



**Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council**

**Grant Awards for 2008/09**

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1. Awards under responsive mode and strategic programmes were analysed by research organisation and UK region.
2. Of 121 research organisations (RO) applying for responsive mode and initiative grants, 24% were in London.

Region	No. HEIs applying	No. HEIs funded (1 or more grants)
E. Midlands	7	6
East	8	7
London	29	16
N. East	4	2
N. West	9	8
South East	13	13
South West	8	6
W. Midlands	8	5
Yorks and Humber	9	7
Open University	1	1
Scotland	16	12
Wales	7	4
N. Ireland	2	2

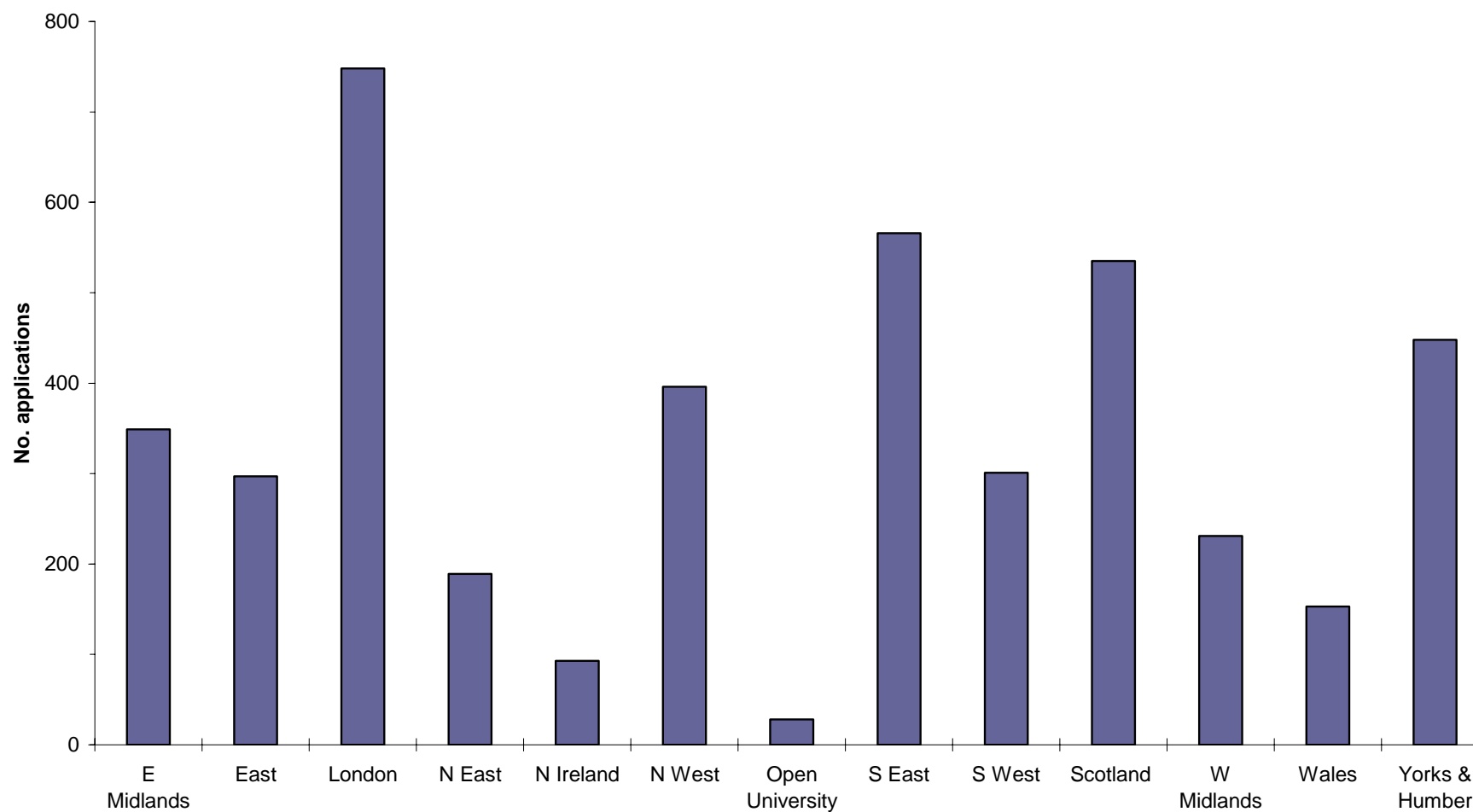
\* excludes UKAEA

3. Of the 29 ROs in London, 26 (=90%) were higher education institutions while the remainder consisted of two policy institutes and a national museum.

