue to demonstrate advanced component designs in rig testing. Continue to utilize validation data to develop improved test protocol for small engine augmentor designs. Continue development and validation of modeling and simulation tools for the design and analysis of turbine components with mission-tailored aero-performance and highly efficient cooling geometries. Continue to develop and validate parameter, process, and performance modeling for components manufactured through additive technologies. Continue to develop and validate rules and tools to enable flexible design for targeted life applications. Initiate	4.098	5.529	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
exploration of new innovative architectures and critical technologies for small missile and remotely piloted aircraft applications; evaluate critical technologies that will increase range, performance, durability, electrical power and thermal capacity on these systems. Initiate exploration of new small engine technologies that can operate in high speed applications. Initiate rig testing to validate targeted life models. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $5.529 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Missile and Remotely Piloted Aircraft Engine research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies effort.			
Title: Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies ***Description:*** Develop components for turboshaft/turboprop and small turbofan engines for trainers, rotorcraft, special operations aircraft, and theater transports. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue development and validation of modeling and simulation tools to achieve very high levels of loading for advanced low pressure turbine components. Continue the exploration of advanced integrated engine controls with potential for synergistic airframe system level benefits. Initiate exploration of new small and medium size engine technologies for increased fuel efficiency, propulsive capability, power and thermal management, and reduced life cycle cost. Initiate identification of new architectures and critical technologies for integrated power and thermal systems. Initiate identification of requirements and develop models for simulation of highly integrated systems. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $3.345 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 623066, Turbine Engine Technology, Turboshaft/Turboprop and Small Turbofan Engine Technologies effort.	0.909	3.345	0.000
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	48.640	54.582	0.000

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	FY 2019	FY 2020
Congressional Add: Program increase - advanced turbine technologies	0.000	2.000
FY 2019 Accomplishments: Not Applicable		
FY 2020 Plans: Conduct Congressionally directed efforts		
Congressional Adds Subtotals	0.000	2.000

C. Other Program Funding Summary ($ in Millions)

N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A

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Appropriation/Budget Activity 3600 / 2	R-1 Program Element (Number/Name) PE 0602203F / *Aerospace Propulsion*	Project (Number/Name) 623145 / *Aerospace Power Technology*	

COST ($ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
623145: *Aerospace Power Technology*	-	47.873	44.213	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This project develops integrated electrical and thermal management components, controls and systems for military aerospace applications. Power component technologies are developed to increase reliability, maintainability, commonality, affordability, and supportability of aircraft and flight line equipment. Research is conducted in energy storage and hybrid power system technologies to enable special purpose applications. Electrical power and thermal management technologies enable future military megawatt level power and thermal management needs. Controls and system integration technologies ensure the interoperability of aircraft, power, thermal, engine and other systems and subsystems. This project supports development of electrical power and thermal management components, controls and systems suitable for applications to legacy and future aircraft platforms including strike and mobility concepts. Lightweight power systems suitable for other aerospace applications are also developed.

In FY 2021, the entirety of Project 623145, Aerospace Power Technology is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622406, Aerospace Power & Flight Control Technology in order to realign technology areas that better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept and Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019. This is an administrative realignment for consolidation, and not a new start.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Title: High Power System Technologies	35.762	37.213	0.000
Description: Develop integrated system architecture, controls, and component technologies to provide for the large amounts of electrical power needed, and concurrent thermal mitigation required, by current and future manned and unmanned systems. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue development of system and component electrical power, electro-mechanical, and thermal technologies for high-power applications. Continue development of hybrid approaches to power generation, storage, and application as well as thermal management. Continue testing of subsystems hardware in conjunction with continued platform level tip-to-tail modeling and simulation energy optimization. Continue development of advanced, safe energy storage, power distribution, and management systems to include Silicon Carbide applications and batteries. Continue power and thermal development toward demonstration of tactical aircraft high-power payload capability, e.g. laser weapon system. Continue analysis and development of adaptive power and thermal control systems for high-power aircraft. Complete the development of advanced power options for small unmanned aircraft. Continue weapon system contractor support for platform integration of advanced power and thermal system architectures. ***FY 2021 Plans:***			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622406, Aerospace Power & Flight Control Technology, High Power System Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $37.213 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of High Power Systems research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 622406, Aerospace Power & Flight Control Technology, High Power System Technologies effort.			
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	35.762	37.213	0.000

