

TABLE 10

R&D employees of nonprofit organizations, by occupation category and type of nonprofit organization: FYs 2020–22

(Number)

Occupation category	Type of nonprofit organization ^a											
	FY 2020				FY 2021				FY 2022			
	All organizations	Healthcare	Science and technology	Other nonprofit organizations	All organizations	Healthcare	Science and technology	Other nonprofit organizations	All organizations	Healthcare	Science and technology	Other nonprofit organizations
All R&D employees	200,719	124,011	57,131	19,577	186,198	113,743	54,983	17,473	198,389	128,134	57,235	13,020
Researchers	77,111	44,942	23,572	8,598	75,690	43,852	24,373	7,466	89,512	56,475	25,585	7,451
Technicians	67,434	41,681	20,934	4,819	63,832	41,600	18,316	3,916	68,072	46,581	18,438	3,053
Other support personnel	56,174	37,388	12,626	6,160	46,676	28,291	12,294	6,090	40,805	25,078	13,212	2,515

i = more than 50% of the estimate is a combination of imputation and reweighting to account for nonresponse.

^a Nonprofit organizations are classified using the 2017 North American Industry Classification System code that accounts for the majority of their payroll. This classification may differ from the National Taxonomy of Exempt Entities Core Codes system used by the Internal Revenue Service and National Center for Charitable Statistics.

Note(s):

These data exclude nonprofit universities and colleges and federally funded research and development centers administered by nonprofit organizations. Detail may not add to total because of rounding.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and Census Bureau, Nonprofit Research Activities module of the Annual Business Survey.