

TABLE 72. Federal obligations for research performed at universities and colleges in life sciences, by selected agency and detailed field: FY 2013
(Dollars in thousands)

Agency	Total	Agricultural sciences	Biological sciences ^a	Environmental biology	Medical sciences	Other life sciences
All agencies surveyed	15,607,824.7	195,480.2	8,251,865.9	293,697.4	5,336,144.8	1,530,636.4
Departments						
Department of Agriculture	454,215.2	177,014.0	144,043.4	117,299.9	7,364.9	8,493.0
Agricultural Research Service	46,740.7	1,901.4	31,481.7	2,112.5	3,065.5	8,179.6
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service	2,112.9	2,112.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Foreign Agricultural Service	395.5	395.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Forest Service	13,938.2	517.1	6,192.5	6,915.1	0.0	313.5
National Institute of Food and Agriculture	390,278.0	171,337.1	106,369.3	108,272.3	4,299.3	0.0
Rural Business-Cooperative Service	750.0	750.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Department of Defense	270,330.0	0.0	98,302.7	17,964.2	142,196.9	11,866.2
Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency	95,085.7	0.0	8,839.6	0.0	86,246.1	0.0
Department of the Air Force	19,831.7	0.0	16,684.3	133.1	176.9	2,837.4
Department of the Army	54,797.6	0.0	21,226.5	0.0	33,546.1	25.0
Department of the Navy	81,414.9	0.0	45,141.4	17,831.0	10,520.0	7,922.5
Other defense agencies	19,200.1	0.0	6,411.0	0.0	11,707.9	1,081.2
Department of Energy	121,513.7	16,412.6	104,701.0	0.0	0.0	400.0
Advanced Research Projects Agency—Energy	16,612.6	16,212.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	400.0
Bonneville Power Administration	200.0	200.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Office of Science	104,701.0	0.0	104,701.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Department of Health and Human Services	14,103,699.3	0.0	7,421,720.8	0.0	5,177,644.9	1,504,333.6
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality	81,480.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	80,143.4	1,337.0
Ctrs. for Disease Control and Prevention	76,473.2	0.0	5,269.8	0.0	10,729.6	60,473.8
Ctrs. for Medicare and Medicaid Services	716.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	716.3
Food and Drug Administration	46,523.9	0.0	46,523.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Health Resources and Services Administration	9,701.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	9,701.7	0.0
National Institutes of Health	13,888,803.9	0.0	7,369,927.2	0.0	5,077,070.3	1,441,806.5
Department of Homeland Security	5,845.9	1,862.5	3,011.2	0.0	0.0	972.2
Science and Technology Directorate	5,845.9	1,862.5	3,011.2	0.0	0.0	972.2
Other agencies						
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	34,285.8	191.1	19,060.5	1,524.7	8,938.0	4,571.4
National Science Foundation	617,934.7	0.0	461,026.2	156,908.6	0.0	0.0

^a Excluding environmental biology.

NOTES: Because of rounding, detail may not add to total. Seven agencies are required to report data for this section of the survey: the Departments of Agriculture, Defense, Energy, Health and Human Services, and Homeland Security; the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and the National Science Foundation. Research obligations of these seven agencies represented over 97% of total federal research obligations to universities and colleges in FY 2013. Only those agencies and subdivisions that had obligations in variables represented by this table appear in the table. See appendix C for additional notes associated with the agencies listed in this table.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation, National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, Survey of Federal Funds for Research and Development, FYs 2013–15.