

Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council: grant success rates for 2015/16

- Awards for research grants submitted during 2015/2016 have been summarised by region and research organisation (RO).
- From 108 ROs applying for grants, 21 were in London and of these nine received one or more awards.

Region	No. ROs	No. applications	No. funded	% success	Amount awarded, £K
London	21	302	62	21%	32,870
S East	17	244	68	28%	31,484
East	14	250	71	28%	30,554
Scotland	14	248	72	29%	30,466
Yorks. & Humber	5	137	31	23%	16,603
S West	6	103	33	32%	16,518
N West	7	153	40	26%	14,765
E Midlands	6	114	27	24%	14,727
W Midlands	7	97	22	23%	7,615
N Ireland	2	26	4	15%	1,751
N East	3	46	6	13%	1,433
Wales	6	58	5	9%	1,274
Grand Total	108	1,778	441	25%	200,060

- The overall success rate for ROs in London was similar to 2014/15.
- ROs in London won almost £33 million, or 16% of the £200 million awarded by BBSRC in this period.
- Of the 62 grants in London, 21 were awarded to UCL, 16 to Imperial College and 15 to King's College London.

Source: <http://www.bbsrc.ac.uk/funding/apply/success-rates/> (accessed 20 December 2016).

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