

NSW Distribution of Funds to Universities – Education Investment Fund Rounds 1 - 4

Universities are classified as ‘regional universities’ for the purpose of this document if the principal campus is located in an Inner Regional (RA2), Outer Regional (RA3), Remote (RA4) or Very Remote (RA5) area using the Australian Bureau of Statistics, *Australian Statistical Geographic Classification – Remoteness Areas* (2011).¹ One project has been included in the ‘regional’ table. This was a multi-party initiative involving two universities located in RA 1 - Major Cities (Sydney and Newcastle), and a regionally based TAFE located in RA – 2 Inner Regional, for infrastructure to be located wholly in Port Macquarie (RA 2 – Inner Regional).

Table 1: Regional Universities

ROUND	UNIVERSITY	PURPOSE	Primary Location	AMOUNT (\$m)
2	Charles Sturt University	National Life Sciences Hub	Wagga Wagga	\$34
4	Southern Cross University	Engineering and Science	Lismore	\$27.9
4	University of New South Wales/University of Newcastle/North Coast Institute of TAFE	Port Macquarie Health and Medical Education Campus	Port Macquarie	\$20
4	Charles Sturt University	Port Macquarie Campus	Port Macquarie	\$15
4	University of New England	Integrated Agricultural Education Project	Armidale/ Tamworth	\$29
		Total HEEF/EIF Distribution to NSW Regional Universities		\$125.90
		Proportion of total distributions to NSW		19.3%

Table 2: Non-regional Universities

ROUND	UNIVERSITY	PURPOSE	Primary Location	AMOUNT (\$m)
1	University of New South Wales	Energy Technologies Building	Sydney	\$75
1	University of Sydney	Centre for Obesity, Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease	Sydney	\$95
1	University of Wollongong	SMART Infrastructure Facility	Wollongong	\$35
1	Macquarie University	Hearing Hub	Sydney	\$40
2	Macquarie University	Leadership in Advanced Surgical Education	Sydney	\$16.638
2	University of New South Wales	Gateway @ COFA	Sydney	\$48

¹ 1270.0.55.005 - Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS): Volume 5 - Remoteness Structure, July 2011 ([http://www.ausstats.abs.gov.au/Ausstats/subscriber.nsf/0/2B9F179C6CFA2431CA257B03000D7F21/\\$File/1270055005_2011_remoteness_structure_maps.pdf](http://www.ausstats.abs.gov.au/Ausstats/subscriber.nsf/0/2B9F179C6CFA2431CA257B03000D7F21/$File/1270055005_2011_remoteness_structure_maps.pdf))

2	University of Western Sydney	Centre of Climate Change and Energy Research	Sydney	\$40
3	University of Newcastle	Newcastle Institute for Energy and Resources	Newcastle	\$30
3	University of Wollongong	Retrofitting for Resilient and Sustainable Buildings	Wollongong	\$25.1
3	University of Technology Sydney	Building for the Future: A Unique Learning Environment for the 21 Century	Sydney	\$50
3	University of Sydney	The Australian Institute for Nanoscience	Sydney	\$40
4	University of Wollongong	The Early Start - Changing Children's Future facility	Wollongong	\$31
		Total HEEF/EIF Distribution to NSW Major City Universities		\$525.738
		Proportion of total distributions to NSW		80.7%

Table 3 – NSW Share of Total HEEF/EIF Funding Distribution

Distribution of HEEF/EIF Funding to NSW	
Total HEEF/EIF Funding Available	\$2564.779
Total HEEF/EIF Distributions to NSW (Major City and Regional)	\$718.077
Percentage	27.9%

References

- Australian Bureau of Statistics, 1270.0.55.005 - Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS): Volume 5 - Remoteness Structure, July 2011 ([http://www.ausstats.abs.gov.au/Ausstats/subscriber.nsf/0/2B9F179C6CFA2431CA257B03000D7F21/\\$File/1270055005_2011_remoteness_structure_maps.pdf](http://www.ausstats.abs.gov.au/Ausstats/subscriber.nsf/0/2B9F179C6CFA2431CA257B03000D7F21/$File/1270055005_2011_remoteness_structure_maps.pdf))
- Successful projects for HEEF Round 1 (HEEF) - \$580.5m
<http://www.innovation.gov.au/highereducation/Funding/EducationInvestmentFund/Documents/EIFSuccessfulProjectsRd1.pdf>
- Successful projects for EIF Round 2 - \$934.279m
http://www.innovation.gov.au/highereducation/Funding/EducationInvestmentFund/Pages/Library%20Card/EIFRound2_tables.aspx
- Successful projects for EIF Round 3 - \$414.55m, and Sustainability round \$135.45m = \$550m
http://www.innovation.gov.au/highereducation/Funding/EducationInvestmentFund/Documents/EIFRound3SustainabilityRound/EIFRound3_table.pdf
- Successful projects for EIF Round 4 - \$500m
<http://www.innovation.gov.au/highereducation/Funding/EducationInvestmentFund/Pages/EIFRegionalPrioritiesRound.aspx>