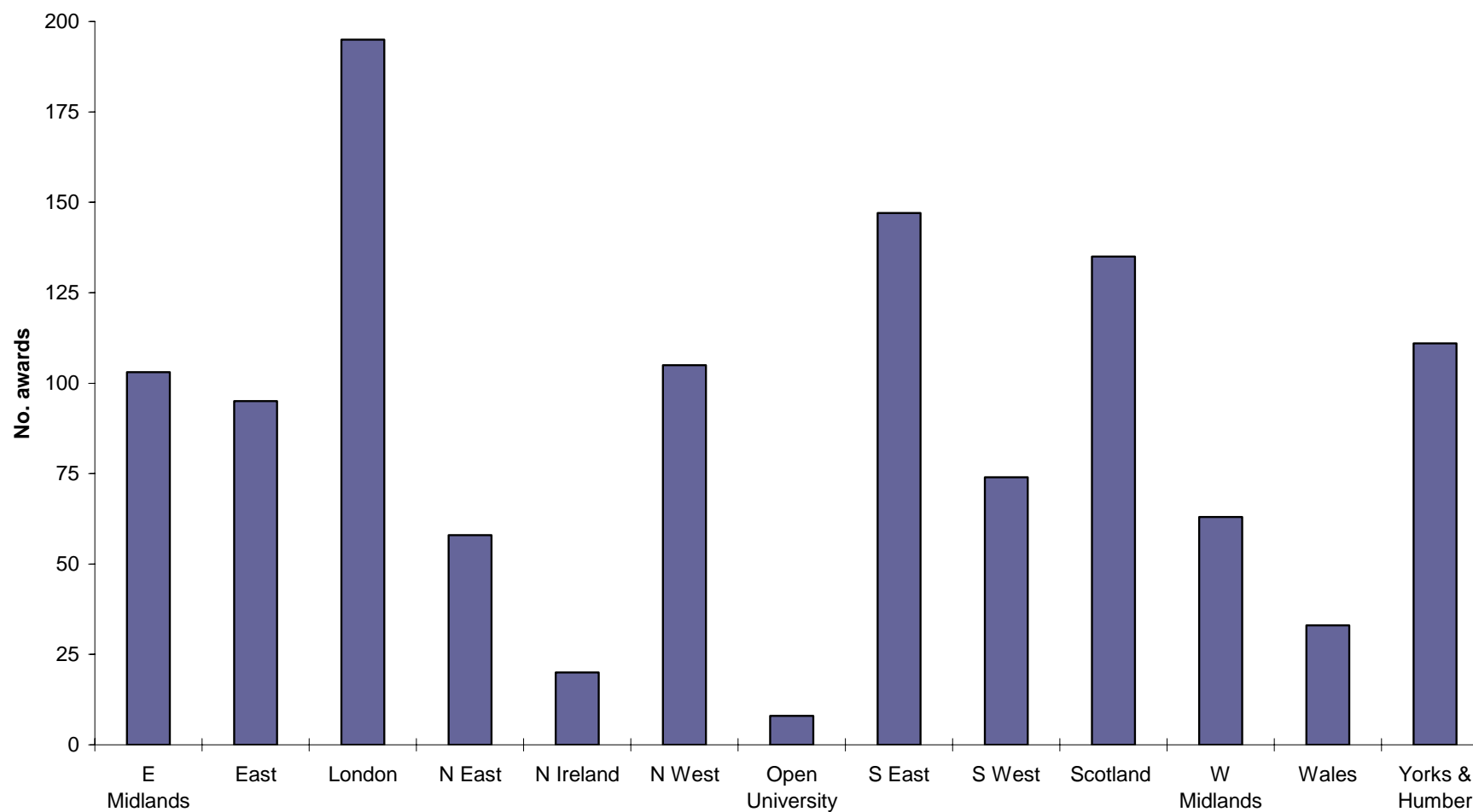
London RO	No. applications
Birkbeck College	6
Brunel University	64
City University	21
Goldsmiths College	5
Imperial College London	250
Institute for Fiscal Studies	1
Institute of Cancer Research	3
Institute of Education	4
King's College London	53
Kingston University	13
London Metropolitan University	4
London School of Economics & Political Sciences	6
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	2
London South Bank University	4
Middlesex University	5
Policy Studies Institute	1
Queen Mary, University of London	50
Royal College of Art	1
Royal College of Music	1
Royal Holloway, University of London	16
Royal Veterinary College	1
School of Pharmacy	7
St George's University of London	1
St Mary's University College Twickenham	1
Thames Valley University	1
The Natural History Museum	1
University College London	211
University of Greenwich	8
University of Westminster	7

4. The percent of successful applications for London was 26% (195 awards from 748 applications) while ROs in the East had the highest percentage of successful applications (32% from 297 applications).
5. London obtained the largest amount of grants at £91 million which was 17% of the total of £548 million awarded by EPSRC in 2008/09.
6. Of the 195 grants awarded to London, 69 (=35%) were to Imperial College, 61 (=31%) to University College London, and 18 (=9%) to King's College London.
7. Source (accessed 21 September 2009):  
<http://www.epsrc.ac.uk/ResearchFunding/ReviewingProposals/FundingRates/fundingrates0809.htm>.

