



**At-A-Glance:**

**K-State 2025 Top 50 Public Research University Metrics and the Most Recent Rankings  
Kansas State University Only**

From the Center for Measuring University Performance  
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**Ranking Metric**

**Control Rank\***

**Total Research  
Development  
Expenditures**

2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
75	71	72	71	69	68	69	71	71	68

**Endowment Pool**

FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
77	76	78	78	67	68	71	80	84	83

**Faculty Awards**

2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
46	67	122	100	85	115	51	54	65	83

**Doctorates  
Granted (July 1  
to June 30)**

2009- 2010	2010- 2011	2011- 2012	2012- 2013	2013- 2014	2014- 2015	2015- 2016	2016- 2017	2017- 2018	2018- 2019
82	75	81	78	81	76	76	76	79	75

**Annual Giving**

2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
63	61	56	37	20	53	52	64	54	54

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Institution	Total Research Development Expenditures Control Rank*										Endowment Pool Control Rank*									
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	FY 10	FY 11	FY 12	FY 13	FY 14	FY 15	FY 16	FY 17	FY 18	FY 19
Kansas State University	75	71	72	71	69	68	69	71	71	68	77	76	78	78	67	68	71	80	84	83
Auburn University	77	79	74	86	81	83	84	82	79	72	62	59	57	56	55	52	51	48	49	51
Clemson University	68	78	83	96	92	94	93	89	88	83	57	53	53	55	54	50	52	52	52	52
Colorado State University	42	44	43	42	47	47	47	43	44	44	99	96	95	97	97	99	98	94	94	93
Iowa State University	54	50	50	51	50	48	49	45	47	45	42	41	43	44	43	43	44	45	39	40
Louisiana State University - Baton Rouge	45	47	47	48	48	50	51	50	56	51	67	69	70	73	74	79	80	78	80	79
North Carolina State University	26	32	33	33	31	27	28	27	29	32	43	40	39	37	34	32	32	31	30	30
Oklahoma State University	87	75	73	72	86	90	89	81	82	85	45	57	58	72	58	58	59	60	59	63
Oregon State University	61	59	55	52	57	59	56	55	55	55	64	63	67	64	63	66	67	65	64	64
University of Massachusetts - Amherst	71	68	68	69	73	66	66	68	67	71	95	99	92	90	93	96	96	96	96	95
Washington State University	46	46	37	47	49	49	48	48	46	47	32	34	30	35	36	37	36	39	40	42

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Institution	Faculty Awards Control Rank*										Doctorates Granted July 1 to June 30 Control Rank*									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019
Kansas State University	46	67	122	100	85	115	51	54	65	83	82	75	81	78	81	76	76	76	79	75
Auburn University	77	87	101	168	126	92	66	99	109	108	60	63	53	59	59	58	59	54	59	64
Clemson University	69	59	64	86	71	92	66	43	42	61	69	67	62	73	66	64	65	67	66	65
Colorado State University	60	87	73	46	50	33	78	75	42	32	59	64	57	61	65	59	62	68	60	59
Iowa State University	44	67	35	43	57	66	51	33	26	40	37	35	34	37	38	42	42	35	32	31
Louisiana State University - Baton Rouge	126	105	73	76	85	72	93	66	109	90	38	51	41	47	39	44	39	48	53	50
North Carolina State University	37	28	30	24	27	33	14	18	21	16	23	31	26	21	21	23	23	20	20	17
Oklahoma State University	99	67	84	100	71	92	93	296	130	75	57	69	65	57	61	61	60	68	64	67
Oregon State University	60	52	21	46	57	72	37	54	59	40	68	71	71	65	73	69	68	57	61	55
University of Massachusetts - Amherst	53	59	54	31	35	21	43	27	26	16	42	50	48	49	50	56	56	51	54	42
Washington State University	37	59	44	46	57	60	37	66	48	43	70	65	68	54	57	54	44	48	44	53

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Institution	Annual Giving Control Rank*									
	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
Kansas State University	63	61	56	37	20	53	52	64	54	54
Auburn University	61	66	68	64	50	48	42	51	45	60
Clemson University	88	65	62	60	75	63	57	62	55	61
Colorado State University	98	88	98	33	24	92	92	79	65	92
Iowa State University	64	64	70	71	71	49	58	24	28	43
Louisiana State University - Baton Rouge	40	44	33	48	40	33	30	39	50	51
North Carolina State University	47	40	40	24	35	41	37	32	30	27
Oklahoma State University	35	39	43	34	63	64	49	54	60	71
Oregon State University	48	51	39	54	46	52	51	57	51	50
University of Massachusetts - Amherst	65	94	95	100	99	99	106	76	98	101
Washington State University	60	36	34	78	51	47	45	66	61	58