



### Applicable Indirect Cost (Overhead) Rates

The following table sets out the applicable StFX University Indirect Cost (Overhead) Rates on research grants and contracts:

<b>Grants</b>		
<b>Source/Sponsor</b>	<b>Overhead Rate</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Federal government department and agency grants, companies, foundations, industry consortia	15% of total direct costs or as published in application guidelines	
Partnership funds for Tri-Agency grants (i.e., industry contributions)	15% of total direct costs	Funds can be provided as a grant or contract
National Institutes of Health	8% of direct costs	
National Science Foundation	10% of direct costs	
<b>Contracts and Contribution Agreements</b>		
<b>Source/Sponsor</b>	<b>Overhead Rate</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC)	On-Campus Research – 65% of salaries and benefits Off-Campus Research – 35% of salaries and benefits Travel – 2% of travel and subsistence costs	These rates are set by the federal government and apply to all federal government contracts managed by PWGSC
All other federal government departments and agencies	40% of direct costs	
Federal and provincial government contribution agreements	15% of direct costs	
Clinical trials	30% of direct costs	
Offshore Energy Research Association (OERA)	30% of direct costs	
Other research contracts and technical services agreements	40% of direct research costs	Includes industry and agencies
Provincial governments	40% of direct research costs	
U.S. Government (effective April 1, 2015)	On-Campus Research - 67.3% Off-Campus Research –14.7% (Off-Campus Research is defined as “all activities performed in facilities not owned by the organization and to which rent is directly allocated to the project(s).” Calculated on direct salaries and wages only (including vacation, holiday, sick pay and other paid absences; excluding all other fringe benefits).	These are non-negotiable rates set every three years by the U.S. Government
Student stipends	15% of the stipend amount	
International development projects	15% of total direct costs or as set in published guidelines	