

TABLE 3. Distribution of total federal research and development and R&D plant budget authority, by budget function: FY 2007–09

(Percent distribution)

2009 rank	Budget function	2007 actual	2008 preliminary	2009 proposed
	All functions conducting R&D	100.0	100.0	100.0
1	National defense	58.3	57.2	57.4
2	Health	20.8	20.9	20.3
3	Space research and technology	7.7	8.2	8.4
4	General science and basic research	6.1	6.1	6.9
5	Energy	1.4	1.7	1.7
6	Natural resources and environment	1.5	1.5	1.4
7	Agriculture	1.4	1.4	1.1
8	Transportation	1.0	1.0	0.9
9	Veterans benefits and services	0.6	0.6	0.6
10	Education, training, employment, and social services	0.4	0.4	0.4
11	Commerce and housing credit	0.4	0.4	0.4
12	Administration of justice	0.3	0.2	0.2
13	International affairs	0.2	0.2	0.2
14	Community and regional development	*	*	*
15	Income security	*	*	*

* = less than 0.05%.

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

SOURCES: Agencies' submission to Office of Management and Budget, Circular No. A-11, Max Schedule C; budget justification documents; and supplemental data from agencies' budget offices.