



**REVISION OF THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (NSF)
COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT MODIFICATIONS AND SUPPLEMENTAL
FINANCIAL & ADMINISTRATIVE TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR MAJOR
MULTI-USER RESEARCH FACILITY PROJECTS AND FEDERALLY FUNDED
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTERS**

EFFECTIVE May 14, 2018

Unless otherwise specified in a special award condition of the cooperative agreement, or as modified below, the [Cooperative Agreement Financial & Administrative Terms and Conditions](#) (CA-FATC) dated May 14, 2018, are applicable to this cooperative agreement or cooperative support agreement. When the Modifications and Supplemental Financial & Administrative Terms and Conditions for Major Multi-User Research Facility Projects and Federally Funded Research and Development Centers or an award notice reference a particular section of the [Large Facilities Manual](#), then that section becomes part of the award requirements through incorporation by reference.

A summary of the changes is included below. Any questions regarding these changes may be directed to the Policy Office, Division of Institution and Award Support, at (703) 292-8243 or by e-mail to policy@nsf.gov.

Significant Changes

- **Equipment, Article 6.** The revisions update NSF's Equipment article to align with 2 CFR 200.313 requirements for all equipment purchased under NSF awards and provide clarity on reporting requirements for NSF-owned equipment
- **Patent Rights, Article 29.** The revisions update NSF's Patent Rights article to implement government-wide changes to the Department of Commerce Bayh-Dole regulations at 37 CFR § 401 effective May 14, 2018.