**EXPORT CONTROLS DECISION TREE**
**OFFICE FOR EXPORT CONTROLS COMPLIANCE (OECC)**

2. Commerce Control List (Export Administration Regulations (EAR)) available online at: [http://www.bis.doc.gov/index.php/regulations/export-administration-regulations-ear](http://www.bis.doc.gov/index.php/regulations/export-administration-regulations-ear)

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**Fundamental Research Exclusion applies - proceed & remain vigilant!**

**Does my research contain source code for 64-bit encryption software; or mass market encryption products?**

**Does my research activities involve exposure to foreign nationals within the U.S.; or transfers of goods, services, information or technology abroad; or travel outside of the U.S.?**

**Is there reason to believe that information or software released by my research will be used in the development of a weapon of mass destruction?**

**Are the results of my research published and generally accessible or available to the public through public venues, (i.e., conferences, libraries)?**

**Is my research basic or applied research in the areas of science and/or engineering at an accredited institution of higher learning in the U.S. and is the information resulting from that research ordinarily published and shared broadly within the scientific community?**

**Are the results of my research restricted for proprietary reasons (other than limited sponsor prepublication review to assure intellectual property or patent rights); or pursuant to specific U.S. Government access and dissemination controls?**

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**Export Control Regulations apply - contact OECC for assistance ASAP!**

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