

## **DIRECTIONS:**

### **Albuquerque to Los Alamos:**

Leave the rental car lot going north to Sunport Road (~1 block) and go left (west) for ~1 block to Interstate 25. Go north on Interstate 25 through downtown Albuquerque and beyond for approximately 50 miles. The first Santa Fe exit is the "Santa Fe relief route" (also labeled "Veteran's Memorial Highway"). The highway number is New Mexico 599 north, and it bypasses Santa Fe with a 15 minute savings. Go ~15 miles to the end of NM 599 and take US 285 north toward Espanola. In the town of Pojoaque (~15 miles), there is a freeway-style interchange that is labeled for Los Alamos (NM 502). Go West ~15 miles to the town. The maps below should be in agreement with the directions.

### **Badges:**

To enter LANSCE, you will need a valid DOE badge. Please contact Loretta Towles ([L\\_towles@lanl.gov](mailto:L_towles@lanl.gov)) for instructions to obtain your badge if you are not a DOE employee.

### **To come directly to the LANSCE Site:**

As you approach Los Alamos, you will come to a freeway style intersection that has sign to Los Alamos or White Rock/Bandelier. Take the road towards White Rock. After 1 mile, make a right turn at the first signal. Once the road starts to climb steeply, keep a look out on your right for the entrance to LANSCE. The top inset on the second map below shows LANSCE off of East Jemez Road.

### **To come from the town of Los Alamos to the LANSCE site:**

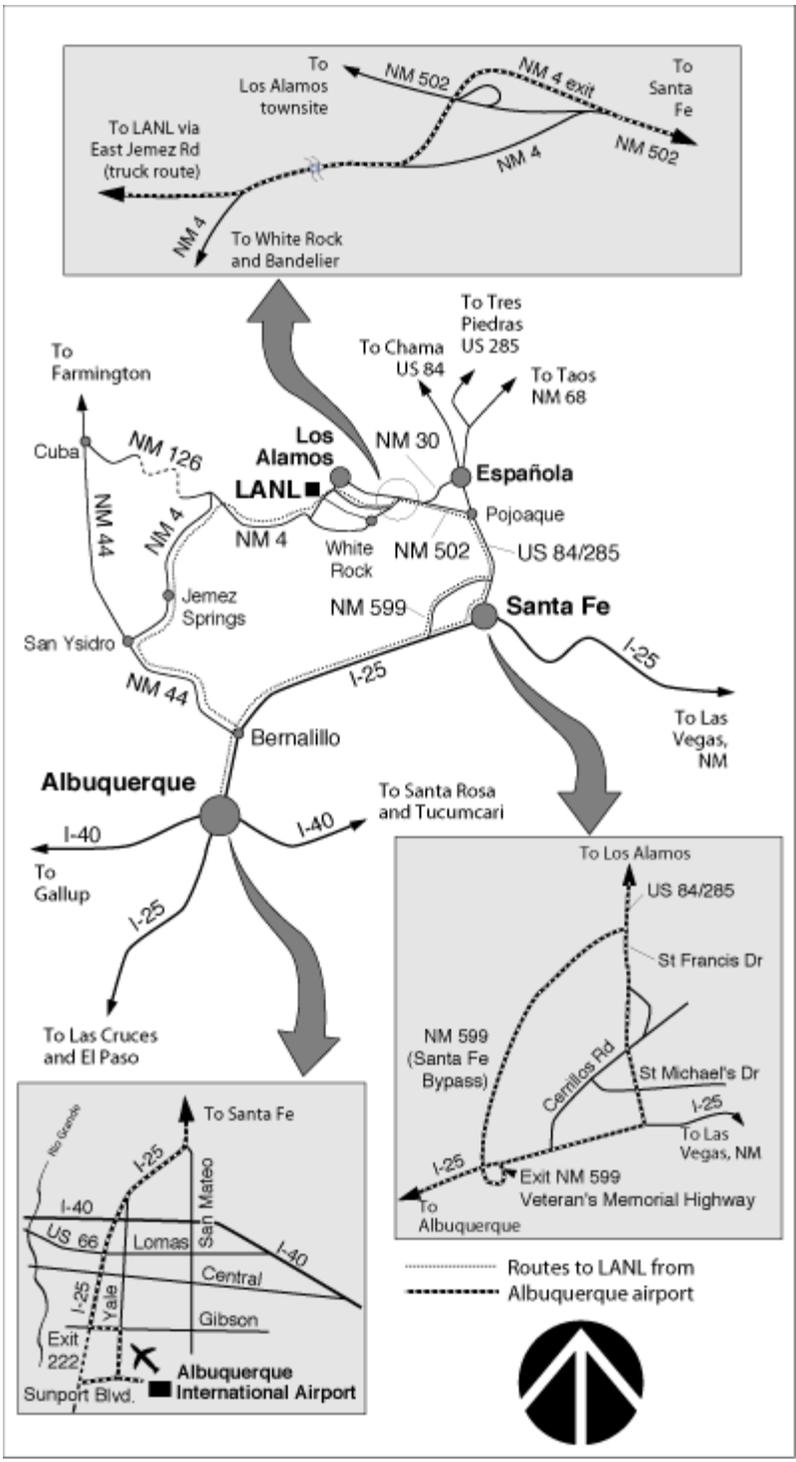
The town of Los Alamos is found by taking the road labeled Los Alamos at the above intersection. The road will become two lanes and climb steeply to the town entrance. The main road into town becomes Trinity.

