

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Science and Technology, circa 1998*

Recipient Organization	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute (MBARI)	CA	\$33,642,978	1
2. Oregon State University	OR	19,219,682	7
3. National Academy of Sciences	DC	12,032,522	40
4. Hendrix College	AR	10,998,590	2
5. University of Texas	TX	9,756,652	126
6. Rice University	TX	8,236,597	37
7. Salk Institute for Biological Studies	CA	6,751,930	21
8. U.S. Civilian Research and Development Foundation	VA	6,000,000	1
9. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	MA	5,999,667	22
10. Hanover College	IN	5,978,930	2
11. Western Michigan University	MI	5,551,686	3
12. Strategic Air Command Museum Memorial Society	NE	5,361,918	7
13. Corporation for Public Broadcasting	DC	5,000,000	1
14. Huntington College	IN	5,000,000	1
15. Indiana Wesleyan University	IN	5,000,000	1
16. Manchester College	IN	5,000,000	1
17. University of California	CA	4,905,251	52
18. Bermuda Underwater Exploration Institute	Bermuda	4,549,999	2
19. Algebra Project	MA	4,444,685	5
20. Harvard University	MA	4,350,800	8
21. Michigan State University	MI	4,341,614	9
22. Union College	NY	4,185,500	2
23. MPC Corporation	PA	3,935,000	2
24. American Association for the Advancement of Science	DC	3,860,043	21
25. Cornell University	NY	3,772,545	14
26. Stanford University	CA	3,665,480	25
27. Union of Concerned Scientists	MA	3,618,686	26
28. Texas A & M University	TX	3,101,500	67
29. Connecticut Public Broadcasting	CT	2,724,758	1
30. Georgia Tech Foundation	GA	2,686,000	5
31. University of California at San Diego Foundation	CA	2,662,500	2
32. Rowland Institute for Science	MA	2,614,570	2
33. Sea Studios Foundation	CA	2,500,000	2
34. Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory	NY	2,480,665	14
35. Carnegie Institution of Washington	DC	2,454,402	16
36. Augustana College	IL	2,444,500	1
37. Wistar Institute of Anatomy and Biology	PA	2,412,549	9
38. Chicago Academy of Sciences	IL	2,305,000	13
39. Yale University	CT	2,268,800	12
40. University of Michigan	MI	2,178,064	19
41. Xavier University of Louisiana	LA	2,100,000	2
42. Florida Institute of Technology	FL	2,091,815	3
43. Spelman College	GA	2,055,000	7
44. Hamilton College	NY	2,000,000	1
45. EAA Aviation Foundation	WI	1,953,996	22
46. University of Colorado	CO	1,944,667	10
47. Computer Recycling Center	CA	1,923,219	3
48. University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center	TX	1,913,000	32
49. Carleton College	MN	1,864,000	4
50. Princeton University	NJ	1,671,000	12
Total		\$247,510,760	698

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,009 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.