

Table of KAKENHI (“Series of Single-year Grants” and “Multi-year Fund”) Funding Allocation for the New Research Projects Adopted in FY2025

As of May 2025

Research Categories	Number of Research Projects		Adoption Rate (%)	Amount Allocated (1,000 Yen)	Amount Allocated per Project	
	Number of Applications	Number of Adoptions			Average (1,000 Yen)	Maximum (1,000 Yen)
Grant-in-Aid for Specially Promoted Research	[72] 70	[10] 8	[13.9] 11.4	[1,194,000] 822,700 [246,810]	[119,400] 102,838	[243,600] 143,600

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Grant-in-Aid for Transformative Research Areas (A)	[155] 150	[17] 15	[11.0] 10.0	[3,924,200] 3,619,400 [1,085,820]	[230,835] 241,293	[255,400] 250,800
(Research Area)						
Planned Research	[1,406] 1,409	[159] 147	[11.3] 10.4	[3,924,200] 3,619,400 [1,085,820]	[24,681] 24,622	[115,700] 148,100

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Grant-in-Aid for Transformative Research Areas (A) (Research Areas Adopted in FY2022 and FY2024) Publicly Offered Research	[2,415] 2,307	[600] 530	[24.8] 23.0	[1,796,300] 1,514,900 [454,470]	[2,994] 2,858	[8,000] 8,000

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Grant-in-Aid for Transformative Research Areas (B)	[129] 143	[19] 18	[14.7] 12.6	[783,000] 707,100 [212,130]	[41,211] 39,283	[42,000] 40,000
(Research Area)						
Planned Research	[570] 632	[88] 81	[15.4] 12.8	[783,000] 707,100 [212,130]	[8,898] 8,730	[36,100] 20,900

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Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research	[60,455] 61,845	[16,575] 16,758	[27.4] 27.1	[43,090,700] 44,133,000 [13,239,900]	[2,600] 2,634	[115,500] 126,300
Scientific Research (S)	[547] 588	[65] 69	[11.9] 12.1	[3,143,900] 3,004,400 [901,320]	[48,368] 43,542	[115,500] 126,300
Scientific Research (A)	[2,320] 2,468	[632] 643	[27.2] 26.1	[7,482,700] 7,778,800 [2,333,840]	[11,840] 12,098	[32,800] 34,900
Scientific Research (B) *	[11,875] 12,312	[3,327] 3,290	[28.0] 26.7	[16,619,000] 17,085,500 [5,125,650]	[4,995] 5,193	[12,900] 17,200
Scientific Research (C) *	[45,713] 46,497	[12,551] 12,756	[27.5] 27.4	[15,845,100] 16,264,300 [4,879,290]	[1,262] 1,275	[3,400] 4,700

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Grant-in-Aid for Challenging Research	[10,647] -	[1,243] -	[11.7] -	[3,592,500] - [-]	[2,890] -	[18,100] -
Challenging Research (Pioneering) *	[1,564] Provisional grant decision is scheduled in June	[170] -	[10.9] -	[1,161,400] - [-]	[6,832] -	[18,100] -
Challenging Research (Exploratory) *	[9,083] Provisional grant decision is scheduled in June	[1,073] -	[11.8] -	[2,431,100] - [-]	[2,266] -	[4,600] -

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Grant-in-Aid for Early-Career Scientists *	[13,207] 13,883	[5,290] 5,585	[40.1] 40.2	[7,465,800] 7,923,400 [2,377,020]	[1,411] 1,419	[3,500] 3,600

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Grant-in-Aid for Research Activity Start-up *	[4,179]	[1,521]	[36.4]	[1,613,800]	[1,061]	[2,000]
	Provisional grant decision is scheduled in July		-	-	-	-
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Grant-in-Aid for Encouragement of Scientists	[2,638]	[407]	[15.4]	[176,170]	[433]	[470]
	2,644	377	14.3	166,373	441	480

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Grant-in-Aid for Publication of Scientific Research Results	[938]	[424]	[45.2]	[502,800]	[1,186]	[10,900]
	940	401	42.7	472,000	1,177	7,000

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Grant-in-Aid for JSPS Fellows	[2,526]	[2,526]	[—]	[2,274,600]	[900]	[3,500]
	2,342	2,342	—	2,083,800	890	3,500
				[135,660]		

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Fund for the Promotion of Joint International Research	[51]	[5]	[9.8]	[217,300]	[43,460]	[51,700]
	-	-	-	-	-	-
				[-]		
International Leading Research *	[51]	[5]	[9.8]	[217,300]	[43,460]	[51,700]
	Provisional grant decision is scheduled in November		-	-	-	-
				[-]		

(Note 1) Shown are the KAKENHI research categories: “Specially Promoted Research”, “Transformative Research Areas (A)” (Planned Research and Publicly Offered Research), “Transformative Research Areas (B)” (Planned Research), “Scientific Research”, “Challenging Research”, “Early-Career Scientists”, “Research Activity Start-up”, “Encouragement of Scientists”, “Publication of Scientific Research Results”, “JSPS Fellows”, and “Fund for the Promotion of Joint International Research (International Leading Research)”.

(Note 2) The direct expense of the last fiscal year is shown in [].

(Note 3) The indirect expense (not included in the total of direct expense) is shown in [].

(Note 4) The amount allocated for the original research plan submitted in FY2025 is shown in the “Allocated Amount” column and “Amount Allocated per Project” column as * is categorized into “Multi-year Fund”.