

National Science Foundation Current Authorizations

LEGISLATION	FY 2007	Authorization Levels			FY 2008
	Actual	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	Estimate
<i>(Dollars in Millions)</i>					
National Science Foundation Act of 1950 (P.L. 81-507)¹					
Scholarships and Graduate Fellowships		<i>within limits of funds made available for this purpose</i>			
General Authority		<i>within the limits of available appropriations</i>			
Administering Provisions		<i>to make such expenditures as may be necessary</i>			
International Cooperation and Coordination with Foreign Policy		<i>within the limit of appropriated funds</i>			
Contract Arrangements		<i>utilize appropriations available</i>			
NSF Authorization Act of 2002 (P.L.107-368)²		\$9,839.26			
America Competes Act (P.L.110-69)³	\$5,884.37		\$6,600.00	\$7,326.00	\$6,065.00
Account and Program Specific					
Research and Related Activities	\$4,764.70		\$5,156.00	\$5,742.30	\$4,821.47
Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research	\$102.11		\$120.00	\$133.20	\$111.10
Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Program	\$187.40		\$165.40	\$183.60	\$167.76
Graduate Research Fellowship Program	\$8.04		\$9.00	\$10.00	\$8.14
Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship Program	\$42.37		\$47.30	\$52.50	\$42.37
Major Research Instrumentation	\$90.00		\$115.00	\$123.10	\$93.90
Professional Science Master's Degree Program	-		\$10.00	\$12.00	-
Research Experiences for Undergraduates	\$63.28		\$61.60	\$68.40	\$57.73
Education and Human Resources	\$698.00		\$896.00	\$995.00	\$725.60
Advanced Technology Education	\$50.58		\$52.00	\$57.70	\$51.62
Graduate Research Fellowship Program	\$86.18		\$96.60	\$107.20	\$88.10
Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship Program	\$25.27		\$27.10	\$30.10	\$25.00
Mathematics and Science Education Partnerships	\$45.95		\$100.00	\$111.00	\$48.50
Science, Mathematics, Engineering, and Technology Talent Expansion Program	\$28.90		\$40.00	\$50.00	\$29.70
Robert Noyce Scholarship Program	\$10.30		\$89.80	\$115.00	\$10.80
Major Research Equipment and Facilities Construction	\$190.90		\$245.00	\$262.00	\$220.74
Agency Operations and Award Management	\$246.80		\$285.60	\$309.76	\$281.79
National Science Board	\$4.00		\$4.05	\$4.19	\$3.97
Office of the Inspector General	\$11.40		\$12.35	\$12.75	\$11.43

LEGISLATION (cont.)	FY 2007	Authorization Levels			FY 2008
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Program Specific					
Computer and Network Security Capacity Building Grants	\$20.00	\$20.00			
Computer and Network Security Research Centers ⁴	\$14.00	\$36.00			
Computer and Network Security Research Grants ⁴	\$50.00	\$60.00			
Graduate Traineeships in Computer and Network Security	\$15.00	\$20.00			
21st Century Nanotechnology Research and Development Act (P.L.108-153)					
Nanoscale Science and Engineering	\$388.69	\$449.00	\$476.00		\$388.69
National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program Reauthorization Act of 2003 (P.L.108-360)					
	\$54.20	\$40.31	\$41.52	\$42.77	\$55.63
National Windstorm Impact Reduction Act of 2004 (P.L.108-360)					
	\$6.20	\$9.40	\$9.40		*
Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2001 (P.L.106-554); Small Business Technology Transfer Program Reauthorization Act of 2001 (P.L.107-50)					
Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program	\$97.20	2.5% of research funds (SBIR)			\$97.85
Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) Program	\$11.47	0.3% of research funds (STTR)			\$11.52

¹Organic language establishing NSF, authorization and appropriation language may not correspond to current accounts and programs.

²Authorized agency funding through FY 2007; authorization levels not specified below agency level.

³ Authorizes agency funding for FYs 2008-100; authorizes agency, account, and various program levels.

⁴ Excludes graduate student support for US citizens and permanent residents.

* Actual amounts will be reported after awards are completed.