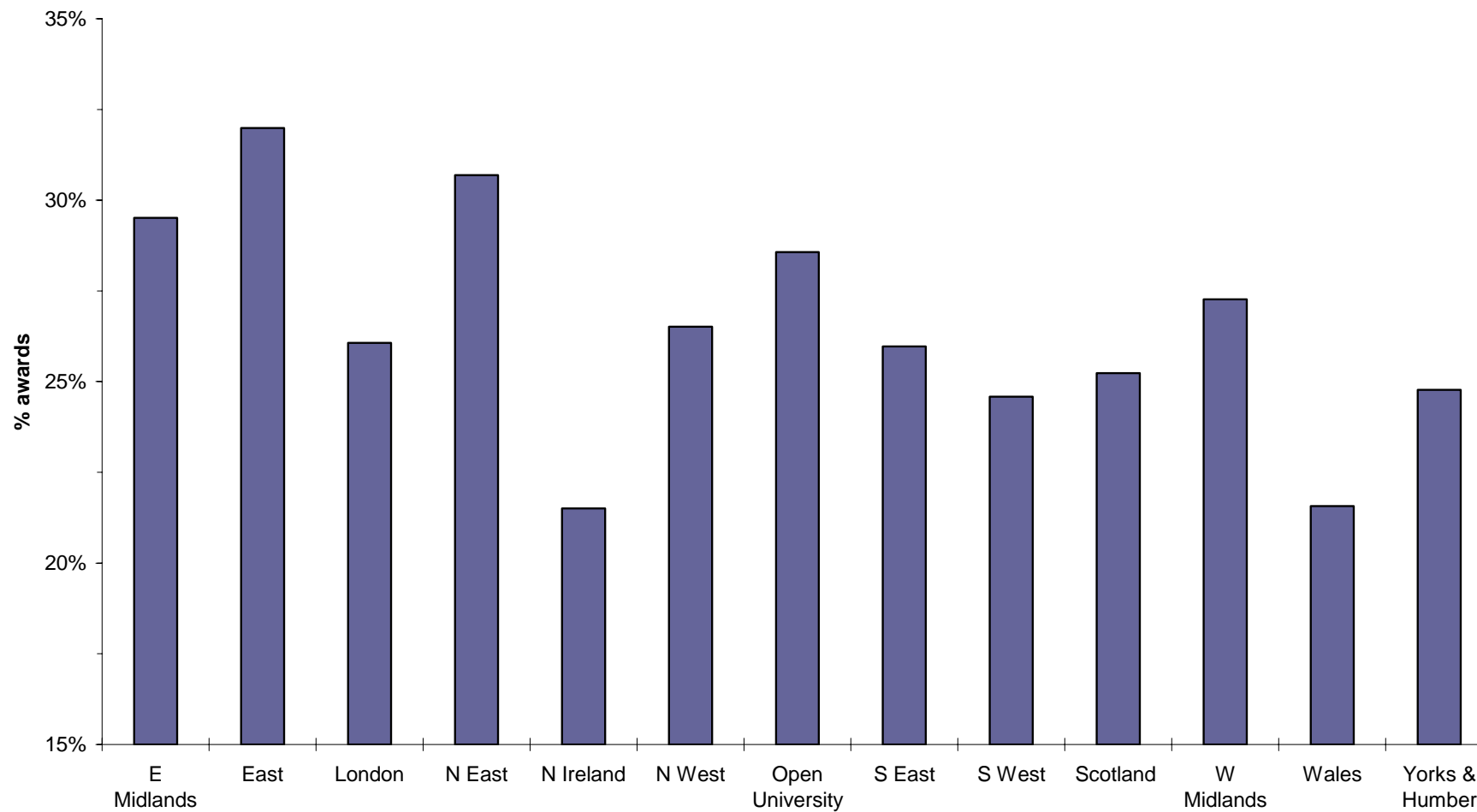
**EPSRC Responsive and Targeted mode research grants, 2008/09: applications by Region**



### EPSRC Responsive and Targeted mode research grants, 2008/09: numbers awarded by Region



**EPSRC Responsive and Targeted mode research grants, 2008/09: % success rates by Region**



**EPSRC Responsive and Targeted mode research grants, 2008/09: amounts awarded by Region**

