

TABLE 6. Department of Defense, total obligational authority for research, development, test, and evaluation, by DOD budget activity: FYs 2013–15  
(Millions of dollars)

Budget activity <sup>a</sup>	Funding category and agency	2013 actual	2014 preliminary	2015 proposed	2013–14 (% change)	2014–15 (% change)
	RDT&E total budget authority	63,347	62,940	63,614	-0.6	1.1
	RDT&E total obligational authority <sup>b</sup>	64,328	63,100	63,614	-1.9	0.8
1	Basic research	1,901	2,167	2,018	13.9	-6.9
	Defense agencies	488	586	562	20.0	-4.0
	Department of the Air Force	461	525	454	13.9	-13.4
	Department of the Army	385	436	424	13.5	-2.8
	Department of the Navy	567	619	576	9.1	-6.9
2	Applied research	4,263	4,641	4,457	8.9	-4.0
	Defense agencies	1,551	1,681	1,692	8.4	0.7
	Department of the Air Force	1,009	1,146	1,081	13.7	-5.7
	Department of the Army	910	954	863	4.8	-9.6
	Department of the Navy	792	859	821	8.5	-4.5
3	Advanced technology development	4,827	5,201	5,040	7.7	-3.1
	Defense agencies	2,693	2,877	2,933	6.8	2.0
	Department of the Air Force	569	636	594	11.9	-6.7
	Department of the Army	961	1,064	918	10.7	-13.7
	Department of the Navy	605	624	595	3.2	-4.6
4	Advanced component development and prototypes	11,607	11,635	12,334	0.2	6.0
	Defense agencies	6,252	6,056	6,047	-3.1	-0.1
	Department of the Air Force	1,094	843	1,372	-22.9	62.7
	Department of the Army	422	415	323	-1.6	-22.1
	Department of the Navy	3,840	4,321	4,592	12.5	6.3
5	System development and demonstration	12,725	11,524	11,091	-9.4	-3.8
	Defense agencies	688	697	611	1.4	-12.4
	Department of the Air Force	4,355	4,517	3,337	3.7	-26.1
	Department of the Army	2,785	2,060	1,724	-26.1	-16.3
	Department of the Navy	4,896	4,251	5,419	-13.2	27.5
6	RDT&E management support	5,155	4,309	4,216	-16.4	-2.1
	Defense agencies	1,181	924	888	-21.8	-3.9
	Department of the Air Force	1,419	1,114	1,183	-21.5	6.2
	Department of the Army	1,242	1,163	1,000	-6.3	-14.0
	Department of the Navy	1,104	861	977	-22.0	13.4
	Operational test and evaluation	210	246	168	16.9	-31.8
7	Operational system development	23,850	23,623	24,458	-1.0	3.5
	Defense agencies	4,538	4,336	4,072	-4.5	-6.1
	Department of the Air Force	14,257	14,799	15,718	3.8	6.2
	Department of the Army	1,306	1,044	1,346	-20.1	29.0
	Department of the Navy	3,749	3,445	3,321	-8.1	-3.6
	Adjustment for RDT&E budget authority <sup>b</sup>	-981	-160	0	na	na

na = not applicable.

DOD = Department of Defense; RDT&E = research, development, test, and evaluation.

<sup>a</sup> RDT&E budget activity codes are broad categories reflecting different types of RDT&E efforts, as specified in DOD Financial Management Regulation.

<sup>b</sup> Detailed budget information on DOD RDT&E activities is available only in total obligational authority (TOA), which is the sum of new budget authority, unobligated budget authority from previous years, and other authorized credits. The adjustment converts TOA to budget authority by subtracting unobligated budget from authority from previous years and other authorized credits from TOA.

NOTES: Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Percentage change is calculated based on unrounded data. The data do not include the extra funding for FY 2015 proposed as part of the President's Opportunity, Growth, and Security Initiative.

SOURCES: Agencies' submissions to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) per MAX Schedule C, agencies' budget justification documents, supplemental data obtained from agencies' budget offices, and Executive Office of the President, OMB, Budget of the United States Government, Fiscal Year 2015, U.S. Government Printing Office (2014).