

□ Distribution of the Newly Adopted Projects

Purpose and Character of Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (S) (excerpt from the “Application Procedures for Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research-KAKENHI-”):

1) Funding target:

Research plan conducted by a single or a relatively small number of researchers that aims at achieving a major development in creative and pioneering research

2) Range of total budget:

50 million yen to 200 million yen

3) Research period:

5 years as a general rule

【 New Projects 】

	Number of Applications			Total Grant Disbursements (FY2018) (in thousands of yen)	Per-project Grants (FY2018)	
	Received	Adopted	Ratio (%)		Average (in thousands of yen)	Largest (in thousands of yen)
Total	704	79	11.2	3,215,800	40,706	105,100

【 New and Ongoing Projects 】

	Number of Applications	Total Grant Disbursements (FY2018) (in thousands of yen)	Per-project Grants (FY2018)	
			Average (in thousands of yen)	Largest (in thousands of yen)
Total	413	11,819,600	28,619	105,100

※ Figure reflects only direct funding