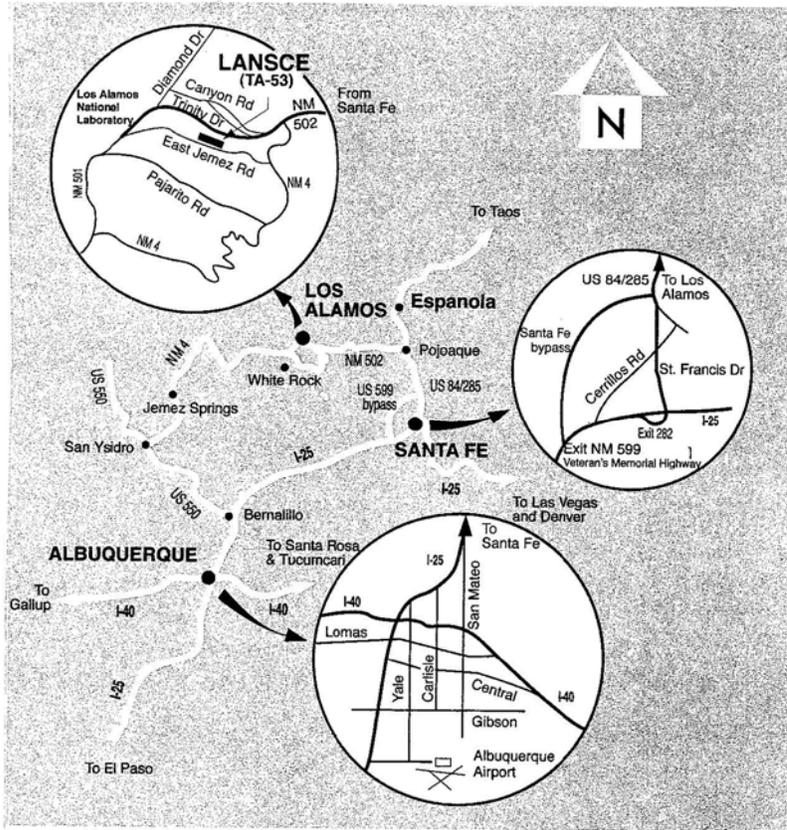
To come to the Laboratory, go West on Trinity until you reach a signal where it stops being a main road. The Los Alamos Medical Center will be on your left. Take a left turn at the signal onto Diamond Drive and cross the bridge. If you are heading to the badge office, look for a small sign that will take you to the right. If you are going directly to LANSCE, make a left turn at the signal on the other side of the bridge.

You will be heading East. Once the road starts heading down steeply, you should see LANSCE on your left shortly. The top inset on the second map below shows LANSCE off of East Jemez Road.

**As you enter LANSCE:**

The road goes about a mile until you come to a guard gate where you must show your badge. After passing the guard gate, go straight until you come to a stop sign (~1 mile). Take a right at the stop sign and go about a block where you will see a parking lot to the southeast. After you park, the building MPF-31 is on the west side of the road you just drove into the lot. The Pinon conference room is on the second floor.





map 1 Albuquerque to Los Alamos

Route I-25 from Albuquerque to US 599 bypass to US 84/285 to route 502 to Los Alamos takes approximately 2 hours. The mountainous scenic route through San Ysidro and Jemez Springs is not recommended during winter months.