	FY 2019	FY 2020
Congressional Add: Program increase - thermal management technologies ***FY 2019 Accomplishments:*** Conducted Congressionally directed efforts ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Conduct Congressionally directed efforts	5.813	7.000
Congressional Add: Program increase - next generation heat exchangers ***FY 2019 Accomplishments:*** Conducted Congressionally directed efforts ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Not Applicable	6.298	0.000
Congressional Adds Subtotals	12.111	7.000

C. Other Program Funding Summary ($ in Millions)

N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A

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COST ($ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
624847: *Rocket Propulsion Technology*	-	67.114	80.302	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This project develops rocket propulsion technologies for space access, space maneuver, the sustainment of strategic systems (including solid boost/missile propulsion, post boost control, aging and surveillance efforts), and tactical missiles. Analytical and experimental areas of emphasis are propellants, propellant management, combustion, rocket material applications, technology for sustainment of strategic systems, and innovative space propulsion concepts. Technologies of interest will improve reliability, performance, survivability, affordability, and environmental compatibility of these systems. Develop technologies to reduce the weight and cost of components using new materials and improved designs and manufacturing techniques. All efforts in this project contribute to the sustainment of the rocket propulsion industry, providing rocket propulsion technology for the entire Department of Defense (DoD). Technologies under this project enable capabilities of interest to both DoD and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). Tasks include: modeling and simulation; proof of concept tests of critical components; advanced component development; and ground-based tests. Aging and surveillance tasks could reduce lifetime prediction uncertainties for individual motors by 50%, enabling motor replacement for cause. All thrusts are part of the Rocket Propulsion 21 (RP21) collaboration and are reviewed by a DoD level steering committee yearly for relevance to DoD missions and progress towards RP21 Goals.

