

The F&A (indirect) rate agreement for FY21 through FY23 has recently been finalized with the Office of Naval Research, our cognizant agency. We will begin using the updated rates for proposals, including continuations and supplements, effective immediately.

**Please note: FY21 Rates are unchanged from FY21 provisional rates. For FY 22-23, some rates increased (e.g. as on campus research and on campus DOD research) and some stayed the same (e.g. off campus research – remote)**

Predetermined Rate	FY 2021 7/1/20 – 6/30/2021	FY 2022 – FY 2023 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2023
On campus research	57.0	58.9
Off campus research adjacent	27.7	28.1
Off campus research remote	26.0	26.0
On-campus instruction	54.3	54.0
Off-campus instruction adjacent	37.9	37.7
Off-campus instruction remote	26.0	26.0
On-other sponsored activities	40.0	40.0
Off-campus other sponsored activities adjacent	27.3	27.3
Off-campus other sponsored activities remote	26.0	26.0
Intergovernmental Personnel Act (IPA) Awards	9.0	10.0

Rates for DOD research contracts are higher than the regular research rates because there is no cap on the administrative portion of the rate.

- FY21 DOD contract rates are 59.7% on campus; 31.0% adjacent; and 28.7% remote.
- FY 22 – 23 DOD contract rates are 69.5% on campus; 38.7% adjacent; and 36.6% remote.

This table can be found on the [OSP website](#)

Definitions of terms are as follows:

**Sponsored Research** includes all research and development activities that are sponsored by Federal and non-Federal agencies and organizations. This term involves systematic study directed toward fuller knowledge or understanding of the subject and includes activities involving the training of individuals in research techniques (research training) where such activities utilize the same facilities as other research and development activities and where such

activities are not included in the instruction function. Sponsored Research generally includes hypothesis testing and has a defined scope of work, a work plan, time frame and reporting requirements to the sponsor.

**Sponsored Instruction** is defined as teaching and training activities funded by grants, contracts, or cooperative agreements from Federal or non-Federal sponsors. Sponsored Instruction includes agreements that support teaching/training activities, whether offered through regular academic departments or separate divisions.

**Other Sponsored Activities** include programs and projects financed by Federal and non-Federal agencies and organizations which involve performance of work other than instruction and organized research. Other Sponsored Activities are established primarily to provide non instructional services beneficial to individuals and groups external to the institution. Some examples include: Travel, Conferences, Institutes, general advisory services, Social Service, Community Service, Health Service, non-instructional services to particular sectors of the community, and Program Operation.

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