

# **Subsurface Contaminants Focus Area Perspective**

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## **Abstract**

The Subsurface Contaminants Focus Area (SCFA) is the U.S. Department of Energy's lead organization for developing innovative technologies for environmental restoration and waste management applications. SCFA is sponsoring development of technologies in the areas of:

- Source-term remediation
- Source-term containment
- Metal and radionuclide contaminant remediation
- Dense Non-Aqueous Phase Liquid (DNAPL) remediation

This program has opportunities for industrial participation in the areas of cooperative research and development agreements, program research and development agreements, competitive procurements, licensing, and technology deployment. As part of DOE's emphasis on privatization strategy SCFA is increasing emphasis on performance-based contracting through competitive procurements through the Morgantown Energy Technology Center. The Manager of the Lead Office for SCFA will overview the Focus Area mission, strategic goals, and avenues of participation for industry.