## EXPLANATION OF FY 2013 CARRYOVER INTO FY 2014 BY ACCOUNT

The National Science Foundation's (NSF) total unobligated balance of $\$ 150.04$ million ( $\$ 12.72$ million for Discretionary accounts and $\$ 137.32$ million for Mandatory accounts) is described below.

## DISCRETIONARY

Within the Research and Related Activities (R\&RA) account, $\$ 10.16$ million ( $\$ 5.65$ million in 2-year funds; $\$ 2.58$ million in Polar no-year funds; $\$ 1.93$ million in incoming interagency reimbursable agreement funds) was carried over into FY 2014. Obligation of these funds is expected by the end of the second quarter of FY 2014.

- There is $\$ 3.42$ million in carryover associated with the NSF's financial system modernization project (iTRAK), which is funded through Program-Related Technology and managed by the Office of Budget, Finance and Award Management.
- Polar Program funds totaling $\$ 2.58$ million represents funding recovered and allotted very late in the fiscal year from previously obligated projects.
- There is carryover associated with R\&RA funding provided for the operations of the National Coordination Office/Networking and Information Technology Research and Development $(\$ 200,000)$ and the National Nanotechnology Coordination Office $(\$ 30,000)$.
- The remaining $\$ 2.0$ million was carried over for awards that were not ready for obligation in FY 2013.
- Within R\&RA, $\$ 1.93$ million of incoming two-year interagency funds were carried over.

Within the Education and Human Resources (EHR) account, \$2.18 million (\$760,000 in 2-year funds; $\$ 1.42$ million in Noyce no-year funds) was carried over for projects that were not ready for obligation in FY 2013.

Within the Major Research Equipment and Facilities Construction (MREFC) account, \$380,153 was carried over into FY 2014. The obligation of these no-year funds may be spread over several years for the following projects:

- $\$ 95,819$ for Ocean Observation Initiative (OOI); $\$ 39,049$ for the Atacama Large Millimeter Array (ALMA), and $\$ 4,817$ for South Pole Station Modernization (SPSM) closing-out costs.
- The remaining $\$ 240,468$ represents funding recovered very late in the fiscal year.


## MANDATORY

Within the H-1B Nonimmigrant Petitioner account, $\$ 104.45$ million was carried over. It consists of $\$ 27.0$ million for Innovative Technology Experiences for Students and Teachers (ITEST) and \$77.45 million for Scholarship in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM). The total carryover includes $\$ 72.0$ million in third quarter $\mathrm{H}-1 \mathrm{~B}$ receipts (received in August 2013) and $\$ 32.45$ million in fourth quarter receipts (received during the first quarter of FY 2014). Since NSF receives the largest quarterly payment of $\mathrm{H}-1 \mathrm{~B}$ visa fees in August, there is insufficient time to obligate the receipts on
awards before the end of the fiscal year. These resources will allow both ITEST and S-STEM to support awards through the second quarter of FY 2014.

Within the Donations account, $\$ 32.87$ million was carried over into FY 2014. Donations were received from foreign governments, organizations, and individuals to fund various cooperative efforts in science, research, and education.

## Discretionary and Mandatory Accounts Distribution of FY 2013 Carryover into FY 2014

(Dollars in Millions)

| Discretionary Accounts | Discretionary and Mandatory Accounts | Incoming Interagency Reimbursables | Total FY 2014 <br> Carryover <br> from FY 2013 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Research and Related Activities | \$8.23 | \$1.93 | \$10.16 |
| Education and Human Resources | 2.18 |  | 2.18 |
| Major Research Equipment and Facilities Construction | 0.38 | - | 0.38 |
| Office of Inspector General | - | - | - |
| Subtotal | 10.79 | 1.93 | 12.72 |
| Mandatory Accounts |  |  |  |
| H-1B Non-Immigrant Petitioner | 104.45 | - | 104.45 |
| Donations (Special or Trust Fund) | 32.87 | - | 32.87 |
| Subtotal | 137.32 | - | 137.32 |
| TOTAL | \$148.11 | \$1.93 | \$150.04 |

