



# THINK KENTUCKY

Cabinet for Economic Development

**\$500k/yr**  
in matching funds

Leveraging  
**\$20mil**  
5-yr grant from NSF

+  
**\$20mil**  
in follow-on NSF awards

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for scientific researchers have been supported over the 34 year history of the program. 872 of these were created during the 2014-2019 award.

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# PATENTS

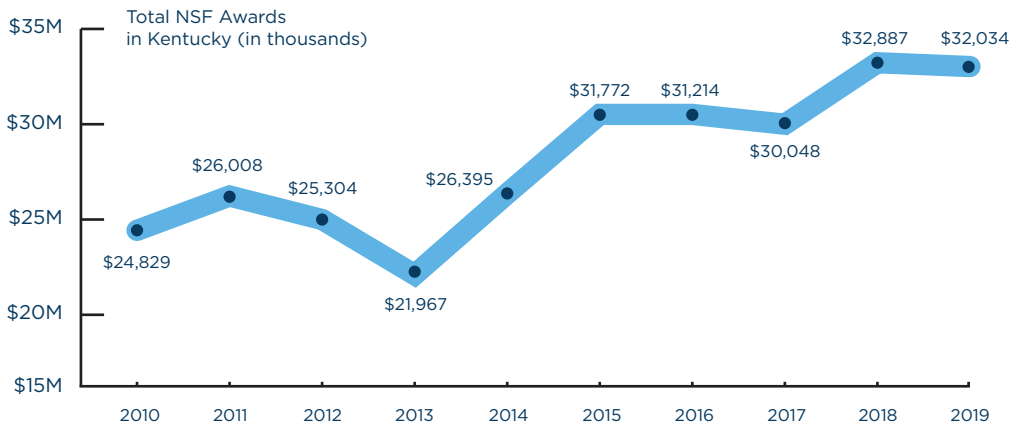
(12 licensed) were added to the IP pipeline by the NSF EPSCoR researchers supported on the 2014-2019 award.

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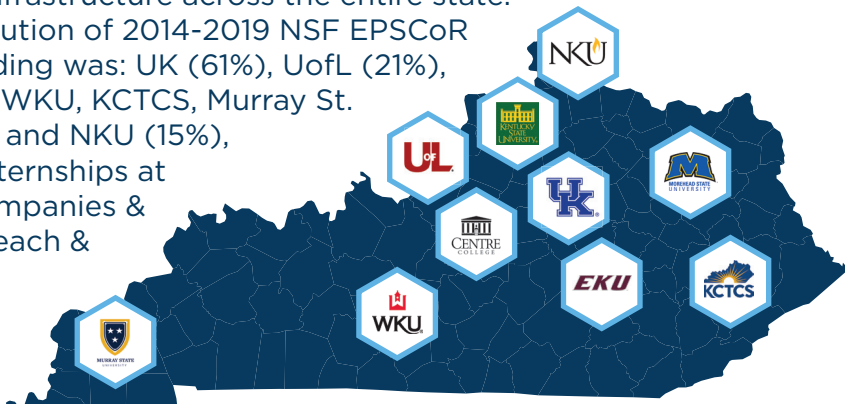
A \$500K/yr CED match leverages the \$4M/yr NSF EPSCoR federal award as well as an additional \$4M of follow-on NSF awards. The 2014-2019 award generated 51 follow-on NSF awards valued at \$19.3M.

## EPSCoR WORKS FOR KY



## STATEWIDE IMPACT

The EPSCoR program awards are impacting academic research infrastructure across the entire state. The distribution of 2014-2019 NSF EPSCoR award funding was: UK (61%), UofL (21%), KSU, EKU, WKU, KCTCS, Murray St. Morehead, and NKU (15%), Student Internships at KY S&T companies & other outreach & education programs (3%)



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Research Active  
**FACULTY HIRES**

UofL (5), UK (4), WKU (3), Murray St. (3), EKU (1), Morehead (1), Centre (1)

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**SMALL BUSINESSES SUPPORTED**