

Nomenclature for the analysis and comparison of scientific programmes and budgets (NABS) (2007)

The nomenclature for the analysis and comparison of scientific programmes and budgets (NABS) is a functional classification for the analysis of public financing of research and development (R&D) on the basis of the socio-economic objectives pursued by the central governments or stated by them in drafting their budgets and programmes, as opposed to a breakdown by institutions or groups of institutions to which funds are allocated. It also facilitates international comparisons by reducing as far as possible the influence of distortions resulting from differences between national systems of R&D.

Code	Label
01	Exploration and exploitation of the earth
02	Environment
03	Exploration and exploitation of space
04	Transport, telecommunication and other infrastructures
05	Energy
06	Industrial production and technology
07	Health
08	Agriculture
09	Education
10	Culture, recreation, religion and mass media
11	Political and social systems, structures and processes
	General advancement of knowledge: R&D financed from General University
12	Funds (GUF)
12.1	R&D related to Natural Sciences - financed from GUF
12.2	R&D related to Engineering Sciences - financed from GUF
12.3	R&D related to Medical Sciences - financed from GUF
12.4	R&D related to Agricultural Sciences - financed from GUF
12.5	R&D related to Social Sciences - financed from GUF
12.6	R&D related to Humanities - financed from GUF
	General advancement of knowledge: R&D financed from other sources than
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14	Defence