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Question-1: “I have a question regarding allowed partnering for LAB 21-2495. The Announcement describes the two mechanisms that can support teams of multiple institutions, but we wanted to confirm with you, are universities and/or industry allowable institutions for the lead National Labs to partner with?”

Answer-1: Yes, National Labs can partner with industry and universities.

Question-2: “The lab announcement LAB 21-2495 states ‘This is a DOE National Laboratory-only Announcement. FFRDCs from other Federal agencies are not eligible to submit in response to this Program Announcement’. Are FFRDCs from other Federal agencies allowable institutions for the lead National Labs to partner with?”

Answer-2: Yes, National Labs can partner with FFRDCs from other Federal agencies.