

To: Stanford Research Community

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Subject: FY2021 and FY2022 Final Facilities & Administrative Rates

Stanford and the Office of Naval Research (ONR) have agreed on final Facilities and Administrative (F&A, or Indirect Cost) rates for University fiscal years 2021 and 2022. These rates are effective beginning September 1, 2020.

The final negotiated rates are as follows:

Type of Activity	Final FY2021 9/1/2020- 8/31/2021	Final FY2022 9/1/2021- 8/31/2022
On-Campus Organized Research	57.7%	57.4%
Off-Campus Organized Research	29.3%	29.2%
On-Campus Sponsored Instruction	35.0%	35.0%
Off-Campus Sponsored Instruction	27.7%	27.7%
On-Campus Other Sponsored Activities	35.9%	36.0%
Off-Campus Other Sponsored Activities	29.2%	29.2%
Animal Care Indirect Cost Rate	75.0%	72.0%

Application of Rates

Performance Start Date: September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2022

For competitive proposals, new awards, or competitive segments with a period of performance start date on or after September 1, 2020, costs will be subject to the final FY21 rates in FY21 and to the final FY22 rates beginning September 1, 2021. The FY22 rates will remain in effect (“fixed”) for the life of the award or until the next competitive segment.

Example: for an on-campus research award that begins in FY2021 and continues through FY2022, and FY2023, 57.7% would be applied for FY2021, 57.4% would be applied for FY2022 and all subsequent years (because we do not have rates in place for years after FY2022).

Please forward this message to others in your department or lab who might not have received it. If you have any questions about the application of these rates, please contact your representative in the Office of Sponsored Research, the Research Management Group, or Engineering Research Administration.

If you have any questions regarding the rates themselves please contact Stella Hu at (650) 721-5985 (stellahu@stanford.edu) or Lisa Ciambrone at (650) 725-4246 (Lisa.Ciambrone@stanford.edu).