

TABLE 4. Distribution of total federal research and development budget authority,
by budget function: FY 2004–06
(Percent distribution)

2006 rank	Budget function	2004 actual	2005 preliminary	2006 proposed
	All functions conducting R&D	100.0	100.0	100.0
1	National defense	57.1	58.6	58.6
2	Health	23.2	22.6	22.7
3	Space research and technology	6.2	6.0	6.3
4	General science and basic research	5.3	5.1	5.0
5	Natural resources and environment	1.8	1.7	1.6
6	Transportation	1.5	1.4	1.3
7	Agriculture	1.4	1.4	1.2
8	Energy	1.1	0.9	0.9
9	Administration of justice	0.6	0.6	0.8
10	Veterans benefits and services	0.7	0.6	0.6
11	Education, training, employment, and social services	0.4	0.4	0.3
12	Commerce and housing credit	0.4	0.4	0.3
13	International affairs	0.2	0.2	0.2
14	Community and regional development	*	*	*
15	Income security	*	*	*

* = less than 0.05 percent.

NOTE: Detail may not add to total because of rounding.

SOURCES: Agencies' submissions to Office of Management and Budget, MAX Schedule C; agency budget justification documents; and supplemental data obtained from agencies' budget offices.