National Science Foundation

OREGON

FY 2021 Fast Facts

$123,562,000
Total NSF Awards to Oregon

$102,168,000
Invested in Fundamental Research in Oregon

$10,419,000
Invested in STEM Education in Oregon

$2,566,000
Invested in Oregon startups

Top NSF-funded Academic Institutions for FY 2021

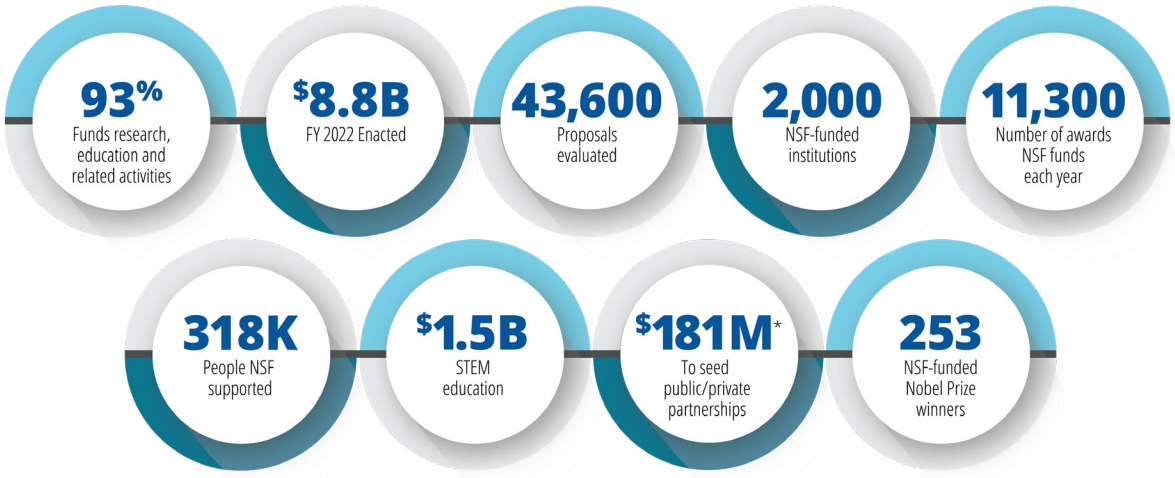
$77,974,000
Oregon State University

$23,940,000
University of Oregon, Eugene

$7,367,000
Portland State University

NSF By The Numbers

The National Science Foundation (NSF) is an $8.8 billion independent federal agency created by Congress in 1950 to promote the progress of science; to advance the national health, prosperity, and welfare; to secure the national defense. NSF's vital role is to support basic research and researchers who create knowledge that transforms the future.



Data represents FY 2021 Actuals unless otherwise indicated.
**Corresponds to NSF investments initiated in FY 2021 and spanning multiple years.*

Infrastructure

Oregon State University is managing the construction of all three regional class research vessels to help bolster the nation's aging academic research fleet. The RCRV fleet is equipped with cutting

edge equipment and an environmentally conscious design and will greatly bolster the U.S. marine science research capacity.

NCSES

According to the National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics (NCSES), which is housed in NSF, Oregon ranks **14th** in the nation for Business R&D performance. Visit Oregon's science and engineering state profile to learn more!

- **5.36%** of Oregon's workforce are employed in S&E occupations.
- **37.55%** of Oregon's higher education degreesare concentrated in S&E fields.