In FY 2021, the entirety of Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology is transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technologies in order to realign technology areas that better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept and Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019. This is an administrative realignment for consolidation, and not a new start.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Title: Fuel Technologies	9.895	10.421	0.000
Description: Develop, characterize, and test advanced hydrocarbons, energetics, solid propellants, and monopropellants to increase space launch payload capability and refine new synthesis methods.			
FY 2020 Plans: Continue developing solid rocket propellant binder systems for intended use across a variety operationally relevant conditions. Continue to conceive, synthesize, scale-up, and characterize novel energetic ingredients, including both fuels and oxidizers, for use across the span of space and missile applications from strategic and tactical boost through in-space thrust and attitude control. Continue transferring knowledge for making green mono-propellants to the United States industrial base. Continue to formulate, scale-up, and evaluate formulations of solid and liquid rocket propellants. Continue to identify, evaluate, and adapt 21st century material processing equipment to enable more rapid and agile development and more precise products. Complete support for NASAs Green Propellant Infusion mission to demonstrate a non-toxic ionic liquid based propulsion system in space. Continue			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
research in high-temperature resins, insulators, and composite case fabrication techniques to enable high mass-fraction rocket motor cases. Continue high-performance bi-propellant synthesis and formulation. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Tech, Fuel Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $10.421 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Fuel Technology research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Fuel Technologies effort.			
Title: Liquid Engine Combustion Technologies ***Description:*** Develop advanced liquid engine combustion technology for improved performance, while preserving chamber lifetime and reliability needs for engine uses in heavy lift space vehicles. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue evaluation of methane multi-injector designs in hot-fire conditions. Continue hot fire tests in combustion stability rig. Continue combustion stability modeling critical for future hydrocarbon fueled liquid rocket engines. Continue the delivery of combustion stability codes with nearly-complete set of validation data to rocket community, enabling more robust and stable engine designs. Continue developing understanding of hydrocarbon fuel production, expanding testing into methane fuels and other cryogenic cooling. Continue the employment of new fuel and material operating limitations, manufacturing processes, and launch goals in cycle analysis to identify trade space for future engines. Continue to evaluate and develop advanced material solutions for high temperature components in rocket engines. Continue installation of new test facility that will fill the current capability gap and allow for fast, low-cost testing of multi-injector designs and stability strategies at conditions relevant to the demands of both Department of Defense and industry for next-generation engines (including use of liquid oxygen and higher pressures and thrust). Initiate development of rotating detonation rocket engine technologies. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Liquid Engine Combustion Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $8.541 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Liquid Engine Combustion research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Liquid Engine Combustion Technologies effort.	7.887	8.541	0.000
Title: Advanced Liquid Engine Technologies	11.568	11.590	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Description: Develop advanced liquid engine technologies for improved performance, while increasing life and reliability needs for engine uses in expendable and reusable launch vehicles. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Complete exploring engine concepts for next generation, beyond 2035, launch vehicles and concepts to effect cost reductions. Continue sub-scale risk mitigation and technology maturation activities to incorporate into next generation engine concepts. Initiate modular component integration and interaction research activities supporting next generation engine concepts. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Advanced Liquid Engine Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $11.590 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Advanced Liquid Engine research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Advanced Liquid Engine Technologies effort.			
Title: On-Orbit Propulsion Technologies ***Description:*** Develop solar electric, solar thermal, chemical, and advanced propulsion technologies for station-keeping, repositioning, and orbit transfer for satellites and satellite constellations. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue scale-up research of advanced chemical propellants with particular focus on transition of numerical tools and experimental methodologies for advanced mono-propellants to spacecraft industry. Continue to support the maturation of advanced plume diagnostics for both chemical and electric propulsion thrusters with potential for integrated state-of-health application. Continue to expand the validation and verification programs (both experimental and flight) to quantify accuracy of modeling and simulation tools developed to support thruster-spacecraft integration. Continue transition and support of thruster/ plume modeling framework to spacecraft industry, with addition of advanced electric propulsion thruster models, to industry partners. Continue to explore advanced electric propulsion and chemical thruster concepts and assess new spacecraft propulsion requirements ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, On-Orbit Propulsion Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:***	12.710	16.553	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $16.553 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of On-Orbit Propulsion research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, On-Orbit Propulsion Technologies effort.			
Title: Space Access and Strike Applications ***Description:*** Develop missile propulsion and boost technologies for space access and strike applications. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue to develop advanced tactical propulsion. Complete development of technology options for post-boost systems exploring cost reductions, performance improvements, and potential for commonality among Air Force, Navy, and Missile Defense Agency. Continue propellant development efforts including long-life propellants. Continue development and evaluation of next generation of updated, physics-based modeling, simulation, and analysis tools for missile propulsion components and applications. Continue to develop advanced component technologies for missile propulsion applications for strategic and strike systems helping to ensure their long-term sustainment. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Ballistic and Tactical Propulsion Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $5.614 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Space Access and Strike Applications research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Space Access and Strike Applications effort.	5.785	5.614	0.000
Title: Ballistic Missile Technologies ***Description:*** Develop missile propulsion technologies and aging and surveillance technologies for ballistic missiles. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue to apply next generation of chemical and aging mechanism modeling, simulation, and analysis tools, sensor schemes and tools, to user needs and unique problems. Continue development of advanced sensor, non-destructive evaluation, modeling and supporting technology development efforts to detect and explain phenomena further improve data acquisition and reduce uncertainty in ballistic and tactical missile solid rocket motor life predictions. Continue long-term validation of tools through long-term aging of sub-scale motors. Continue to monitor and periodically test sub-scale motors to validate the sensor and analytical analysis of each motor. ***FY 2021 Plans:***	4.736	8.583	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Ballistic and Tactical Propulsion Technologies effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $8.583 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Ballistic Missile research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 624847, Rocket Propulsion Technology, Ballistic Missile Technologies effort.			
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	52.581	61.302	0.000

	FY 2019	FY 2020
Congressional Add: Program increase - centers of excellence ***FY 2019 Accomplishments:*** Conducted Congressionally directed efforts ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Not Applicable	4.844	0.000
Congressional Add: Program increase - next generation hall thrusters ***FY 2019 Accomplishments:*** Conducted Congressionally directed efforts ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Not Applicable	9.689	14.000
Congressional Add: Program increase - next generation liquid propulsion ***FY 2019 Accomplishments:*** Not Applicable ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Conduct Congressionally directed effort	0.000	5.000
Congressional Adds Subtotals	14.533	19.000

C. Other Program Funding Summary ($ in Millions)

N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A

Exhibit R-2A, RDT&E Project Justification: PB 2021 Air Force			Date: February 2020
Appropriation/Budget Activity 3600 / 2	R-1 Program Element (Number/Name) PE 0602203F / *Aerospace Propulsion*	Project (Number/Name) 625330 / *Aerospace Fuel Technology*	

