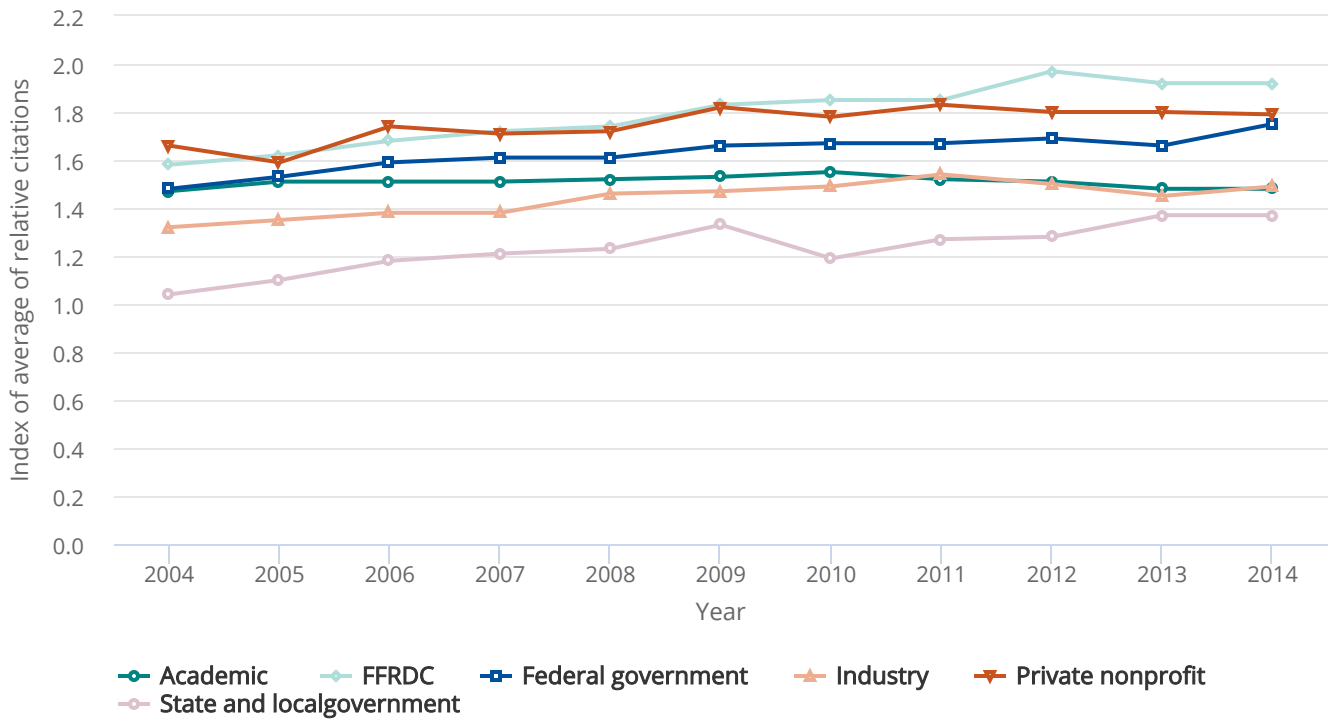


FIGURE 5-32

### Average relative citations for U.S. S&E articles, by sector: 2004-14



FFRDC = federally funded research and development center.

**Note(s)**

Articles refer to publications from a selection of journals, books, and conference proceedings in S&E from Scopus. Articles are classified by their year of publication and are assigned to a region, country, or economy on the basis of the institutional address(es) listed in the article. Citations are presented for the year in which the cited article was published, showing the counts of subsequent citations from peer-reviewed literature. At least 3 years of data after publication are needed for a meaningful measure. Data are incomplete for 2014.

**Source(s)**

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