TABLE 1

Science and engineering research space in academic institutions, by field and research animal space: FYs 2007–19

(Net assignable square feet in millions)

Field and research animal space	FY 2007	FY 2009	FY 2011	FY 2013	FY 2015	FY 2017	FY 2019
All research space	187.9	196.1	202.2	211.8	214.5	221.2	227.3
Agricultural sciences	27.9	29.5	27.6	30.5	28.3	29.0	28.4
Biological and biomedical sciences	45	50	54	57	56	58	59
Computer and information sciences	4.8	5.2	5.0	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.6
Engineering	28.4	30.2	31.7	33.4	34.2	35.2	38.1
Geosciences, atmospheric sciences, and ocean sciences	8.4	8.0	7.8	7.8	8.1	8.5	8.7
Health sciences	37.0	36.3	36.7	38.0	39.2	39.8	41.2
Mathematics and statistics	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8
Natural resources and conservation	na	na	na	na	3.5	4.3	4.7
Physical sciences	20.3	20.5	21.8	22.9	22.7	23.2	23.4
Psychology	4.9	5.2	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.9
Social sciences	6.0	5.5	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.1	6.4
Other	3.7	3.9	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.8	5.3
Research animal space[a]	17.8	18.1	18.4	18.9	19.2	19.2	19.0

na = not applicable; see notes below.

[a] Research animal space is listed separately and is also included in individual field totals.

Note(s):

Fields of science and engineering and their disciplines were revised in FY 2015. Specifically, "Agricultural sciences and natural resources sciences" was split into "Agricultural sciences" and "Natural resources and conservation." Prior to FY 2015, data for "Natural resources and conservation" are included in "Agricultural sciences." Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

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