Table 12. Demographic Profile of Recipients of NSF BIO Awards and Total Actions, 2002-2012 (PUIs v. Non-PUIs, RUI v. Non-RUI Awards)

	All			Non-PUI Only			PUI Only			PUI, Non-RUI			PUI, RUI		
	Awards	% Awards	% Total	Awards	% Awards	% Total	Awards	% Awards	% Total	Awards	% Awards	% Total	Awards	% Awards	% Total
	(8,675)		Actions	(7,980)		Actions	(695)		Actions	(286)		Actions	(409)		Actions
Gender															
Male	6,021	70.8%	73.1%	5,587	71.4%	73.6%	434	64.2%	67.0%	183	65.8%	68.4%	251	63.1%	65.6%
Female	2,484	29.2%	26.9%	2,242	28.6%	26.4%	242	35.8%	33.0%	95	34.2%	31.6%	147	36.9%	34.4%
Total	8,505	100.0%	100.0%	7,829	100.0%	100.0%	676	100.0%	100.0%	278	100.0%	100.0%	398	100.0%	100.0%
Minority PI															
Yes	625	7.4%	6.0%	535	6.9%	5.6%	90	13.2%	9.8%	68	24.2%	13.8%	22	5.5%	5.5%
No	7,770	92.6%	94.0%	7,177	93.1%	94.4%	593	86.8%	90.2%	213	75.8%	86.2%	380	94.5%	94.5%
Total	8,395	100.0%	100.0%	7,712	100.0%	100.0%	683	100.0%	100.0%	281	100.0%	100.0%	402	100.0%	100.0%
Investigator Status															
New*	2,629	30.3%	61.9%	2,328	29.2%	61.2%	301	43.3%	68.9%	152	53.0%	74.1%	149	36.4%	62.4%
Prior	6,046	69.7%	38.1%	5,652	70.8%	38.8%	394	56.7%	31.1%	135	47.0%	25.9%	260	63.6%	37.6%
Total	8,675	100.0%	100.0%	7,980	100.0%	100.0%	695	100.0%	100.0%	287	100.0%	100.0%	409	100.0%	100.0%
Beginning Investigator**															
Yes	3,784	43.6%	45.2%	3,427	42.9%	44.9%	357	51.4%	48.6%	179	62.4%	49.3%	178	43.5%	47.6%
No	4,891	56.4%	54.8%	4,553	57.1%	55.1%	338	48.6%	51.4%	108	37.6%	50.7%	231	56.5%	52.4%
Total	8,675	100.0%	100.0%	7,980	100.0%	100.0%	695	100.0%	100.0%	287	100.0%	100.0%	409	100.0%	100.0%
EPSCoR State***															
Yes	1,520	17.5%	32.3%	1,410	17.7%	32.0%	110	15.9%	35.8%	45	15.7%	39.2%	65	16.0%	31.2%
No	7,151	82.5%	67.7%	6,567	82.3%	68.0%	584	84.1%	64.2%	241	84.3%	60.8%	342	84.0%	68.8%
Total	8,671	100.0%	100.0%	7,977	100.0%	100.0%	694	100.0%	100.0%	286	100.0%	100.0%	407	100.0%	100.0%

Percent awards refers only to awards relating to a given variable in that cohort. Percent total actions refers to the total number of proposals considered for funding (awards + declines), in relation to each variable for a given cohort (proposal data not shown).

^{*} A New Investigator has not previously submitted a proposal to the NSF, but is not necessarily a beginning investigator

^{**} A Beginning Investigator has not had prior federal funding

^{***} Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (www.nsf.gov/div/index.jsp?org=EPSC)