

TABLE 2. Distribution of federal budget authority for R&D and R&D plant, by budget function: FYs 2015–17
(Percent distribution)

Budget function	2015 actual	2016 preliminary	2017 proposed
R&D and R&D plant	100.0	100.0	100.0
National defense	52.7	52.8	52.3
Health	22.0	21.7	21.6
General science and basic research	8.0	7.7	7.9
Space flight, research, and supporting activities	7.9	8.6	7.9
Energy	2.3	2.3	3.1
Natural resources and environment	1.7	1.7	1.7
Agriculture	1.6	1.6	1.7
Transportation	1.0	0.9	1.1
Veterans benefits and services	0.9	0.8	0.8
Administration of justice	0.7	0.4	0.4
Commerce and housing credit	0.6	0.8	0.7
Education, training, employment, and social services	0.4	0.3	0.3
International affairs	0.2	0.2	0.2
Medicare	0.1	*	0
Community and regional development	*	*	0.1
Income security	*	*	*
R&D	100.0	100.0	100.0
National defense	53.3	53.5	52.9
Health	22.3	22.0	21.8
General science and basic research	7.4	7.0	7.2
Space flight, research, and supporting activities	8.0	8.7	8.1
Energy	2.3	2.3	3.1
Natural resources and environment	1.6	1.6	1.6
Agriculture	1.5	1.4	1.6
Transportation	1.0	0.9	1.1
Veterans benefits and services	0.9	0.8	0.8
Administration of justice	0.5	0.4	0.4
Commerce and housing credit	0.6	0.7	0.6
Education, training, employment, and social services	0.4	0.3	0.3
International affairs	0.2	0.2	0.2
Medicare	0.1	*	0
Community and regional development	*	*	0.1
Income security	*	*	*
R&D plant	100.0	100.0	100.0
National defense	15.9	11.9	18.2
Health	6.7	6.7	8.1
General science and basic research	41.6	47.6	47.3
Space flight, research, and supporting activities	2.1	0.8	1.4
Energy	0.8	0.8	1.7
Natural resources and environment	8.0	10.0	8.0
Agriculture	6.5	13.5	8.1
Transportation	1.0	1.4	1.3
Veterans benefits and services	0	0	0
Administration of justice	12.6	0.3	0
Commerce and housing credit	3.3	5.8	4.7
Education, training, employment, and social services	1.5	1.2	1.2
International affairs	0	0	0

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Budget function	2015 actual	2016 preliminary	2017 proposed
Medicare	0	0	0
Community and regional development	0	0	0
Income security	0	0	0

* = value less than 0.05%.

NOTES: Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Budget functions are ordered as under the table 1 stub entry for "R&D and R&D plant." In contrast to previous editions of this report, there is no budget authority for R&D reported for the Government (800) category in the fiscal years covered by this report. Accordingly, this category is not included in the above table this year.

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