COST ($ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
625330: *Aerospace Fuel Technology*	-	4.216	4.742	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This project evaluates hydrocarbon-based fuels for legacy and advanced turbine engines, scramjets, pulse detonation and combined cycle engines. This project also considers fuel related concepts that can increase turbine engine operational reliability, durability, mission flexibility, energy efficiency, and performance while reducing weight, fuel consumption, and cost of ownership. Applications include missiles, aircraft, sustained high-speed vehicles, and responsive space launch. Analytical and experimental areas of emphasis include evaluations of fuel properties and characteristics of alternative fuels developed from unconventional sources (such as coal, natural gas, biomass, and combinations thereof), unique/alternate fuels and components used in integrated thermal and energy management systems including high heat sink fuel capability, fuels logistics and associated vulnerabilities, and combustion diagnostics and engine emissions measurements.

In FY 2021, the entirety of Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology was transferred to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology in order to realign technology areas that better support the National Defense Strategy, Air Force Future Operating Concept and Air Force Science and Technology Strategy, April 2019. This is an administrative realignment for consolidation, and not a new start.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Title: Alternative Fuels	0.093	0.093	0.000
Description: Conduct evaluations and perform technical assessments of alternative hydrocarbon fuels derived from coal, natural gas, and biomass for use in legacy and advanced aerospace systems. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue evaluation of fully-synthetic jet fuels produced from alcohol, triglyceride and other feedstocks including: conducting full characterization of fuel composition and relate these to potential performance impacts. Continue leveraging ongoing collaborative efforts in fuels characterization with Navy, Army, Federal Aviation Administration, and National Aeronautics and Space Administration to leverage and complement on-going research. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Advanced Fuels effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $0.093 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Alternative Fuels research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Advanced Fuels effort.			
Title: Integrated Thermal and Energy Management	1.313	1.496	0.000

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Appropriation/Budget Activity 3600 / 2	**R-1 Program Element (Number/Name)** PE 0602203F / *Aerospace Propulsion*	**Project (Number/Name)** 625330 / *Aerospace Fuel Technology*

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Description: Develop and demonstrate advanced components and conduct performance assessments of advanced aircraft integrated thermal and energy management systems for engines and aircraft. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue the evaluation of advanced additives, catalysts, and fuel composition approaches to minimize endothermic fuel coking for Hypersonic applications. Initiate work in model development and simulation tools for Integrated Thermal and Energy Management assessment of efficient technologies and architectures. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Integrated Thermal and Energy Management effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $1.496 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Integrated Thermal and Energy Management research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Integrated Thermal and Energy Management effort.			
Title: Fuel Logistics ***Description:*** Study and evaluate low-cost approaches to reduce fuel logistics footprint to reduce cost. Study fuel logistics vulnerabilities and develop detection and mitigation technologies. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Continue the development of fuel temperature limits for full-life fuel systems as part of integrated power and thermal management systems: identify sensing approaches to be able to capture fuel stability limiters to minimize logistics vulnerabilities, work on bio detection and mitigation to support logistics readiness, coordinate and collaborate with Army and Navy in identification and development of sensing technologies. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Fuel Logistics and Sustainment effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $1.496 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Fuel Logistics research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Fuel Logistics and Sustainment effort.	1.313	1.496	0.000
Title: Combustion Emissions and Performance	1.497	1.657	0.000

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs ($ in Millions)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Description: Develop and test advanced emissions diagnostic techniques for airbreathing propulsion systems. Conduct evaluations of the combustion and emissions characteristics of aviation fuels. ***FY 2020 Plans:*** Initiate aviation fuels combustion tests to identify fuel composition performance impacts. Initiate Lean Blow test, cold start testing and emissions tests and analysis to work on model developments to be able to establish composition to performance correlations. ***FY 2021 Plans:*** Starting in FY 2021, this work is performed in PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Advanced Fuels effort. ***FY 2020 to FY 2021 Increase/Decrease Statement:*** FY 2021 decreased compared to FY 2020 by $1.657 million. Funding decreased due to realignment of Combustion Emissions and Performance research to PE 0602201F, Aerospace Vehicle Technologies, Project 625330, Aerospace Fuel Technology, Advanced Fuels effort.			
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	4.216	4.742	0.000

C. Other Program Funding Summary ($ in Millions)

N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A